



Shiksha Mandal's
Bajaj College of Science, Wardha
(Autonomous College Affiliated to RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur)



SC/ ST Cell Report 2025-2026

The SC/ST Cell of Bajaj College of Science, Wardha, during the academic year 2025–26, facilitated access to various educational opportunities and support services for students belonging to reserved categories. The Cell created awareness among these students regarding different Central and State Government welfare policies, schemes, and scholarship programs. It also disseminated information about various scholarships offered by the Government of Maharashtra and guided students in availing themselves of these benefits. Through its activities, the Cell worked towards promoting educational inclusion, equal opportunities, and the overall development of students from reserved categories.

During the academic year 2025–26, a total of 60 Scheduled Caste (SC) students were enrolled under the Government of India Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme and received scholarship assistance amounting to ₹8,69,906/-. Similarly, 41 Scheduled Tribe (ST) students were enrolled under the Government of India Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme and received a total scholarship amount of ₹5,16,056/-.

Swadhar Yojana (स्वाधार योजना), a welfare scheme implemented by the Government of Maharashtra for the educational support of Scheduled Caste students, benefited 13 students during the academic year 2025–26.

Swayam Yojana (स्वयं योजना), a scheme aimed at the empowerment and development of women, particularly those belonging to Scheduled Tribes, benefited 11 students during the academic year 2025–26.

15 days Bridge course for B.Sc I newly admitted students before the start of regular classes was organized. Its purpose is to help students to adjust to the college environment, strengthen foundational knowledge, and develop the skills needed for success in higher education. The aim is to bridge the gap between higher secondary education and undergraduate studies, refresh fundamental concepts in core subjects, Improve English communication and basic computer skills, familiarize students with the college curriculum, examination system, and academic regulations, Develop study skills, time management, and critical thinking, build confidence and ease the transition to college life.

Remedial classes taken for slow learner of odd semester from 25th September 2025 to 5th October 2025 and of even semester from 25th February 2026 to 8th March 2026. The **Remedial Classes** as a special academic support sessions were organized for students who need additional help in specific subjects or concepts. The aim is to improve their understanding, strengthen fundamental knowledge, and enhance academic performance.

An awareness program on "Sensitization on Women and Children Rights and Laws" was organized by Equal Opportunity Cell and SC-ST Cell in association with Damini Pathak (दामिनी पथक), Wardha Police (SP Office, Wardha) on Anti Ragging Day, 12th August 2025 at 12:30 PM. The program aimed to educate students about key legal rights and safety measures concerning women and children, and promote a safer, more informed society.

The objectives of the program were to raise awareness about womens' and childrens' rights under Indian law, sensitize students on issues like cybercrime, sexual abuse, and gender-based violence, inform students about government helplines and law enforcement support systems, and promote responsible use of technology and digital safety.

A Haemoglobin and Blood group checkup camp was organized by Equal Opportunity cell and SC-ST cell on 8th January 2026 at 2:00 pm. The objective was to promote health awareness, early detection of anaemia, and knowledge of individual blood groups, to encourage preventive healthcare practices and

The Alumni Association of Bajaj College of Science, Wardha organized an **Awareness Program and Interactive Session on "Stress Management"** in association with Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC) and SC-ST Cell on 26th February 2026 at 2:30 pm in Damle Library Hall. The program was conducted with the objective of creating awareness among students about stress, its causes, and effective strategies to manage it in order to maintain mental well-being and achieve academic success.

The program was graced by the presence of Prof. P.V. Tekade, Principal, Bajaj College of Science, Wardha, guest speaker, Dr. Rupali Sarode, Clinical Psychologist, Anandam Psychological Counseling Clinic, Wardha, Dr. Jayant Makrande, President, Alumni Association of Bajaj College of Science, Wardha, Ex-President- Mr. Prakash Kataria.

The **International Women's Day** was celebrated **"To Recognise the Contribution of Women Entrepreneurs and Innovators"** at Bajaj College of Science, Wardha on 9th March 2026 at 1:00 p.m. by the Alumni Association, BCS, Wardha, Equal Opportunity Cell (EOC) and SC-ST Cell. The event was conducted via online mode to recognize and celebrate the contribution of women entrepreneurs and innovators.

The program started with the inaugural speech of **Principal, Prof. P. V. Tekade**. In his speech, he extended his warm wishes to everyone on the occasion of International Women's Day. He appreciated the efforts of the organizing committees for arranging such a meaningful program and congratulated the guest speaker for sharing her valuable experiences.

The guest speaker of the program was **Ms. Trupti Dhakate, Proprietor at Quality Mushroom Farm, Pune** and an alumnus of Bajaj College of Science, Wardha. She delivered an inspiring talk based on the theme **"Recognizing the Contribution of Women Entrepreneurs and Innovators"**. During her session, she shared her personal journey in the field of mushroom cultivation and explained how she started her entrepreneurial venture. She also highlighted the economic opportunities and self-employment possibilities in mushroom farming, especially for women and young entrepreneurs. Her talk was very informative and motivational for the students who are interested in starting their own ventures.

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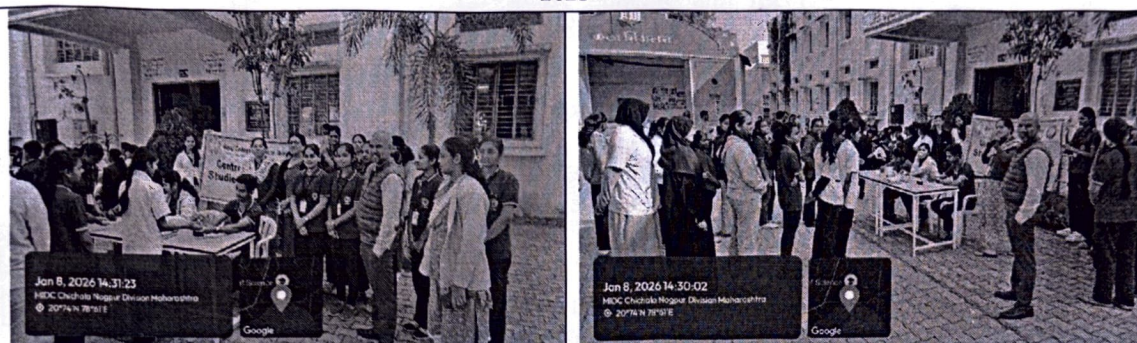

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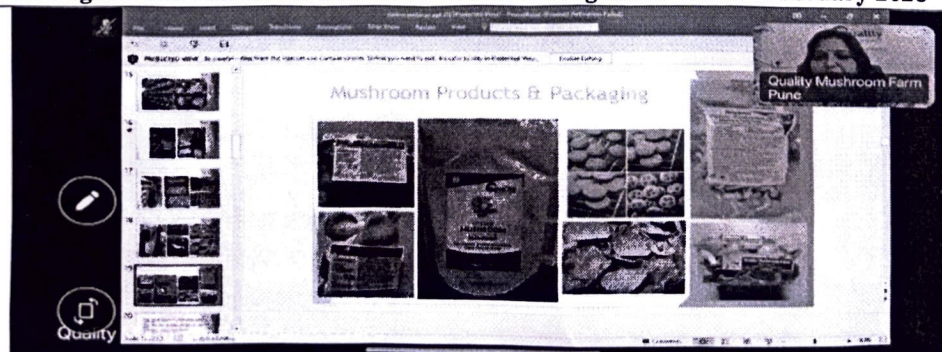
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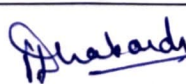


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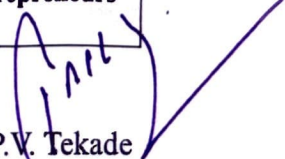


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