

### **7.3 - Institutional Distinctiveness**

#### **7.3.1 - Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 200 words**

Institutional Distinctiveness GBC Patiala, one of the premier co-educational professional commerce college established in 1945, is committed to nurture the enthusiasm and overflowing energies in a positive and constructive way. To realize this, the college provides best educational facilities, library support, environmental healthy campus, online study facilities and well-equipped computer labs. The college has a well maintained spacious library with about 18000 Books, 30 Magazines and 10 National and Regional Newspapers. E- Resources are subscribed from N-List through INFLIBNET. The library software SOUL2.0 and KOHA are used to computerize the library. Books are provided to the poor and needy students from the Book-Bank. There is a provision of best library user award. E- Governance is being implemented through ERP for maintenance of admission record .The Accounts branch; The Administration branch and the Examination branch are fully computerized. Eligible students get scholarships and the books required from the college library for the complete duration of their course. The college has an active career counseling and placement cell. The college campus is well maintained with regular plantation drives. Different clubs and societies make a conscious effort to strengthen the moral fabric and mental abilities of the students.