

D.A.V. PUBLIC SCHOOL, THANE

REPORT

VISION

We envision to be recognized as a leading school known for imparting each student with an outstanding experience of learning. We strive towards impacting the young minds by nurturing a strong sense of community spirit among the students. We are committed to the continual advancement of evidence based teaching and learning process. In order to meet challenges and create a fruitful environment, we look towards kindling the fire of latent potential in the heart of every learner.

MISSION

With a view to create an ambience that is a blend of Vedic values and the teachings of the modern world, the school endeavors to enable the students to imbibe the sublime elements of our culture and civilization. Stress is laid on the universal aspect of Indian culture and students are enlightened about our rich spiritual heritage which transcends the narrow limits of caste, colour, creed and language. Emphasis is laid on providing safe, challenging and relevant learning environment that inspires and creates pathways for students' success. We cherish the time honored values of compassion, integrity, respect and inter cultural understanding.

We at D.A.V Public School, Thane believe that School Governance is essential for fostering a culture in which the today's children grow up to become productive and responsible citizens of future generations who will be able to maintain and improve society. We have tried to establish an intellectual, democratic, and even moral climate for the future of the nation, which exists in a pragmatic fashion so that our institution can provide the utmost in education and investment for the future of our nation, and this pragmatism is supported by a strong philosophical grounding. For this, there is a PTA that comprises of educated and proactive members who are able to admit to flaws in the system. These members understand that a system of education involves not only educational material and supplemental activities, but also that the institution must be able to provide the moral and disciplinary foundations for the nation as a whole.

Since the institution is an amalgamation of Vedic Values and Modern Principles, D.A.V. tends to lean towards a transformational leadership style that brings teachers and staff to a higher level of awareness of the importance of their mission and increase their level of motivation, maturity and aspirations, as well as their reference to the need for

achievement, self-realization, social welfare, the success of the organization and concern for its social environment.

At DAV Thane, the curriculum, instruction, and assessments are tightly aligned as per DAVCMC and CBSE guidelines and redesigned from time to time to engage students in 21st Century for achieving a personalized, technology-enabled, deeper learning. Curricula and instruction are standards-aligned, research-based, and enriched through authentic, real-world problem solving. Students and teachers have robust and adaptive tools to customize the learning, teaching, and assessment, ensuring that it is student-centered and emphasizing deep understanding of complex issues. The curriculum and instruction thus provide each student the opportunity to solve real -world problems and encourage collaboration with students, educators and others outside of the school environment. Play-way method is adopted in the lower classes as an informal way of learning.

INITIATIVES

To create awareness among students, we organise adolescence programme and Girl welfare programs for the teenagers and teach them to help themselves. Another initiative is **Bag Committee** where we focus on to reduce the weight of the school bag and make them aware of their own health. A set of textbooks is kept in the class cupboard so that students are not burdened with heavy bags. Further, to inculcate the values of sharing, DAV Public School, Thane donates school stationary, clothes and toys to poor children and orphanages.

Our school culture makes it certain to follow motto of “**Safety First**”. In this regards, **each and every floors as well as school buses are under CCTV surveillance**. Security of children is one of the most important objects of the school. **Fire safety system** is another measure taken to increase safety level in the school. The mock drill training is given to all children in the school.

It’s rightly said “A Goal without Plan is just a wish” or “If progress is to be steady we must have long term guides extending far ahead.” Keeping in mind our long term vision, school keeps the following checklist of five points:

- ✓ To improve student’s outcomes in notebook and improve the quality of notebook correction,
- ✓ To improve the standard of classroom display boards, To make the school free from any form of corporal punishment,
- ✓ To improve the questioning skills of teaching staff- by motivating and training them to put Open-ended questions and follow Revised Bloom’s Taxonomy during

Teaching Learning process and last, to improve coordination between the staff and the leadership.

Our school follows novel methods that yield stellar results across the spectrum of learners. These include:

1. The English Lab, Math Lab, Science Labs, Computer Lab and Library.
2. The school has developed model lessons that demonstrate how skills such as critical thinking, problem solving, creativity and innovation, collaboration, communication, self-direction, visual learning, information literacy, and global and cultural awareness should be integrated into each of the content areas.
3. The school has provided teachers with access to digital content and online resources.
4. The school has created the app called 'Snap Homework' where daily updation of work done is class, circulars, notice, Home Assignments are posted by teachers to parents.
5. All teachers in the school are encouraged to amalgamate research-based techniques in the teaching methodology such as interactive class, activity-based teaching, field trip, use of smart board etc.
6. For better management of students, the classes of lower grades have two teachers.

BEST PRACTICES:

1. Technology is used in the school to provide students with the opportunity to engage in rich, authentic work within real-world contexts.
The school activities and achievements are documented in the monthly e-newsletter and uploaded on the school website.
2. An essential element of authentic learning in the school is students' development of products that are valued by persons outside the walls of the classroom such as parents, Principals of other schools etc .
3. Spoken English is given a great deal of importance since it offers a window to the modern world.
4. **DEAR** Time ie., Drop Everything And Read is followed by all the students, teachers as well as the ancillary staff where all are expected to read the day's Newspaper to enhance reading skills, tap the curiosity, instil a scientific temper and to make students aware of current affairs.
5. Hygienic Canteen Facility is available to all the students on a weekly basis.
6. **Fruit Break** is given to all the Children to inculcate the habit of Healthy Eating.

7. **Havan** is performed every month to purify the environment and calm the mind. The light from the flame of the fire is a symbol of knowledge replacing ignorance. Enlightenment of the mind is enhanced by the act of chanting mantras from the Vedas whilst the fire is fed. This form of prayer not only brings peace to the soul but its repetition is also an act of mental concentration that enables the mind to memorize the wisdom contained in the Vedic mantras.
8. **Good Luck Day** is celebrated for all the classes prior to the commencement of Exams.
9. Value and Skill based club activities are conducted every month.
10. **I.T. Training Programme** is conducted for students of Std IX & X as part of their Vocational Education Subject to improve the skills of students.
11. Celebration of National and Religious Festivals in the school inculcate a sense of respect for our rich culture and heritage.
12. **Value Speech** is given by teachers as well as students in The Morning Assembly to imbibe various values embedded in the Indian Culture.

SCHOOL AWARDS

- 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 won the **Best Mini Club of the Year 2018** for its efforts to save energy and spreading awareness.
- The school won the **1st Position in Swacch Sarveskshan 2018** by Thane Municipal Corporation.
- The School was declared as '**Champion School**' by TATA Power for the Energy Conservation Initiatives taken up by the students.

ACADEMICS

AISSE 2018

In the AISSE 2018 the school secured 100% result for the 20th consecutive year.

The School Topper, **Mast. Shashank Ramakrishnan** scored **99.2%** thereby **Securing First Position in the entire State of Maharashtra**. He has been invited by the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India 2019 to witness the Republic Day Parade at New Delhi from Prime Minister's Box.

Ms. Adrija De stood 2nd with 98.8%, Ms. Isha Kulkarni and Mast. Kushal Gupta stood in the third place with 98.4%.

Total Students Appeared : 498

Students scoring 90% and above : 154

Qualitative Performance Index : 81.01

63 students scored 95% and above

91 students scored between 90% - 95%

137 students scored between 80% - 90%

111 students scored between 70% - 80%

Subjects	Highest Marks	No. of Students
ENGLISH	99	3
HINDI	100	2
MARATHI	99	4
SANSKRIT	100	15
MATHS	100	3
SCIENCE	100	4
SOCIAL SCIENCE	100	7
VOC.IT	100	9

STD VIII DAV CAE RESULTS

SCHOOL TOPPERS

1	UMANG AGARWAL	97.50%
2	SAAKSHI WAGH	95.59%
3	TANVI SUJIT HIRLEKAR	95.29%
4	CHINMAY HUMAD	95.29%
5	CHARVEE KARMARKAR	95.29%

SUBJECT	HIGHEST MARK	NO.OF STUDENTS
ENGLISH	97	1

HINDI	99	1
MARATHI	99	2
SANSKRIT	100	6
MATHS	100	2
SCIENCE	100	7
SOCIAL SCIENCE	100	1
MORAL EDUCATION	80/80	1

AISSE 2017

Out of the total 407 students who appeared, 185 students scored the highest CGPA-10 (Above 91%). Nearly 333 students scored 80% and above.

The school toppers Ms. Akanksha Baijal and Mast. Soumil Kelkar scored a staggering 99.4% , the second highest score in entire CBSE.

Total Students Appeared : 407

Students scoring CGPA 10 : 185

Qualitative Performance

Index (QPI) : 89.23

94 students scored 95% and above,

121 students scored between 90% – 94%

118 students scored between 80% - 90%

56 students scored between 70% - 80%

STD VIII DAV BOARD RESULTS

Total Students Appeared : 505

No of students getting 90% and above : 79

No of students getting between 80 and 90% : 126

No of students getting between 70 and 80% : 112

AISSE 2016

In AISSE 2016, out of the total 415 students appeared for the examination, **102 students** scored the highest Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) 10 – ie. above 91% in all the subjects.

117 students scored **90% and above**,
138 students scored between **80% – 90%** and
100 students scored between **70% - 80%**.
QPI in 2015 – 2016 is 84.36

Percentage	No. Of Students
95% and above	36
90% to 95%	81
80% to 90%	138
70% to 80%	100
60% to 70%	58
50% to 60%	2
40% to 50%	-
Below 40%	-

Highest Marks

Sanskrit	100	15
Mathematics	100	3
Hindi B	99	1
Science	99	2
Soc. Science	99	1
Vocational IT	99	1
English	98	2
Marathi	98	1
Hindi A	91	1

OUTSTANDING SPORTS & CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- In the **64th National School Games 2018-19** organized by School Games Federation of India from December 12 to 20 , 2018 , **Purva Kirve** of **Class X** bagged **Second Position and Silver Medal** in the **Artistic Gymnastic Uneven Bar** , **First Position and Gold Medal** in the **Gymnastic Team event** , **Second Position and Silver Medal**

in the Table Vault and First Position and Gold Medal in the All Round Gymnastics .

She also got Appreciation Certificate in the 15th Junior Artistic Gymnastic Asian Championship organized by Asian Gymnastics Union Jakarta , Indonesia from April 25 to 28 , 2018 .

Poorva Kirve bagged Gold Medal in the Gymnastic Team event , Silver Medal in the All Round Gymnastic , Silver Medal in the Balancing Beam & Silver Medal in the Floor Exercise of Artistic Gymnastic organized by DSO , Sangli November 14 to 17 , 2018 .

- **Manjiri Rane of Class X in the Rhythmic Gymnastics got Appreciation Certificate in the 16th Asian Senior & Junior Rhythmic Gymnastic Championship** organized by Asian Gymnastics Union Jakarta , Indonesia from April 25 to 28 , 2018 .

She secured First Place and bagged Three Gold Medals in the Gymnastic Competition organized by CBSE , Khelgaon Public School from November 22 to 25 , 2018 .

Manjiri Rane bagged 2 Gold Medals in the Rhythmic Gymnastic organized by Maharashtra Amateur Gymnastic Association from January 13 to 14 , 2019 .

- **Jai Asai of Class VI bagged a Trophy , 2 Gold Medals and a Bronze Medal in Karate Competition** organized by EAME Open International Karate Championship , Mauritius on 30th June , 2018 .

He bagged a Gold Medal and Silver Medal in the 6th SKA Maharashtra State Level Karate Championship organized by Sports Karate Academy on June 20 , 2018.

- **Sejal Datir of Std X won the Hindustan Times Scholarship of Rs. 50,000/-**
- **Bhavini Kaur of Class VIII ,Prerana Sawant of Class IX , Disha Hira Bagged Gold Medal in the Performing Art of 8th Cultural Olympiad of Performing Art -2018** on November 16 , 2018 .
- **Aayushi Akhade of Class II bagged Silver Medal in 500 Meters Sea Swimming and 4th Place in the 250 Meters Sea Swimming** organized by Dubai Spots Council , Dubai on October 27 , 2018 .
- **Ishika Chattikal of Class V Bagged Gold Medal in the Karate Competition** organized by FSKA World Karate Tournament , Portugal on November 10 , 2018.

- **Amogh Aradhye** of **Class IX** bagged **Silver Medal** in **Kumite** and **Bronze Medal** in the **Kata Event** of **Karate Championship** organized by FSKA World Karate Tournament , Portugal on November 10 , 2018.
- **Shrish Pawar** of **Class IV** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **5thNationalKung Fu Martial Arts Championship** organized by All India Chinese Kung Fu Federation on 30th September , 2018 .
- **TaiyabAmbawala** of **Class IV** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **5thNationalKung Fu Martial Arts Championship** organized by All India Chinese Kung Fu Federation on 30th September , 2018 .
- **PremMaurya** of **Class IV** bagged **Gold Medal** in the **5th National Kung Fu Martial Arts Championship** organized by All India Chinese Kung Fu Federation on 30th September , 2018 .
- **Anirudh Kurup** of **Class V** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **Karate Championship** organized by WFSKO National OpenKarate Championship on 9thSeptember , 2018 .
- **RijulChaubal** of **Class V** bagged **Bronze Medal** in the **Karate Championship** organized by WFSKO National OpenKarate Championship on 9thSeptember , 2018 .
- **Vikram Singh** of **Class IV** secured **Bronze Medal** in the **Karate Championship** organized by WFSKO National OpenKarate Championship on 12th September , 2018 .
- **Pallavi Dubale** of **Class IV** bagged **2 Bronze Medal** in **Karate Championship** organized by 29th WFSKO National Karate Championship on September 9 , 2018 .
- **Siddhant Gupte** of **Class V** bagged **Bronze Medal** and **Silver Medal** , **Sae Joshi** of **Class III** bagged **Silver Medal** in the **Karate Championship** organized by Goa Open All India Karate Championship on November 11 , 2018 .
- **Shashank R.** of **Class X** secured **Second Position** in the 3rd Sanskrit Olympiad organized by Vadatu Sanskritam on April 4 , 2018 .
- **Riya Patil** of **Class VII** secured **First Position** in the 3rd Sanskrit Olympiad organized by Vadatu Sanskritam on April 4 , 2018 .

- **A .Gayathri** of **Class VII** secured **Second Position** in the 3rd Sanskrit Olympiad organized by Vadatu Sanskritam on April 4 , 2018 .
- **Chinmay Humad** of **Class VII** secured **First Position** in the 3rd Sanskrit Olympiad organized by Vadatu Sanskritam on April 4 , 2018 .
- **Atharva Woyal** of **Class I** won and secured **A+ position** in the **All India Swacch Bharat Art Competition** organized by National Education and Human Resource Development Organization on July 5 , 2018 .

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

The school organises regular health checkups for students – Eye Camp, Dental Hygiene Camp, Measles

Rubella Vaccination Campaign . It was a huge success and was appreciated by TMC.

Blood Donation Camp is organised every year.

Happy Healthy Baby Contest is held for students of the Nursery Class

Regular Health & Hygiene workshops are held.

Counselling workshops for students and parents.

Workshop for students – Career Counselling, Defence as a Career Workshop, Self Defence, Skipping and Keeping Fit, Cyber Safety & Security, Save Energy etc

Swacchata Pakhwara Week – Cleanliness Drive

Refresher Workshops for teachers

Parents Orientation Workshops

Picnics, Educational Tours, Field Trips, Scout & Guide Camps, Educational Movies

Grandparents Day

Cultural Extravaganza – Annual Day

Many milestones have been achieved and many still have to be reached. We at DAV Thane will continue our unceasing efforts to mould the young minds into well balanced personalities with confidence and zeal befitting the standards of this portal of education.

This report is a sincere attempt to showcase our progress in terms of achievements and activities during the year.