



# **D.A.V. PUBLIC SCHOOL THANE**

## **ANNUAL REPORT 2019 - 2020**

## **PROUD ACHIEVEMENTS**

- The school won the Second Prize in Vrikshavali 2020 organized by Thane Municipal Corporation Udyaan Vibhaag.
- The school won the 1st Position in the Swachh Survekshan League 2020 in the Swaccham Vidyalaya Award organised by Thane Municipal Corporation.
- DAV Public School, Thane was honoured with - India's School Merit Award, by Education Today as it stood Rank 5 In Maharashtra ,Rank 1 In Thane in The India Top 20 CBSE School Category.
- The school was rated with Four Stars at District Level in the prestigious Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar, an award that is instituted by the Ministry of Human Resource Development of School Education and Literacy, Government of India to recognize and celebrate excellence in sanitation and hygiene practice in schools.
- D.A.V. Public School Thane won the 'Certificate of Honour' for outstanding performance of students in the All India Swachh Bharat Art Competition organized by National Education and Human Resource Development Organisation, Mumbai.

## ACADEMIC ACCOLADES

### ALL INDIA SECONDARY SCHOOL EXAMINATION 2019

STD X TOPPERS			STD VIII DAVCAE TOPPERS		
Rank	Name	%	Rank	Name	%
I	Geetanjali Jain	98.8%	I	Asmita De	99.29%
II	Anushree Karve	98.6%	II	Harsh Pawar	98.04%
III	Sejal Datir	98.4%	II	Saneel Shahapurkar	98.04%
III	Komal Sambhus	98.4%	II	Vedika Taparia	98.04%
			III	Vriddhi Venkateswaran	97.86%

### RESULT AT A GLANCE

100% RESULT FOR THE 21 <sup>st</sup> CONSECUTIVE YEAR	
Total Students Appeared : 480 Students scoring 90% and above : 241 Qualitative Performance Index : 87	108 Students scored 95% and above 133 Students scored between 90% - 95% 132 Students scored between 80% - 90% 62 Students scored between 70% - 80%

### School Merit Winners

CLASS	NAME	CLASS	NAME
III	ANKITA MANTRI	VI	AMEETH KULKARNI
IV	SARANSH SAWANT	VII	RUPAK HUMAD
V	SHRIYANSH SUNDERRAJAN	IX	SATVIKA VYAVHARE

The students of Std X and Std VIII, were felicitated by Dr. Vinod Prakash Gupta, Rtd. IAS Officer and Chairman of many schools in U. P. for their outstanding performance in AISSE 2019 by CBSE and DAV Board Examination by DAVCAE respectively. The Merit Certificate Winners of the school were also felicitated.

## COMPETITIVE EXAM ACHIEVEMENTS

It is a great moment of pride for our school to share that, **Mast. Nishant Bhawe and Miss Rutuja Lahane** have secured Silver Medal in **Dr. Homi Bhabha Balvaidnyanik Competition**.

**Mast. Aryan Shailesh Kamat** cleared the stage I level exam for the **National Talent Search Examination** and qualified for stage II level exam.

**Mast. Chinmay Humad** and **Mast. Rupak Humad** secured Winners position in the **National Level Sanskrit Olympiad** conducted by Sanskrit Bharati Educational Trust.

**Mast. Soham Dhole** of Std VIII won Maharashtra State Scholarship and was felicitated by **Shri. Eknathji Shinde**, Cabinet Minister of PWD, Government of Maharashtra.

**Miss Gauri Wadkar and Miss Shubhankita Kar of Class IX and Mast. Raturaj Parab of Class X secured Merit Certificate in the Maharashtra Talent Search Examination organized by Maharashtra Talent Search on April 27, 2019.**

**Mast. Dhruv Singh of Class IX secured International Rank 62 and Zonal Rank 9 & Gift Voucher of Rs.1000/- in the SOF National Science Olympiad organized by National Science Olympiad on June 18, 2019.**

Our students also participated and won laurels in various competitive examinations like **International Mathematics Olympiad, National Cyber Olympiad, National Science Olympiad, International English Olympiad** conducted by **Science Olympiad Foundation, National Talent Search Examination, Dr. Homi Bhabha Balvaidnyanik Examination, Maths Aptitude Test / Junior Maths Olympiad, D.A.V. Olympiad (ICT, Maths & Science) , Sanskrit Olympiad, Hindi Rashtriya Bhasha Exam etc.**

## SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS

### ➤ International Level

- **Mast. Jai Asai of Class VII bagged Gold Medal in the Kata Event of Independence Cup International Karate Championship** organized by Karate Association of India, Delhi on August 11, 2019. He also bagged **Gold Medal and Bronze Medal in the Kata Event and Bronze Medal in the Kumite event of 39<sup>th</sup> Maharashtra State Karate Tournament** organized by International Japan Karate Do Association on October 10, 2019.
- **Miss Ayushi Akhade of Class III secured Third position and a Trophy in the 1 KM Sea Swimming Competition** organized by **Oceanman, Thailand on November 3, 2019.** She also secured **Second position and a Silver Medal in the Biathale ( 200 Meter Running & 50 Meter Swimming Competition )** organized by Modern Penthalon Association of Maharashtra on August 17 & 18 , 2019. She also secured **First place in the Biathale (200 Meter Running & 50 Meter Swimming Competition )** organized by Modern Penthalon Association of Maharashtra between 9 and 10 March 2019 , secured **Second Position and Silver Medal in the 500 Meter Sea Swimming** organized by Aquatic Federation of Sindhudurg on Nov 24 , 2019. She also secured **Second position & Silver Medal in the 50 Meter Freestyle, 50 Meter Breaststroke , 50 Meter Butterfly, 200 Meter Individual Medly** organized by TOAAA on May 11, 2019. She also secured **Second position in 50 Meters Breast Stroke Swimming Competition** and also secured **Third position in 200 Meters** organized by Thane Amateur Aquatic Association on April 14, 2019.

### ➤ National Level

- **Mast. Sujal Karande of X secured Third Position in the Skating Inline Event - 300 Meter of Inter School Sports & Games Competition** organized by DAV College Managing

Committee , New Delhi between December 12 to 14 , 2019. He also bagged **Bronze Medal** in the **Skating Competition** organized by CBSE on October 20, 2019.

- **Miss Diya Shetty of Class VI** bagged **Gold Medal & Bronze Medal** in the **Kata & Kumite Event**, **Miss Ansika Moolya of Class VI** bagged **Bronze Medal** in **Team Kata Event** in the Girls category below 12 years category organized by India Open International Karate Championship on April 14, 2019 .
- **Miss Palak Shah of Class X** secured **Third Position** and a **Trophy** in the **250 Meter Sea Swimming** organized by Goa Swimathon on April 23, 2019.
- **Miss Sanjana Sawant of Class IX** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **400 Meter Running** and **Bronze Medal** in the **CBSE National Level Athletics** organized by CBSE in Kolhapur on October 20, 2019.
- **Miss Shreya Iyer of Class VIII** bagged **Bronze Medal** in the **Kata** and **Bronze Medal** in the **Kumite Event** in the **Asia Cup Tournament**, also secured **Runner up position in Karate Tournament** organized by Delhi Budokan on December 12, 2019.

#### ➤ **Zonal Level**

- **Miss Chaitanya Sawant of Class VII** won in the **Ashtedo Competition** organized by DSO on September 30, 2019.
- Students of **Secondary Section** secured **Second position** in the **Under 17 Cricket Tournament** organized by DSO on October 19, 2019.
- In the **DAV National Sports** organized by DAV on November 10, 2019, **Miss Tanvi Acharya of Class X** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **100 Meter** and **Bronze Medal** in the **200 Meter Running**, **Miss Saachi Jadhav of Class X** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **Discus Throw**, **Mast. Ryan Fernandes** bagged **Gold** in the **400 Meter**, **Mast Shivan Kshirsagar** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **800 Meter**, **Anushka Hegde of Class IX** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **Karate**, **Miss Devanshi Gajeshwar** bagged **Bronze Medal** in the **Karate** , **Mast. Sujal Karande** bagged **2 Gold** in the **Skating** , **Miss Durva Dabholkar** bagged **Bronze Medal** and **Mast. Areen Narote** bagged **1 Gold** and **2 Silver Medals** in the **Swimming Competition**, **Mast. Ayush Patil of Class X** and **Miss Rishika Patil of Class VII** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **Taekwondo Competition**. In the **Girls Yoga Competition** **Miss Aditee Gamre of Class VIII** , **Miss Ria Ghosh of Class VIII** , **Miss Shloka Bhosale of Class VIII** , **Miss Sanskruti Tonshyal of Class V**, **Mast Shamika Sawant of Class VI** bagged **Gold Medal** , In the **Boys Yoga Competition** **Mast. Jived Prajapati** , **Shriram Joshi** , **Mast Anagh Tiwari** , **Mast. Saurya Tiwari of Class VII** , **Mast. Tanay Fegade of Class V** bagged **Gold Medal**. In the **Boys Cricket Tournament** **Mast. Vikram Vaibhav**, **Mast. Gautam Bhojane**,

**Mast. Shaswat Barai, Mast.Vinit Gaikwad, Mast. Karan Kedar, Mast. Tushar Palon, Mast.Atharva Kolvanka , Mast. Shantanu Patil, Mast. Varad Dhakare, Mast. Kushagra Barai , Mast. Aniket Chaudhary, Mast. Parth Panat, Mast. Advait Vanne, Mast. Girish Nair of Class X bagged Gold Medal.**

- **Miss Devanshi Gajeshwari of class VIII bagged Silver Medal in the Kick Boxing organized by DSO on November 12, 2019.**

➤ **State Level**

- **Miss Janvi Dwivedi bagged Silver Medal in the Kata and Bronze Medal in the Kumite Event of 10<sup>th</sup> State Level Shotokan Karate Championship organized by Shotokan Karate Self Defence Association on April 17, 2019.**
- **Miss Sanjana Sawant of Class IX bagged Gold in the 800 Meter 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Athletic Meet - 2019 organized by Bombay YMCA on January 1, 2019 . She also bagged Gold in the 600 Meter Thane Mayor Athletics Competition organized by Thane Municipal Corporation on February 17, 2019 and bagged Gold in the 800 Meter 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Athletic Meet – 2019 organized by Bombay YMCA on January 1, 2019**
- **Miss Ishita Chaudhari of Class IV secured 2nd Rank in the Pole Sports organized by All India Pole Sports Championship on May 19, 2019.**
- **Miss Sae Joshi of Class IV secured Second position in the Karate Competition organized by Shotokan Ryu Chidokai Karate Do Federation between June 7 to 9, 2019.**
- **Mast. Chaitanya Sawant of Class VII bagged Gold Medal in Thai Boxing Competition organized by Thai Boxing Association of Thane District on June 30 , 2019 .**
- **Miss Aishwarya of Class III secured First position, Mast. Jaydeep Bapat of Class IV secured Third position, Mast. Adhiraj Banik of Class V secured Second and Third position, Miss Minisha Shetty of Class VI secured Second and Third position, Mast Arjun Khanvilkar of Class VI secured First and Third position in the Karate Competition organized by United Budokan Karate Academy in August 2019.**
- **Mast. Yashas Pandey of Class I bagged Gold Medal and Bronze Medal, Sae Joshi of Class IV bagged Gold Medal and Trophy, Mast. Atharva Ashtikar of Class V bagged Bronze Medal , Mast. Siddhant Gupte of Class VI bagged Silver Medal and Gold Medal in the Karate Competition organized by 7<sup>th</sup> FMA State Level Karate Championship on August 11, 2019.**

- **Mast. Vivan Deshpande** of **Class IV** secured **Gold and Silver Medal** and **Mast Rijul Chaubal** of **Class V** secured **Bronze Medal** in the **Kata and Kumite Event** in the **7<sup>th</sup> FMA Karate Championship** organized by Firewing Martial Arts on August 30, 2019.
- **Miss Shreya Agarwal** of **Class VIII** secured **First position** in the **Under 14 Kumite Event of 39<sup>th</sup> Maharashtra State Karate Tournament** organized by International Japan Karate Do Association on October 6, 2019.
- **Mast. Prince Jain** of **Class VII** bagged **3 Gold Medals** and **1 Silver Medal** in the **Gymnastic competition** organized by DSO Aurangabad on November 2, 2019. He also secured **First Position** in the **Gymnastic Competition** organized by DSO in Saraswati School - Thane on September 15, 2019.

#### ➤ **District Level**

- **Mast. Khushal Ayare** of **Class I** secured **1st Rank** in the **Skating Competition** organized by The Roller Speed Skating Championship on May 1, 2019.
- **Mast. Siddhant Gupta** of **Class VI** bagged **Bronze Medal** , **Miss Sae Joshi** of **Class IV** bagged **Gold and Bronze Medal** & **Miss. Prateeti Singh** of **Class IV** bagged **2 Bronze Medals** in the **Karate Competition** organized by Jeet Karate Sports Foundation , Thane on July 7 , 2019 .
- **Mast. Shiva, Mast. Vihaan Padte, Mast. Soham Dhare , Mast. Utkarsh Tripathi, Mast. Dhruv Singh, Mast. Aryan Sinha, Mast. Shashank M of Class IX, Mast. Devesh Vyavhare , Mast. Siddhhak Kohli , Mast. Yash Shetty , Mast. Akshay Shetty , Mast. Mihir Joshi, Mast. Aryan Kose , Mast. Ashay Vaidya, Mast. Shravan P and Mast. Girish Nair** of **Class X** secured **Second Position** in the **Subroto Football Competition** organized by DSO – Mumbra between July 25 to 30, 2019.
- **Mast. Prathamesh Pandhare** of **Class VII** bagged **Man of the Match Award** in the **Monsoon Super League -2019 Football Tournament** organized by Football World in July 2019.
- **Miss Nishtha Rane** and **Miss Ayushi Dhuri** of **Class X** secured **First position** in the **Under 17 Badminton Tournament** organized by DSO in July 2019.
- **Miss Sanika Dev** and **Miss Tanvi Shah** secured **Second position** in the **Throw Ball Tournament** organized by DSO in July 2019.
- **The DAV Thane Football Team** of **Secondary Section** secured **Second Position** in the **Under 17 boys Subroto Cup Football Tournament** organized by DSO, Mumbra from July 25 to 30, 2019.



- **Mast. Ayush Patil** of **Class X** and **Miss Shrusti Chaudhari** of **Class VI** secured **First Position** in the **Taekwondo Competition** organized by DSO on August 28, 2019.
- **Miss Paridhi Agarwal** of **Class VIII** secured **First Position** in the **Table Tennis Competition** organized by DSO on September 15, 2019.
- **Mast. Jived Prajapati, Miss Ria Ghosh , Mast. Shubh Nagda, Miss Tanishka Joiode** won **Yoga Competition** organized by DSO on October 1, 2019 .
- **Mast. Tejas Pisal , Miss Shikha Jha , Miss Shreeya Rajput , Miss Pranavatee Rode , Miss Nidhi Umate , Miss Presha Azoliya , Miss Kshiraja Iyer , Miss Shreya Iyer** of **Class VIII** secured **Third Prize** in the **Under 14 Volleyball Competition** organized by DSO on October 3, 2019.
- **Miss Devanshi Gajeshwari** of **class VIII** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **Kick Boxing** and **Gold Medal** in the **Boxing** organized by DSO in October 2019.

#### ➤ City Level

- **Mast. Khushal Ayare** of **Class I** bagged a **Bronze Medal** and **Silver Medal** in the **Short and Long Race Skating Competition** organized by Inter School Speed Skating Championship in April, 2019 .
- **Miss Riya Ghosh, Miss Adhira Kadam , Miss Aditi Gamre** of **Class VIII** , **Miss Kasturi Kuvlekar , Miss Pari Bauva** of **Class IX** , **Miss Tanishka Joiode & Miss Gauri Wadkar** of **Class X** bagged **First position & Trophy** in the **2<sup>nd</sup> Interschool Yoga Asana Competition** organized by Sri Maa School on June 29, 2019.
- **Miss Priyanshi Patel** of **Class V** secured **First Position** in the **Girls Single Under 11 Badminton Competition** organized by Durva Sports Academy on July 14, 2019.
- **Mast. Kaivalya Mhatre** and **Miss Kritika Yadav** of **Class VI** bagged **Bronze Medal** in the **Marathon** organized by **Sanjay Bhoir Initiative** on August 11, 2019.
- **Mast. Aayush Khadse** of **Class VIII** secured **First position** and **Trophy** in the **Monsoon Marathon** organized by United 3 on August 18, 2019.
- **Mast. Ishaan Kulkarni** of **Class IV** secured **Silver Medal** in the **Karate Competition** organized by United Budokan Karate Academy on August 30, 2019.



- **Mast. Yash Panchal of Class VIII bagged Runner Up Trophy in the Carrom Tournament Panchal Indoor League – 3** organized by Shree Dhandhar Panchal Seva Samaj Yuva Committee between August 17 to 19, 2019.
- **Miss. Sae Jishi of Class IV secured First prize in the Karate Championship** organized by **Association of Shotokan Karate** in October 2019.
- **Mast. Priyansh Chopra of Class IV secured Second position in the Karate Championship** organized by International India RYO Karate Federation in October 2019.
- **Miss. Harshavi Rana of Class III secured Gold Medal in the Kata Event and Silver in the Kumite Event , Mast. Atharva Ashtikar of Class V secured Gold Medal in Kata Event and Bronze Medal in the Kumite Event , Miss Utkarsha Rana of Class V secured Silver Medal in the Kata Event , Miss Anagha Chandorkar of Class V secured Gold Medal in the Kata Event , Mast. Ishaan Khatri of Class VI secured a Silver Medal in the Kata Event of All Maharashtra Shotokan Karate Championship** organized by Association of Shotokan Karate on October 2, 2019.
- **Mast. Tanush Tathe and Mast. Rohan Chandak of Class VII secured Runner Up position in the Monsoon Super League Football** organized by Football World in October 2019.



## CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS

### ➤ International Level

- **Miss Nutan Kharat** of **Class X** bagged **Best Delegate & Gold Medal** in the **IIMUN** organized by India's International Movement to United Nations on November 15, 2019.
- **Miss Disha Hira** of **Class IX** bagged **Silver medal** in the **9<sup>th</sup> Cultural Olympiad of Performing Arts** organized by **ABSS Global Council of Art & Culture**, official partner of **UNESCO Singapore** held on December 29, 2019.

### ➤ National Level

- In the **National Level Creative India 2019-20 competitions** organized by Rangotstav Celebration, **Miss Saumya Sinha** of **Class V** won **All India First Prize(Golden Fist Trophy)**, **Miss Anushree Dandavate** of **Class IV** bagged **1<sup>st</sup> position** and **bicycle**, **Miss Raghav Pounikar** of **Class II**, **Siddhant Ganguly** of **Class III** and **Spoorti Sujan** of **Class VII** bagged **2<sup>nd</sup> National Silver Fist Award**, **10 students** bagged **3<sup>rd</sup> position** and **gift combo set**, **30 students** bagged **Art merit trophy**, **22 pre-primary students** bagged **Silver Medal and Gift Set**, **171 students** bagged **Gold Medals**, **36 students** won **Consolation prize** and **Surprise Gift**.
- **Mast. Yash Hingu** and **Miss Sanisa Patrikar** of **Class IX** won **2nd prize** in the **CBSE Regional Science Exhibition** at Pune and have been selected for the **CBSE National Science Exhibition** to be held at Gurugram.



### ➤ State Level

- **Miss Unnati Kole** and **Miss Adishree Bhandare** of **Class IV** secured **1<sup>st</sup> position**, **Miss Krisha Jain** of **Class III** secured **2<sup>nd</sup> position**, **Miss Shruti Shandilya** and **Miss Anushree Dandwate** of **Class IV** secured **3<sup>rd</sup> position** in the **Art Project Competition** organized by **Kala Children Academy** on May 15, 2019.
- **Miss Asmita De** of **Class X** secured **Second position** in the **Skit Competition** organized by **World Centre for Humanist Studies Indian Chapter** on June 26, 2019.
- In the **Drawing Competition** organized by **Kala Children Academy** on May 15, 2019. **Miss Ayushi Akhade** of **Class III**, **Miss Unnati Kole** and **Miss Adishree Bhandare** of **Class IV** secured **1<sup>st</sup> position**, **Krisha Jain** of **Class III** secured **2<sup>nd</sup> position**, **Miss Shruti Shandilya** and **Miss Anushree Dandwate** of **Class IV** secured **3<sup>rd</sup> position**.

### ➤ District Level

- In the **Kala Gaurav Competition** organized by **Kala Children Academy** on April 15, 2019. **19 students** won **medals in Drawing** competition, **3 students** won **medals in Handwriting** competition and **2 students** won **medals in Essay Writing** competition.



- **Mast. Soham Pawar and Miss Charvi Wagh of Class X won prize in the Smart First Aid Box Project, Miss Kshiti Alaspurkar and Mast. Harsh P. of Class X won prize in the Piezoelectric Thermal Suit Project in the 27<sup>th</sup> National Children's Science Congress 2019 organized by Jidnyasa Trust on October 10, 2019.**

➤ **City Level**

- **Miss Greeshma Rudramurthy of Class V secured First Position in the Dance Competition organized by Rasika Ranjani Sabha on February 25 , 2019.**
- **Miss Shriya Medhekar of Class V secured First Position in the Music Competition of Akhil Bhartiya Gandharva Mahavidyalay organized by Tapasya Sangeet Academy on June 28, 2019.**
- **In the Manthan Competition organized by Arya Gurukul Kalyan & Education Foundation on August 11, 2019, Miss Tanishka and Miss Subhiksha of Class IX, Mast Avnish and Miss Angha of Class II and Miss Divija and Mast. Arjun of Class V bagged 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> position respectively in Model making, Miss Sanvi, Miss Ishika, Miss Tanishka and Miss Sia of Class V bagged 3<sup>rd</sup> position in Jingle Brigade, Kaira of Class III bagged 5<sup>th</sup> position in Poem Recitation, Miss Chinmayi & Miss Asmita, Miss Reet Chopra & Miss Shloka Bhosale of Class VII bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position in Poster Making, Miss Trisha bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position in Elocution, Miss Sejal N, Miss Rujuta K, Miss Aarna I , Miss Sanvi K, Miss Stacy, Miss Shomili , Mast Arnav T, Miss Medini Padoshi bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position in Steam Challenge.**
- **Miss Falguni Kabre , Miss Swanandi Wagh , Miss Kaavya Paul , Miss Annaya Thakkar, Mast Vikrant Gupta , Miss Tejas Pisal , Mast Issac Plakka, Mast Rupak Humad, Mast Arnav Mishra, Mast Bhavesh Desai of Class VIII secured Second Prize in the Street Play "Namaste India" organized by Pawar Public School on August 8, 2019.**
- **In the Dhruv Sanskrit Mahotsav Group Song competition organized by V.G. Vaze College of Arts, Science and Commerce on August 28, 2019, Miss Subhiksha Suresh, Miss Manasi Bhosale , Miss Annaya Shetty , Mast Harshit R, Mast Ishaan M of Class IX and Mast Pratyush of Class VIII secured Third position. In the Group Dance competition, Miss Kimaya Rane, Miss Abhidyna Umbarhorde, Miss Sakshi Bane , Miss Vedanshi Tamboli , Miss Anushka Ahire , Miss P. Prerna Sawant of Class IX secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position.**
- **Miss Ananya Andankar, Miss Tanvi Sawant, Mast. Varun Kamath, Miss Susrita P., Mast. Akshay Shetty of Class X & Miss Sanisa Patrikar, Mast. Aarush Kadam of Class IX secured Second Position in the Skit competition based on Social Issues in the Interschool Humanities Art Day Celebration organized by Seven Isles International School on August 22, 2019.**



- **Mast Sameet Wable of Class IX and Mast Prathamesh Dharmaraja of Class VIII secured First position in the City Finale HDFC Ergo Quiz Competition** organized by The Times of India and HDFC Ergo on September 9, 2019.
- **Mast Ishaan Mahajan , Miss. Shefali Kshirsagar , Mast Atharva A of Class IX bagged Trophy and Certificate in the BSK MUN Creative Conclave** organized by Birla School Kalyan on September 9 , 2019. **Mast. Arnav Mishra of Class X secured First prize in the Hasya Kavi Sammelan of Hindi Conclave** on September 14, 2019.
- **Mast Aditya Mahajan and Miss Sanisa Patrikar of Class IX secured Second prize in the Science Project** organized by Lions Club, Thane on September 15, 2019.
- **Miss Reva Girnar of Class VIII secured Second position in the Drawing Competition and Miss Vrinda Vathari of Class IX secured First position in the Essay Writing Competition** organized by CIDCO on September 29, 2019.
- **Mast Swanand Soman of Class VII and Mast Aditya Deb of Class VI secured First position in the Bharat ko Jane Quiz Competition** organized by Bharat Vikas Parishad on September 29, 2019.
- **Miss Sonal Chaturvedi of Class X secured First position in the Hindi Essay Writing Competition** organized by Bim's Paradise School – Thane on October 9, 2019.
- **Miss Jiya Jagdale and Mast. Rishabh Tiwari of Class VIII bagged Trophy and Fourth position in the Wild Wisdom Quiz Competition** organized by WWF on October 9, 2019.
- In the **Group Song Competition of Nisarg Mela** organized by Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal on October 2, 2019 **Miss S. Shreya , Miss Kasturi Sarode , Mast. Aritra Dutta , Miss Shreya Khandekar, Mast. Anirudh Kurup, Miss Simran G , Miss Prisha Nanda , Miss Archana Iyer of Class VI secured First position.**
- In the **Vigilance Awareness Week** organized by **Union Bank of India** on October 15, 2019, **Mast. Advait Rajebahadur of Class VII secured First position , Miss Radha Shinde of Class VII secured Second position, Miss Jiya Jagdale of Class VIII secured Third position in the Essay Writing , Miss Nutan Kharat of Class X secured First position , Mast Satyabrat Moharane of Class X secured Second position , Miss Nirmayee Janabandhu of Class X secured Third position , Mast Eshaan Deshmukh of Class X won Consolation prize in the Drawing Competition , Mast Arnav Mishra of Class X secured First position , Mast Varun Kamath of Class X secured Second position , Mast Ishan Mahajan of Class IX secured Third position, Mast Abhinav P.V. of Class X won Consolation prize in the Debate Competition.**

- In the **Gandhi Jayanti Competitions** organized by **Mani Bhavan Gandhi Sangrahalaya** in October 2019, following students bagged prizes:
  - **Miss Trisha Sarafdar** of **Sr.KG** secured **First position** in the **English Story Telling Competition**.
  - **Mast Aaditya Arun Patil** of **Sr.KG** secured **Merit Card** in the **Marathi Story Telling Competition**.
  - **Miss Aayura Sawant** of **Sr.KG** secured **Second position** in the **Hindi Story Telling Competition**.
  - **Miss Kaira Kothari** of **Sr.KG** secured **Third position** in the **Hindi Story Telling Competition**.
  - **Miss Tanishka Palkar** of **Sr.KG** won **Special Prize** in the **Drawing Competition**.
  - **Sr.KG** class students secured **First position** in the **One Act Play Drama in English**.
  - **Aditya Patil** of **Sr.KG** won **Individual Acting Prize** for **Best Narrator**.
  - **Miss Rimjhim Pandey** of **Class I** won **Special Prize** in the **English Recitation of Poems**.
  - **Miss Raghav Pounikar** of **Class II** won **First position** in the **Marathi Recitation of Poems**.
  - **Mast Atharva Shah** of **Class II** won **Special Prize** in the **Hindi Recitation of Poems**.
  - **Miss Medini Padoshi** of **Class IV** won **Special Prize** in the **English Recitation of Poems**.
  - **Miss Arya Rai** of **Class V** won **Special Prize** in the **Hindi Recitation of Passages**.
  - **Miss Tanishka Herwade** of **Class VII** won **Special Prize** in the **Marathi Elocution Competition**.
  - **Students of Primary Section** won **Special Prize** in the **Hindi Group Singing (Patriotic Song)**.
  - **Students of Secondary Section** secured **Third position** in the **Hindi Group Singing (Patriotic Song)**.
  - **Students of Primary Section** secured **Third position** in the **English Group Singing (Devotional Song)**.
  - **Primary Section** student won **Special Individual Prize** in the **Violin Competition**.
  - **Students of Primary Section** won **Special Prize** in the **Marathi Group Singing Devotional Song**.
  - **Mrs. Padmaja Vasudevan** of **Primary Section** secured **Third position** in the **English Elocution Competition for School & Junior College Teachers**.
- **Mast Saumitra Marathe** of **Class VIII** secured **Second position** and a **Trophy** in the **Hindustani Classical Vocal** organized by **Suranjan Trust** on November 3, 2019.
- In the **16<sup>th</sup> M. R. Pai Memorial Elocution** competition organized by **M.R. Pai Foundation Forum of Free Enterprises** on November 15, 2019, **Mast Abhinav P.V.** of **Class X** secured **First position**, **Miss Sanisa Patrikar** of **Class IX** secured **2<sup>nd</sup> position**, **Miss Shravya Azmani** of **Class IX** secured **3<sup>rd</sup> position**, **Miss Vedika Taparia** of **Class IX**, **Miss Anushka Puranik** of **Class X** secured consolation prize.
- In the **Art Competition** organized by **Mac Art**, **Miss Adhishree Bhandare** of **Std IV** secured **1<sup>st</sup> Prize (Silver Brush)**, **Mast Mayank Sawant** of **Std III** secured **3<sup>rd</sup> prize (School bag)**, **4 students** bagged **Art Award Trophy**, **62 students** bagged **Gold Achievers and Gold Medals**.

- In the **Sri Maa Bal Niketan Interschool Competitions** following children bagged **Cash prizes & Medals** organized by **Sri Maa Bal Niketan** on 7 and 8 December, 2019,

**Miss Pounikar Raghav** bagged **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs 250** in the **Poetry Recitation**, **Miss Sarafdar Trisha** bagged **Gold Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.400 /-** in the **Story Narration** , **Mast Vaidya Vihana** bagged **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs . 250/-** in the **Story Narration**, **Miss Surve Reva** bagged **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.300 /-** in the **English Elocution** , **Siddiqui Rana** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash prize** of **Rs.400 /** in the **Hindi Elocution** , **Miss Ghogare Needhi** bagged **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.300/** in the **Hindi Elocution** , **Mast Mishra Arnav** won **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.200 /** in the **Hindi Elocution** , **Miss Vyavhare Satvika** , **Miss Surya Ashrita Garimella** won **Trophy** in the **Spellathon** , **Miss Arolkar Sara** won **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.300 /** in the **Sanskrit Recitation** , **Miss Patil Risha** won **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.200** , **Miss Deshpande Charuta** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash prize** of **Rs .400 /-** in the **Sanskrit Recitation** , **Miss Yeolekar Ritika** won **Bronze** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.250/-** in the **Sanskrit Recitation** , **Miss Ghevde Sargam & Group** , **Miss Jagtap Kashvi & Group** won **Trophy** in the **Group Singing**, **Miss Rane Prisha** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs. 400** in the **Solo Singing**, **Miss Patil Antaree** won **Silver Medal** and **Cash prize** of **Rs. 300/-** in the **Solo singing**, **Bhavsar Kalash** won **Silver Medal** and **Cash prize** of **Rs. 250/-** in the **Fancy Dress**, **Miss Gogte Ananya** won **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.300/-** in the **Sanskrit Recitation** , **Miss Pal Jain** won **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.200** & **Miss Srushti Wani** won **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.250** in the **Rangoli Competition**, **Miss Badhani Diya** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.400** , **Miss Sarat Sharanya** won **Bronze Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.250/-** in the **Story Writing** , **Handore Aditya** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.400/-** in the **Handwriting** , **Miss Singh Sakshi** won **Silver Medal** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs.300** and **Miss Puranik Anushka** won **Gold Medal** and **Rs.400 /** in the **English Essay** , **Miss Herwade Tanishka** won **Gold Medal** and **Cash Prize** and **Rs.350 /-** in the **Marathi Essay Writing Competition**.
- Miss. Ananya Andankar** and **Miss Satvika Vyavahare** of **Class X** have been declared '**Student of the year – 2019**' by **NIE – The Times of India**.



## **ACTIVITIES & FUNCTIONS & CELEBRATIONS**

- 1) Club Activities**
- 2) Std X I.T. Training Programme**
- 3) Vedic Chetana Shivir**
- 4) Vedic Saptah**
- 5) Fun Filled Carnival**
- 6) DAV Model United Nations**
- 7) Important Religious and National Days**
- 8) Cultural Extravaganza**
- 9) Sports Day**
- 10) International Yoga Day**
- 11) Vigilance Awareness Week**
- 12) Rashtriya Ekta Diwas**
- 13) Fit India Plogging Run**
- 14) World Health Day**
- 15) Green Earth Day**
- 16) Environment Day**
- 17) Mahatma Hansraj Birth Anniversary**
- 18) Educational Tours**
- 19) Picnics & Excursions**
- 20) Teachers Empowerment Programme**
- 21) Students Workshops**
- 22) Counselling Sessions**
- 23) Hawan**



STUDENT EDITION  
MONDAY, JULY 15, 2019

## SCHOOL IS COOL Felicitation for academic excellence

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## 'GEN-NEXT MUST LEARN MULTIPLE SKILLS'

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**Once a teacher, always a teacher. Do you agree?**  
Teachers are born and the professional degree is a mere paper. I believe teachers should have the will to enhance their knowledge base by upgrading themselves which can be reflected in the classroom behaviour of students. Teachers can kindle their thought process by igniting the vocational. A simple upgrade in the classroom can lead to learning desire to seek more and learn more. A teacher is one who never stops learning.

**What is your view on the Gen-Next's biggest challenge?**  
The Gen-Next's biggest challenge is to learn multiple skills. The Gen-Next should develop multiple skills and empower themselves by exploring their strengths and weaknesses. It's time to advance their skills with the latest technology and correct their weaknesses by hard work and unwavering approach towards learning. They must learn to accept failure as the same breath as success.

**How can the elderly contribute to a student's growth?**  
The elderly are the path-breakers of the younger generations. They are the ones who hold the family bond and values firmly in a world that is constantly changing. Their contribution towards strengthening familial bonds and humanity is worth mentioning. The young and elderly should bond together and support each other as the ever-growing demands for luxury and convenience both parties to work, leaving little room for their children. This vacuum can be fulfilled by the presence of grandparents.

**What according to you is the role of media in education?**  
Media has a large role to play apart from highlighting through provocative images. It must also play multiple roles for superior communication, enable learners to have a diverse view, help in developing an advanced perspective and adopt an empowered mechanism towards embracing the young generation in the field of education.

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## Vedic Chetna at D.A.V. Public School, Thane

To prepare the future generations to face the dynamic changes of the society, and to empower out-of-the-box thinking, the D.A.V. Public School, Thane organised 'Vedic Chetna Shivr' on November 12. Class VII students participated in a number of activities to unearth and boost their latent creative skills. The activities catered to the interest level of each and every student.

The day started with the lighting of 'Dus Dhoop' by the principal of the institution Simmi Juneja. In her inaugural address, she advised the children to seek knowledge by kindling their

thought processes. A yoga display and a human ritual was performed in the morning, along with an array of competitions ranging from shloka recital and instrumental music to role play and tongue twisters. Documentaries based on the

themes of hard work, time, caring for the elderly were screened, followed by a lecture on the importance of Vedic values. The day ended with a cultural program featuring a play on the life of Lord Krishna. The program was a great success and the students showed keen interest in all the activities.

THE HINDU IN SCHOOL  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 2019

## New leaders take oath

The inauguration ceremony at DAV Public School, Thane was graced by the prestigious guests like Mr. Jaiyagannath Karhian, DIG of Registration and Deputy Collector of Stamps, Kharad Division, Thane and Mr. Abhishek Shinde, Deputy Collector, Thane in the presence of the Principal Ms. Simmi Juneja, Section Coordinators, House Mistresses, parents and students.

The programme began with lighting of the lamp, and prayer and the DAV Gitan. This was followed by a welcome dance and prayer song by the choir. Next was a patriotic dance performance. The Principal gave an inspiring address, inspiring address and then the ceremony took place as follows: Secondary Section, Primary Section and Pre-Primary Section. The office bearers took the oath. Then the Chief Guest spoke. Meritorious students were felicitated with gifts, medals and certificates. The program ended with recitation of Shanti Path.

A 'green' I-Day  
The nation's 73rd Independence Day was celebrated at D.A.V. Public School, Thane with students gathering in front of the flag post with excitement. The Principal welcomed the Chief Guest Dhanraj Bhor which was followed by the flag hoisting ceremony and march past by various houses. The precision marching by the Scouts and Guides was a pleasure to watch. Patriotic songs and a glittering dance performance were presented. A speech stressing the need for patriotism and self development was given by a SDA student. Students who had secured 100% attendance in the academic year 2018-19 were felicitated with a medal and certificate.

The Chief Guest while praising the efforts taken by the school for achieving academic excellence and all round development of the students stressed the need for extending a helping hand to the flood affected states of India. The Principal Ms. Simmi Juneja underlined the need for inculcating values and becoming responsible citizens. She mentioned how climate change is leading to large scale destruction of green cover and urged the students to saplings. The programme ended with a vote of thanks and tree planting.

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## Inculcating vedic values among children...

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## THE HINDU PRESENTS SCHOOL BUZZ

GOING BEYOND CURRICULUM  
D.A.V. Public School, Thane, organised Vedic Chetna Shivr. Students from class 8 participated in various activities. Principal, Ms. Simmi Juneja, commended the function. Various competitions like solo dance, instrumental music, shloka recital, drawing, painting and many others, were conducted.

SEJAL DATIR  
DAV Public School, Thane

## Invest in youth for better tomorrow

In the quest for growth and pursuit for development, being a superpower significantly influences an influencing and globally India, being one of the world's fastest growing economies with a vibrant demographic of the staggering majority of young population, is definitely an emerging superpower. However, it has not been able to completely assert itself on the international stage.

Against the backdrop of India's present population distribution, it must invest in the younger generation. India's youngsters are an asset to itself in terms of great entrepreneur skill and are proficient enough to make India the start-up capital of the world. Individuals must be encouraged to take risks in setting up their business ideas, and government must provide suitable infrastructure. We have to make India capable of starting its own Google, Microsoft and Apple which would be possible only if talented individuals stay in India. Dependence on the oil economy is also a major hurdle for India's growth. Instead, India should switch to solar power to be self-reliant. Indians must also broaden their mind-set if they want to see a developed India.