

Ambegaon Taluka Vidya Vikas Mandal's  
**B. D. KALE MAHAVIDYALAYA, GHODEGAON**  
Tal. Ambegaon, Dist. Pune.  
**DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY**  
Annual Work Report  
**ACADEMIC YEAR - 2024 - 2025**

The report of various activities implemented by the History Department in the academic year 2024 - 2025 is as follows –

**1) Number of Students Admitted -**

Number of students admitted to the History Department in the academic year 2024 – 25 as follows –

Sr. No.	Class	Boys	Girls	Total
01	S.Y. B. A	02	07	09
02	T.Y. B. A	04	02	06

**2) Welcome Programme - 10/07/2024**

A welcome programme was organized on 10/07/2024 to welcome the newly admitted student. In this programme, the students of the third year welcomed the students of the second year. In this programme, the Principal of the college, Dr. Dnyaneshwar Walhekar guided the students about the various committees and innovative activities in the college. The coordinator History Department Prof. Dr. Changuna Kadam, highlighted the outline of the annual planning of the department and about the implementation of various activities during the academic year. 15 students were present for this programme.

**3) Revolution Day ( Kranti Din) - 09/08/2024**

On 09/08/2024, Kranti Din was celebrated in the memory revolutionaries and freedom fighters such as Sukhdev, Bhagat Singh and Rajguru. On this occasion students of the department prepared posters on 'Smaran Krantiveeranche' to highlight freedom fighters and revolutionary their important role in the Indian freedom struggle. The principal, Vice Principal of the college and all the teaching and non-teaching staff, and students were present in large numbers for this programme

**4) Student Meetings - 15th August 2024 and 26th January 2025**

On 15<sup>th</sup> August 2024 and 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025 both days students meetings were organized by the History Department for the students. In these meetings, topics such as students' attendance, preparation for semester and

annual examinations, study materials, study tours, field visits, local history writing, etc. were discussed. 17 students were present for this meeting.

**5) Library Visit - 06/09/2024 –**

A library visit was organized on Friday, 06/09/2024, for all the second and third year students of History department. On this occasion, the librarian of the college, Prof. Kailas Umbare provided detailed information to all the students about all the books, magazines, journals, periodicals based on History. He also guided them about online reference books, and online platform 'INFLIBNET'. He also guided all the students to make excessive use of the 'INFLIBNET' facility and enhance their knowledge. 16 students and 02 teachers from the History department participated in this library visit activity.

**6) Unit Tests -**

For the best results of the department Unit tests were conducted for the students based on the syllabus completed before the exam.

**07) Essay Writing Competition**

On the occasion of Shivajayanti on 19/02 2025, an essay competition was organized by the History Department. Total 15 students participated in this competition. The students who excelled in this competition are as follows:

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of Student</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Name of topic</b>	<b>Rank</b>
01	Barve Dnyaneshwari Sudhir	F. Y. BBA. (C.A.)	Janata Raja : Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj	First
02	Dhamdhare Dnyaneshwari Kiran	F.Y.B.A.	Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's agricultural policy	Second
03	Keskar Akanksha Bhimaji	F.Y.B.A.	Janata Raja : Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj	Third

**8) Guest Lecture - 04/03/2025**

On 04/03/2025, a guest lecture was organized by Prof. Ravi Pardhi, Head of the Department of History of Annasaheb Awate College Manchar on the topic '**Importance of History Subject in Competitive Examinations**'. In this lecture, he gave valuable guidance to the students present on the topics of competitive examination method, format, syllabus, various career opportunities in competitive examinations, importance of history subject, etc. For this lecture

programme, the Principal of the college Dr. Dnyaneshwar Walhekar, Department Coordinator Prof. Dr. Changuna Kadam, Prof. Aniket Kharat, Prof. Pravin Pardhi, and 35 students from the History Department and the Competitive Examination Department were present.

**9) Uses of ICT -** Lectures by experts related to the course, videos, related to competitive exams, etc. were shown to the students of the department through YouTube as audio-visual aids for effective teaching.

**10) Student Seminar -**Seminars were organized for students to make them aware of the importance of self-study and as part of the implementation of the department's annual planning.

#### **10) Study Tour and Field Visit - 07/03/2025**

A study tour and field visit was organized by the History Department at Manchar on 07/03/2025. During this study tour and field visit, firstly, all the participating students visited the Antiquities Museum of the History Department of Annasaheb Awate College, Manchar. After that, a heritage walk was conducted from Annasaheb Awate College Manchar to 'Pandavakalin Baarav' and 'Tapneshwar Temple' in the joint presence of the students of the History Department of B. D. Kale College and the students of the History Department of Annasaheb Awate College, Manchar. In this study tour, all the participating students learned about the importance and relevance of the Pandavakalin Baarav and Tapneshwar Temple from the locals. 17 students and 04 teachers participated in this study tour and field visit.

#### **11) Principal - Student – Teacher Meeting - 10/03/2025**

A Principal-Student-Teacher Meeting was organized under the chairmanship of the Principal of the college on 10/03/2025. The Principal of the college Dr. Dnyaneshwar Walhekar was present in this meeting.

The students were guided about various activities in the college, committee work, importance of reading, attendance, various career opportunities. 13 students and 02 teachers were present for this meeting.

#### **12) Research Project -**

Last year students of the department completed their research projects by researching the history of their respective villages

### **13)Participation of Students in Various Activities –**

Students from the History Department participated in various activities and competitions organized by the college's National Service Scheme, National Cadet corps , Sports Department, and Cultural Department.

### **14)Faculty Participation in Various Educational Activities -**

In the academic year 2024 - 25 the faculty of the History Department actively participated in national, international and university-level seminars and workshops organized by various universities, colleges and various research institutions. The professors of the department also have published research articles on various topics in edited books published by various publishing houses.



  
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