

# **MONTGOMERY GURU NANAK COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, JALANDHAR**

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## **Institutional Distinctiveness**

The college maintains Education Technology Archive (ETA) and it is a growing collection of technology equipment, carefully collected, preserved, and restored for educational benefits. The ETA seeks to illustrate educational technology through the preservation of historical equipments. It seeks to bring technology back to life with a hardware equipment and knowledge, innovation and cultural value are not lost or forgotten. It is common for institutions to have outdated equipment in stores since the equipment is often replaced and technical skills and knowledge have moved on. Through the ETA, the college provides an opportunity to student teachers to gather information regarding the historical usage of stored Educational Technology equipments. Our current focus is on building, developing and cataloguing the archive.

The objectives of an educational technology archive include:

- **Preservation of Educational Technology History:** The archive room aims to preserve and document the history of educational technology, including the evolution of tools, methods, and approaches used in teaching and learning.
- **Resource for Research and Study:** It serves as a resource for researchers, educators, and students interested in studying the development and impact of educational technology over time.
- **Support for Curriculum Development:** Educators can utilize the archive room to explore past educational technologies and incorporate successful strategies into their curriculum development processes.
- **Promotion of Technological Literacy:** By showcasing the historical progression of educational technology, the archive room can promote technological literacy among educators and students, fostering an understanding of the role technology plays in teaching and learning.

ETA includes following items

- Computers including laptops, tablets
- Educational CD's
  - CD ROMs related to General Category
  - CD ROMs related to Science and Mathematics
  - CD ROMs related to History and Geography
  - CD ROMs related to Education
  - CD ROMs related to Language
- PowerPoint CD's for previous sessions
- Slide Projector
- Audio Cassettes
- Maps/ Charts
  - Maps related to Science
  - Maps related to Geography
  - Maps related to History
  - Maps related to Teaching of English
  - Maps related to Hindi
- **Video cassettes related to Teachers Training**
  - Video cassettes related to Science and Mathematics
  - Video cassettes related to Hobbies
  - Video cassettes related to Computers
  - Video cassettes related to Languages
  - Video cassettes related to General Category
- Printer and Scanner
- Dot Matrix Printer
- Overhead Projector
- Camera
- Video Camera
- Audio Recorder
- VCR