



Wishes all Teachers

Happy Teacher's Day



Teachers are the backbone of any country, the pillar upon which all aspirations are converted into realities.

~ Abdul Kalam

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MS. RASHMI DESHPANDE
CHAIRPERSON, VIDYALANKAR DNYANAPEETH TRUST

FROM CHAIRPERSON'S DESK

It's a great day to send greetings to our teaching fraternity! Happy teachers' day and 20th foundation year of Vidyalankar Polytechnic. The pursuit of pedagogical excellence started on 5th September 2002 is spreading its brilliance far and wide with the unflagging commitment and perseverance of our faculty members.

Vidyalankar Polytechnic started its journey in 2002 with 73 students. Today, that sapling has grown to a majestic tree with many fruitful accomplishments. Around 1600 students enrolled in three programs accredited by NBA (Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering, Information Technology and Computer Engineering), show the trustworthiness of our motto BE SURE WITH VIDYALANKAR.

We are scripting history by keeping in pace with this digital era generation. Our students stood first in Maharashtra State Board exams repeatedly. They have scripted laurels in various state/national level competitions like Smart India Hackathon 2022 (won Rs50,000) and National level Project and Paper competition (PROTECH 2022) Project: Melanoma Detection using Deep Learning (First prize). They have also bagged first prize in National Level paper presentation competition (Research Paper: DLT translations using Blockchain) recently. More than 90% of our students got admissions in prestigious higher educational institutions. Many of our alumni are working with various MNCs like JP Morgan, TCS, Bombay High, TATA Power, Tech Mahindra, JIO, LG electronics, Skylab, etc. VP is encouraging budding entrepreneurs and start up enthusiasts to name a few, Mudassir Mandaviwala CEO of The Crazy Enterprise, Atharva Dalvi CEO of AD Infotech, Asim Sayeed CEO Tops Scribble, Nirmiti Keyusker CEO of Eight Labs.

We offer global opportunities for higher education to our students through collaboration with foreign universities such as University of South Carolina, University of Toledo USA, University of Waikato New Zealand Unitc, New Zealand, Fraser Valley, Canada. Behind all these achievements lies the efforts of highly dedicated faculty members who mentored and encouraged these students to reach the top pedestal.

To meet the expectations of everchanging and ever evolving world of technology, we keep upgrading our skills. We are committed towards the holistic development of our students and groom them to be the best in the field of technology along with inculcating empathy towards fellow citizens and management skills during real life situations.

Let me quote the great visionary Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore, "The highest education is that which does not give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence".

With this let's dedicate ourselves to deliver the best to shape the future of our nation.

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STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS- HACKATHON



Team Vidyalankar Polytechnic won the Second Runner-Up Prize of Rs. 50,000 at the Smart India Hackathon 2022. In this competition, Kush Kapadia (Team Leader), Mehreen Sayed, Meet Shah, Atharva Jadhav, Sai Bhilare, and Asif Shaikh, students from the Department of Computer Engineering, participated. The team was accompanied by Manisha Pokharkar, Sr. Lecturer in the Department of Computer Engineering, and Raghvendra Lola, who is an Industry Mentor from "The Crazy Enterprise". Their problem statement was disaster management from the Student Innovation domain.

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STUDENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS

Third-year students named Mursaleen Batatawala, Faraaz Ansari, Abizer Agarwala and Haider Jawadwala from the Department of Computer Engineering participated in various national-level project competitions. They have come out with flying colors in all the competitions. In the month of July, these students participated in Protech-2022, which was organized by Symbiosis Institute of Technology, Pune. In this competition, students have secured first place in the project competition. as well as same group grab the first prize at National level project competition organised by Government Polytechnic, Mumbai.

Second group of third year students named Maheshwar Muthukumar,-Sahil Bhandar,Mohammed Farhan Noorani,Kushnuma Shaikh from the Department of Computer Engineering participated in various national-level project competitions. In the month of July, these students participated in Protech-2022, which was organized by Symbiosis Institute of Technology, Pune. In this competition, students have secured first place in the project competition.



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VOLUNTEERING COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES



The planting drive was conducted on August 1st, 2022, Monday by the BMC garden department at Sangam Nagar (BMC Ground Wadala East) with active participation from students of the Volunteering Committee of Vidyalkar Polytechnic. All the concerned officers of the garden department, Mr. Sandeep Raut and Mrs. Pratibha Thackrey, ASG Garden Department FN ward, along with Ms. Sanvedna Shedge from Hindu News, helped us to conduct this drive. A total of 20 saplings were planted.

In collaboration with "BMC," we initiated a "Booster Vaccination Drive". Here, we offered covishield, covaxin, and sputnik booster doses to the staff members at Acworth Hospital Wadala on August 06, 2022. A total of 29 people were vaccinated.

The government of India initiated the "Har Ghar Tiranga" campaign. We celebrated this campaign from August 12th to August 17th, conducting a number of activities such as human chains, drawing and photography competitions, video editing, and quiz competitions.

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FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

VP Vidyalyankar Polytechnic

Vidyalyankar Polytechnic Presents
ISTE Approved One Week
Faculty Development Program
on

**Transforming Teaching Learning
Process Through
Modern Pedagogical Techniques**

Teaching Approaches that Necessary for every 21st Century Teacher

- Project Based Learning
- Co-operative Learning
- Flipped Classroom
- Competency Based Learning
- Thinking Based Learning
- Design Thinking
- Problem based learning
- Gamification

Program Schedule

-: Duration of Course & Time :-
8th to 13th August, 2022 | 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.

-: Venue :-
Vidyalyankar Polytechnic, Vidyalyankar College Marg,
Wadala (E), Mumbai - 400 037.

Tel.No.: (022) 2416 11 26

Mentor : Prof. Vaishali Malkar

-: Co-ordinators :-
Prof. Pratik Tawde | Prof. Anjali Gharat | Prof. Tanvi Gursale

"Vidyalyankar Polytechnic organized an ISTE Approved One-Week FDP on "Transforming the Teaching-Learning Process Through Modern Pedagogical Techniques" from August 8th to August 13th, 2022.

The event was organized to utilize important technological tools to enhance the teaching and learning process as well as effectively improve the teaching and learning process to make it student-centric. Around 10 expert speakers from different parts of the country conducted the session and also mentioned the role of teachers in designing and implementing evaluation schemes that can properly assess students' learning and gain a better understanding of pedagogical tools for enhancing critical thinking among students and promoting outcome-based education.

At the end of each session of FDP, participants asked many queries about the modern pedagogical techniques in the teaching and learning process, and the expert speaker patiently addressed the queries and their concerns.

Digital Teaching-learning: Requirements & Expectations

Hardware and Software	Skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Laptop/MobileInternet Connection/DataHead phone/earphoneVideo Conferencing Tool (Google Meet, Zoom)Learning Management System (Google Classroom)Office Applications (Word Processor, Spreadsheet, Presentation package)- Google Docs, Google SheetDigital Blackboard (Jamboard, similar mobile app)Free and Open Source Software/ Mobile Apps for creating e-Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">To use Google Meet, Google Classroom, Jamboard, other FOSS and Mobile AppsTo plan for online/offline Teaching using digital/online toolsTo access e-Resources (OERs)To create e-ResourcesTo present content using digital/online toolsTo interact/Communicate/Discuss using digital/online toolsTo assess students' performance using digital/online tools

STEPS FOR PODCASTING

1. Decide the purpose to start a podcast
2. Select a podcast topic, theme, and name
3. Choose a podcast format and structure
4. Create podcast branding
5. Set up your podcast equipment
6. Find the best podcast recording software
7. Prepare for your preliminary podcast episodes
8. Start recording your first podcast episodes
9. Edit your podcast recording
10. Publish your podcast with a hosting platform
11. Promote your podcast
12. Assess/Evaluate your podcast's success

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Our Toppers Our Pride

Third Year Toppers



ANURAG VINODKUMAR DUBEY

Secured First Rank from Third Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO5I-A)
He obtained (94.71 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



GAJEWAR YASH RAMCHANDRA

Secured First Rank from Third Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO5I-B)
He obtained (94.71 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



MAHESHWAR MUTHUKUMAR

Secured First Rank from Third Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO5I-C)
He obtained (90.86 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022

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Second Year Toppers



VIDHI BHARAT JAIN

Secured First Rank from Second Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO4I-A)
She obtained (93.2 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



TANAY MAHENDRA CHAUDHARY

Secured First Rank from Second Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO4I-b)
He obtained (93.33 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



TARUNKUMAR RAMESH GATLA

Secured First Rank from Second Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO4I-C)
He obtained (90.86 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022

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First Year Toppers



DIKSHA SUNILJADHAV

Secured First Rank from First Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO2I-C)
She obtained (89.75 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



SANIKA PRAVIN KALCHAVKAR

Secured First Rank from First Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO2I-C)
She obtained (92.38 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022



SAHIL SANJAY GAWADE

Secured First Rank from First Year, Computer Engineering Department (CO2I-C)
He obtained (87.25 %) in MSBTE- Summer 2022