

3.4 Facilities for Specially - abled Students:

i. Ramps, Wheelchairs, and Support Railings

The college is committed to providing an inclusive and barrier-free campus with the ample availability and effective use of ramps, wheelchairs, and support railings. These facilities are strategically placed across the campus to ensure easy movement and accessibility for students, staff, and visitors with physical disabilities, thereby promoting equal opportunities and a supportive learning environment.



ii. Availability of Separate Washrooms




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Being a girls' college, the institution places special emphasis on comfort, hygiene, and privacy by providing separate and well-maintained washroom facilities for female students, female staff, and male staff. These washrooms are appropriately located, regularly cleaned, and adequately equipped, ensuring a safe, dignified, and healthy campus environment for all.


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3.4 Facilities for Specially-Abled Students at RKMV Shimla

RKMV Shimla is committed to providing an inclusive and supportive environment for specially-abled students. The college has implemented various infrastructural facilities to ensure ease of access, mobility, and comfort for students with special needs. These initiatives align with our dedication to offering equal opportunities and enhancing the academic experience for every student. Below are the key facilities available at RKMV for specially-abled students:

1. Lift Facilities: To facilitate easy access to upper floors, RKMV has installed lift facilities in key academic blocks:

Science Block: The lift in the Science Block ensures that students with mobility challenges can attend classes and access laboratories located on the upper floors without difficulty.

D Block: The upcoming lift in D Block provides similar convenience, ensuring that specially-abled students can move across floors without any physical strain.

2. Ramps and Support Facilities: RKMV has thoughtfully constructed ramps and installed support systems such as handrails across several blocks of the campus to allow smooth mobility for students using wheelchairs or with other mobility concerns. These ramps provide easy access to various academic and administrative sections:

Science Block: Ramps ensure convenient access to the laboratories and classrooms, making the Science Block fully accessible.

A Block, B Block, C Block, and D Block: Each of these blocks is equipped with ramps to accommodate the movement of specially-abled students, enabling them to reach different classrooms and administrative offices comfortably.

3. Wheelchair Availability: RKMV provides a wheelchair on campus for students or visitors who may need additional assistance in navigating the college premises. This facility ensures that students with temporary or permanent mobility challenges are fully supported during their time at the college.

4. Separate Washroom Facilities: In recognition of the need for privacy and convenience, RKMV has designated separate washroom facilities for specially-abled students. These washrooms are designed to be accessible, with spacious interiors and appropriate fixtures, ensuring that the students can use them comfortably and independently.

5. Hostel Facilities: RKMV also offers hostel accommodations that cater to the specific needs of specially-abled students. The hostel rooms are designed to be accessible and include


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necessary modifications to provide a comfortable living environment. These adjustments ensure that students with disabilities can experience campus life fully, with support for their daily needs.

By integrating these facilities into its infrastructure, RKMV Shimla strives to create an inclusive learning environment that allows all students, regardless of their physical abilities, to engage fully in academic and campus life. These efforts reflect the college's commitment to ensuring accessibility and equity for everyone.


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