

“From Dreams to Direction”

XI Commerce Orientation Programme(2026-2027)

The Orientation Programme for the students of **Class XI (Commerce Stream,2026-2027) at D.A.V. Public School, Thane**, was conducted with meticulous planning and a forward-looking vision to facilitate a seamless transition of students into the domain of Senior Secondary education. Recognizing this phase as a crucial juncture in a student’s academic trajectory, the programme was successfully carried on, to acquaint both students and parents with the scholastic framework, institutional expectations, and the vast spectrum of opportunities inherent in the Commerce stream helping everyone feel comfortable and confident about the new beginning

The programme commenced with a formal welcome, followed by an enlightening address by the **Principal, Madam Simmi Juneja**, underscoring the significance of discipline, perseverance, and intellectual curiosity as indispensable attributes for academic success. Principal Madam also emphasised the importance of cultivating a goal-oriented mindset and maintaining a balanced approach towards both academic and co-curricular pursuits. Subsequently, the Senior Secondary Coordinator, Mrs. Nivedita Naik and the faculty members of the Commerce department were introduced, each bringing forth a comprehensive overview of their respective subjects. Detailed insights into Accountancy, Business Studies, Economics, and optional subjects were presented, highlighting core concepts, pedagogical approaches, and examination patterns. The emphasis was laid on conceptual clarity, analytical thinking, and systematic preparation as opposed to rote memorization.

A salient feature of the programme was the informative session on prospective career avenues within the Commerce discipline. Students and parents were apprised of diverse professional pathways, including Chartered Accountancy, Company Secretaryship, Business Administration, Banking, Finance, and Entrepreneurship. This segment served to broaden the horizon of students, enabling them to align their academic pursuits with long-term professional aspirations. Additionally, the school highlighted its commitment to holistic development through various co-curricular engagements, workshops, and skill-enhancement initiatives designed to foster practical acumen and confidence among learners.

The School Counsellor also addressed the students and parents, emphasizing the importance of emotional well-being, stress management, and maintaining a balanced approach towards academics and personal growth. The session provided valuable guidance, encouraging students to seek support when needed and to cultivate resilience and self-confidence.

The orientation also encompassed a detailed briefing on institutional protocols, including attendance norms, assessment criteria, examination policies, and the code of conduct expected from students. The pivotal role of parental involvement in reinforcing academic discipline and providing emotional support was duly acknowledged. An interactive question-and-answer session further enriched the programme, offering clarity and addressing concerns raised by parents and students alike.

In conclusion, the Orientation Programme proved to be an enriching and enlightening experience, effectively equipping students with the knowledge, confidence, and motivation required to embark upon their Senior Secondary journey. It successfully established a strong foundation for academic rigor and personal growth, thereby setting a constructive and aspirational tone for the forthcoming academic session for Class XI Commerce students at D.A.V. Public School, Thane. Nevertheless, the orientation was indeed a **“Prelude to Scholastic and Professional Growth”**

