

SINHGAD TECHNICAL EDUCATION SOCIETY'S  
**SMT. KASHIBAI NAVALE COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE**

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REPORT ON – SAAD SCHOOL ACTIVITY 02 – A.Y. 2023-24

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**Title:** SAAD School Activity 01 at Adawali Zilla Parishad School, Velhe, Pune.

**Date:** 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023    **Time:** 10.00am – 01.30pm    **Type:** Extra Curricular

**Venue:** Adawali Zilla Parishad School, Velhe, Pune.

**Event Co-ordinators:** Ar. Nitin Shiurkar, Ar. Ravindra Rahigude, Ar. Swati Tagare, Ar. Amol Dahivadkar, Ar. Suraj Kocheta, Er. Ram Vasagade, Dr. Sunayana Jadhav, Ar. Priyanka Ghate.

**Conducted by:** All the above Co-ordinators.

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**Attended by:** Students of Adawali Zilla Parishad School, Velhe, Pune.

Students of Smt. Kashibai Navale College of Architecture, Pune.

**No of students attended:** School students - Standard 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> students – 65

S.K.N.C.O.A. students - 25

**Summary:**

SKNOCA as every year endeavours to positively impact the society through its activities. We hope to shape young minds and create awareness for future generations which will help pave their path to success.

Previous year we had conducted such awareness events at a couple of Sinhgad Springdale Public Schools. The activities conducted under this event were focused on creating awareness about architecture as a profession among the school students. This year we have conducted similar awareness program at a few other schools.

The theme for current year is “Architecture and culture.” First event was conducted in collaboration with RMD Sinhgad Springdale School, Warje on 18 September and 17 October 2023. This second school activity we have conducted at Zilla Parishad School, Adawali. Aim of this activity was to extend the social outreach of S.K.N.C.O.A. outside Pune as well as develop our rural connection and association.

The basic outline of this school event will be, hands on activity with a school located in region with rich natural heritage.

**Event Details :**

Event brief and Posters are attached along with.

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**Day 01** : School Activity on based on Architectural theme for the school students of Standard 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> 02 Activities were conducted on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023. The theme was **Architecture and Culture**.

**Activity Brief for the event :-**

Nature, Culture and Architecture are closely knit in the rural lifestyle and settlements. As a part of our social connection initiative we are proposing a hands-on activity of SKNCOA and Adawali Zilla Parishad School to understand this association of people, nature and culture. The Village of Adawali located in the Velhe Taluka which is located in the vicinity of Western ghats of Maharashtra, the global bio-diversity hotspot. This rich natural resource is habitat to various endemic species, forests ecosystems and protected groves. The villages located in this region thus have a symbiotic relationship with nature around.

**The structure and theme of the activity was as follows.**

- Students Groups – 15 Nos.
- Each Group – Std. VI or Std. VII – 01 Student  
Std. I to V - 02 Students

**EVENTS conducted –**

Activity	Date	Time	Std. I to Std. VII	Groups and Student distribution
1. Poem / Essay	21 Dec. 2023	07.00am - 10.00am	My Village and Nature A city which I Liked A fort I have visited (Only for Std. VII)	Individual activity
2. Collage from natural materials	21 Dec. 2023	07.00am - 10.00am	My Village and Nature	Total 20 Groups 03 students in each group

**Activity 1 – Poem / Essay**

Students are supposed to write anyone a poem or an essay on any of the topic below :

- **My Village and My Nature**
- **A city which I Liked**
- **A fort I have visited**

**Poem** – Minimum 02 stanzas

**Essay** – About 100 Words

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**Activity 2- Collage from natural materials only**

This will be a group activity with 03 students per group. Students will be provided with a base board and glue. Students are supposed to collect natural materials like leaves, soil, twigs, small stones, tree bark etc. and create a collage out of it.

The topic for this activity will be **“My Village and My Nature”**



**Image Source : Internet. Sample images of Workshop outcome**

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**Event Outcome:**

This event helped S.K.N.C.O.A. expand its social outreach in rural area and create awareness among the school students for yet another year. They understood Architecture in conjunction with Culture and nature. They learned the principles of Basic design as well as space making with natural materials. They got an opportunity towards creative thinking at a basic level and most importantly a platform for expressing their talents. S.K.N.C.O.A. students gained the perspective of looking at architecture from a diverse perspective, strengths, and challenges of rural zones. They also got an opportunity to understand architecture and rural settlements at the grass root level. Experiential learning lessons were also an important aspect of this activity for students of S.K.N.C.O.A. Inter-disciplinary approach among various hierarchical levels of education system and importance of collaborative events was also understood by students and faculty of both, S.K.N.C.O.A. and Adawali Zilla Parishad School, Velhe, Pune.

**A. photographs:**

**Activity briefing**



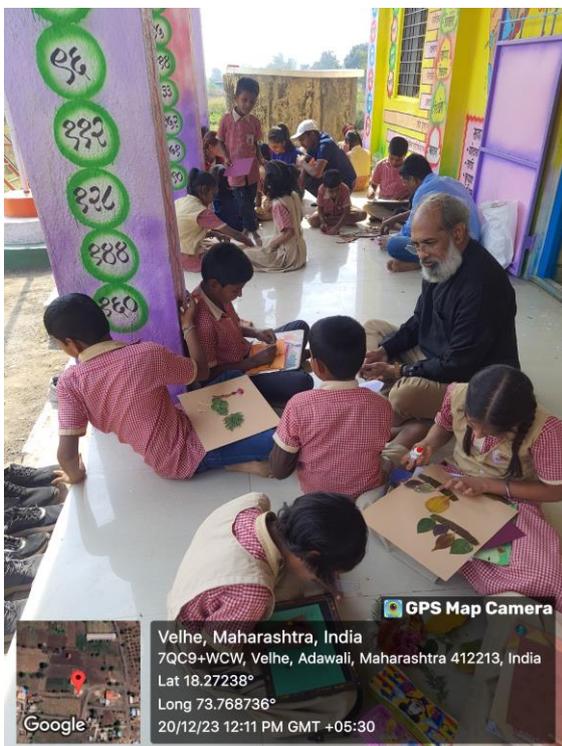
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**Images – Activity 01 – Essay or Poem –**



**Images - Activity 02- Collage out of natural materials interaction of School students, S.K.N.C.O.A. students and faculty.**



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**Images of Activity Outcome –**



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**Images of Vote of Thanks and Distribution of gifts to the School Students**



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