

NAAC team returns after evaluating Pt RSU

● **University to get grade in August**

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Raipur, Jul 23: The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) team evaluated at Pt Ravi Shankar Shukla University for three days and returned after filing its report. On the last day, the team members saw the Gyan Sarovar in the morning and planted saplings there. The team members visited hostels and schools of studies for evaluation.

According to university officials the response of the NAAC team seemed to be positive. The university management is expecting A+ grading this time.



For three days, the team evaluated on the basis of its parameters. The members of the NAAC team have met professors, staff, students, parents, alumni and gathered their feedbacks as well.

Information was collected about the facilities being provided to the students. There is a shortage of staff in the university. To enhance the quality of education, there should

be sufficient regular staff, which the university does not have. Apart from this, the university is also behind in the field of research.

The university management recently received a grant of Rs 10 crore for research, but this grant has not been included in the evaluation. On this basis, the university has received only Rs 5 crore in five years only for research. Apart from this, the NAAC team has described the infrastructure of the university as very good.

Pt Ravi Shankar University was assessed by NAAC six years back in 2016. At that time the university got A grade. The NAAC grade of the university was over in

2020, but the NAAC evaluation could not be done due to COVID pandemic. Currently the university does not have any grades.

Which grade the university will get will be decided in August. The university management was preparing for the last several months for good NAAC grading. To test their preparations, mock drill was also done twice.

The university management had tested its preparations by calling the professor of Lucknow University, who had achieved NAAC's best grading A++. Suggestions were also sought from him to get good grading. Based on the suggestions, the schools of studies had prepared their presentation.