

## **BEST PRACTICES (2022-23)**

- 1. Adoption of Villages:** SLC is a participating institute in the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and has adopted 5 villages in Uttar Pradesh: Dhitora (Baghpat), Nithora (Ghaziabad), Chirodi (Ghaziabad), Jawli (Ghaziabad), Kotwalpur (Ghaziabad). Under this initiative, the UBA team has conducted extensive surveys of the said villages and interacted with villagers and other stakeholders of the villages such as village Pradhans and village panchayat samities and other stakeholders. The village visits, surveys conducted, data collected and interactions with villagers and concerned stakeholders of the villages have helped the team to shortlist problem areas for further assistance. The SLC team planned and executed awareness campaigns for financial literacy including availing government financial incentives and schemes, insurance plan and health insurance, workshops for awareness around sanitation issues in the villages, campaigns about conservation of water, waste management, non-use of polythene, distribution of cloth bags and practical solution for proper waste management.
- 2. Adoption and Spreading of Sustainable Practices (Greenary, Swachta and Renewable Power):** At SLC, adoption and spreading of sustainable practices include creating green campus, regular cleanliness drives, use of renewable power derived from the solar panel installed in the campus and participating in the GOI's initiatives such as Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, Swachhata Pakhwada and Swachhata Action Plan(SAP). These initiatives in the college are in tune with Sustainable Development Goals as adopted by the United Nations in 2015 and also the environmental friendly approach enshrined in the National Educational Policy (NEP), 2020. These practices, undertaken at SLC, aim at adopting various environment friendly initiatives. At SLC, we also aim to generate young students' interest in relation to adopting environment friendly approaches in their day to day lives and also in their vicinity.