7.1.1. Measures initiated by the Institution for the promotion of gender equity during the year.

Response: Margherita College is committed to creating a gender-inclusive campus through various programs organized by the Women Studies and Development Cell (WSDC), Sexual Harassment Prevention and Empowerment Cell, and other College societies. These programmes address women's health and hygiene, girl child protection, and mental health issues, as well as the important roles women can play in various spheres of society. The proportion of women on the teaching faculty has risen to nearly 50% over time.

Moreover, the courses offered by the College in Social Science disciplines such as Political Science, Sociology, and others include a component of gender studies that are taught by teachers who are skilled in their respective fields.

Furthermore, the following are the institution's specific programmes for promoting gender equity throughout the year:

| Sl. | Program | Date | Number of | |
|-----|---|------------|--------------|--------|
| No. | | | Participants | |
| | | | Male | Female |
| 1. | A Talk on Save the Girl child | 23/12/2021 | 01 | 33 |
| 2. | Celebration of Girl Child Day | 24/01/2022 | 11 | 38 |
| 3. | A Webinar on Cervical cancer | 27/01/2022 | 01 | 34 |
| | An Awareness Program on | 19/02/2022 | - | 55 |
| 4. | Women's Health | | | |
| 5. | International Women Day | 08/03/2022 | - | 45 |
| 6 | Lecture Programme on "Education, Health and Gender Equality: Issues and Challenges" | 12/03/2022 | - | 53 |
| 7 | An Awarenessprogram on | 31/05/2022 | | |
| | Menstrual Energy | | - | 47 |











