### **Science Enrichment Program (SEP)**

What is SEP? It is the joyful journey of GBSTA with motivated students like you since 2015 towards learning conceptual science through workshops, activities, field trips and discussions along with lots of experiments. Students enjoy hands on activities individually and in groups. They make like minded friends and develop note making skills.

They are encouraged to appear for NSEJS i.e. first level of IJSO conducted by IAPT.

- # 3 Year integrated program.
- # From std. 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup>.
- # 32 Sundays / academic year
- # Centers: Mumbai / Pune

### Write an email with details of your ward to:

Mention: Name of the child, School name and Board, Name of parent, WA number

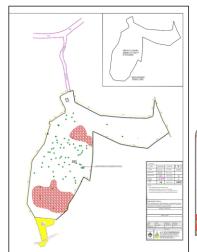
Contact Number: WA Only: **9920792969** 

Website for details www.msta.in

### ONLINE ORIENTATION IN THE MONTH OF APRIL 2026



Our alumni Selected at various levels of NSEJS, Astronomy and Biology Olympiads and placed at prestigious institutes in India and abroad



Science and Environmental Education Center (SEEC) Location: Jambhulpada, Mangaon, Taluka Sudhagad, DIST. RAIGAD. (150 km away from Mumbai)





GBSTA wishes to take the cause of science popularization further through proposed center. A place where children have opportunity to explore, experience and understand, teachers can undertake small projects and layman can blow the dust from what they had learnt long ago and re-live their childhood.

### **Proposed Plan:**

- ★ Laboratories, Library, Museum, Amphitheater, Planetarium, activity cum lecture rooms etc.
- ★ Landscaping for Water reservoirs, Nature trails, student activities, kitchen garden etc.
- ★ Facility for Parking, Stay, Dining, admin block, store room, Laundry etc.

### We already have:

- \*Fencing \* Electricity supply \* Borewell
- \* More than 200 trees with drip irrigation.

Full time caretaker to look after these facilities.

# YOUR SUPPORT MEANS A LOT! Contribution to our cause is covered under 80G!

For **CSR** related queries please contact:

Mr Shrikant Shingare 9869634765

### **OUR ACCOUNT DETAILS ONLY FOR DONATIONS**

UNION BANK OF INDIA, MALAD EAST BRANCH A/C NO: 384402010097310 IFSC Code: UBIN0538442



Do share your donation details as well as name, address, email id and PAN number with us!

### **GREATER BOMBAY SCIENCE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION**



## GBSTA REG NO: E12152(BOM)

### **INCULCATING CULTURE OF SCIENCE SINCE 1981**

- OUR MAIN ACTIVITES:
- DR HOMI BHABHA BALVAIDNYANIK COMPETITION
- SCIENCE & ENVIRONMENT EDUCATION CENTRE
- SCIENCE ENRICHMENT PROGRAMME
- WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS & STUDENTS



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# Dr Homi Bhabha Balvaidnyanik Competition (DHBBVC) 2025-26

DHBBVC is a unique four stage competition that taps scientific temper in young minds. This science saga has touched over 1000000 young minds in last four decades through over 3000 schools and has brought in thousands of teachers in this journey of arousing curiosity, critical thinking, problem solving efforts and molding students to be ecosensitive responsible citizens.

For all Details visit: www.msta.in

Eligibility: Students studying in 6th or 9th std.

Medium: Marathi/English/ Semi English

Regions: MUMBAI, THANE, PUNE, NASHIK, KOLHAPUR, CHHATRAPATI SAMBHAJINAGAR, VIDARBHA, LATUR.

OTHER THAN MAHARASHTRA: Other states in the country or abroad. (If more than 100 students are registered, center will be given in home state or else, select any city in Maharashtra, can give 3 choices)

# VISIT WEBSITE FOR CONTACT DETAILS OF COORDINATORS OF VARIOUS REGIONS.

Syllabus: Science text books of Maharashtra State Board and other boards.

Std VI: Science Text books of std 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. Std IX: : Science Text books of std 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>.

 ${\tt FEES:} \ {\tt FOR} \ {\tt REGISTRATION} \ \underline{{\tt THROUGH}} \ {\tt SCHOOL}:$ 

<u>REGULAR</u>: 320/-

<u>WITH LATE FEES</u>: Additional Rs 25/- per student <u>INDIVIDUAL</u>: Rs 500/- (No late entry allowed)

**Authentic Book:** Rs 250/- + 50/- (courier) to be paid along with competition fees ONLINE. Book delivered within 10 working days after the payment. (To school address if registered and ordered through school). NO COURIER CHARGES IF BOOK ORDERED THROUGH SCHOOL.

STRUCTURE OF DHBBVC: 4 STAGES: ALL IN OFFLINE MODE ONLY. At every stage FURTHER SELECTION IS as per merit for PER REGION, PER STANDARD AND MEDIUM, STATE AND OTHER BOARDS AS SEPARATE CATEGORIES.

Stage 1: 100 marks 100 MCQs in 90 min: 7.5 % selected FOR LEVEL II.

Others above 35 marks get passing certificate.

Stage 2: Practical round: 30 marks. 30 minutes:

10% selected FOR LEVEL III & IV.

Std VI: 5 EXPERIMENTS: 6 MARKS EACH

Std IX: 3 EXPERIMENTS, 1 EACH IN PHYSICS, CHEMISTRY AND BIOLOGY: 10 MARKS PER SUBJECT.

MEDAL ASSURED IF SELECTED AND COMPLETES NEXT 2 STAGES

<u>Stage 3</u>: General interview: 30 marks: 5 to 7 min\_
<u>Stage 4</u>: Interview based on action research project:

30 marks: 5 to 7 min

**Medals:** As per the categories mentioned earlier, merit wise (total score out of 120))

MARKS OF LEVEL 1 CONVERTED TO 30% AND COUNTED FOR SELECTION. **GOLD MEDAL:** 1<sup>ST</sup> 10% (certificate + one time scholarship of Rs 5000/-) **SILVER MEDAL:** Next 60% (certificate + one time scholarship of Rs 3000/-) **BRONZE MEDAL:** Rest ALL (certificate + one time scholarship of Rs 2000/-) **Other Prizes:** Region wise separate trophy

1. Dr Vikram Sarabhai Lakshavedhi Gunavatta (Remarkable performance) Trophy: To school bagging maximum medals.

2. Vidnyan Jttha (Kamal Sahabhag/Maximum participation) Trophy: To school enrolling maximum students.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF DHBBVC FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-26: NOTE: ORGANISERS RESERVE THE RIGHTS TO CHANGE THE SCHEDULE AND MODE OF THE COMPETITION AT ANY STAGE OF THE COMPETITION.

REGISTRATION THROUGH SCHOOL	1ST JULY TO 31ST JULY 2025
REGISTRATION THROUGH SCHOOL	1ST TO 18TH AUGUST 2025
WITH LATE FEES	(WITH LATE FESS RS 25/ STUDENT)
INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION	1ST JULY TO 18TH AUGUST 2025
THEORY/MCQ ROUND	8TH NOVEMBER 2025 (2 TO 4 PM)
RESULT OF MCQ ROUND	20TH DECEMBER 2025
PRACTICAL ROUND STD VI	4TH JANUARY 2026
PRACTICAL ROUND STD IX	18TH JANUARY 2026
RESULT OF PRACTICAL ROUND	7TH FEBRUARY 2026
ONLINE SUBMISSION OF ACTION	8TH MARCH 2026
RESEARCH REPORT	(TILL MID NIGHT)
INTERVIEW ROUND (STAGE III & IV)	15TH MARCH 2026
PRIZE DISTRIBUTION	5TH / 12TH APRIL 2026

<u>REGISTRATION</u>: Only In ONLINE mode. Only through school or individually.

NO PERMISSION TO REGISTER THROUGH COACHING INSTITUTE. For Semi-English, it is mandatory to select medium of answer; once selected it cannot be changed for any of the further stages.

SCHOOL MAY CIRCULATE THE NOTICE AND COLLECT THE DATA OF STUDENTS ASPIRING FOR BALVAIDNYANIK TITLE. FOR EVERY STUDENT COLLECT FOLLOWING DETAILS:

\* NAME: Surname first, correct spelling, Capital letters \* Gender M/F, \* Standard, \* Medium \* Parent's WA number and email ID for further communication, \* Birth date \* Soft copy of Student's LATEST passport size photo (max size: 2MB jpg / png / jpeg file) Same photo will appear on the certificate, please note.

COLLECT ADDITIONAL Rs 250/- FROM THOSE WHO DESIRE TO BUY AUTHENTIC BOOK ONLINE. YOU NEED TO PAY THIS AMOUNT ONLINE ALONG WITH EXAM FEES.

\*SAME DATA TO BE KEPT READY FOR INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION

COLLECT Rs 320/- FROM EACH STUDENT, KEEP Rs 20/- PER CHILD FOR SCHOOL TOWARDS HANDLING CHARGES AND SAVE 300/- FOR ONLINE PAYMENT. ONLINE PAYMENT WOULD BE ONLY THROUGH PAYMENT GATEWAY, PLEASE NOTE.

FOR REGISTRATION: GO TO OUR WEBSITE www.msta.in CHECK VIDEOS TO UNDERSTAND THE REGISTARION PROCESS.

www.msta.in CLICK ON 'APPLY ONLINE FOR DHBBVC'

### **ALREADY REGISTERED SCHOOLS:**

LOGIN WITH YOUR LAST YEARS LOGIN Id AND PASSWORD

UPDATE SCHOOL PROFILE

SELECT 3 PREFERRED CENTRES

CLICK ON 'AGREE AND SUBMIT'

CLICK ON PAY STUDENT FEES

ENTER NUMBER OF STUDENTS

ENTER NO. OF BOOKS NEEDED STD & MEDIUM WISE IN APPROPRIATE BOX

CLICK ON PAY NOW

SELECT MODE OF PAYMENT ON RAZORPAY PAYMENT GATEWAY

WAIT FOR A FEW MINUTES TILL PAYMENT IS CONFIRMED

ADD STUDENT DETAILS FOR ALL KIDS CAREFULLY ONE BY ONE

CLICK ON EXPORT TO EXCEL

TAKE A PRINT OUT & CHECK

#### **VISIT YOUR PROFILE PERIODICALLY**

MAKE STUDENTS CHECK INDIVIDUAL DETAILS. NOTE CORRECTIONS. EDIT OPTION WILL BE OPEN ONLY TILL 18<sup>™</sup> AUGUST 2025.

#### **NEW SCHOOL REGISTRATION**

CLICK ON NEW SCHOOL REGISTRATION

ENTER SCHOOL DETAILS (NO ABBREVIATIONS /SIGNS ETC.)

SELECT 3 PREFERRED CENTRES

CLICK ON 'AGREE AND SUBMIT'

NOTE UNIQUE LOGIN ID AND PASSWORD RECEIVED THROUGH SCHOOL MAIL ID AND SMS ON MOBILE NO.

OF INCHARGE TEACHER

↓ ENTER NUMBER OF STUDENTS

ENTER NO. OF BOOKS NEEDED STD & MEDIUM WISE IN APPROPRIATE BOX

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### **INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION (STEPS)**

- 1. CLICK ON INDIVIDUAL STUDENT REGISTRATION
- 2. ENTER MOBILE NUMBER
- 3. ENTER THE RECEIVED OTP FOR MOBILE NUMBER VERIFICATION
- 4. FILL IN STUDENT DETAILS.
- 5. UPLOAD BONAFIED CETIFICATE
- 6. ORDER BOOK IF DESIRED
- 7. CLICK ON PAY NOW
- 8. CHOOSE MODE OF PAYMENT ON RAZORPAY PAYMENT GATEWAY
- 9. ENTER ACCOUNT DETAILS.
- 10. RECEIVE CONFIRMATION ONSCREEN AND THROUGH SMS & EMAIL.
- 11. SAVE THE DETAILS.

#### **VISIT YOUR PROFILE PERIODICALLY.**

- \* NO REPLACEMENT\*NO REFUND \* NO ON THE SPOT ENTRIES\*SCANNED COPY OF MCQ ANSWERSHEET WILL BE AVAILABLE
  - \* NO RECHECKING OF MARKS AT ANY STAGE OF THE COMPETITION

**BEST WISHES FROM TEAM GBSTA!**