

Reference No. 03

Date: 12.09.26

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Subject: Community Engagement Project at Butterfly Garden & Botanical Garden, Nashik.

An educational visit was organized to the Butterfly Garden and Botanical Garden, Nashik, to understand biodiversity, plants, butterflies, environmental conservation and the importance of green spaces in urban areas. The visit provided students with practical exposure to natural ecosystems and helped connect classroom learning with real-world environmental conditions.

Event: Community Engagement Project

Place: Sandip University, Nashik

Date: 12.09.26

Timings: 13:00 PM

Registrar/Dean/HoD

Event Name

Details of the Event: Community Engagement Project

Date of event: 12.09.26

Name of Event: Butterfly Garden & Botanical Garden, Nashik.

Venue: Time: 13:00 PM

Details of Speaker/Designation/Photograph (if any):

Name of Coordinator: Dr. Abhilash Kumar K A / Mr. Pratik Verma

Number of Participants: 52

Brief description of Event:

The visit to the Butterfly Garden & Botanical Garden, Nashik provided students with an opportunity to explore local biodiversity through direct observation. Students learned about butterfly species, host and nectar plants, pollination, and the ecological importance of green spaces. The event enhanced environmental awareness and encouraged students to understand the importance of biodiversity conservation, sustainable landscaping, and ecosystem protection through experiential learning.

Objective of the Event:

1. To understand the importance of botanical gardens.
2. To study different varieties of plants and trees.
3. To observe butterflies and understand their ecological role.
4. To learn about biodiversity and environmental conservation.
5. To understand the relationship between plants, insects and other organisms.
6. To develop awareness about protecting natural resources.

Outcome of the Event:

- Students gained practical knowledge of butterfly diversity, plant species, and local biodiversity through direct observation.
- Developed awareness about the ecological relationship between butterflies, flowering plants, pollination, and ecosystem health.
- Students understood the importance of native plants and habitat conservation for supporting pollinators and other organisms.
- Enhanced students' ability to identify and observe different butterfly species, host plants, and nectar plants.
- Promoted awareness of biodiversity conservation and sustainable environmental practices.
- Encouraged students to appreciate the role of botanical gardens as centres for environmental education, conservation, and research.

Event Photos:



Caption: A group photograph after the visit at Butterfly Garden & Botanical Garden.



Caption: Students collecting their memories at Garden.



Caption: A group photo with participants before the visit.



Caption: Faculty briefing about the visit by having quiz competition for the students.

Event Coordinators

Head of the Department