

## Academic Performance Appreciation Scheme ( APAS )

Students who are lagging behind in academics realize their mistakes and try to exert their maximum to improve the performance. Even if they accelerate their progress, it is difficult for them to reach the top suddenly if the gap is substantial. Their continuous efforts with determination to surpass self performance record by substantial amount needs to be duly recognized and encouraged. '**Every time I am doing better than earlier**', is a great feeling and if it is appreciated by others, one really gets highly motivated to continue in putting such hard work. Climbing each step of a height more than the earlier one is the ladder of progress in present world of fierce competition.

Students are not graded against their potential or against the full use of their present capacity. They are graded in relation to other students. And grades or marks are carriers of social value; they open or close the doors of opportunity.

Students who have not achieved high percentage but have worked really very hard to improve their own past performance are duly appreciated and encouraged under a unique and innovative scheme developed and implemented by the **Department of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering of MAEER's Maharashtra Institute of Technology, Pune**. This scheme is operative for the last 5 years and has been well appreciated by the students, staff, management and visitors.

In this **Academic Performance Appreciation Scheme (APAS)** the dynamic, self-motivated and result oriented students who show significant improvement in academic performance from one semester to the next semester, are felicitated and suitably rewarded in a departmental function in every semester.

Students who have shown **Consistently High Academic Performance** (aggregate 60 % or more in successive years) in FE/Diploma, SE and TE examinations, are also felicitated and suitably rewarded in the APAS function.

