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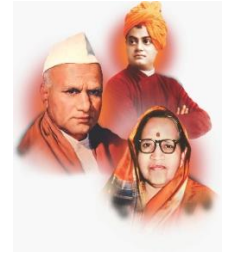
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INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE

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2026-27

Quality Initiatives/ Activities Report



1. **Name of Department:** NSS
2. **Name of Organized Activity:** 'A Bond of Friendship with Nature'
3. **Date/ Duration:** 2nd August, 2026
4. **Aims and Objectives:**
 1. To create awareness among the volunteers of a sense of love, respect, and emotional connection towards nature.
 2. To encourage them to actively participate in environmental conservation and in maintaining ecological balance.
5. **No. of beneficiaries:** 35 NSS volunteers from Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)
6. **Expenditure & funding agency/collaborators:** Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)
7. **Brief description:**

On the occasion of Friendship Day, the National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit of Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) celebrated the day with a unique and meaningful environmental initiative by dedicating friendship bands to the trees on the college campus on 2nd August, 2026. Through this innovative activity, NSS volunteers conveyed the message that trees are our lifelong companions that silently nurture and sustain life. The celebration transformed Friendship Day into an occasion to express gratitude towards nature and reaffirm the responsibility of protecting the environment.

8. Outcomes:

1. The activity strengthened the emotional bond between students and nature.
2. They developed greater awareness about the significance of trees and environmental sustainability.
3. NSS volunteers were motivated to take further initiatives for environmental protection.

9. Photos: Participation of NSS Volunteers and staff in ‘A Bond of Friendship with Nature’ Activity



10. Signatures of coordinator/ organizer: