



Rashtrapita Mahatma Gandhi Arts, Commerce and Science
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Botany Students Study Tour to Wainganga River, Haran Ghaat
In Collaboration with Botany Club

Date: 10th September 2024

Organized By: Department of Botany

Led By: Prof. D. N. Watakhare, Head, and Dr. Choudhari S.S. Department of Botany

Participants: 32 B.Sc. Botany Students

Introduction:

A study tour was organized on 10th September 2024 for the B.Sc. Botany students to **Wainganga River – Haran Ghaat**, under the guidance of **Prof. D. N. Watakhare**, Head and Dr. Choudhari S.S. of the Department of Botany, Rashtrapita Mahatma Gandhi Arts, Commerce and Science College, Saoli, Dist. Chandrapur. The purpose of the visit was to provide students with field-based exposure to aquatic vegetation, river ecology, and biodiversity.

Objectives:

- To study the flora and ecological characteristics of the Wainganga riverbank.
- To observe aquatic and semi-aquatic plant species in their natural habitat.
- To understand the environmental significance of river ecosystems.
- To promote awareness regarding biodiversity conservation and sustainable practices.

Activities Conducted:

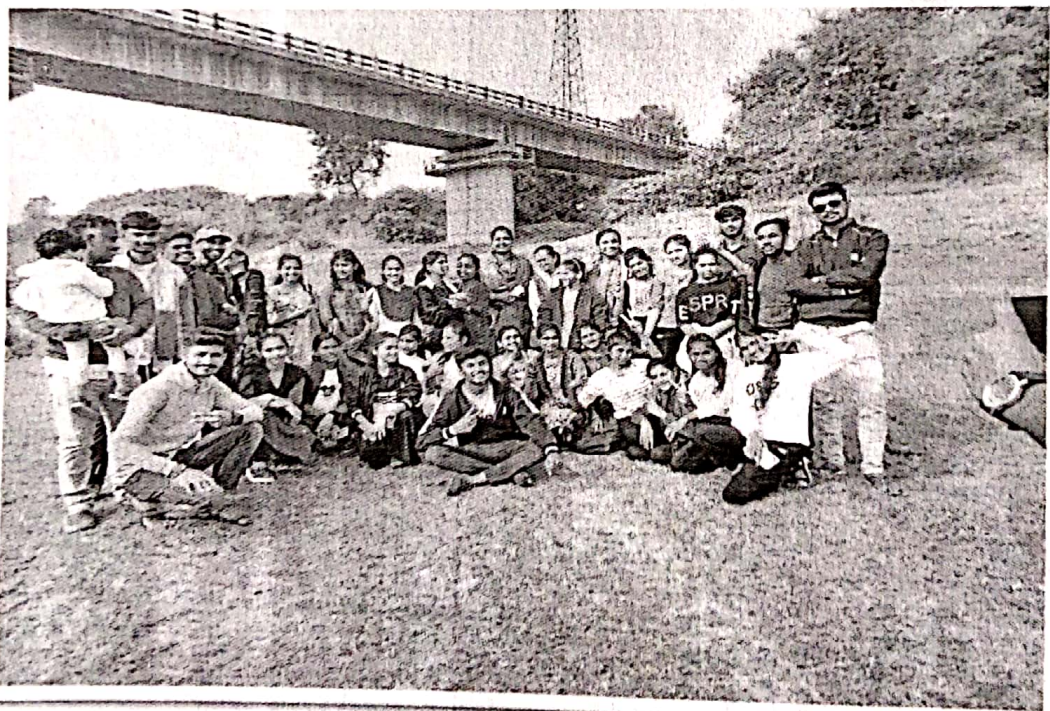
- **Floral Survey:** Students documented various plant species along the riverbank including hydrophytes, riparian herbs, shrubs, and grasses.
- **Ecological Observation:** Attention was given to habitat conditions, water quality indicators, and anthropogenic impact on riverine vegetation.
- **Field Notes & Sample Collection:** Students recorded observations and collected samples of plant materials for further lab study under supervision.
- **Discussion Session:** Prof. D. N. Watakhare explained ecological interactions, species identification, and importance of river ecosystems in sustaining biodiversity.


Outcome:

- Students gained practical knowledge of identifying plant species in the wild.
- They developed an understanding of the dynamic nature of river ecosystems.
- The tour reinforced classroom learning with real-world ecological observation.
- Students became more conscious of environmental conservation needs.

The study tour to Wainganga River – Haran Ghaat was an enriching academic experience for the B.Sc. Botany students. It successfully bridged the gap between theoretical concepts and field application. The Department expresses its gratitude to **Prof. D. N. Watakhare** for his leadership and guidance during the tour.

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