

M.E.S. PUBLIC SCHOOL, KALAMBOLI

Annual Report 2025-26

M.E.S. institutions have nurtured millions of students into excellent citizens for more than 165 years. All aspects of our educational processes are carefully designed to cultivate and stimulate the intellectual, social, and personal development of students. They are provided a positive and healthy environment to imbibe important values at our temple of learning.

Great founders of Maharashtra Education Society Pune, Shri Vasudev Balvant Phadke, Shri Laxman Narhar Indapurkar, and Shri Vaman Prabhakar Bhawe, had founded MES way back in 1860, that is 165 years ago. The vision of our great organization inspires all of us, immensely, at the MES Public School, Kalamboli. The school was established in 2014 and holds the distinction of being the first CBSE school in Kalamboli.

Academic Achievements

The school is proud to achieve good results, in academics, Co. curricular and extracurricular activities throughout the session.

Achieved 100% result in CBSE Class X exam this year as well. The toppers of Academic Year (2025-26) are-

- 1st Rank - Miss Ayushi Patra – 95.60%
- 2nd Rank - Mst. Prakhar Pandey–95.40%
- 3rd Rank – Miss. Palak Agarwal– 94.60%

SCIENCE

- Students participated in the **Homi Bhabha Balvaidnyanik** competition, in which 13 out of 25 students successfully passed and received certificates. This competition aims to foster scientific thinking, enhance knowledge among students while preparing them for further competitive exams. 37 students took part in **VVM (Vidyarthi Vigyan Manthan)**, out of which, 17 students qualified for Level 2.
- Ms. Kavya Amar Kadam of Std VI **successfully** cleared Level 2 and was selected for the prestigious State Level Camp.
- In CBSE Skill Expo and Guidance Festival 2025, held at Indo Scots Global School in Kamothe, Mst. Dhruv Deshmukh of std X and Miss. Aaradhya Suroshi of std VIII confidently presented their project on “Hydroponic Farming” before the panel of judges and visitors. The project had been shortlisted for presentation by CBSE.

- Miss. Rishika Poojari, Miss. Anisha Varma, and Miss. Ushapriya Mohanty, secured 2nd position in the model making competition, 'Environmental Issues' in Science and Commerce Fest – "Shaping the Future: Integrasphere" held at KLE College.

LANGUAGE

- Miss Samridhi Jain, a student of std IX secured 1st Rank in the Spell-Bee Competition held at Carmel School, Kalamboli.
- Mst. Sumedh Somnath Bhalerao, student of std IX secured 1st Rank in District level story telling competition, Veer Gatha Project 5.0, an initiative of the Ministry of Defence in collaboration with the Ministry of Education, implemented through CBSE.

Achievements in the field of extra-curricular activities-

ART

Like every year, 100 % results were achieved in Maharashtra Elementary and Intermediate Drawing Grade Examination.

SPORTS

Students have excelled in various sports competitions at District, Division, State and National levels, bringing great pride to the school. They have brought laurels to the school by securing gold, silver and bronze medals in wrestling, karate, kickboxing, taekwondo and other sports events.

M.E.S. Krida Karandak is organized every year, where students of Std I to IV, of all the M.E.S. branches participate in the events like Surya Namaskar, Langdi, Dodge ball and Gol Kho-Kho. This year, the event was held in M.E.S. Renavikar Vidya Mandir, Savedi, Ahmednagar. Boys team bagged bronze medals by securing third position in Surya namaskar competition.

ACTIVITIES AND CELEBRATIONS

Enhancement of skills in Teachers and Students

As a part of enrichment programme, various workshops & seminars are periodically organized throughout the year for the overall development and enhancement of skills in teachers and students. All the teachers including the principal undergo 50 hours of mandatory CBSE trainings.

POCSO

M.E.S Personality Development Center Pune organized ' POCSO , POSH and SANVAADMAALA '(संवाद - माला) sessions. The POCSO ACT is administered by the Ministry of Women and Child Development to protect children from sexual abuse.

MES Personality Development Centre conducts Psychological testing SPM and aptitude test for classes V and X respectively, to determine an individual's skill or propensity to succeed. After the tests the parents are briefed and explained the reports. School's Health and Wellness teacher, assists the students, parents and teachers manage and overcome mental and emotional issues. Students appearing for exams are guided and motivated by the school counselor. One to one counselling for parents and students is done. Career Guidance program is also organised for 10th std students.

Parents Orientation Programme:

As a regular practice followed every year, Orientation Programme for the parents of the students of classes Nursery to X is conducted regularly. Regular PTIs are also conducted. We believe that parents and the teachers should work as a team for the overall development of the child.

Parents' Feedback Meetings were conducted for Pre- Primary to IX to discuss the academic progress, overall development, and well-being of students and to strengthen communication between parents and the school.

Clubs

As per the instructions of CBSE, this year we have formed different clubs like- **Eco Club, Tourism Club, Cyber security and Health and Wellness Club.**

Club activities assist students to cultivate a sense of unity and to work with other students from different backgrounds in a diverse environment.

Cleanliness Drive : – Ek Tareek Ek Ghanta Ek Saath, On the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti ,Ministry of Jal Shakti and Ministry of Education ,Govt. of India, Swachhata hi Seva , 3.0, a cleanliness drive was conducted in nearby area .Students were also shown movie ‘ Let’s Change’. Through this movie the students were motivated to make our environment ‘clean and healthy.

Field Visit: The school organised a field visit for classes IX and X to Karnala Fort and Go Green Sanctuary, Panvel. The students cleaned the area under swachhata hi seva.

Plant and book donation

Our students have started donating books or plants to the school on the occasion of their birthdays. This activity was aimed to stop distribution of chocolates and to instill the need of protecting environment and to inculcate reading habits amongst the students.

Mother Daughter Health and Hygiene Program was conducted to educate girls about health and hygiene specially during menstruation cycle.

Eye and Dental checkup were done in the school where the students having weak eyesight were provided free spectacles along with doctor’s consultation.

In collaboration with ‘Bharat Vikas Parishad’ under the project ‘ **Anemia Mukh Bharat**’ free Haemoglobin Tests were conducted for the girl students , Mother parents and women staff. Medicines were provided to anemic and further follow up was taken.

An **online workshop on E-waste and sustainability** was conducted to create awareness about the dangers of E-waste and educate the students about the proper segregation and disposal of the same.

Fire Drill

To educate and train the students for an unforeseen emergency like fire, experts were invited to give a demonstration and to sensitize the staff and the students about the life saving and rescue technique in case of fire.

Student Council-election

To make our students aware of democratic election process the election for the student council was held in the school. This process provided an opportunity to the students to witness and exercise their fundamental rights to vote and it gave them real life experience of democratic election process.

Cut The Sugar, Cut The Risk

As an initiative by the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights, Sugar boards were established to educate students about the risks of high sugar intake.

As per the CBSE circular, initiated by The Department of School Education titled " QR Codes for Flora" through Eco Clubs, students of std VIII and IX were encouraged to create QR codes for various plants in the school campus.

A Guidance Lecture on Van Safety was organized for parents and drivers. As a part of the CBSE initiative **Sadak Suraksha Abhiyan** (Suraksha Reloaded), a short film on road safety was screened for students of std V to VIII.

Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat -aims to enhance interaction and promote mutual understanding between people of different states – Union Territories through the concept of state /UT pairing. The states carry out activities to promote a sustained and structured cultural connect. This year Maharashtra is paired with Sikkim. Under this various activities were conducted throughout the year to make the students understand the culture of both the states.

Umbrella painting activity was conducted under M.E.S. Kalavardhini. This activity aimed to encourage creativity and artistic expression among participants, while also promoting a fun and interactive way to explore art.

Outside Wall painting

Under the guidance of our respected Principal Ma'am and Art Teacher, Mr. Jayesh Salvi, a team of enthusiastic teachers and students took the initiative to paint the outside walls of the school. The themes chosen for the wall paintings included school life, cleanliness, moral values, conservation of water and electricity, patriotism, and civic sense.

Rakhi making kits, made from eco-friendly materials, were supplied by Sampoorna Bamboo Kendra, a charity organization.

A Poster making competition was conducted to promote National level cyber-Security awareness, under the theme 'Cyber Surakshit Bharat' by ISEA with the Support of CBSE.

National festivals are celebrated with patriotic fervor. Different religious festivals are also celebrated throughout the year to make students aware about our rich culture.

Nutrition week was celebrated from 2nd September to 9th Sept. This was observed to raise awareness about the nutritional value and adaptive eating habits in order to live a healthy life. Based on this aim, students are asked to bring millets, sprouts, fruits; according to the days in a week.

On **National Reading Day Book** exhibition had been organised, students were asked to read their favourite books and also make a bookmark and book cover . students were also asked to summarize the content and write in their notebooks.

International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21st June. Different asanas like, Vajrasana, Vrikshasana, Trikonasana were demonstrated and the benefits were also explained.

Kranti Din and Meri Maati Mera Desh

A Campaign was organised on 9th August 2023, Students were shown a short documentary to give tribute to various freedom fighters who participated in Quit India Movement. To honour our courageous unsung heroes of quit India Movement earthen lamps were lit by students .

On World Mental Health day Students prepared posters and were provided awareness about importance of good mental health.

Sanskrit Day was celebrated on 31st Aug. Shubhashit Recitation competition and skit was also conducted, where the students participated enthusiastically.

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Guru Purnima was celebrated on 3rd July, Card making activity was conducted, where the students prepared cards for their first guru i.e. parents and took blessings from them.

A series of creative activities and competitions were conducted in multiple phases as a part of the **79th Independence Day celebrations**.

An awareness session titled “**Aai Mi Mothi Hotey**” was organized for the mothers of Classes IV, V and VI. The session conducted by Mrs. Girija Likhite (PDC Head), Pune, focused on identifying the appropriate age to talk about menstruation and changes in adolescence.

As instructed by CBSE, a special screening of the National Award-winning short film, "**Chalo Jeete Hain**," was held for students from Std I to X on 23rd September.

Annual Sports Meet

Sports play an important part in character building. In recognition of the need to inculcate the sportsmanship in children, the school organized Annual Sport meet. Winners of various sports events were felicitated with certificates and medals. House trophy was won by Neer house and Gagan house was the runner-up.

Annual Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm. The event was based on the theme 'Yugantar – Forging a New Era', through which transformation and women empowerment was reflected.

An **Adventure Camp** was successfully conducted on 31st January for students from Pre-Primary to Grade 3. The entire setup was arranged on the school ground, creating an exciting and safe adventure zone for the children.

Various other activities conducted for our tiny tots-

- **Father's Day** was celebrated where the students made greeting cards for their parents.
- **Let's Learn, Laugh & Play — The Parent Way!"**
Parents of pre-primary section were invited to spend a memorable day in school with their children and conduct interesting activities.
- **Diwali Celebration**
A special assembly was conducted by the Pre-Primary section on the occasion of Diwali to showcase the significance of the festival.
- **Seed Bomb Activity – Earth Day Celebration**
As a part of the Earth Day celebration, a fun and engaging Seed Bomb Activity was conducted for the students. The young learners got hands-on experience of making seed bombs using soil, newspaper and seeds of native plants.
- **Rainbow Day Activity**
The school organised Rainbow Day Activity. Teachers introduced the vibrant seven colours of Rainbow.
- **Mini Animal World On Stage- Fancy Dress Activity**
The activity provided the young learners with an engaging platform to showcase their understanding of different animals—domestic, wild, pet, and aquatic animals.

- **भारतीय भाषा उत्सि 2025** प्री-प्राइमरी तबभाग द्वारा 12 तिसंबर 2025 को “भारतीय भाषा उत्सव” का आयोजन “अनेक भाषाएँ, एक भावना” (Many Languages, One Emotion) की थीम पर उत्साहपूर्वक तकया गया।

PROSPECTIVE PLANS

We are on a fast expansion of our school in terms of infrastructure and academic facilities, the construction work has already begun.

All these achievements are not possible without the sincere and dedicated efforts taken by the parents and the teachers. We acknowledge the contribution of P.T.A. and thank them for their support. We congratulate all the students and their parents and wish them luck for the future endeavours.

We whole heartedly thank our school committee chairman Shri. Deodatta Bhishikar Sir and visitor Dr. Ravikant Zirmite Sir for providing invaluable guidance and unflinching support for smooth functioning of the Institute.