## Mrs A V N College Visakhapatnam



# 6.1.2 The effective leadership is visible in various institutional practices such as decentralization and participative management.

#### **Additional information**

Effective leadership in the college is demonstrated through various practices, and decentralization and participative management, which are two key aspects that contribute to successful leadership.

#### 1. Decentralization:

Delegated Decision-Making: Decentralization involves distributing decision-making authority throughout the organization. In colleges, this means empowering faculty members, department heads, and other stakeholders to make decisions related to their respective areas through committees.

Autonomy for academic Departments: Each academic department have the autonomy to address its unique challenges, set goals, and implement strategies that align with the overall mission of the college.

Faster Response to Local Needs: Decentralization allows the college to respond more efficiently to local and specific needs within departments, fostering a more flexible and adaptive organizational structure.

### 2. Participative Management:

Inclusive Decision-Making: Participative management encourages the involvement of all stakeholders, including faculty, staff, and students, in the decision-making process.

Collaborative Problem-Solving: Leaders actively seek input and ideas from their team members, promoting collaboration and collective problem-solving. This fosters a sense of ownership and commitment among the college community.

Enhanced Communication: Open communication channels are essential in participative management. Leaders engage in transparent and effective communication, ensuring that everyone is informed and involved in decision-making processes.

#### 3. Benefits of Both Practices:

Empowerment and Motivation: Decentralization and participative management empower individuals by giving them a sense of responsibility and ownership. This, in turn, can boost motivation and commitment.

Adaptability and Innovation: These practices promote adaptability to changing circumstances and encourage innovation. Individuals on the front lines often have valuable insights that can drive positive change and improvements.

Organizational Resilience: The college, with decentralized and participative management structures, are often more resilient, as decision-making is distributed, and the organization can respond more effectively to challenges.

The students and staff are members of the statutory and non-statutory committees and participate in college governance.

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1	SC/ST Committee	http://avncollege.ac.in/view-page.php ?pid=50
2	Grievance,redressal committee	http://avncollege.ac.in/view-page.php ?pid=52
3	Anti ragging committee	http://avncollege.ac.in/view-page.php ?pid=54
4	OBC Cell	http://avncollege.ac.in/view-page.php ?pid=55