



# H.J.COLLEGE OF EDUCATION'S EXPEDITION-IMPRINTED



A Glimpse of the year 2022-2023

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## FEATHER IN THE CAP

**“Quality is not an act, it is a habit.” – Aristotle**

Education World has been rating India’s top five hundred colleges on several critical parameters of education excellence and ranking them inter se. Hansraj Jivandas College of Education is the only college of Education in India listed in Private Autonomous college ranking. In the year 2023-2024 our college bagged 31<sup>st</sup> position, in 2022-2023 39<sup>th</sup> position and in 2021-2022 48<sup>th</sup> position among All India Autonomous colleges in EW India Autonomous Colleges Rankings. The improvement in ranking is observed due to focused and dedicated efforts of quality of all the HJCE members.

## SOCIAL INITIATIVE AWARD

The college has participated in ‘Bhavishya Bharat’ a National level competition for social initiatives organized by Nagindas Khandwala College on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2022. The competition saw the participation of 186 colleges from across the country. Our college was awarded the consolation prize in the category of ‘Best Social Initiative’ at ‘Bhavishya Bharat- National Award Festival for Social Work for Colleges’.



## GREEN INITIATIVE

**“You have to hold yourself accountable for your actions, and that’s how we’re going to protect the Earth. “– Julia Butterfly Hill**



Mahatma Gandhi National Council for Rural Education (MGNCRE), Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India has awarded Principal and Faculty members with a certificate of appreciation for their contributions to the World Environment Day celebration and

for the initiatives taken up by the college under Swachhata activities, reinforcing greenery and showcasing of their green decisions for the year 2022-23.

# PLACEMENT

**'Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in day out.' - Robert Collier**

HJCE placement cell plays a crucial role in guiding and assisting the student-teachers to mark a beginning into the best schools around for a successful career. The placement cell of HJCE works hard to enhance the employability of the students by organizing Campus Placements drives. The Placement Cell invites institutions of national & international repute for the same. This year too,



the Campus Placement drive was organised on 7 Jan 2023 and the following institutions of repute were a part of it: Jasudben M.L. School, Ajmera Global School and Ajmera School, Arya Vidya Mandir Group of Schools, Billabong High International School, C P Goenka International Schools, Children's Academy, D. Y. Patil International School, D. G. Khetan International School, Rajhans Vidyalaya, Shishuvan School, Chandulal Nanavati Vinaymandir, Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya Mandir, Taraben Master English Secondary School, Thakur Ramnarayan Public School, The Akanksha Foundation, The Golden Spiral School, Tridha, Universal Education, Utpal Shanghvi Global School, Vibgyor High school.



The college placement cell also organised Online Campus Orientations conducted by JBCN International School and SVP School. HJCE placement Cell also organised International Placement drive for their student teachers as well as Alumni, where Dubai Scholars Private Schools and GEMS Education conducted interviews of the candidates interested in exploring job opportunities in UAE. Four alumni and one present batch student have received their appointment letters from the aforementioned school.



Ninety percent of the batch 2021-2023 students have received offer/appointment letters from prestigious institutions across the city.



## WEBINAR ON SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES OF ENVIRONMENT-ROAD TO A BETTER FUTURE

The college had organized webinar on the topic 'Sustainable Practices of Environment - Road To A Better Future' on 5 June 2023 on the occasion of World Environment day. The keynote Speaker Mr. Amit



Badlani,  
Managing

Director, Go Green Mechanism Pvt. Ltd, Ahmedabad focused on importance of plastic free society and ways to achieve it. The participants from different colleges attended the webinar.



## CONVOCATION



The college had organized the Convocation Ceremony as directed by University of Mumbai on 6 May, 2023. Students of the Two-Year B.Ed. batch 2020-22, were awarded the Convocation degrees by the chief guest Prof (Dr.) Anil Kumar Singh, Officiating Dean,

Interdisciplinary Studies, University of Mumbai and Principal, Thakur Ramnarayan College of Law, Dahisar.



## STAFF DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

“The best development programmes change the way people see themselves.”- John Bright

Teachers play critical role towards building a strong foundation for the nation by creating extraordinary ability in future teachers who will develop the minds, attitudes and spirit of future generations. Thus college had organized the



leadership workshop for

teaching faculty under aegis of RUSA. Mr. Gautam Bhushan, life coach conducted sessions on understanding self, Leadership Styles and ways for handling various situations and expanded the capacity of individuals to perform leadership roles within organization.

## CAPACITY BUILDING OF STUDENTS

“Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow.”

-Anthony J. D'Angelo

The Entrepreneurship, Employability and Career Hub under aegis of RUSA conducted the following programmes:

- **Advance Level Certificate Programme** in ‘Startup Creation Around Local’ in collaboration with iNurture Incubation Foundation, Gaziabad
- **One day online Programme** on ‘Design Thinking and Life skills’ in collaboration with Udayamita Sanskar Foundation, Ghaziabad.



## COMPUTER CLASS

Computer class was organised in face to face and online mode to train student-teachers in developing 21<sup>st</sup> century skills. Mr. Pankaj Patil trained our students in video shooting and editing, creating multimedia presentations with Android and making GIF animations. Mr. Sachin Dedhia oriented students about cybersecurity and its importance.



## INTERNSHIP

School based Internship Programme is the life line of B.Ed. programme. At HJCE, the school-based internship is carried out for 20 weeks spread over two years. It was indeed a sigh of relief for us at HJCE to be able to organise Internship for the batch of 2021-2023 in face-to-face mode after the COVID Pandemic restrictions. The college motto is to provide exposure to the student teachers to deal with diverse students, diverse curriculum and diverse teaching learning context. Hence the internship was organised in schools affiliated to Maharashtra State Board, ICSE, CBSE and IGCSE. The mammoth task of ensuring quality training to the student teachers was successfully completed with the support of many esteemed schools. Some of the prominent schools where the HJites conducted the internship were JML School, Jamnabai Narsee School, Utpal Sanghvi Global School, C.P. Goenka School, Rajhans Vidyalaya, Children's Academy School, Parle Tilak Vidyalaya, BPM School, Malti Jayant Dalal School and SVP School.



## COUNSELLING

**“Emotional wellbeing is just as important to us as Breathing is!” - BetterLYF**

At HJCE, the daunting battle faced by the students against mental health issues is supported by empowering every student to combat against the same to the best of their abilities. Our college in collaboration with Disha Child, Adolescent & Adult Counselling Centre, renders professional and expert free counselling services to the students as well as their families. These services are also available free of cost to all members of HJCE.



## INTERCOLLEGIATE COMPETITIONS

**“The will to win, the desire to succeed, the urge to reach your full potential these are the keys that will unlock the door to personal excellence.” – Confucius**

Our Students participated in various intercollegiate competitions and won accolades for themselves and the college. The winners of the inter collegiate competitions are as follows:

- ◆ Nausheen Ansari won the First Prize and Mital Bhanushali won the Second Prize in Mehendi Competition organized by Sheth L.U.J. College of Arts And Sir M.V. College of Science and Commerce, Andheri (East), Mumbai.
- ◆ Nausheen Ansari won the Third Prize and Mital Bhanushali won the Consolation Prize in Mehendi Competition organized by B.M.Ruia College, Gamdevi, Mumbai.
- ◆ Ninjal Savla won the Consolation Prize in Essay Competition organized by B. M. Ruia College, Gamdevi, Mumbai.
- ◆ Ninjal Savla won the Second Prize in Elocution Competition and Nausheen Ansari won the Second Prize in Mehendi Competition organized by Bhandup Educational Society's V.K.Krishna Menon College of Commerce &



Economics and Sharad Shankar Dighe College of Science, Bhandup East, Mumbai.



## PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA

Our students participated in Pariksha Pe Charcha which is part of the larger movement ‘Exam Warriors’ led by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, to create a stress-free atmosphere for youngsters.



## DR. MADHURI SHAH MEMORIAL INTERCOLLEGIATE ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

To celebrate 75 years of progressive India, 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav', our college had organized Dr. Madhuri Shah Memorial National Level Intercollegiate Essay Writing Competition 2022-2023 on the topic '**Achievements of India @75**' in the fond memory of the founder of Hansraj Jivandas College of Education, Nationally & Internationally acclaimed Educationist Padma Shri Dr. Madhuri Shah. The college received one hundred and fifty-one essays from student teachers of various teacher education institutions across India. Ms. Veeral Vasani, Ms. Tanuja Ojha, Ms. Jyoti Pandey, and Ms. Varkha Satwani were esteemed judges for the competition.



The list of winners of the competition:

<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Simran Panjwani	Seva Sadan's College of Education, Thane
	B. Mahalakshmi	Satyam College of Education, Noida
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Ningthoujam Shilpa Devi	D.M. College of Teacher Education, Imphal
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Anisha Kalaivani.D	Vellalar College of Education, Tamilnadu

The winners of inhouse Essay Writing Competition:

<b>F.Y.B.Ed.</b>	<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Flavia Dabre
		Flavia DSilva
	<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Ummeayman Mandasaurwala
		Ushma Shah
	<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Srushti Shinde
		Dhwani Shah
	<b>CONSOLATION PRIZE</b>	Simran Madhukar
	<b>S.Y.B.Ed.</b>	<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>
Ninjal Savla		
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>		Ankita Chettiar
		Dimple Desai
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>		Kajal Singhania
		Anicia Pudheserry
<b>CONSOLATION PRIZE</b>		Utsavi Jain

**SMT. KALLOLINI HAZARAT MEMORIAL CREATIVE MIND FEST 2022:  
 INTERSCHOOL POETRY WRITING COMPETITION AND POSTER MAKING  
 COMPETITION**

The college had organized Smt. Kallolini Hazarat Memorial Creative Mind Fest 2022-2023: Interschool Poetry writing and Poster making competition for school students on the theme ‘Save the Nature’ in two categories: Standard V & VII, and Standard VIII & X.. The college received total Eighty seven poems and One hundred nine posters from various schools in Mumbai and Pune for the competitions. The students who participated in the competitions were belonging to Jasudben M.L.School, Tree House High School, RBK High School, Kohinoor International school, Children's Academy Group of School, AVM schools, Greenlawns High School, SSPM's Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya Mandir, Gopal Sharma International School, Akshara High School, Diamond Jubilee High School, Pawar Public School, GES English Medium School, Sharda Gyanapith International School, LRSM Vissanji Academy. The esteemed judges for the Poster making competition were Ms. Dhrutika Desai, Ms. Dhvani Savla and Ms. Pushti Maru. The esteemed judges of Poetry Competition were Ms. Fatima Chelladurai and Ms. Radhika P.K.

**The winners of ‘Creative Mind Fest’:**

**Interschool Poster Making Competition (Category A: Standard V To VII)**

<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Dhairya Gupta	V.C.W Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra (E)
	Mahima Patel	Smt.Ramdevi Sobhraj Bajaj Arya Vidya Mandir, VileParle (W)
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Nishka Ketan Shah	Children's Academy, Kandivali
	Tanvi Kumar	V.C.W Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra (E)
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Hiya Parmar	SSPM’s Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya Mandir, Borivali(E)
	Jeeya Shetye	Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra (W)

**Interschool Poster Making Competition (Category B: Standard VIII To X)**

<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Sukhada Suresh Gadhari	Pawar Public School, Dombivali (East)
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Agustya Sharma	V.C.W Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra (E )
	Aparna Mishra	Smt. Ramdevi Sobhraj Bajaj Arya Vidya Mandir , Vile Parle (W)
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Trupti Sangappa Sonawane	Tree House High School, Karvenagar, Pune
	Vandita Srikanth Reddy	Jasudben M.L. School, Khar (W)



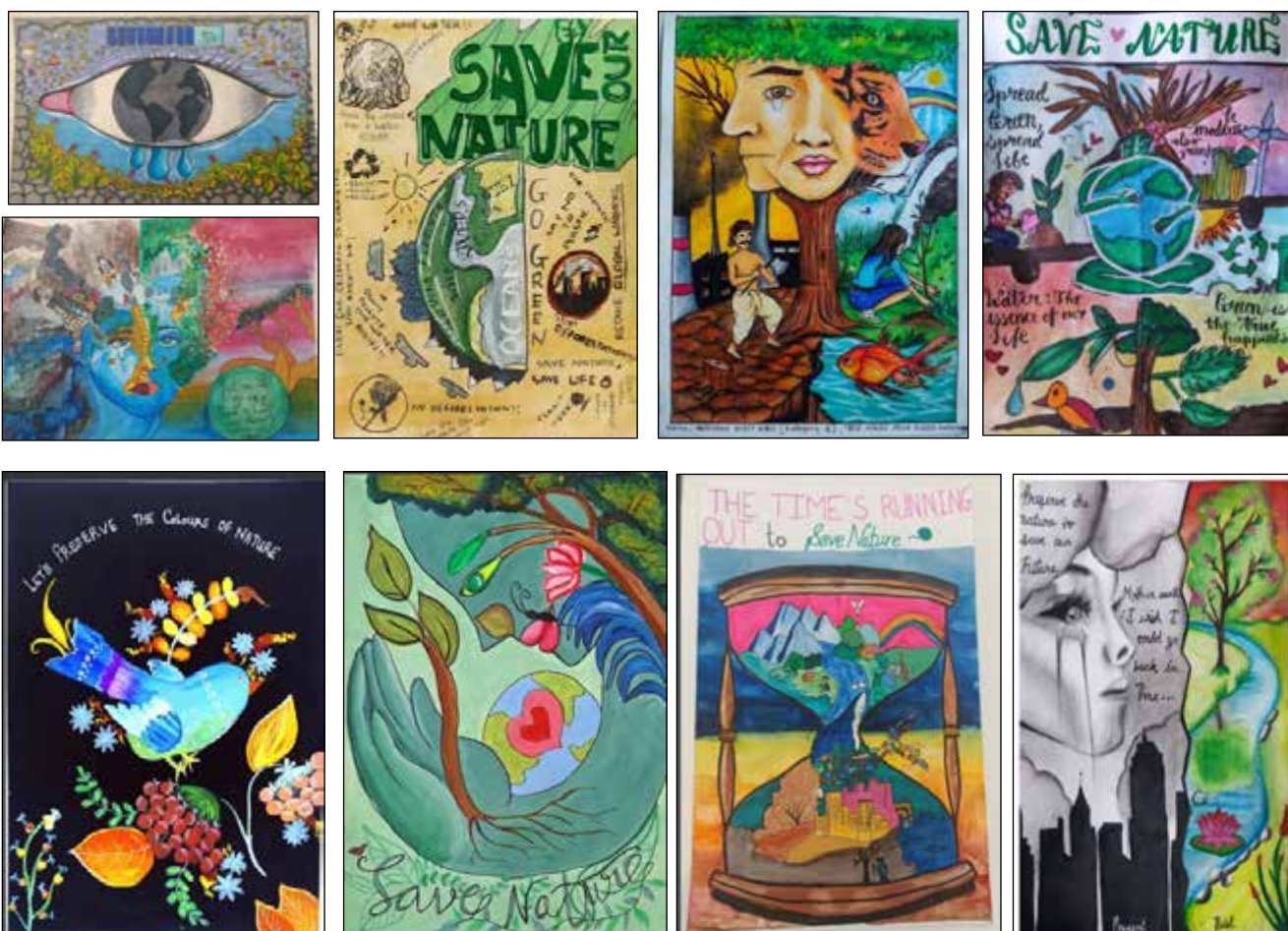
## SMT. KALLOLINI HAZARAT MEMORIAL CREATIVE MIND FEST 2022

### Interschool Poetry Writing Competition (Category A: Standard V To VII)

<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Mansi Menon	SSPM's Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya Mandir, Borivali (E)
	Agustya Sharma	V.C.W. Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra (E)
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Bhoomi Shailendra Singh	RBK School, Mira Bhayandar, Thane
	Siya Thorat	SSPM's Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya Mandir, Borivali (E)
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Param Purohit	LRSM Vissanji Academy, Andheri (E)

### Interschool Poetry Writing Competition (Category B: Standard VIII To X)

<b>FIRST PRIZE</b>	Radhika Nayak	V.C.W. Arya Vidya Mandir Bandra (E)
<b>SECOND PRIZE</b>	Dia Parekh	Greenlawns High School Mumbai
<b>THIRD PRIZE</b>	Imanmeher Sharma Merchant	Jasudben M. L. School, Khar (W)



## RESEARCH CELL

### "Research is creating new knowledge."- Neil Armstrong

- The Research Centre of the college arranged sessions for internal Ph.D. Proposal Presentations for the fresh students as a part of Internal RRC as per the norms of the University of Mumbai. Dr. Sunita Magre, chairperson of the Board of studies (Education) and Associate Dean, Interdisciplinary Studies, University of Mumbai was invited to chair the sessions.
- Students of HJCE Ph.D. Center were awarded Ph.D. Degrees.
- Research Proposals from seven new Ph.D. Students have been sent to the University of Mumbai for topic approval.
- Two faculty members, Dr. Archana Katgeri & Dr. Pallavi Talekar have received Ph.D. guide recognition letters.
- Published two issues of Research Journal 'Hansraj Jivandas College's Journal on Futuristic Education' .



Research Student:  
Mr. Anthony Gonsalves  
Guide: Dr. Anita Swami



Research Student:  
Mrs. Megha Gokhe  
Guide: Prof. (Dr.) Karuna Sinha



Research Student:  
Ms. Priya Poruthur  
Guide: Prof. (Dr.) Karuna Sinha



Research Student:  
Ms. Radhika Srinivasan  
Guide: Prof. (Dr.) Usha Borkar



Research Student:  
Ms. Madhavi M. Wagle  
Guide: Prof. (Dr.) Usha Borkar

## IN HOUSE SESSIONS

### "Life isn't about finding yourself. Life is about creating yourself."

- George Bernard Shaw

In-house faculty moulded personality of the future teachers by conducting various workshops:

- 'The New Age Teacher', 'Preparing an Effective C.V.' & 'Appearing for an Interview' by Prof.(Dr). Usha Borkar,
- 'Know Thyself'- Prof.(Dr). Vaishali Sawant
- 'Express and Impress'- Prof.(Dr). Manjeet Sahmbey
- 'Social Media and Teacher'- Prof.(Dr). Karuna Sinha
- 'Time Management'- Dr. Shrima Banerjee
- 'Team Building' & 'Managing Our Emotions' - Dr. Archana Katgeri
- 'Values at Crossroads' & 'Interactive Media' - Dr. Pallavi Talekar



## WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL

The women Development Cell organized a week long celebration to mark International Women's Day.

A session on 'Sexual Harassment at Workplace Act' was organised with the purpose of creating awareness about Sexual Harassment at Workplace Act among student-teachers. The resource person Adv. Ruchita Samant Shetye, a practising lawyer in different courts oriented students about POSH Act.



Special Assembly to commemorate International Women's day included Prayers offered to goddesses Saraswati, Durga and Mother Mary, 'Speaking tree' on women achievers in different fields, motivational videos on women empowerment and medley of inspirational English songs celebrating women.

Gift a sapling: Our students gifted a sapling of their choice to a woman they admire the most in their life.



Competition on Digital Poster making on 'Women Empowerment': Students participated in the digital poster making competition on the topic 'Women empowerment'.



Workshop on 'Self Defence': The college had organized workshop on 'Self Defence' to empower the female students in techniques of self defence. The resource person Muzaffar Sayed and team explained the importance of physical exercise and fitness for physical, mental and emotional well-being. Hands-on session was conducted in teaching students various strategies to defend themselves when attacked.



## ABC CELL

The college has registered on National Academic Depository (NAD portal) which is an initiative of the Ministry of Education, Government of India to provide an online store house of all academic awards and also guided students for generation of the Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) accounts to provide a digital platform for storing and sharing academic credits earned by students.



## IIT SPOKEN TUTORIAL

All the student-teachers of S.Y.B.Ed. participated in one week Student Development Programme of two credits on Moodle Learning Management System conducted by IIT-Spoken



Tutorials. The student- teachers were awarded the Certificate of Participation, Certificate of completion of Training for Site Administrator Test and Certificate of completion of Training for Teachers at the end of the programme.



## PICNIC

**“ Picnic is the best mood freshener. ”**

The most awaited and exciting day of the year for students was the picnic organized to Silent Valley Resort. Everyone was extremely thrilled. The day was filled with unforgettable moments. The students and the teachers thoroughly enjoyed their day.



## WORLD BICYCLE DAY



The Student Council celebrated World Bicycle Day on 3rd June 2023 to recognize bicycling as a way to get a sustainable form of travelling and it also ensures one's physical well being. Our students spread the message of benefits of using the bicycle - a simple, affordable, clean and environmentally fit sustainable means of transportation.

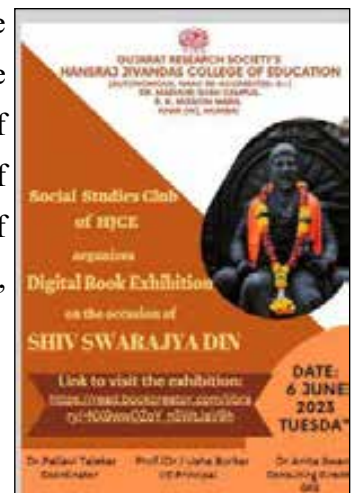


## CAREER KATTA

As a part of State Institute for Administrative Career (SIAC) the 'Pre IAS training Centre' of the college oriented the students to the schemes of Maharashtra State Higher and Technical Department for the training and preparation for various competitive exams at state and central level. The students to register on National Career Service Portal of Government.

## SHIV SWARAJYA DIN

Shiv Swarajya Din was celebrated to mark the coronation day of the great Maratha warrior king Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj on 6 June 2023 by Social studies Club of the college. The digital exhibition of books on Shivaji Maharaj was organized on this occasion. Students of History method researched, prepared and designed books on the life of Shivaji Maharaj and published it on the digital platform. Students, Parents and Staff members visited the exhibition.



## TOUCHING LIVES OF THE UNDERPRIVILEGED

**“We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give.” - Winston Churchill**

Our students engaged in the following community work activities:

**Akshayapatra:** Student-teachers with the donation collected in Akshayapatra every month bought the fruits and distributed in the women’s ward and children’s ward of V.N. Desai Municipal Hospital, Santacruz.



**Daan Utsav/ Joy of giving week:** Student-teachers participated in the collection drive for helping the downtrodden under the program of ‘Joy of Giving’. The collected donation material was handed over to NGO ‘Goonj’ to distribute in rural areas.



**Community services rendered at Shantivan:** The college celebrated Diwali with inmates of Kushtharog Nivaran Sanstha, Nere, Panvel and participation in the plantation and shramadan activity.

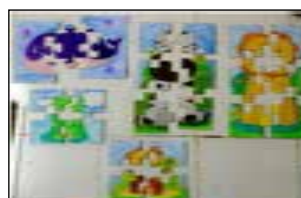


**Collaboration with various NGOs:** Our student-teachers rendered their services in various community centers like Ramkrishna Sarada Samiti, Saksharata Trust, ADAPT, Girls Inspired for Tomorrow (GIFT), Alpha Seniors Home, V.D. Indian Society for Mentally challenged, Hamara Foundation, Umang Special School, Shraddha Charitable Trust, Community Development Center, King George V Memorial, Vacha Charitable Foundation, Aadhar Old Age Home.



**Serve the poor:** During Diwali Student-teachers prepared and served food to poor & needy people.

**Feed a bird:** Student-teachers prepared bird feeders and installed them at their homes to feed the birds.



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**Celebration of Christmas with Senior citizens:** Student-teachers celebrated Christmas by distributing sweets in old age home.



**Donation for Fire victims in Malad:** The college organized a donation drive for fire victims in Appa Pada, Malad in collaboration with Ganga Charitable Trust, Warli.

**Communication Skills:** Student-teachers conducted sessions for development of communication skills among the school children.

**Holi Awareness Drive:** On the occasion of Holi Student-teachers spread awareness about being safe during the Holi festival.



**ONLINE COMMUNITY WORK ACTIVITIES:**

The college had organized community work activities in online mode in collaboration with Chennai based NGO 'Team Everest'.

**Story Writing:** Student-teachers wrote a book consisting of ten stories and activities related to stories. These books were distributed among the students in the rural area.



**Holiday Puzzle Making:** Student-teachers designed puzzles for school students which were distributed in the rural areas.

**English Content writing:** Student-teachers prepared activities of English grammar for college students.



## STUDENTS COUNCIL

The dynamic Student Council conducted a host of cocurricular activities highlighting the significant days and festivals of the country that helped students develop and display their talents and capabilities in a multitude of areas, and emerge as energetic and confident student-teachers.

The following activities were conducted by Student Council:

**Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations:** myriad of activities were conducted from **26 July to 17 August 2022** to commemorate India's 75th Independence Day:

**Special assemblies** included the National Anthem, patriotic songs. All the student-teachers participated in an **essay and poetry writing competition** organized by the Joint Director, Department of Higher Education on the topic '75 Years of Indian Independence: Challenges and Opportunities'. The college organized an **Elocution competition** on the topics 'The Freedom Movement Before the Arrival of Gandhiji' and 'The Freedom Struggle Led by Gandhiji'. **Debate** was organized on the topic 'Online vs. Offline Education.' All the students and faculty along with their family took part in the '**Pin a Flag**' online activity and also uploaded a '**Selfie with the Flag.**'

**Independence Day Celebrations:** The college had organised a cultural program which included solo classical Bharatanatyam dance performance, group dance, speech on 75 glorious years of independence, and patriotic songs.

**Gallery Walk:** Exhibition of Digital Posters was organized on the theme '75 years of Independent India: Developments and Progress.'

Student-teachers participated in **Samuh Rastrageet Gayan** event.

**Slogan Writing Competition** was organized on the occasion of **Constitution Day.**





## STUDENTS COUNCIL

**Guru Purnima Celebration:** The skit on Guru Dronacharya and his Shishyas was performed.



**Teachers Day Celebration:** was consisted of dance, sholka, poem, significance of the day, felicitating the teachers and 'Chalk and Duster' movie screening.

**Navratri Celebrations:** Garba performances and competitions like Aarti Thali Decoration, Rangoli Making, Best Traditional Dress, Best Dance Performance were organized.



**Gandhi Jayanti** was celebrated by singing Bhajans.

**Diwali Celebrations:** Student-teachers participated in Lantern Making, Mehendi, Diya making and Sweet making competitions.



**National Girl Child Day:** Awareness of the status of Girls in the Indian society was created.



**Graduate Voter Registration** for Mumbai University Senate Election 2022 was completed.



**Christmas Celebration:** Carol Singing, Secret Santa & Card making competition

**Student Council Elections for the F.Y. B.Ed.** was organized and council body was formed. The oath taking ceremony of newly elected members was organized.

**National Youth Day Celebration:** Elocution Competition on the theme 'Youth and Mental Health' & 'Youth and Social Media' was organized.



**National Voters Day;** Poster Competition on the theme 'Voters Day'.

**Republic Day Celebration;** Patriotic Singing & Extempore Competition on the theme 'Democracy & Voting Rights'

Student-teachers participated in the **Annual sports Meet**

**Holi** was celebrated through Antakshari programme.



**A Week of Change-** Twinning Day, Bollywood Day, Mismatch day Peace Day were celebrated by the Student-teachers.

**Farewell Program** for Batch 2021-2023 was organized by F. Y. student council members.



## EXTENSION

**Extension Projects:** The college in collaboration with Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension [DLLE], University of Mumbai opted the projects Survey of Status of Women (SWS), Anna Poorna Yojana (APY), Career project (CP) and Population Education Club (PEC). Student-teachers organized APY Stalls on different special occasions like Teacher's Day, Convocation Ceremony, Marathi Bhasha Divas, etc.

**Annual Festival UDAAN:** The college participated in the Annual Festival 'UDAAN: The Flight of Extension 2022-23', hosted by Chandrabhan Sharma College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Powai and won 2nd Prize in Street Play Competition and Consolation Prize in Elocution Competition.

**Mahatma Gandhi National Council for Rural Education (MGNCRE) Samskruti Foundation:**

The college has signed MoU with Samskruti Foundation for the setting-up of Cultural Leadership Center, involving faculty and students of the college, who will receive mentoring support from Samskruti Foundation for leadership roles.

Following seminars on following topics were organized:

- Science and Technology in India: past, present and future
- Solar Energy Promotion and Energy Conservation, Energy Audit
- Viveka Subhashitham: Do Good and Be Good
- Interaction to Science, Technology and Industry Establishments

**Tribute for Soldiers:** Mahatma Gandhi National Council Rural Education (MGNCRE) in collaboration with Samskruti foundation organized an event to make the Indian soldiers feel at home during the festival of Raksha Bandhan with students tying Rakhi to them. Ms. Nilima Gupta represented our college on this occasion.

**MUST Radio Jockey ;** Our students Hiteshi Joshi (S.Y.B.Ed.) & Tabitha Dias (F.Y.B.Ed.) were selected for practice session with the Professional Radio Jockey organized by MUST Radio Jockey / Radio Reporter.



## LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

"Libraries store the energy that fuels the imagination. They open up windows to the world and inspire us to explore and achieve, and contribute to improving our quality of life."

-Sidney Sheldon

The college library had organized various activities:

**SSC and CBSE Board Text Books:** The links of textbooks available on E-balbharati and NCERT websites were compiled into a file and shared with F.Y.B.Ed. and S.Y.B.Ed. Student-teachers during practice teaching and content test preparation.

**Library Orientation:** Student-teachers of F.Y.B.Ed were oriented to the subject wise collection available in the library, section wise arrangement of the library, services provided to the users and online information resources such as databases, ebooks, and ejournals such as NLIST, NDLI, Shodhganga, Shodhgangotri, DOAJ, DOAB, E-Balbharati, E-Pathshala, and Internet Archives.



**Book Exhibitions:** On the occasion of **Azadi ka Amrut Mohtsav** an Exhibition of Documentaries on the Freedom Struggle of India was organized from rare books available on <https://archive.org/>



To celebrate 'Vaachan Prerana Din', the Birth Anniversary of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, an exhibition of open access books by Taylor and Francis on teaching and ICT in Education was organized for library users.



Printed books on different thinkers of education were exhibited in the library on the occasion of **Teachers Day**.



## INSTITUTIONAL NETWORKING

The study center of IGNOU offers various courses like PGDHE, PGDEMA, PGDSLM, CTE, DECE and M.A. in Psychology. Online Practical Counselling Sessions for Part-2 Students was organized as per the norms prescribed by the IGNOU, Regional Center, Mumbai. Induction Programme for the students of MAPC, M.A. Education, PGDSLM & CTE was organized in face-to-face mode. Evaluation of assignments of various courses offered at our study center was completed successfully in this academic year.



## CARE AND SHARE

**‘There is no enjoying the possession of anything valuable unless one has someone to share it with.’ – Seneca**

College had conducted various Care and Share activities like Bullet journaling, Numerology, Use of Excel, Educational Apps, Basic Sankrit, Use of Mudras for communication, Mind Games, Accupressure, Gardening, Carnataki Music and Investment Planning.



## B.ED. ORIENTATION

The orientation on ‘B.Ed admission process and CET’ was organized for the prospective candidates. The students were oriented about B.Ed. form filling, admission process and also about B.Ed. CET and ELCT examination. The sessions were organized on teacher’s aptitude and mental ability for prospective B.Ed. Students.



## MENTOR GROUPS

Mentor groups is one of the important support services provided to our students. The student-teachers were allotted under different staff members for mentoring during the academic year 2022-2023. The mentor teachers helped students to navigate the educational journey by imparting wisdom and advice. The student gained confidence through mentoring sessions.

# HJ ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

**Being an alumni is not just a title, but a lifelong commitment to the growth and success of the institution.**

The active HJ Alumni Association conducted the following activities:

\* Our Alumni Mr. Mohsin Fallah, Ms. Raashi Bijlani, Ms. Shreya Bhagattji, Ms. Raveena Bangre and Ms. Shilpa Gandhi delivered **demonstration lessons**.

\* **Content enrichment talks** of Senior Alumni Ms. Shilpa Gandhi, Ms. Raashi Bijlani, Ms. Shreya Bhagattji, Ms. Manjiri Malankar, Ms. Purvanshi Vakil, Ms. Nicy Kalapurkal, Ms. Joyce Britto, Ms. Radhika Parekh, Ms. Mitali Walvekar was organized for the current batch of student teachers.

\* **Alumni Interaction** of four illustrious alumni Mr. Yigal Banker, Mrs. Dilnaz Barucha, Mrs. Payal & Mr. Manish with current batch of students was organized to motivate the student teachers to excel.

\* The **Talks** by the following Alumni were organized:

•Characteristics of CBSE board & MSBSHE by Dr. Madhavi Wagale Kamat, Principal, Malti Jayant Dalal School, Santacruz, Mumbai.

•Characteristics of IB Board by Ms. Deepa Bhushan, Director, C.P. Goenka Group of Schools.



## SCHOLARSHIP

This year also B.Ed student-teachers were oriented about various scholarship schemes. Twelve students of S. Y. B. Ed. and Nine students of F. Y. B. Ed. applied for 'Rajashree Chhatrapati Shahu Maharaj Shikshan Shukla Shishyavrutti in this academic year.

## MARATHI BHASHA SAMVARDHAN PANDHRAWADA

Marathi Bhasha Samvardhan Pandhrawada was celebrated with enthusiasm in the college from 14 January to 28 January 2023.

Following activities were organized on this occasion:

**Special Assembly** was conducted in Marathi language. Students sang prayers and shared word of the day & phrase of the day in Marathi.



**National youth day, National army day, National Girl Child day, National voter's day, Sankranti, Lohri, Pongal** celebrated by organizing various activities like quiz, songs, videos.



## MARATHI BHASHA DIVAS



The college had organized a program to celebrate Marathi Bhasha Divas on 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2023. Mr. Rahul Kadam, Deputy Director, RUSA, Maharashtra graced the occasion as the chief guest of the program. This year student-teachers presented **varakari dance** to

showcase tradition of varakaries in Maharashtra. It was followed by a **skit competition 'Eye Santanchiye Nagari'** on the life of saints in Maharashtra.



**'Ruchkar': competition of Maharashtrian traditional delicacies and Traditional attire Competition** were



also organized on this occasion. **Prosodic reading of story 'Nakalat Kahi Kalale'** written by Ms. Swati Raje was done effectively by F. Y. student-teachers.



The student-teachers wore **Traditional attire** and enthusiastically participated in the program. The day was celebrated with great joy. The true spirit of Maharashtra could be felt ringing in the hall of the college.



## CLUB ACTIVITIES

The following activities were organized by the various clubs:

**Mathematics Club** observed Ramanujan Day to pay a tribute to the great Indian Mathematician Ramanujan.

**Science Club** celebrated and observed the following days:

- ‘World Tiger Day’ to spread awareness regarding Tiger Conservation Projects in India.
- ‘National Science Day’: A Gallery Walk through the posters displayed on the theme ‘New Developments in Science and Technology’.

**Language Club** conducted a digital gallery walk of the popular works of authors of English Literature like William Shakespeare, William Wordsworth, George Bernard Shaw and Indian English authors like R.K.Narayan and Tagore.

**Social Studies Club** organized following activities:

- Celebration of Shiv Swarajya Din Program
- Sharing the information about excavation activities
- Student-teachers participated in virtual tour to excavation site of Harappa
- Student-teachers participated in Debate on ‘Impact of Global warming’ and ‘Need for Geo literacy’

**Speak Well Club** organized special classes to help weak student-teachers in the communication skills and improve their spoken and written skills.

**Environmental Club** organised the following activities:

- Visit to Mahim Nature Park to explore the flora and fauna. Naturalist Mr. Prashant and Ms. Savita Prashant sir oriented about the history of Maharashtra Nature Park.
- A Three-Day programme on the theme ‘Lifestyle and Environment’ that included special morning Assembly and the talk on ‘From FOMO to JOMO’ by the minimalist Mr. Atul Ambavat.
- A talk by Mr.Amit Badlani on the occasion of ‘World Environmental Day’.





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## HONOR'S DAY

Due to the declaration of the lockdown in March 2020 and the uncertainties that followed, the formal event of awarding achievement certificates to the B.Ed. batch 2018-20 was kept on hold. Finally, The Honor's Day programme, for the B. Ed. batch 2018-2020 was organized on 11 February, 2023 which was presided over by Mr. Pramod Patil, Joint Director, Finance, RUSA .



## Batch 2021-2023

