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**Vivekanand College, Kolhapur**  
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**Department of Zoology**

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**B.SC. II (MINOR) VISIT TO**  
**'RCSM COLLEGE OF**  
**AGRICULTURE, KOLHAPUR'**  
**(11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025)**

**Academic Year: 2024-2025**

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**Internal Quality Assurance Cell**

**2024-25**

**Quality Initiatives/ Activities Report**



1. **Name of Department:** ZOOLOGY

2. **Name of Organized Activity:** Visit to RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur

3. **Date/ Duration:** 11/03/2025, 10:30 am onwards

4. **Aims and Objectives:**

**Aim:** To create interest among students about insect pests and their management

**Objectives:**

- To provide information about different types of insect pests
- To give information about morphology and life cycle of insect pests
- To acquire knowledge about insect pests management

5. **No. of Beneficiaries:**

Sr. No.	No. of Beneficiaries		Total
	Male	Female	
1	16	42	58

6. **Expenditure & Funding Agency:** NA

7. **Brief Description:**

Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) and IQAC had organized a one day visit of B. Sc. II (Minor) students to RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur as part of their curriculum on Tuesday, 11/03/2025, 10:30 am onwards. Total 58 students attended this visit. The aim of this visit was to deepen the understanding of students regarding insect pests and their scientific management techniques. Firstly, we visited Agricultural Entomology Department. In this department, we explored insect museum, Biopesticide Production Laboratory (Phule Metarizium production), Sericulture Unit and Apiculture Unit. We also visited Animal Husbandary & Dairy Science Research Department where students were demonstrated the preparation of various dairy products such as flavoured milk, curd, lassi, ghee, shrikhand, paneer, kulfi. During this visit, students gained valuable knowledge about various insect pests, their management strategies and processes involved in dairy product preparation. This visit was conducted under the guidance of

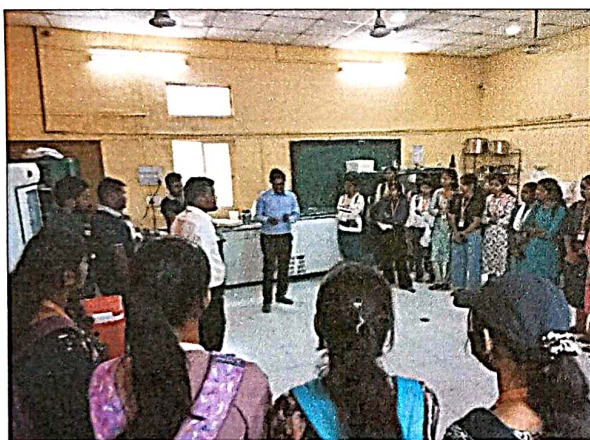
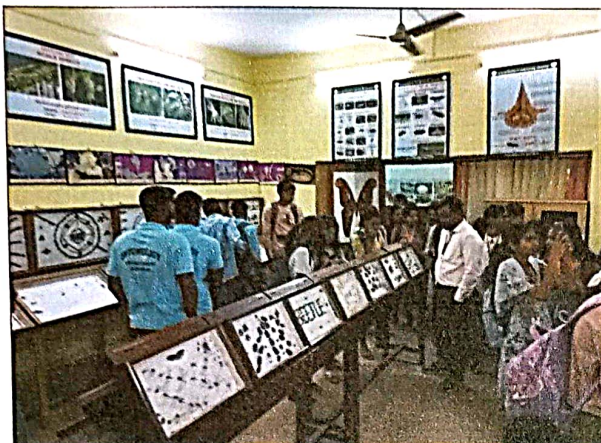


Dr. G. K. Sontakke and was accompanied by Mr. G. H. Fadake, Ms. N. A. Jadhav and Ms. P. R. Gaikwad.

#### 8. Outcomes:


- i. Students got information about different types of insect pests
- ii. Students got information about morphology and life cycle of insect pests
- iii. Students acquired knowledge about insect pests management

#### 9. Photos:



Visit to RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur

#### 10. Signature of Coordinator/ Organizer:

  
 Dr. G. K. Sontakke  
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**PERMISSION LETTER****Date: 10/03/2025**

To,  
The Principal,  
Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous institute)

**Subject:** Regarding the permission for organising visit to the various departments of RSCM College of Agriculture for the students of B. Sc. II

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above subject, the Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous institute), is organizing a visit for the B. Sc. II (Minor) students to various departments of RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur, including Agricultural Entomology, Animal Husbandry & Dairy Science Research, Agronomy (Vermiculture Unit), and Pathology. This visit is scheduled for **Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025** and is a part of the practical syllabus for B. Sc. II students. For that kindly requesting you to grant permission

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

*Guta*

**Dr. G. K. Sontakke**

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*10/03/2025*  
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*11/3/2025*





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M.Sc.,M.Phil.,

Ref. No. VCK/ 2818/2024-25

Date : 10/3/2025

To,

The Associate Dean,

RCSM College of Agriculture,

Kolhapur

**Subject:** Permission to visit your reputed institute

**Respected Sir,**

With reference to above mentioned subject, B. Sc. II (Minor) students of Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute), are interested to visit various Departments - Agricultural Entomology, Animal Husbandary & Dairy Science Research, Agronomy (Vermiculture Unit), Pathology of your reputed institute on Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025. Please grant the permission.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

*Dr. R. R. Kumbhar*

Dr. R. R. Kumbhar

for **PRINCIPAL**  
**VIVEKANAND COLLEGE, KOLHAPUR**  
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O/C

*10/3/25*

Dispatch Clerk to the  
Associate Dean,  
College of Agriculture, Kolhapur

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**Date: 10/03/2025**

### **NOTICE**

All the students of B. Sc. II (Minor) are hereby informed that Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) has organized a visit at RCSM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur on **Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025**.

This visit is part of curriculum, so attendance is compulsory to all.

**Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm**



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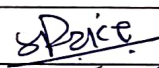


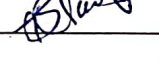
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## NOTICE

It is informed to respected Head of the Departments mentioned below that Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) has organized a visit for B.Sc. II (Zoology Minor) students at RCSI College of Agriculture, Kolhapur on **Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2025 at 10:00 am to 1:00 pm**. Therefore, we kindly request you to grant the permission to the students for the same.

Sr. No.	Head of the Department	Department	Signature
1.	Dr. Shirke S. D.	Chemistry	
2.	Dr. Dangat B. T.	Botany	
3.	Dr. Gaupale T. C.	Microbiology	
4.	MS. Nadaf S. H.	Biotechnology	



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**List of Students**

Sr. No.	Roll No.	Name of the Student
1.	7735	Chavan Akshata Sunil
2.	7737	Kadam Niranjana Sanjay
3.	7738	Kamble Satyajit Shyam
4.	7739	Khandekar Sneha Mahadev
5.	7740	Malvekar Sanika Sambhaji
6.	7741	Mane Sakshi Sudesh
7.	7742	Powar Samruddhi Ramchandra
8.	7844	Kale Siddhi Prakash
9.	7845	Masal Manasi Deepak
10.	7846	Patil Aishwarya Baburao
11.	7847	Sirsat Shravani Amrut
12.	7848	Vibhute Prerana Prakash
13.	7871	Birajdar Aryan Raju
14.	7887	Patil Sakshi Prakash
15.	7893	Sangrulkar Atharv Ramesh
16.	7901	Akkole Poonam Anil
17.	7902	Amane Aditya Avdhut
18.	7903	Bakale Poonam Raju
19.	7904	Bamane Durgesh Baban
20.	7905	Dave Dhruv Govind
21.	7906	Dongare Samruddhi Laxman
22.	7909	Gurav Gouri Vidyasagar
23.	7910	Jadhav Harshali Uttam
24.	7911	Jadhav Prachi Ramesh
25.	7912	Jambhale Rajvardhan Vishwas
26.	7913	Juyera Ilai Khatib
27.	7914	Kadam Kalyani Prakash
28.	7915	Kadatre Manthan Vinay

29.	7916	Kamble Sanika Nagesh
30.	7917	Karalkar Hardik Arun
31.	7918	Kumbhar Rutuja Suresh
32.	7919	Kumbhar Sanika Arun
33.	7920	Mahadik Rajveer Suraj
34.	7922	Marathe Aradhana Satish
35.	7923	Matre Pooja Shankar
36.	7925	Nirankari Taruna Vishnudas
37.	7926	Parit Amruta Eknath
38.	7927	Patil Achal Bhaskar
39.	7928	Patil Janhavi Ashok
40.	7929	Patil Janhavi Nitin
41.	7930	Patil Mrujala Maloji
42.	7931	Patil Priti Pramod
43.	7932	Patil Sanjyoti Ramchandra
44.	7933	Patil Swarup Ramchandra
45.	7934	Patil Vidula Manik
46.	7935	Pawar Samiksha Santosh
47.	7936	Pidwani Disha Jairamdas
48.	7937	Pishte Sanika Vijay
49.	7938	Rode Kaveri Ravindra
50.	7939	Shahapure Anirudha Vijaykumar
51.	7942	Shetti Omkar Vidyasagar
52.	7943	Shinde Janhvi Nitin
53.	7944	Suryavanshi Siddhi Satish
54.	7945	Sutar Dhanashree Rajendra
55.	7946	Swami Sanket Kalayya
56.	7948	Ugave Sanika Kashinath
57.	7966	Divase Tanishka Rahul
58.	7968	Mirgal Atharva Santosh

  
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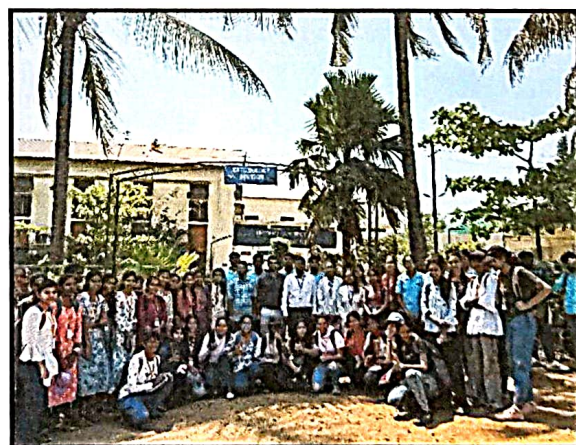
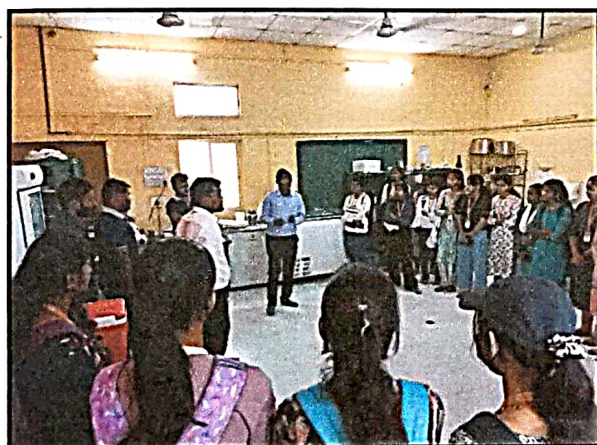
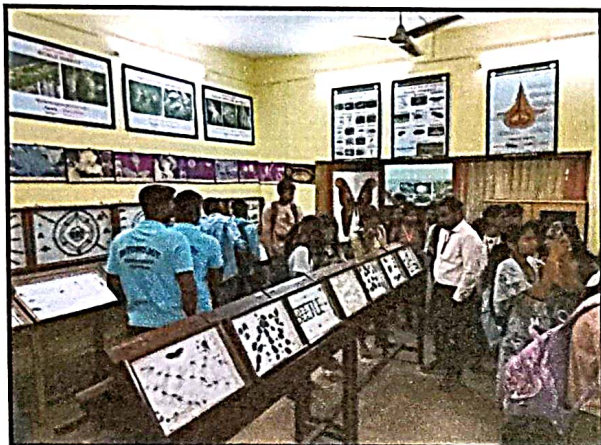
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### **Report on 'Visit to RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur'**

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We reached at RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur at 10:30 am. Firstly, we visited Agricultural Entomology Department. In this department, we explored insect museum which has showcased different types of insect mouthparts, types of antennae, types of insect legs, types of insect wings and various insect species from different orders. Dr. Bagde and their students provided information to our students about these insects. Following this, we visited Biopesticide Production Laboratory (Phule Metarizium production) in the same department where students got stepwise information about biopesticide- Phule Metarizium production from one of the fungi- *Metarhizium anisopliae*. Then we headed to Sericulture Unit. Students were informed about different species of silkworm, life cycle stages, pests of mulberry, pest of silkworm, mulberry diseases, silkworm diseases, etc. Then we also visited Apiculture Unit where students were given an overview of beekeeping practices and the importance of honey bees in agriculture.

After this, we visited Animal Husbandary & Dairy Science Research Department. Dr. D. D. Patange, Assistant Professor, RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur gave us information about Animal Husbandary. He also demonstrated the preparation of various dairy products such as flavoured milk, curd, lassi, ghee, shrikhand, paneer, kulfi. Students had the opportunity to taste these delicious and freshly prepared products, making the experience both informative and enjoyable.

We returned to our college around 2:00 pm after an insightful and enriching visit. Students from our department had the wonderful opportunity to explore the Agricultural Entomology and Animal Husbandry & Dairy Science Research Departments at RSCM College of Agriculture, Kolhapur. During this visit, students gained valuable knowledge about various insect pests, their management strategies and the processes involved in dairy product preparation. This visit was conducted under the guidance of Dr. G. K. Sontakke and was accompanied by Mr. G. H. Fadake, Ms. N. A. Jadhav and Ms. P. R. Gaikwad.



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