A Study of National Service Scheme
In Sambalpur University

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QUESTIONNAIRE

(For the Student Volunteers on the Special Camping Programme)

Dear Friend,

I have undertaken a Research Project entitled "A Study of National Service Scheme in Sambalpur University". In order to bring about an improvement in the system, your whole-hearted co-operation is highly essential. Kindly complete the following questionnaire and give your worthwhile suggestions.

Anticipating your kind co-operation and Thanking you.

Yours Sincerely

(Banchhanidhi panda)
Programme Officer, N. S. S.
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Please Give a Tick Mark (✓) or Write the Required Information as the case may be in the Blanks Provided Against or Below the items you select to Answer

1. Name of the Volunteer.
2. Faculty of study. Arts/Science/Commerce/Education/Law/Engineering/Medicine/Agriculture/Any other (Please specify).
3. Class.
4. Division/Class of the Last University/Board Examination.
5. Name of the Native Village/Town.
6. Are you a member of S.C/S.T. Yes/No.
7. Educational Qualification of your father:
   Father:—
   Mother:—
   Head of the Family:—
8. What is the occupation of your parents/Head of the family?
9. What is the approximate Annual income of your family?
10. How long have you been in N.S.S.?
11. Why have you joined N.S.S.?
    (Please rank in order of priority by writing 1, 2, 3, 4, ... against the items.)
    a) To understand the Community
    b) To understand myself in relation to the community
    c) To serve the Community and to solve its problems
    d) To develop sense of social and civic responsibility
    e) To apply my knowledge to practical use in the field
    f) To develop capacities in myself to meet emergencies and natural disaster
    g) To acquire leadership quality and democratic attitude
    h) To get certificates for future use
    i) ... ... ... ... ...
    (Any other, please specify)
12. Do your parents encourage you to join NSS? Yes/No.
    If yes, why? If No, why not?
13. Do you feel that enrolment in N.S.S. should be compulsory for all the students? Yes/No.
    Please give reasons for your answer.
14. Do you feel that involvement in N.S.S. hampers your study? Yes/No.
15. Besides N.S.S., what extra curricular activities like holding office in College Associations, NCC, games and sports you have? (Please give in detail)
16. Are/Were you a member of College/University Advisory commity of N.S.S.? Yes/No.
If yes, please specify.

17. Have you attended any leadership training course or Orientation Course on N.S.S.,
organised by the University or any other Body? Yes/No.
If yes, please give the details.

18. Please give information in the following table regarding your attendance of the Special Camping
Programme. (Please answer in a separate sheet if you find the place inadequate.)

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<tr>
<th>No</th>
<th>Name of the Year</th>
<th>Place</th>
<th>Whether Inter College/Inter University/Inter State Camp</th>
<th>Major activities undertaken in the Camp</th>
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19. Please state year wise the hour of Services your have completed.

1988-89—
1987-88—
1986-87—

20. Do you feel that Special Camping Programmes should be of longer duration? Yes/No.
Please give reasons for your answer.

21. Do you maintain N.S.S. Work Diary? Yes/No.

22. Have you received any certificate from the University for your work in N.S.S.? Yes/No.

23. Did you have any Pre-camp Orientation for this Special Camping Programme? Yes/No.
If yes,

a) How was the Orientation Course conducted?
   i) The Programme Officer had a discussion with the students. ( )
   ii) The Principal and other Faculty members gave talks. ( )
   iii) Written handouts and literature on N.S.S. were supplied. ( )
   iv) Resource Persons were invited for the Orientation Course. ( )
   v) Demonstration and field Training were arranged. ( )
   vi) Audio Visual Aids were used ( )
24. Do you feel that the Orientation given to the students is adequate?  
   Yes/No.
25. Mention below any suggestion you would like to offer to make the Orientation Programme effective.
   a) More Resource Persons should be invited.
   b) More field training/Demonstration should be arranged.
   c) Literature on N.S.S. should be supplied adequately.
   d) Audio-Visual Aids should be used.
   e) ..................................................  
      (Any other, please specify.)
26. What Projects have been undertaken for this Camping Programme?
27. Were the needs of the locality assessed before selecting the Projects? If yes, how?
   a- By making previsits and contacting the people of the locality.
   b- By contacting the Panchayat Officials/Govt. officials. (Please specify)
   c- On the basis of the Survey done by N.S.S.
   d- ..................................................
      (Any other, please specify.)
28. If previsits were made, how many previsits were made to the locality?
29. What duties were you assigned in Planning for the Camp?
   a- Making visits to the locality to contact the people.
   b- Contacting Govt. officials/Persons from other Agencies for cooperation.
   c- Arranging accommodation and other requirements for the camp.
   d- Procuring materials for the camp.
   e- ................................................
      (Any other, please specify.)
   f- Not assigned any duty.
30. What are your responsibilities in the Camp?
   a- Supervising the Project Work.
   b- Looking after Mess Management.
   c- Maintaining discipline among the students.
   d- Arranging Cultural Activities.
   e- Contacting officials and other persons for the Camp.
   f- Coordinating the work of various committees.
   g- ................................................
      (Any other, please specify.)
   h- No Specific responsibility
31. How many local people are participating with you as Campers?
32. What kind of cooperation you receive from the local people?
   a- They provide manual labour
   b- They provide expertise knowledge
   c- They provide equipments, accommodation and other facilities
   d- They participate in the cultural Programmes
   e- ........................................ (Any other, Please specify)
   Yes/No.

33. Is the local participation in different activities encouraging? If no, please state the reasons
   a- Sufficient propagation about the camp has not been made.
   b- Adequate pre-visits were not made before holding the camp.
   c- The work projects were not meeting the felt needs of the villagers.
   d- The volunteers could not establish rapport with the villagers.
   e- Camping time was not suitable to the villagers.
   f- ........................................ (Any other, please specify)

34. What kind of cooperation do you receive from the members of the staff.
   a- Help you in preparing for the camp.
   b- Visit the camp and encourage the Volunteers.
   c- Work with the Volunteers in different activities.
   d- ........................................ (Any other, please specify)
   (In each case please mention the number of staff members.)

35. Please furnish below information on the cooperation you received from the Govt. Departments/
     Panchayat/Any other Agency for the Camping Programme.

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36. What type of dress you put on during the working hours?

37. Usually what is your food during:
   Breakfast —
   Lunch —
   Dinner —

38. Which of the following activities do you undertake in the camp during off hours?
   a- Stage Drama/Variety entertainment Programme. (Please specify)
   b- Arrange competitions among the Volunteers. (Please specify)
   c- Arrange competition among the local people
   d- Take part in the daily gathering of the people like Bhagabata Mela etc.
   e- Discuss with the villagers about the relevant matters relating to the Projects.
g) Do not undertake any activity during off hours. 

39. Please furnish below the information on the work done under different Projects in this Special Camping Programme.

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<th>Activities undertaken</th>
<th>Assets created/Amount of work done.</th>
<th>Approximate no of beneficiaries</th>
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40. How has the community been benefitted by this Camping Programme? Please put tick in the (V) below the appropriate column to give your opinion.

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a) People have become aware of their needs and problems.
b) People have realised their role and responsibilities as citizens.
c) Confidence has been created among them to solve their own problems.
d) They have realised the importance of education.
e) Awareness has been created among the people regarding the welfare schemes of the Government.

f) People have been motivated against social evils.

g) They have been motivated to adopt innovative techniques in Agriculture and other fields.

h) People have been made conscious of soil erosion and the benefit of tree plantation.

i) (Any other, please specify)

41 What benefit you gained by joining N.S.S. ?

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<td>a)</td>
<td>Training in Social service.</td>
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<td>b)</td>
<td>Practical experience and knowledge about the Community.</td>
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<td>Realisation of dignity of labour.</td>
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<td>Learning Organisational skills.</td>
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<td>e)</td>
<td>Development of quality of leadership</td>
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<td>Experience of group living and team spirit.</td>
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<td>g)</td>
<td>Putting classroom knowledge into the practical field for the solution of the problems of the people.</td>
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<td>Gaining experience of different opportunities of self-employment after student career.</td>
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<td>i)</td>
<td>Satisfaction of working for others.</td>
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<td>Good holidaying and merrymaking.</td>
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(Any other, please specify)
42. How far are you satisfied with the following aspects of the Camping Programme.

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<th>Fully satisfied</th>
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<td>c) Staying arrangement and food in the Camp</td>
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<td>d) Time period chosen for the camp</td>
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<td>e) Guidance and support from the Camp Organiser, and other resource Personnel</td>
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<td>g) Activities in which you participated</td>
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<td>h) Attitude of the beneficiaries</td>
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<td>i) Local participation</td>
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<td>j) Participation of Govt, officials and Voluntary Organisation</td>
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<td>k) Participation of the teachers and members of the staff other than the Programme Officers</td>
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<td>l) Benefit to the Community</td>
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<td>m) Your benefit from the Programme</td>
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43. Please give your suggestions for improvement.

Thank you.