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#### **Our Vision -**

To seed talented students for successfully acquiring entrepreneurial skills and enhanced employability at global level.

> Modern Technology... the boon for a bright future







Dear Student Friends.

The development of society takes place in different stages, such as educational, social, political and economical, especially in the Indian society which is distinguished by its diverse and varied traditions and its dreams of becoming a developed society. The most important stage in a society's development is Education. In this sector, Government schemes are as important as those of

voluntary organizations and Company sponsored CSR activities for educational development of economically weaker sections of society. It is very distressing for an intelligent and needy student to be deprived of education due to financial difficulties. Therefore, in order to encourage such meritorious students, financially support them and open for them the doors of higher education, with this social commitment in mind the Sureshdada Scheme for Educational & Entrepreneurial Development' i.e. 'SD-SEED' started nine years ago. Now with the completion of a decade, the future looks very dynamic and exciting. This scheme has helped thousands of students to live their educational dream and today they are prospering in various sections of society. This gives an awesome sense of satisfaction to the soul. The People's leader from Jalgaon Hon'ble Shri Dadasaheb Sureshji Jain started this scholarship scheme in memory of his mother Late Smt. Premabai Bhikamchandji Jain with great foresight and social awareness and today we can see its fruits in society.

Under the auspices of the scheme, throughout the year various student centric programs and workshops are organized such as, Personality Development, Interview Skills, Conversation Skills, Soft Skill Development, etc. The informative speeches and guidance of multifarious experienced speakers also help to mould a courageous younger generation, who are the real pillars of the country. If this generation is not guided on the right path, then it can deteriorate due to temptations, addictions and laziness. Hence, SD-SEED's commitment of imparting informal and formal education is important. Personality development does not happen through book knowledge, but through the knowledge of moral values and sensitivity to experimental business practices, which are equally important. Graduate or postgraduate education are confined to the usual educational system, however, it is essential that young people have the opportunity to look for employment opportunities independent from the educational system. SD-SEED's varied programs and activities done during the last quarter are a significant step in this direction.

It is said that the world runs according to the cycle of economics and the pace of development. , In order to power this cycle, kinetic energy and electricity are important, similarly, we cannot undermine the importance of human power i.e. Human Resources. Hence, SD-SEED

provides not only the financial energy through the Scholarship scheme, but, also helps develop and educate the energy of human resource in the form of a new generation. This role of foresight, human emotions and the attitude of 'Live and let live' is important. In this context, the new stars of the new generation shine through this scheme; their sincere and positive reactions are very affirmative. They have beneficially used the financial energy from this scholarship and educational activity to give their lives a proper sense of direction This experience has borne fruit in good faith. The wonderful feelings expressed by Nilam Bafna, Aniket Aware, Ankit Shirsath, Vinay Muley and Tejas Naik are a symbol of gratitude and amazing attitude. Society should learn from this positive experience of SD-SEED and its beneficiaries.

Today we live in an economically difficult time, this time could have been yesterday and could be tomorrow also. The youth should live through the asceticism, happiness, enthusiasm, and willingness to fight without fear or panic. They must also be ready for hard work with humility, patience and foresight. We should never forget our difficult times, they will strengthen our efforts to work for a better tomorrow. So, at this time, our heroism and bravery must change from negative energy to positive energy. We can watch the continuous movement of the Sun and a River, both of them never stop. ''थांबला न सूर्य कथी! थांबली न धारा! आणि धुंद वादळास कोठला किनारा!!'' (Baba Amte). Let's go and get ready to overcome any crisis. SD-SEED is ready to support and praise you.

The overall development of society can be achieved through the harmony between Laxmi, the goddess of Wealth and Saraswati, the goddess of Knowledge and Learning. With this in mind and to make philanthropy more inclusive and magnanimous, the SD-SEED scheme was announced ten years back. The scheme started in the form of a small seed I hope this seed would grow and become a great tree. It is expected that everyone should participate in this scheme to bring equality in the society and the nation.

- Principal Dr Kisan Patil SD-SEED Advisory Committee Member

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#### Success Stories of our Beneficiaries

It is very true that there is no substitute for hard work. Our beneficiaries have progressed in varied fields and demonstrated how one can be successful even in adverse circumstances based on their self-confidence. Those students who underwent difficult situations, had to face many problems to continue their education, benefited from the SD-SEED scholarship and today they are passionately pursuing their dream. Some of these students have been exceptionally successful in diverse fields and a few such success stories are narrated below:

#### 1. Nilam Bharat Bafna - Pachora



#### ★ Selected for the post of 'Deputy Collector' Group-A (2017)

Nilam, a SD-SEED beneficiary, passed MPSC Exam with the first rank in State under the Open category for girls. She has been selected as 'Deputy Collector' Group-A and was recently felicitated at the hands of Our Inspiration, Hon'ble Shri Sureshdada Jain.

Nilam comes from a middle class family. Her father has a small grocery shop in Pachora and her mother is a homemaker. She is an intelligent student, but had to face tremendous difficulties in pursuing her educational goal. It was at this time that SD-SEED came to her rescue and a new era in her life began. With the help of this scholarship her intense determination and self-confidence, she

completed her Graduation in engineering, but this was not her final goal. She immediately started preparing for competitive exams and achieved remarkable success. She says, "Today students like me from economically challenged section of society are receiving financial support, courage and inspiration to achieve and scale great heights due to the blessings of philanthropic citizens like Hon'ble Sureshdada."

#### 2. Ankit Shirsath, Aniket Aware & Vinay Muley - Jalgaon



★ Winner of Z 24 Taas's 'Young Innovator Award-2016' for Project-Krushak & 1st prize in 'DIPEX-2016', a state level exhibition cum competition

With the dream of doing something innovative and unique, these three students presented new ideas through 'Krushak', their multi-purpose agricultural tool. They were felicitated by the Governor of Maharashtra Hon'ble Shri Vidyasagar Rao, Chief Minister Hon'ble Shri Devendra Phadanvis and Education Minister Hon'ble Shri Vinod Tawde for their outstanding achievements.

All three of them faced difficult and challenging situations at home. They had a dream of creating something unique, but were confronted with the challenge of financing this project. Based on their intelligence they were awarded the Scholarship. They used these funds to launch their project and introduce new technology. The children from ordinary families

received appropriate support and guidance from SD-SEED at the right time, which amplified the power of their thoughts and they invented a very versatile farming tool. Thus, appropriate mechanical movement in the field of agriculture can save the labour and time of the farmers.



#### 3. Tejas Nitin Naik - Jalgaon

★ 'Rashtriya Kalashri Puraskar' from Daryasagar Samajik Sanstha, Jalgaon & 'Gold Medal' in Classical Singing & 'Silver Medal' in Shastriya Sur Vadya in 'Yuvarang-2017', a youth festival organized by NMU, Jalgaon

Considering Tejas's performance, we can say that he is a 'Rising Star' of Jalgaon district. When he was nine years old, he lost both his eyes due to disease. He was at a very young age and could not understand anything, but he was not too old to be able to tolerate the trauma of losing his sight. If one door closes, nature opens a thousand doors. Tejas experienced this when he became a recipient of the SD-SEED Scholarship. Being a visually handicapped student and after having undergone the traumatic journey of loosing his sight, Tejas is now trying hard to achieve success in the field of music, with his hard work and determination. This is genuinely a source of inspiration to all visually able students. inspiration to all visually able students.

#### SD-SEED FOR STUDENTS

SD-SEED conducted 15 Training Programs on various topics in the last four months, which benefited 1985 students.

#### **SOFT SKILLS DEVELOPMENT - 2 Programs**

Trainer: Prof Suresh Pande (SD-SEED Advisory Committee Member)

Venue: 1. RR Secondary & Higher Secondary School, Jalgaon

2. Arunamai College of Pharmacy, Mamurabad, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 300 students benefited

**Objective:** To develop various skills among students, boost their self-confidence, support them to enhance their knowledge and help them to improve their educational qualifications.



#### **CAREER GUIDANCE - 2 Programs**

Trainer: Pravin Sonawane (SD-SEED Associate)

Venue: 1. Manavseva Secondary School, Jalgaon
2. Chandsarkar Secondary School, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 255 students benefited

**Objective:** To make students aware of their strengths, weaknesses, skills and interests and help them choose the right career path.



#### **HOW TO FACE EXAM**

Trainer: Dr Narsing Pardeshi

Venue: Mata Ramabai Ambedkar Secondary & Higher Secondary School, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 160 students benefited

Objective: To help students reduce their tension during exams and write answers in a peaceful

and calm state of mind.



#### STRESS MANAGEMENT

Trainer: Mr Nandlal Gadiya (SD-SEED Governing Board Member)

Venue: YD Patil Secondary School, Mehrun, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 160 students benefited

**Objective:** To educate students about evaluating their stress levels, sources and symptoms of different types of stress and Stress Management techniques which will help them dealing with

stress positively.



#### PREPARATION FOR CET EXAM

Trainer: Prof SV Somwanshi (SD-SEED Advisory Committee Member)

Venue: DN Chaudhary Junior College, Jalgaon Attendees: Approx 180 students benefited

Objective: To make students aware of the different CET Exams and the preparation required to

face them.



#### **IMPORTANCE OF STUDY - 2 Programs**

Trainer: Pravin Sonawane (SD-SEED Associate)

Venue: 1. Raj Secondary School, Jalgaon

2. Secondary School, Bambhori, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 260 students benefited

**Objective:** In order to be successful in exams, the study method is more important than the study hours. It is important to study with full concentration and determination rather than studying the whole night. Before you start studying, remove any doubts from your mind, which will help you study confidently.



#### SD-SEED FOR STUDENTS

#### TIME MANAGEMENT

Trainer: Prof Suresh Pande (SD-SEED Advisory Committee Member)

Venue: MSW College, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 190 students benefited

Objective: To teach student the importance of time management in all their activities, which

means using the proper, easiest and fastest method to achieve their goals.



#### INTERVIEW SKILLS - 2 Programs

Trainer: Prof Suresh Pande (SD-SEED Advisory Committee Member)

Venue: 1. IMR College, Jalgaon

2. College of Engg & Technology, North Maharashtra Knowledge City, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 310 students benefited

**Objective:** In today's competitive world, numerous career opportunities are available. Hence, it is vital that students develop the requisite interview skills. They should get proper guidance on various facets of an interview, such as preparing their resume, submitting their application, developing their soft skills, communication techniques, etc.



#### MIND CONCENTRATION

Trainer: Pravin Sonawane (SD-SEED Associate)

Venue: PM Mundade Secondary School, Pimprala, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 140 students benefited

Objective: Mind concentration is necessary for effective studies. Students should develop a sense of determination towards hard work and study regularly in order to succeed

academically, which will support them in reaching the pinnacle of success.



#### **CHALLENGES TO SD-SEED**

Considering the dropout rate of students, the Governing Body Members, Taluka Coordinators and Associates of SD-SEED were approached by students and their parents to know the reasons for dropout. SD-SEED studied this issue, found that there are many reasons and accordingly measures were planned reason-wise. However, the two most important reasons are lack of educational awareness among parents to complete their children's education and lack of interaction between Parents-Teacher-Student. It was unanimously decided to primarily focus on these reasons. As a first step, to create educational awareness among the parents and students, counseling sessions and workshops were organized at Taluka level. In addition to this, training programs were organized for the teachers on how they can increase their interaction with parents and students. Currently, parent counseling programs are receiving a modest response, but we see tremendous positivity among those who participating to overcome these issues. We are constantly organizing such workshops and hope it will definitely create educational awareness among parents and reduce the number of dropouts. In the last month we conducted one program each on Parent Counseling and Teacher Training and the synopsis is given below:

#### PARENT COUNSELING

Trainer: Mr Mahesh Gorade (SD-SEED Governing Board Member)

Venue: YD Patil Secondary School, Jalgaon Attendees: Approx 100 parents participated

Objective:

- ★ Understand the importance of education.
- ★ Encourage their children to complete education.
- ★ Communicate with children and track their progress.
- ★ Encourage parents to take an active role.

#### **TEACHER TRAINING**

Trainer: Mr Mahesh Gorade, Mr Nandlal Gadiya & Prof Suresh Pande (GB Members)

Venue: Manavseva Mandal Secondary School, Jalgaon

Attendees: Approx 20 teachers participated

Objective:

- ★ Create self-confidence in teachers.
- ★ Develop a favorable teaching attitude in teachers.
- ★ Understand students better.
- ★ Use subject wise effective learning method.



## **Digital India and Student**

Looking at the drastic progress in Information Technology, we can see a future where humans will be completely dependent on this advanced technology. It will manage most of human functioning, from generation of birth certificate to death certificates. It is definite that Information Technology will contribute abundantly to enriching human life in the future.



#### What is Digital India?

If you want to say in one sentence what is Digital India campaign, it is an effort to digitally connect all citizens with various government departments on a single platform, so that their queries will be answered more effectively and speedily. In order to save the citizens' time and paperwork, the objective of this program is to digitize and make all government services available electronically.

- ★ Through this campaign, the government is trying to create a strong economy, based on Information Technology.
- ★ There are many schemes like Digital Locker, e-Education, e-Health, e-Sign and National Scholarship Portal.
- ★ Bharat Net and Next Generation Network plans will be implemented in various States.
- ★ Information Technology & Communication Dept will play an important role in implementing this program.

#### **Objectives of Digital India**

- ★ Providing digital access for every citizen.
- Provide administration and facilities as per demand.
- Digital Empowerment of the citizens.
- ★ Change the face of administration through egovernance.
- ★ To make the country self-dependent in the production of electronic goods.
- ★ Deliver various services electronically.
- \* Availability of mobile facility for everyone.
- To create broadband highways.
- ★ Development of public internet facility.

#### **Digital Locker Plan & Benefits**

Digital lockers have been made available for every Indian citizen for saving educational, government and other documents regularly required for different reasons. This facility is based on Cloud Technology and these scanned

documents can be accessed from anywhere in the world.

#### Benefits.

Under this scheme, citizens will be able to safely secure their digital copies of all their



documents, such as their PAN card, Passport, Mark-sheet, Certificates, etc. This will reduce the use of paper, important documents will be available in digital form and can be shared effortlessly for using various government services. The citizens will save time, space and labor.

#### Youth Empowerment through Digital India



The rural youth will be able to directly interact with dignitaries and experts from different fields on this platform, which will help in their personality development. The youth will become familiar with the functioning of various government departments, become aware of the strengths and weaknesses of this system and try to fortify the weak areas. Youth will embrace this technology due to its user friendliness and this platform can become the role model for the country. IT sector will also create countless job opportunities for the youth. Youth will have the opportunity to make an active contribution, to use and develop their dormant enterprise skills by working with start-up programs Hence, the youth will benefit from the directly connectivity with the government. A young farmer in rural areas can get information about the government's agricultural policies, be able express his expectations and this

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information will spread to all citizens of the country, benefitting both the Government and its citizens. This will result in the disappearance of the intermediaries of the government machinery and citizens will speedily get answers to their queries due to the direct communication with the concerned officers. Citizens will now be a part of the decision making process of the country which will make them more confident and this is an incomparable feeling. The youth will get a better education through research and training-oriented projects, especially rural youth will be access online education. These steps will help reduce the gap between urban and rural education. The platform of Digital India will also create the ideal intellectual class that exchanges the ideas of innovation. The last but most important thing is that the young people

will be able get many important opportunities for selfemployment through e-commerce on this online platform.

Digital India is an ambitious project, which is very important in the eyes of the country. It's successful implementation has been the dream of every Indian citizen and all of us should firmly believe that this project will brighten India's image at the international level.

Digital India is not a dream to be realized in the short run. It's a huge challenging task and we have just planted the seeds. It may be necessary for a generation to work to make it a productive tree so that the next generation can enjoy its fruit. At present, we should only cultivate it and try to provide it as a legacy to the next generation.

### **DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR AN ADMISSION**

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE TO STUDENTS & PARENTS**

# Documents required for academic admission to Std 11th & further

#### **Income Certificate**

- 1. Talathi Income Certificate
- 2. Ration Card
- 3. Proof of Income
- 4. Photo of Family Head

#### **Domicile Certificate**

- 1. Talathi Residence Certificate
- 2. School Leaving or Bonafide Certificate
- 3. Ration Card
- 4. Photo of Family Head

#### **Caste Certificate**

- 1. School Leaving Certificate of Student
- 2. School Leaving Certificate of Father
- 3. School Leaving Certificate of Grandfather
- 4. Talathi Caste Certificate
- 5. Talathi Residence Certificate

- 6. Ration Card
- 7. Photo of Family Head (Human date proof of AC/ST-1950, VJ/NT-1961, OBC-1967 required)

#### **Non-creamy Layer Certificate**

- 1. Talathi Income Certificates last 3 yrs
- 2. Income Certificate from Tahsildar
- 3. School Leaving Certificate of Student
- 4. School Leaving Certificate of Father
- 5. Caste Certificate (Prant Adhikari)
- 6. Talathi Caste Certificate
- 7. Talathi Residence Certificate
- 8. Ration Card
- 9. Two photos of Family Head



Parents have to run helter skelter in June to get the above certificate for academic admission. Sometimes students may also have loose a year due to timely non-availability of documentation. In order to avoid this, these documents should be procured and kept ready at the earliest.

#### THINK OUT-OF-THE-BOX THIS VACATION

#### PM Narendra Modi gave valuable tips to students

- Summer vacations are here. Use them to learn new skills and enjoy new experiences.
- Do something that takes you out of your comfort zone.
- Explore new places. Take a train ride this vacation and talk to people. Learn about their experiences and about their lives.
- Play & bond with children who belong to families less privileged than yours.
   I am sure you'll make nice, new friends.



- To provide opportunities to all deserving students to participate in India of the 21st century
- To spread educational awareness among all stakeholders
- To financially support eligible students for accomplishing their educational goals and occupational aspirations
- To develop and implement a comprehensive package of initiatives resulting in empowerment of stakeholders
- To make the program self-sustainable so that more and more students can benefit

#### **BENEFICIARIES' TESTIMONIALS**



#### Devayani Chudaman Mahajan, Raver – BE Computers (4th Year)

I have been a recipient of the SD-SEED Scholarship for the last six years. Today, a girl with rural background is studying in the last year of engineering; this is the truth as much as it is contrary and to make this truth a reality SD-SEED supported me. I come from a middle class family, my father works in a farm and my family is not highly educated. However, my educational journey has continued unabated as I know there is someone to support me. The future of Jalgaon students is bright due to the work undertaken by Honourable Dada. I am sure that in the future SD-SEED will be recognized as an innovative movement working for the development of students in the country.



#### Mayur Ganesh Patil, Jalgaon – BE Mechanical (Passed with 1st Class in 2016)

I am deeply grateful to SD-SEED Project pioneered by Hon'ble Sureshdada Jain. This organization has given strength and force to many students like me to take a huge step to achieve our educational goal. Therefore, I could complete my BE Mechanical from Bharati Vidyapeeth, Pune and secured a first class. My father works as a waiter in a small hotel. His meagre salary was not sufficient to pay for my Engineering education in a city like Pune, but with the help of SD-SEED Scholarship, I could pay and complete my education. I would like to tell all students that we should get rid of the thought that we cannot get a good education due to our financial circumstances and remember that SD-SEED's support will always be with us and with this thought we should complete our education successfully.



#### **Lipika Sunil Nemade**, Jalgaon – BE E&TC (4th Year)

After I passed the Class X, I read in the newspaper about SD-SEED scholarship and applied for it. I received a letter one and a half months later and was happy to read that I have been eligible for scholarship. After completing my diploma, the father had decided to stop my education due to lack of money, so I told him not to worry, SD-SEED is with us and they will support me for my further education. Since then till now in my final year of engineering, I am a recipient of this scholarship. I could reach here only due to Hon'ble Dada's blessings and I truly thank the SD-SEED family for the same. When I start to earn, I promise that I will contribute to SD-SEED, so that students like me can get maximum help.



#### Azar Bhaiyya Patel, Bodwad – BE Mechanical (3rd Year)

To begin with, I would like to thank SD-SEED. Today, students like me, are getting to taste the sweet fruit of the tree 'SD-SEED', which is planted by Hon'ble Dada. I am on the path to reach the peak of my success with help from the scholarship and am motivated to scale greater heights. Today, thousands of needy and meritorious students like me in our district have got a unique strength to pursue our educational dreams without the fear of financial weakness. I will also extend all support to SD-SEED after completing my education so that this noble work continues unceasingly.



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