## 7.3.1 – Provide the details of the performance of the institution in one area distinctive to its vision, priority and thrust in not more than 500 words

Rajarshi Shahu Arts, Commerce & Science College Pathri started functioning with two Pre-degree batches in a building in year of 2001. Having completed 15 years of valuable educational service, the college now offers degree programmes in Arts, Commerce and Science. The college aims to mould the student community hailing mostly from the marginalized and weaker sections of the society into better individuals, and guide them to contribute constructively towards National goals by upholding the values of secularism, National integration and social commitment. The primary objective of the College is to enable the students to cope with the demands of the contemporary global scenario through effective transaction of the curricular and co-curricular aspects. Academic excellence, personality development and social orientation are our guiding principles.

We strive to develop a strong foundation of ethical principles in our students and make them academically excellent to acquire global competencies with the help of technology, so that they can substantially contribute to National development. The strength of the College is its qualified and committed faculty members, industrious administrative staff, well equipped college library with e-facility, interactive smart class, high speed Wi-Fi internet access 24 X 7, availability of computers in a student ratio of 1:60, facilities for scanning, printing and copying facility provided, good academic ambience and the enthusiastic students. The college has always been in the frontline in fulfilling its social objectives in terms of educational attainments and producing quality individuals.

The opportunities ahead of us are many. We have been submitting proposals for more academic post graduate programmes, and also hope to elicit more funding from different agencies for infrastructural enhancement and academic projects. We strive to sustain our student support activities and improve the quality of our services.

The challenges ahead of us are diverse. We need to assure better financial assistance for the successful accomplishment of our future plans. Continuous enhancement of infrastructure, proper maintenance, improving the quality of academic services, extension, research activities and student support programmes are a few of the challenges ahead.

The college is confident that it can sustain and improve its services to the students and the general public in the coming years.