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List of Medicinal Plants

Sr. No	Marathi Name	English Name	Biological Source	Family	NOS
1	अडुळसा	Malabar Nut	<i>Justicia adhatoda</i>	Acanthaceae	1
2	अर्जुन	Arjuna	<i>Terminalia arjuna</i>	Combretaceae	1
3	आंबा	Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i>	Anacardiaceae	26
4	आपटा	Indian kino tree	<i>Bauhinia racemosa</i>	Fabaceae	1
5	अशोका	Ashoka tree	<i>Saraca asoca</i>	Fabaceae	12
6	उंबर	Cluster fig	<i>Ficus racemosa</i>	Moraceae	1
7	एरंड	Castor	<i>Ricinus communis</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
8	कडुलिंब	Neem	<i>Azadiracta indica</i>	Meliaceae	5
9	कढीपत्ता	Curry leaf	<i>Murraya koenigii</i>	Rutaceae	1
10	कर्दळ	Yellow/Red/White canna	<i>Canna indica</i>	Cannaceae	1
11	कांचन	Orchid tree	<i>Bauhinia variegata</i>	Fabaceae	1
12	काजू	Cashew	<i>Anacardium occidentale</i>	Anacardiaceae	1
13	काटेसावर	Silk cotton tree	<i>Bombax ceiba</i>	Malvaceae	1
14	कदंब	Kadamba	<i>Neolamarckia cadamba</i>	Rubiaceae	4
15	करंज	Karanj	<i>Pongamia pinnata</i>	Fabaceae	1
16	करवंद	Karonda	<i>Carissa carandus</i>	Apocynaceae	1
17	कोरफड	Aloe vera	<i>Aloe barbadensis</i>	Liliaceae	1
18	कुसरवेल	Morning glory	<i>Ipomoea quamoclit</i>	Convolvulaceae	1
19	कुसुम	Seylon oak/Kusum	<i>Schleichera oleosa</i>	Sapindaceae	1
20	खस	Vetiver/Khus	<i>Chrysopogon zizanioides</i>	Poaceae	1
21	घायपात	Indian Borage	<i>Plectranthus amboinicus</i>	Lamiaceae	1
22	गवती चहा	Gawati chaha	<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i>	Poaceae	1
23	गोंदण	Sensitive plant	<i>Mimosa pudica</i>	Fabaceae	1
24	गुड्वेल	Giloy	<i>Tinospora cordifolia</i>	Menispermaceae	1
25	चाफा	Frangipani	<i>Plumeria rubra</i>	Apocynaceae	8
26	जंगली लहसून	Wild garlic	<i>Allium vineale</i>	Amaryllidaceae	1
27	जांभूळ	Black plum	<i>Syzygium cumini</i>	Myrtaceae	4



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28	जमालगोटा	Purging croton	<i>Croton tiglium</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
29	जास्वंद	Hibiscus	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Malvaceae	3
30	झुंबरवेल	Flame vine	<i>Pyrostegia venusta</i>	Bignoniaceae	1
31	झेंडू	Marigold	<i>Tagetes patula</i>	Asteraceae	1
32	टीबेर	Ibora, Black afara	<i>Terminalia ivorensis</i>	Combretaceae	4
33	तुळस राम	Ram tulsi	<i>Ocimum sanctum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
34	तुळस श्याम	Shyam Tulsi	<i>Ocimum sanctum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
35	तुळस कापूर	Kapur Tulas	<i>Ocimum kilimandscharium</i>	Lamiaceae	1
36	तुळस रान	Ran Tulas	<i>Ocimum gratissimum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
37	धतुरा	Thorn apple	<i>Datura metel</i>	Solanaceae	2
38	नारळ	Coconut	<i>Cocos nucifera</i>	Arecaceae	20
39	निवडुंग	Cactus	<i>Opuntia elatior</i>	Cactaceae	1
40	निर्गुंडी काळी	Nirgundi	<i>Vitex negundo</i>	Lamiaceae	1
41	निर्गुंडी पांढरी	Nirgundi	<i>Vitex negundo</i>	Lamiaceae	3
42	पपई	papaya	<i>Carica papaya</i>	Passifloraceae	1
43	पानफुटी	Bryophyllum	<i>Bryophyllum pinnatum</i>	Crassulaceae	1
44	पारिजातक	Night Jasmine	<i>Nyctanthes arbor-tristis</i>	Oleaceae	1
45	पिवळा बहावा	Golden shower	<i>assia fistula</i>	Fabaceae	1
46	पिंपळ	Sacred fig	<i>Ficus religiosa</i>	Moraceae	4
47	पेरू	Guava	<i>Psidium guajava</i>	Myrtaceae	4
48	पळस	Palash	<i>Butea monosperma</i>	Fabaceae	1
49	पुदिना	Mint, Mentha	<i>Mentha piperita</i>	Labiatae	1
50	पुत्रजीवा	Indian amulant plant	<i>Putranjiva roxburghii</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
51	फणस	Jackfruit	<i>Artocarpus heterophyllus</i>	Moraceae	2
52	बकुळ	Bullet wood	<i>Mimusops elengi.</i>	Sapotaceae	5
53	बदाम	Almond	<i>Prubus dulcis</i>	Rosaceae	5
54	बावची	Bebchi, Purple fleabane	<i>Psoralea corylifolia</i>	Fabaceae	1
55	बेल	Bael	<i>Aegle marmelos</i>	Rutaceae	3
56	बेहडा	Bedda nut	<i>Terminalia bellirica</i>	Combretaceae	3
57	बीब्बा	Beet,	<i>Beta vulgaris</i>	Amaranthaceae	1
58	बोर	Ber, Ber fruit	<i>Ziziphus mauritiana</i>	Rhamnaceae	3



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59	महाकुंग	Punarnava,	<i>Boerhavia diffusa</i>	Apocynaceae	1
60	महारुख	Tree of heaven	<i>Ailanthus excelsa</i>	Simaroubaceae	1
61	मोठा पांगारा	Indian Coral tree	<i>Erythrina indica</i>	Fabaceae	1
62	मोह	Hmoh, Mahua tree	<i>Madhuca longifolia</i>	Sapotaceae	1
63	मोरपंखी	Thuja, Vidya	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	Cupressaceae	21
64	मेहंदी	Henna	<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>	Lythraceae	3
65	रक्तचंदन	Red sandalwood	<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	Fabaceae	1
66	रान कांदा	Wild onion	<i>Allium sativum</i>	Liliaceae	1
67	राय आवळा	Indian Gooseberry	<i>Phyllanthus emblica</i>	Phyllanthaceae	1
68	रीठा	Reetha, Soaproot	<i>Sapindus mukorossi</i>	Sapindaceae	1
69	रूई	Rui	<i>Calotropis procera</i>	Apocynaceae	1
70	लाल बहावा	Golden shower tree	<i>Cassia fistula</i>	Fabaceae	1
71	लिंबू	Lemon	<i>Citrus limon</i>	Rutaceae	3
72	सप्तपर्णी	Devil's/Blackboard tree	<i>Alstonia scholaris</i>	Apocynaceae	9
73	सदाफुली	Periwinkle	<i>Catharanthus roseus</i>	Apocynaceae	2
74	सागवान	Teak	<i>Tectona grandis</i>	Lamiaceae	1
75	सागरगोटी	Sea Bean / Nickernut	<i>Caesalpinia bonduc</i>	Fabaceae	1
76	संत्री	Orange	<i>Citrus sinensis</i>	Rutaceae	2
77	सुपारी	Areca nut	<i>Areca catechu</i>	Arecaceae	1
78	सीताफल	Custard apple	<i>Annona squamosa</i>	Annonaceae	8
79	शतावरी	Asparagus	<i>Asparagus racemosus</i>	Asparagaceae	1
80	शिवण	Gamhar	<i>Gmelina arborea</i>	Lamiaceae	1
81	शिसम	Indian Rosewood	<i>Dalbergia sissoo Roxb.</i>	Fabaceae	4
82	शिकाकाई	Soap pod	<i>Acacia concinna</i>	Fabaceae	1
83	शिरीष	Siris/Lebeck tree	<i>Albizia lebeck</i>	Fabaceae	1
84	शेंद्री	Annato, Sindoor	<i>Bixa orellana</i>	Bixaceae	1
85	शेवगा	Drumstick/ Moringa	<i>Moringa oleifera</i>	Moringaceae	1
86	हळद	Turmeric	<i>Curcuma longa</i>	Zingiberaceae	1
87	हळदीकुंकू	Scarlet Cordia	<i>Cordia sebestena</i>	Boraginaceae	1
88	हाडजोड	Hadjod	<i>Cissus quadrangula</i>	Vitaceae	1

“Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam” Plantation Program

by DRGCOPM Medicinal Plant Garden Committee





Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur,



Annual Report



Medicinal Plant Garden Committee



Incharge
Prof. Vikas N. Ghait
(Academic Year 2025-2026)

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1. Introduction

The Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur serves as a dynamic center for education, research, conservation, and environmental awareness. Established in 2005 and spread across 15,000 sq. ft., the garden presently houses 85 medicinal plant species and more than 285 plants, providing a rich resource for students, faculty, researchers, and visitors. The garden functions as a living laboratory that bridges theoretical and practical learning in Pharmacognosy through direct exposure to medicinal and aromatic plants, crude drugs, and traditional herbal knowledge.

During the academic year 2025–26, the Medicinal Plant Garden Committee undertook several initiatives for garden development, digital transformation, biodiversity conservation, and student engagement. Major activities included land preparation, procurement and plantation of rare medicinal species, installation of a protective boundary, maintenance and beautification of the garden, and implementation of QR code-based digital information systems for all plant species. The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden was inaugurated on 2 February 2026, reflecting the institution's commitment to innovation and the vision of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047.

The committee also organized educational and outreach activities such as Ranbhaji Mahotsav, Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Visits, participation in the Government's Amrutvrush Campaign, and guided tours for students, parents, academicians, healthcare professionals, industry representatives, and government officials. The garden received appreciation from inspection teams of PCI, MSBTE, and University Autonomy Committees, along with significant media coverage. Through these efforts, the Medicinal Plant Garden has strengthened experiential learning, promoted medicinal plant conservation, encouraged research aptitude, and enhanced environmental sustainability within the institution and the community.

2. Title of the Practice

Development and Maintenance of Medicinal Plant Garden.

3. Objectives of the Committee

- To maintain and develop the medicinal plant garden.
- To cultivate rare and endangered medicinal plants.
- To support practical teaching in Pharmacognosy.
- To create awareness about traditional medicinal systems.
- To encourage research and conservation practices.

4. Need of the Project

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden was established to bridge the gap between theoretical and practical learning in Pharmacognosy. It provides students with direct exposure to medicinal plants, enhancing their identification and understanding skills.

The project also integrates digital technology through QR codes, promoting smart and self-directed learning. Additionally, it encourages research aptitude, conservation awareness, and aligns with the vision of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047.

5. Outcomes of the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden

- Provides practical learning of medicinal plants for students.
- Integrates digital technology through QR code-based information access.
- Enhances research, documentation, and scientific skills.
- Promotes awareness of medicinal plant conservation.
- Strengthens institutional innovation and supports Digital India initiatives.

6. Committee Structure

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Position
1	Dr. Prashant. K. Deshmukh	Principal	Chairperson
2	Prof. Vikas N. Ghait	Assistant Professor	Incharge
3	Prof. Karan S. Gayakwad	Assistant Professor	Faculty member
4	Poonam S. Harne	Student	Student member
5	Pratik G. Datir	Student	Student member



7. Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Infrastructure Details

Sr. No	Particulars	Details
1	Total garden area	15000 Sq. ft.
2	Length of garden	150 ft.
3	Width of garden	100 ft.
4	Pathway length	7×120 ft.
5	Kaman height	7 ft.
6	Entry Gate Height	5.5 ft.
7	Partition Length & Height	150×5 ft.
8	Name List Board	6.5×4 ft.
9	Number of Medicinal Plant Species	85
10	Total Number of Plants	285* (Including premises)
11	QR code enabled plants	85
12	Irrigation Facility	Manual+ Hybrid
13	Education Features	QR codes, Name Plates, Digital Information System
14	Year of establishment	2005

8. Action Plan (Academic Year 2025-2026)

SR. NO	TASK	TENTATIVE SCHEDULE	OBJECTIVES
1.	Planning and Preparation - Conduct garden inspection and status. - Prepare list of plants and procurement sources (Nursery, Colleges).	June-July (2025)	To inspect the garden status and plan for plant procurement by preparing a list of required species and sourcing options.
2.	Cultivation and Maintenance - Plantation of new medicinal species. - Regular watering, weeding and natural pest control. - Install a protective net around the garden to safeguard plants and make the boundary.	Aug-Oct (2025)	To ensure healthy growth of medicinal plants through proper plantation, routine care, and installation of protective measures for garden safety and structure.
3.	Preparation of Vermi compost - Build composition unit and procure earthworms. - Use Vermi compost in garden plants	Nov-Dec (2025)	To set up a Vermi compost unit for converting organic waste into natural fertilizer and utilize it to enhance soil quality and plant health in the garden.
4.	Awareness and Outreach - Promotes eco-friendly practices such as garden waste recycling, composting. - Beautify garden using painted waste tyres. - Implement QR/barcoding for each plant.	Jan-Mar (2026)	To promote environmental awareness through sustainable practices like waste recycling, composting, garden beautification with reused materials, and plant barcoding for educational value.
5.	Evaluation and Reporting - Review plant health and maintain garden structures. - Submit annual report with photos and activity records.	Apr-May (2026)	To assess overall garden condition, ensure maintenance of structures, and document progress through a comprehensive annual report with supporting photos and records.

9. Meeting and Discussion

Sr. No	Meeting Agenda	Date
1.	Initial strategic meeting & plantation	27 June 2025
2.	Installation of protective net	24 Sept. 2025
3.	Digitization of garden and inauguration	16 Jan. 2026
4.	Preparation of Vermi compost & tiers designing	25 Apr. 2026
5.	Review of plant health, documentation and submit report	25 Jun. 2026

10. Activities Conducted During the Year (2025-26)

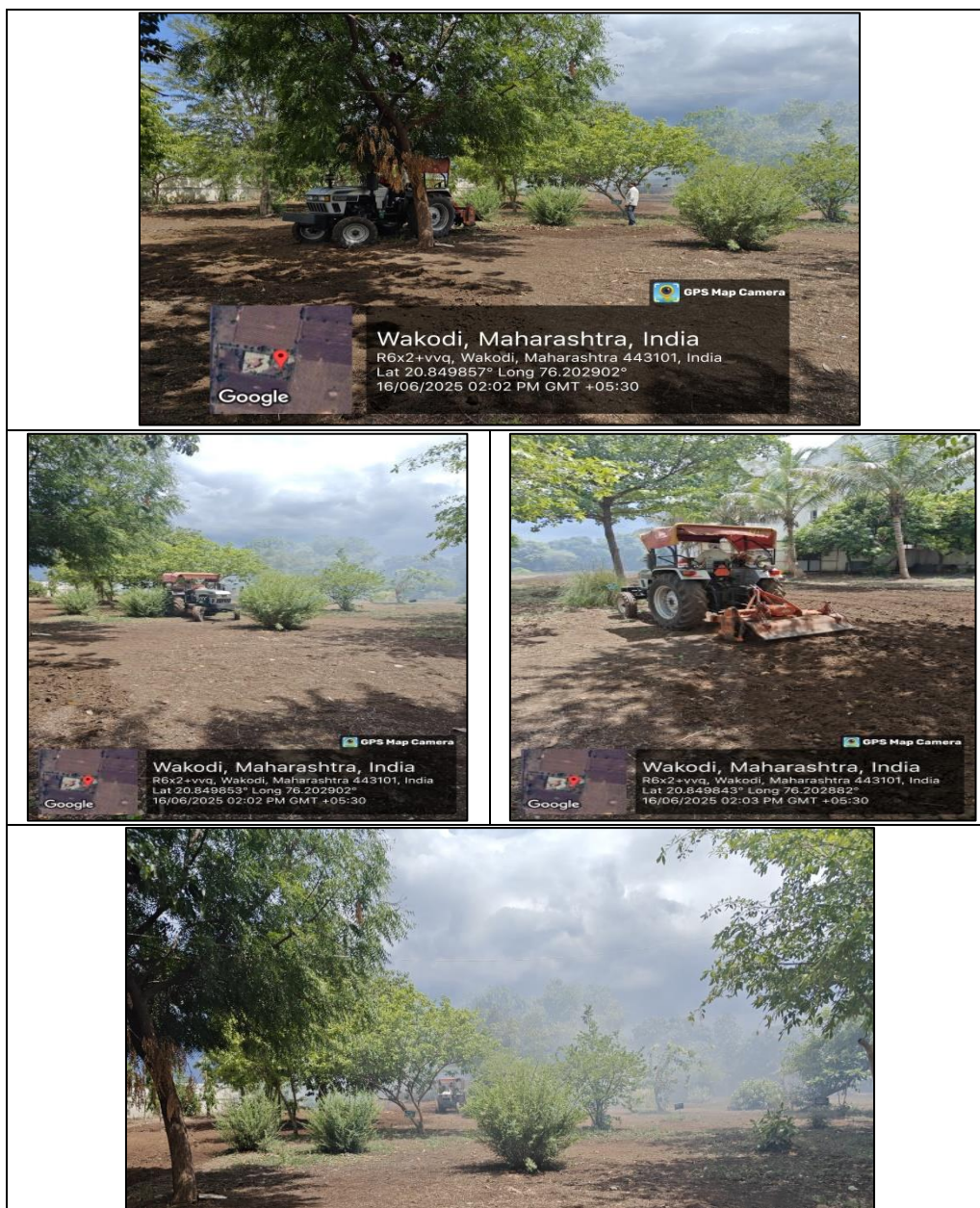
1. Planning and Land Preparation - Cleaning of the garden area - Branch cutting and pruning - Soil leveling - Tractor work including tiller operation, rotavator use, and soil erosion control	2. Plantation and Development - Procurement of medicinal plant species - Plantation of selected plants - Garden structure development and arrangement - Set of protective net and make boundry.
3. Maintenance and Care - Regular watering schedule - Maintenance and pest control measures - Periodic review of plant health - Structural maintenance of the garden	4. Digital Integration - Preparation and installation of QR codes for each plant - Maintenance and recoloring and naming of plants nameplates.
5. Institutional and Environmental Initiatives - Promotion of eco-friendly practices - Inauguration of the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden	6. Documentation and Reporting - Systematic documentation of activities - Preparation and submission of the annual/project report

11. Cleaning and Land Preparation

At the initial stage, the garden area was thoroughly cleaned to remove unwanted weeds, debris, and dry plant material. Branch cutting and pruning were carried out to maintain plant health and improve sunlight exposure. Soil leveling was done to ensure proper drainage and systematic plantation layout. Tractor-based operations such as tilling, rotavator use, and soil conditioning were performed to enhance soil fertility and prevent erosion.

➤ **Timeline:** 16th June 2025

➤ **Photose:**



12. Procurement of medicinal plants

On 10 July 2025, Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy purchased 45 high-quality and rare plants from 14 Trees Foundation Nursery. The nursery is known for providing healthy and valuable plant species for environmental conservation and greenery development. The foundation also offered plants at discounted rates, supporting educational institutions in promoting sustainable and eco-friendly initiatives through plantation and biodiversity conservation activities.

- **Timeline:** 10th July 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure I
- **Photose:**



13. "Ek Ped Maa ke Naam" Plantation program

Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy organized a tree plantation program titled "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" under the joint initiative of the NSS Unit and Medicinal Plant Garden Committee. The program aimed to promote environmental protection, medicinal plant awareness, and eco-consciousness among students and staff. The event highlighted inspiring messages such as "One tree is the support for thousands of dreams" and "Plant Trees, Save Lives," emphasizing the importance of trees in maintaining ecological balance, providing clean air, and supporting overall well-being.

- **Timeline:** 16th July 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure II
- **Photos:**



14. Installation of protective net and boundary

To ensure the safety and proper maintenance of the medicinal plant garden a strong protective iron net boundary with supporting poles was installed around the garden area. All entry points were securely closed, and a double-gate iron door with chain lock and above half circle kaman was fitted for controlled access. Additionally, a framed banner displaying the plant name list with coloring was installed for educational awareness, along with a waste bin support system to maintain cleanliness and promote environmental responsibility within the garden

➤ **Timeline:** 13th Oct. 2025

➤ **Photos:**



15. Plant Stem colouring and decoration (Name plate & Board)

The medicinal garden plants were treated with traditional geru and chuna coloring to help prevent fungal infections and protect the plants. The lower one-foot portion above ground level was coated with white chuna, while the middle section was painted with geru. In addition, several plant name plates were repaired, repainted, and rewritten with botanical names (B.S.) and family details. The garden entry board was also redesigned and repainted to improve the overall appearance and educational value of the garden.

➤ **Timeline:** 24th Nov. 2025

➤ **Photose:**



16. Digitization of plants

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy consists of more than 85+ diverse medicinal plant species. Each plant is equipped with a unique QR code, allowing easy access to detailed digital information about its medicinal uses and botanical details. Developed in alignment with the visions of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047, the initiative encourages technology-driven learning, environmental awareness, and research aptitude among students. All QR codes and plant information were collected and prepared by students, reflecting their innovative ideas and active participation.

- **Timeline:** 27th Dec. 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure III
- **Photose:**



17. Inauguration program

On 02nd Feb. 2026: The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy was inaugurated by President Shri. Yogendraji Gode and MLA Shri. Chainsukhji Sancheti. The initiative reflects the integration of digital technology with experiential pharmacy education. The project was completed under the guidance of Miss Tanvi Gode Mam, Dr. P. K. Deshmukh, and Dr. V. S. Adhao, with support from teaching and non-teaching staff.

- **Timeline:** 02nd Feb. 2026
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure III
- **Photose:**



18. Awareness and Outreach activities

19. Ranbhaji Mahotstav (रानभाजी महोत्सव):

On 26 September 2025, the Wild Vegetable Festival was successfully organized at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur by the Department of Pharmacognosy, Medicinal Plant Garden, and NSS. Around 35 varieties of wild vegetables were exhibited. Students explained their local and scientific names, medicinal importance, and uses, attracting enthusiastic participation and appreciation. Total 125 students were participated in this program.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure IV

➤ **Objective of Program**

- To create awareness about wild edible vegetables and their importance.
- To promote knowledge of medicinal and nutritional values of wild plants.
- To conserve traditional food and ethnobotanical heritage.
- To enhance students' scientific and communication skills.
- To encourage sustainable use of local plant resources.

➤ **Photose:**



➤ **Outputs of Ranbhaji Mahotsav**

- Exhibition of approximately 35 varieties of wild edible vegetables.
- Enhanced awareness regarding nutritional and medicinal benefits.
- Improved knowledge of local and scientific names of indigenous plants.
- Active student participation and development of presentation skills.
- Promotion of traditional food culture and conservation of local biodiversity.

20. Medicinal Garden Class Visit:

The Department of Pharmacognosy at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur organized a pedagogical activity titled “Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Visit” for B. Pharm Second Year students on 10 and 12 March 2026. The activity aimed to enhance practical knowledge of medicinal plants through experiential learning. Students explored various medicinal and aromatic plants, organized and unorganized crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species under the guidance of Prof. V. N. Ghait. QR code-based digital learning enabled students to access scientific and medicinal information about plants. A total of 102 students participated and benefited from the field-based learning experience.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure V

➤ **Objective of Program**

- i) To enhance practical knowledge of medicinal and aromatic plants.
- ii) To provide experiential learning through field-based education.
- iii) To familiarize students with crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species.
- iv) To promote digital learning using QR code-based plant information systems.
- v) To bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical identification.



➤ **Outputs Medicinal Garden Class Visit**

- i) Improved identification skills of medicinal and aromatic plants among students.
- ii) Enhanced understanding of crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species.
- iii) Effective utilization of QR code-based digital learning resources.
- iv) Strengthened practical and field-based learning experience.
- v) Active participation of 102 students in experiential learning activities.

21. Registration on Government Amrutvrksh) अमृतवृक्ष(App

The Medicinal Plant Garden Committee actively participated in the Government's Amrutvrksh (अमृतवृक्ष) Campaign. As part of Stage 1 of the initiative, registration was successfully completed on the Amrutvrksh App on 11 September 2025. The participation reflects the institution's commitment to environmental conservation, tree plantation, and sustainable development. Through this initiative, the committee contributed to the government's green mission "१० कोटी वृक्ष लागवड (२०२५ पावसाळा)" and promoted awareness regarding the importance of biodiversity and ecological balance among students and stakeholders.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure VI

➤ **Photose:**

22. Visitors Garden Tour

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has been visited and appreciated by students, parents, social workers, doctors, healthcare professionals, academicians, industry representatives, and Health Department officers. Visitors gained knowledge about medicinal plants, their uses, and health benefits. The QR code-based digital learning system attracted special attention and enhanced the learning experience. The initiative successfully promoted awareness of medicinal plant conservation, herbal medicine, and traditional knowledge.

➤ Photose:



23. Inspection by various committee

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has been highly appreciated by visiting teams from the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), Maharashtra State Board of Technical Education, University Autonomy Committees, and Government officials. Visitors praised the innovative integration of medicinal plant conservation with digital technology, recognizing it as an excellent initiative that enhances experiential learning and supports quality pharmacy education.

Sr. No.	Inspection Committee	Date of Inspection
1.	Maharashtra State Board of Technical Education (MSBTE)	23 March 2026
2.	SGBAU University Autonomy Committee	04 March 2026
3.	Pharmacy Council of India (PCI)	09 March 2026

24. Media Coverage

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has received significant media attention. Various print and electronic media have covered major activities such as plantation drives, Ranbhaji Mahotsav, and the garden inauguration program. Local and regional media representatives have visited the garden to learn about its unique features and educational value. Their coverage has helped create awareness about medicinal plants, environmental conservation, and the innovative learning initiatives undertaken by the college.

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मार्गदर्शनाखाली विद्यार्थ्यांनी विविध ओषधीं वनस्पतींची ओळख, माहिती संकलन व नोंदणी केली, उद्योगाच्या प्रगतीस विकास व देखभालासाठी फांद्यांची छाटणी, तणनिवारी, स्वच्छता, छाट्टे तयार करणे तसेच एकूण व्यवस्थापनाची जबाबदारी उद्यान सेवक श्रीकृष्ण केली यांनी पार पाडली. हा उपक्रम योग्यतेने चालू देणे आणि

25. Challenges Faced

- Seasonal plant loss due to natural calamities (Floods, cyclones, temperature, etc.)
- Water management issues
- Fungue infection & Pest control



26. Achievements

- ✓ Increased medicinal plant diversity from 39 to 88 species through plantation and conservation efforts.
- ✓ Developed a QR code-enabled Digital Medicinal Plant Garden for smart learning.
- ✓ Digitized information for 85 medicinal plant species with instant mobile access.
- ✓ Enhanced practical learning through Digital Medicinal Plant Garden visits for students.
- ✓ Organized Ranbhaji Mahotsav to promote awareness of wild edible and medicinal plants.
- ✓ Improved garden infrastructure through protective fencing, gates, board, Kaman & name plates.
- ✓ Received appreciation from PCI, MSBTE, University Autonomy Committees.
- ✓ Promoted medicinal plant conservation, environmental awareness, and Digital India initiatives through various activities.

27. Future Planning

- Plantation of more rare medicinal and wild plants.
- Development of vertical gardening.
- Establishment of a vermicompost unit.
- Herbal plant nursery development.
- Eco-friendly awareness programs with farmer societies.
- Beautification of the garden and campus.
- Research-based documentation of medicinal plants.

28. Conclusion

The Medicinal Plant Garden Committee has successfully contributed to academic excellence, practical learning, research awareness, and environmental sustainability throughout the academic year. The garden has served as a valuable educational resource by providing hands-on exposure to medicinal and aromatic plants, crude drugs, and traditional herbal knowledge. Activities such as the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden, plantation drives, educational visits, and awareness programs have enriched student learning and promoted biodiversity conservation. The garden has received appreciation from students, academicians, healthcare professionals, industry representatives, and visitors. The committee remains committed to further strengthening conservation, research, and community engagement initiatives in the coming years.



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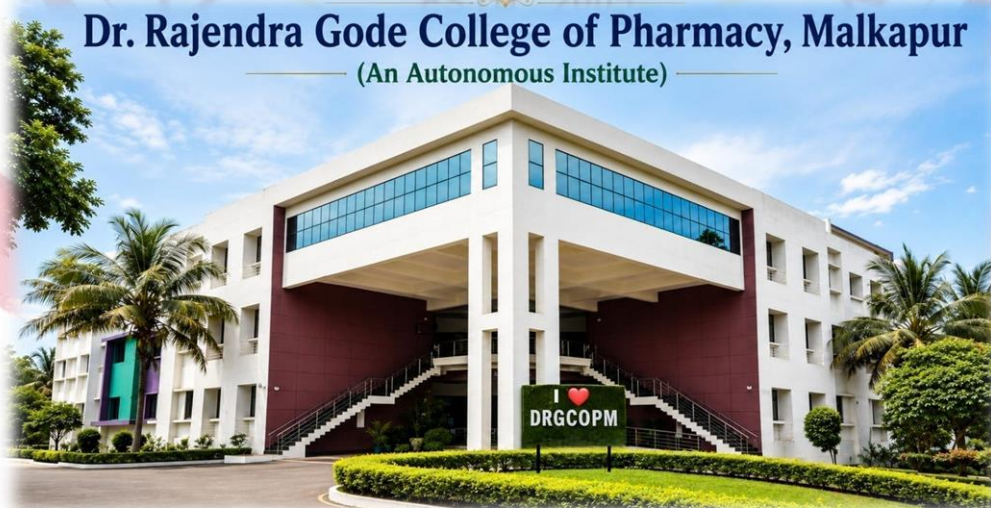
At **Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur, An Autonomous Institute**, is a well-maintained learning and research facility developed for students, teachers and visitors. The garden serves as a living laboratory where students can learn about medicinal plants, their identification, cultivation, traditional uses and pharmacognostic characteristics through practical exposure.

At present, the garden has more than **93+ medicinal plant species**, including herbs, shrubs, climbers and trees. It provides a peaceful natural environment for academic learning, research activities and awareness about medicinal plants and their importance in traditional systems of medicine, particularly Ayurveda. To make the garden more informative and student-friendly, a **Digital QR Code System** has been established. QR codes are provided for medicinal plants, enabling students and visitors to access plant-related information digitally. This initiative connects practical Pharmacognosy education with modern digital technology and encourages students to explore plant information independently.

As part of the college's focus on sustainability and environmental responsibility, a **Vermi compost Plant** has also been established in the Medicinal Plant Garden and is currently functional. The unit helps convert suitable organic waste into nutrient-rich vermi compost, which can be utilized for the maintenance and cultivation of plants in the garden. It also provides students with practical understanding of organic waste management, natural fertilizers, soil health and sustainable gardening practices.

The Medicinal Plant Garden continues to develop as an educational, research and sustainability-oriented facility. Through plant cultivation, digital documentation, practical learning and vermicomposting activities, it provides students with meaningful hands-on experience and promotes awareness about medicinal plant conservation and sustainable practices.

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• **Committee Structure**

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Position
1	Dr. Prashant. K. Deshmukh	Principal	Chairperson
2	Prof. Vikas N. Ghait	Assistant Professor	Incharge
3	Poonam S. Harne	Student	Student member
4	Pratik G. Datir	Student	Student member

• **Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Infrastructure Details**

Sr. No	Particulars	Details
1	Total garden area	15000 Sq. ft.
2	Length of garden	150 ft.
3	Width of garden	100 ft.
4	Pathway length	7×120 ft.
5	Kaman height	7 ft.
6	Entry Gate Height	5.5 ft.
7	Partition Length & Height	150×5 ft.
8	Name List Board	6.5×4 ft.
9	Number of Medicinal Plant Species	93+
10	Total Number of Plants	285* (Including premises)
11	QR code enabled plants	85
12	Irrigation Facility	Manual+ Hybrid
13	Education Features	QR codes, Name Plates, Digital Information System
14	Vermi Compost Plant	6×4×2 ft. (Operational)
15	Year of establishment	2005



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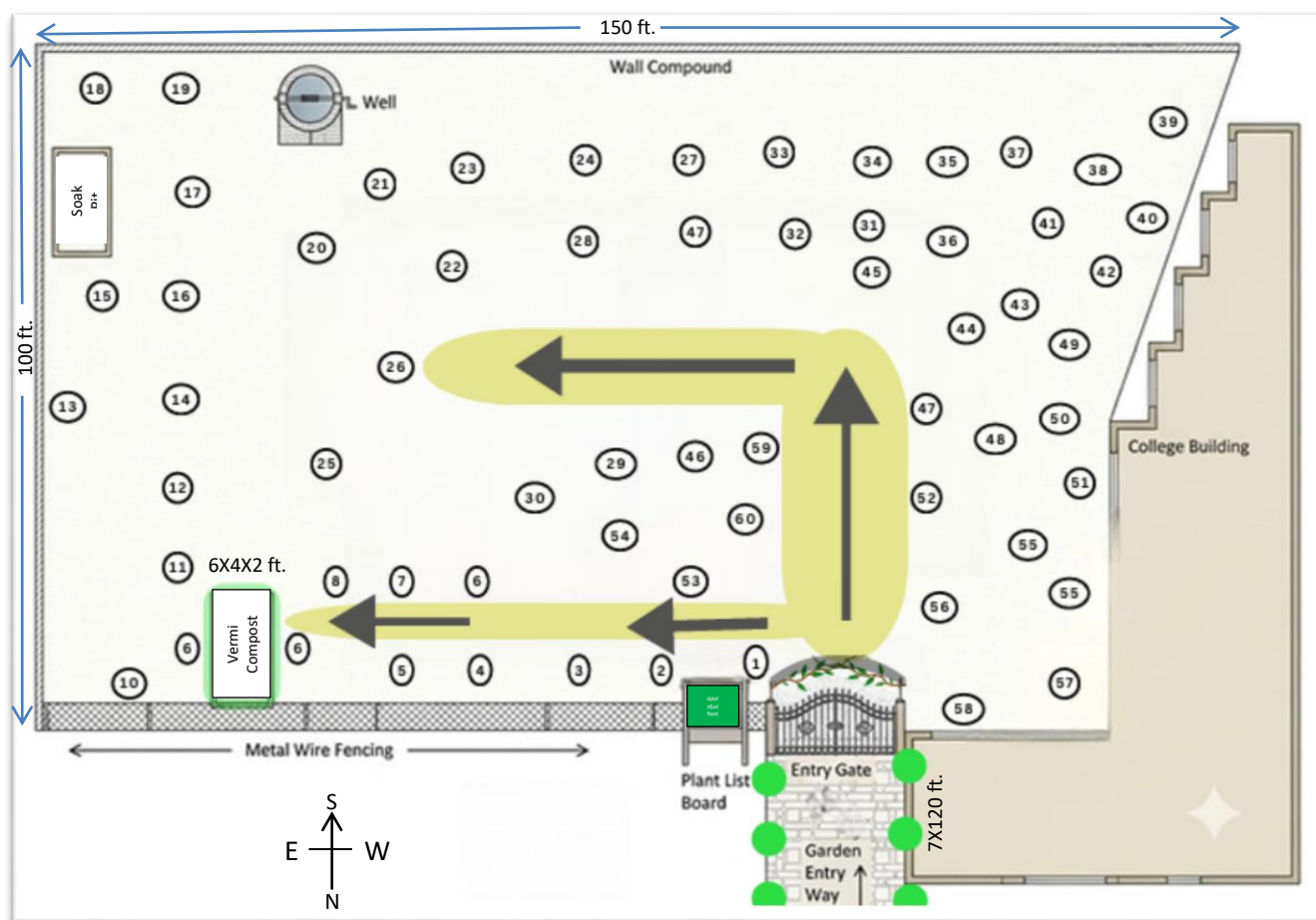
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❶ List of Medicinal Plants ❶

Sr. No	Marathi Name	Common Name	Biological Source	Family	NOS
1	अडुळसा	Malabar Nut	<i>Justicia adhatoda</i>	Acanthaceae	1
2	अर्जुन	Arjuna	<i>Terminalia arjuna</i>	Combretaceae	1
3	आंबा	Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i>	Anacardiaceae	26
4	आपटा	Indian kino tree	<i>Bauhinia racemosa</i>	Fabaceae	1
5	अशोका	Ashoka tree	<i>Saraca asoca</i>	Fabaceae	12
6	उंबर	Cluster fig	<i>Ficus racemosa</i>	Moraceae	1
7	एरंड	Castor	<i>Ricinus comunis</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
8	कडुलिंब	Neem	<i>Azadiracta indica</i>	Meliaceae	5
9	कढीपत्ता	Curry leaf	<i>Murraya koenigii</i>	Rutaceae	1
10	कर्दळ	Yellow/Red canna	<i>Canna indica</i>	Cannaceae	1
11	कांचन	Orchid tree	<i>Bauhinia variegata</i>	Fabaceae	1
12	काजू	Cashew	<i>Anacardium occidentale</i>	Anacardiaceae	1
13	काटेसावर	Silk cotton tree	<i>Bombax ceiba</i>	Malvaceae	1
14	कदंब	Kadamba	<i>Neolamarckia cadamba</i>	Rubiaceae	4
15	करंज	Karanj	<i>Pongamia pinnata</i>	Fabaceae	1
16	करवंद	Karonda	<i>Carissa carandus</i>	Apocynaceae	1
17	कोरफड	Aloe vera	<i>Aloe barbadensis</i>	Liliaceae	1
18	कुसरवेल	Morning glory	<i>Ipomoea quamoclit</i>	Convolvulaceae	1
19	कुसुम	Seylon oak/Kusum	<i>Schleichera oleosa</i>	Sapindaceae	1
20	खस	Vetiver/Khus	<i>Chrysopogon zizanioides</i>	Poaceae	1
21	खंडूचक्का	Chamror	<i>Ehretia laevis</i>	Boraginaceae	1
22	घायपात	Indian Borage	<i>Plectranthus amboinicus</i>	Lamiaceae	1
23	गवती चहा	Gawati chaha	<i>Cymbopogon citratus</i>	Poaceae	1
24	गोंदण	Sensitive plant	<i>Mimosa pudica</i>	Fabaceae	1
25	गोरखचिंच	Sebesten plum	<i>Cordia dichotoma</i>	Boraginaceae	1
26	गुड्वेल	Giloy	<i>Tinospora cordifolia</i>	Menispermaceae	1
27	चंदन	Sandalwood	<i>Santalum album</i>	Santalaceae	1
28	चाफा	Frangipani	<i>Plumeria rubra</i>	Apocynaceae	8
29	जंगली लहसून	Wild garlic	<i>Allium vineale</i>	Amaryllidaceae	1
30	जांभूळ	Black plum	<i>Syzygium cumini</i>	Myrtaceae	4



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31	जमालगोटा	Purging croton	<i>Croton tiglium</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
32	जास्वंद	Hibiscus	<i>Hibiscus rosa-sinensis</i>	Malvaceae	3
33	झुंबरवेल	Flame vine	<i>Pyrostegia venusta</i>	Bignoniaceae	1
34	झेंडू	Marigold	<i>Tagetes patula</i>	Asteraceae	1
35	टींबेर	Ibora, Black afara	<i>Terminalia ivorensis</i>	Combretaceae	4
36	तुळस राम	Ram tulsi	<i>Ocimum sanctum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
37	तुळस श्याम	Shyam Tulsi	<i>Ocimum sanctum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
38	तुळस कापूर	Kapur Tulas	<i>Ocimum kilimandscharium</i>	Lamiaceae	1
39	तुळस रान	Ran Tulas	<i>Ocimum gratissimum</i>	Lamiaceae	1
40	धतुरा	Thorn apple	<i>Datura metel</i>	Solanaceae	2
41	नारळ	Coconut	<i>Cocos nucifera</i>	Arecaceae	25
42	निवडुंग	Cactus	<i>Opuntia elatior</i>	Cactaceae	1
43	निर्गुंडी काळी	Nirgundi	<i>Vitex negundo</i>	Lamiaceae	1
44	निर्गुंडी पांढरी	Nirgundi	<i>Vitex negundo</i>	Lamiaceae	3
45	पपई	papaya	<i>Carica papaya</i>	Passifloraceae	1
46	पानफुटी	Bryophyllum	<i>Bryophyllum pinnatum</i>	Crassulaceae	1
47	पारिजातक	Night Jasmine	<i>Nyctanthes arbor-tristis</i>	Oleaceae	1
48	पिवळा बहावा	Golden shower	<i>assia fistula</i>	Fabaceae	1
49	पिंपळ	Sacred fig	<i>Ficus religiosa</i>	Moraceae	4
50	पेरू	Guava	<i>Psidium guajava</i>	Myrtaceae	4
51	पळस	Palash	<i>Butea monosperma</i>	Fabaceae	1
52	पुदिना	Mint, Mentha	<i>Mentha piperita</i>	Labiatae	1
53	पुत्रजीवा	Indian amulant plant	<i>Putranjiva roxburghii</i>	Euphorbiaceae	1
54	फणस	Jackfruit	<i>Artocarpus heterophyllus</i>	Moraceae	2
55	बकुळ	Bullet wood	<i>Mimusops elengi.</i>	Sapotaceae	5
56	बदाम	Almond	<i>Prubus dulcis</i>	Rosaceae	5
57	बावची	Bebchi, Purple fleabane	<i>Psoralea corylifolia</i>	Fabaceae	1
58	बेल	Bael	<i>Aegle marmelos</i>	Rutaceae	3
59	बेहडा	Bedda nut	<i>Terminalia bellirica</i>	Combretaceae	3
60	बीब्बा	Beet,	<i>Beta vulgaris</i>	Amaranthaceae	1



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61	बोर	Ber, Ber fruit	<i>Ziziphus mauritiana</i>	Rhamnaceae	3
62	बॉटल पाम	Bottle Palm	<i>Hyophorbe lagenicaulis</i>	Arecaceae	10
63	महाकुंग	Punarnava	<i>Boerhavia diffusa</i>	Apocynaceae	1
64	महारुख	Tree of heaven	<i>Ailanthus excelsa</i>	Simaroubaceae	1
65	मोठा पांगारा	Indian Coral tree	<i>Erythrina indica</i>	Fabaceae	1
66	मोह	Hmoh, Mahua tree	<i>Madhuca longifolia</i>	Sapotaceae	1
67	मोरपंखी	Thuja, Vidya	<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>	Cupressaceae	21
68	मेहंदी	Henna	<i>Lawsonia inermis</i>	Lythraceae	3
69	रक्तचंदन	Red sandalwood	<i>Pterocarpus santalinus</i>	Fabaceae	1
70	रान कांदा	Wild onion	<i>Allium sativum</i>	Liliaceae	1
71	राय आवळा	Indian Gooseberry	<i>Phyllanthus emblica</i>	Phyllanthaceae	1
72	रीठा	Reetha, Soaproot	<i>Sapindus mukorossi</i>	Sapindaceae	1
73	रूई	Rui	<i>Calotropis procera</i>	Apocynaceae	1
74	लक्ष्मीतरू	Paradise tree	<i>Simarouba glauca</i>	Simaroubaceae	1
75	लाल बहावा	Golden shower tree	<i>Cassia fistula</i>	Fabaceae	1
76	लिंबू	Lemon	<i>Citrus limon</i>	Rutaceae	3
77	सप्तपर्णी	Devil's/Blackboard tree	<i>Alstonia scholaris</i>	Apocynaceae	9
78	सदाफुली	Periwinkle	<i>Catharanthus roseus</i>	Apocynaceae	2
79	सागवान	Teak	<i>Tectona grandis</i>	Lamiaceae	1
80	सागरगोटी	Sea Bean / Nickernut	<i>Caesalpinia bonduc</i>	Fabaceae	1
81	संत्री	Orange	<i>Citrus sinensis</i>	Rutaceae	2
82	सुपारी	Areca nut	<i>Areca catechu</i>	Arecaceae	1
83	सीताफल	Custard apple	<i>Annona squamosa</i>	Annonaceae	8
84	शतावरी	Asparagus	<i>Asparagus racemosus</i>	Asparagaceae	1
85	शिवण	Gamhar	<i>Gmelina arborea</i>	Lamiaceae	1
86	शिसम	Indian Rosewood	<i>Dalbergia sissoo Roxb.</i>	Fabaceae	9
87	शिकाकाई	Soap pod	<i>Acacia concinna</i>	Fabaceae	1
88	शिरीष	Siris/Lebbeck tree	<i>Albizia lebbeck</i>	Fabaceae	1
89	शेंद्री	Annato, Sindoor	<i>Bixa orellana</i>	Bixaceae	1
90	शेवगा	Drumstick/ Moringa	<i>Moringa oleifera</i>	Moringaceae	1
91	हळद	Turmeric	<i>Curcuma longa</i>	Zingiberaceae	1
92	हळदीकुंकू	Scarlet Cordia	<i>Cordia sebestena</i>	Boraginaceae	1
93	हाडजोड	Hadjod	<i>Cissus quadrangula</i>	Vitaceae	1



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Medicinal Plant Garden Committee



Incharge
Prof. Vikas N. Ghait
(Academic Year 2025-2026)

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1. Introduction

The Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur serves as a dynamic center for education, research, conservation, and environmental awareness. Established in 2005 and spread across 15,000 sq. ft., the garden presently houses 85 medicinal plant species and more than 285 plants, providing a rich resource for students, faculty, researchers, and visitors. The garden functions as a living laboratory that bridges theoretical and practical learning in Pharmacognosy through direct exposure to medicinal and aromatic plants, crude drugs, and traditional herbal knowledge.

During the academic year 2025–26, the Medicinal Plant Garden Committee undertook several initiatives for garden development, digital transformation, biodiversity conservation, and student engagement. Major activities included land preparation, procurement and plantation of rare medicinal species, installation of a protective boundary, maintenance and beautification of the garden, and implementation of QR code-based digital information systems for all plant species. The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden was inaugurated on 2 February 2026, reflecting the institution's commitment to innovation and the vision of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047.

The committee also organized educational and outreach activities such as Ranbhaji Mahotsav, Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Visits, participation in the Government's Amrutvrush Campaign, and guided tours for students, parents, academicians, healthcare professionals, industry representatives, and government officials. The garden received appreciation from inspection teams of PCI, MSBTE, and University Autonomy Committees, along with significant media coverage. Through these efforts, the Medicinal Plant Garden has strengthened experiential learning, promoted medicinal plant conservation, encouraged research aptitude, and enhanced environmental sustainability within the institution and the community.

2. Title of the Practice

Development and Maintenance of Medicinal Plant Garden.

3. Objectives of the Committee

- To maintain and develop the medicinal plant garden.
- To cultivate rare and endangered medicinal plants.
- To support practical teaching in Pharmacognosy.
- To create awareness about traditional medicinal systems.
- To encourage research and conservation practices.

4. Need of the Project

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden was established to bridge the gap between theoretical and practical learning in Pharmacognosy. It provides students with direct exposure to medicinal plants, enhancing their identification and understanding skills.

The project also integrates digital technology through QR codes, promoting smart and self-directed learning. Additionally, it encourages research aptitude, conservation awareness, and aligns with the vision of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047.

5. Outcomes of the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden

- Provides practical learning of medicinal plants for students.
- Integrates digital technology through QR code–based information access.
- Enhances research, documentation, and scientific skills.
- Promotes awareness of medicinal plant conservation.
- Strengthens institutional innovation and supports Digital India initiatives.

6. Committee Structure

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Position
1	Dr. Prashant. K. Deshmukh	Principal	Chairperson
2	Prof. Vikas N. Ghait	Assistant Professor	Incharge
3	Prof. Karan S. Gayakwad	Assistant Professor	Faculty member
4	Poonam S. Harne	Student	Student member
5	Pratik G. Datir	Student	Student member



7. Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Infrastructure Details

Sr. No	Particulars	Details
1	Total garden area	15000 Sq. ft.
2	Length of garden	150 ft.
3	Width of garden	100 ft.
4	Pathway length	7×120 ft.
5	Kaman height	7 ft.
6	Entry Gate Height	5.5 ft.
7	Partition Length & Height	150×5 ft.
8	Name List Board	6.5×4 ft.
9	Number of Medicinal Plant Species	85
10	Total Number of Plants	285* (Including premises)
11	QR code enabled plants	85
12	Irrigation Facility	Manual+ Hybrid
13	Education Features	QR codes, Name Plates, Digital Information System
14	Year of establishment	2005

8. Action Plan (Academic Year 2025-2026)

SR. NO	TASK	TENTATIVE SCHEDULE	OBJECTIVES
1.	Planning and Preparation - Conduct garden inspection and status. - Prepare list of plants and procurement sources (Nursery, Colleges).	June-July (2025)	To inspect the garden status and plan for plant procurement by preparing a list of required species and sourcing options.
2.	Cultivation and Maintenance - Plantation of new medicinal species. - Regular watering, weeding and natural pest control. - Install a protective net around the garden to safeguard plants and make the boundary.	Aug-Oct (2025)	To ensure healthy growth of medicinal plants through proper plantation, routine care, and installation of protective measures for garden safety and structure.
3.	Preparation of Vermi compost - Build composition unit and procure earthworms. - Use Vermi compost in garden plants	Nov-Dec (2025)	To set up a Vermi compost unit for converting organic waste into natural fertilizer and utilize it to enhance soil quality and plant health in the garden.
4.	Awareness and Outreach - Promotes eco-friendly practices such as garden waste recycling, composting. - Beautify garden using painted waste tyres. - Implement QR/barcoding for each plant.	Jan-Mar (2026)	To promote environmental awareness through sustainable practices like waste recycling, composting, garden beautification with reused materials, and plant barcoding for educational value.
5.	Evaluation and Reporting - Review plant health and maintain garden structures. - Submit annual report with photos and activity records.	Apr-May (2026)	To assess overall garden condition, ensure maintenance of structures, and document progress through a comprehensive annual report with supporting photos and records.

9. Meeting and Discussion

Sr. No	Meeting Agenda	Date
1.	Initial strategic meeting & plantation	27 June 2025
2.	Installation of protective net	24 Sept. 2025
3.	Digitization of garden and inauguration	16 Jan. 2026
4.	Preparation of Vermi compost & tiers designing	25 Apr. 2026
5.	Review of plant health, documentation and submit report	25 Jun. 2026

10. Activities Conducted During the Year (2025-26)

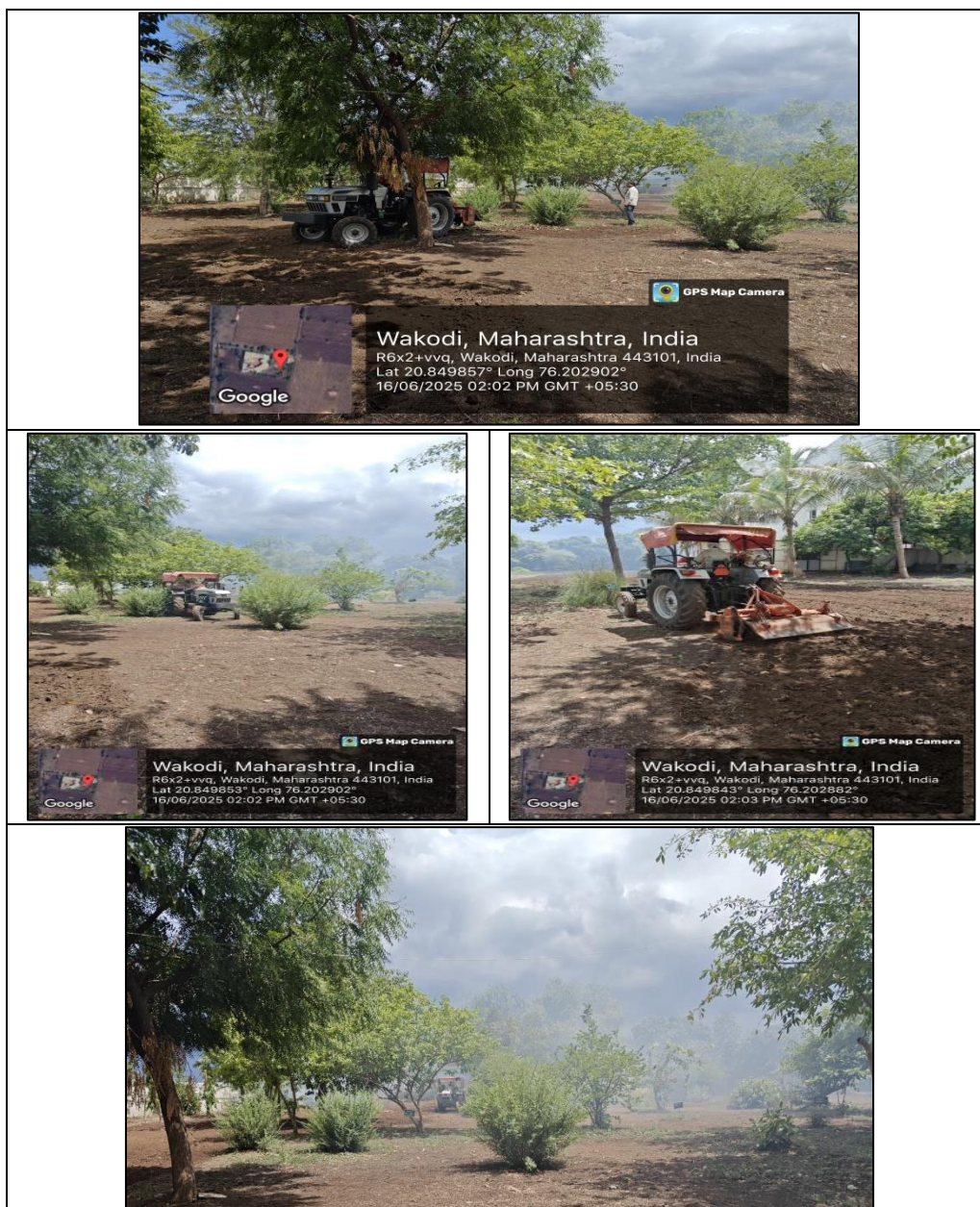
1. Planning and Land Preparation - Cleaning of the garden area - Branch cutting and pruning - Soil leveling - Tractor work including tiller operation, rotavator use, and soil erosion control	2. Plantation and Development - Procurement of medicinal plant species - Plantation of selected plants - Garden structure development and arrangement - Set of protective net and make boundry.
3. Maintenance and Care - Regular watering schedule - Maintenance and pest control measures - Periodic review of plant health - Structural maintenance of the garden	4. Digital Integration - Preparation and installation of QR codes for each plant - Maintenance and recoloring and naming of plants nameplates.
5. Institutional and Environmental Initiatives - Promotion of eco-friendly practices - Inauguration of the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden	6. Documentation and Reporting - Systematic documentation of activities - Preparation and submission of the annual/project report

11. Cleaning and Land Preparation

At the initial stage, the garden area was thoroughly cleaned to remove unwanted weeds, debris, and dry plant material. Branch cutting and pruning were carried out to maintain plant health and improve sunlight exposure. Soil leveling was done to ensure proper drainage and systematic plantation layout. Tractor-based operations such as tilling, rotavator use, and soil conditioning were performed to enhance soil fertility and prevent erosion.

➤ **Timeline:** 16th June 2025

➤ **Photose:**



12. Procurement of medicinal plants

On 10 July 2025, Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy purchased 45 high-quality and rare plants from 14 Trees Foundation Nursery. The nursery is known for providing healthy and valuable plant species for environmental conservation and greenery development. The foundation also offered plants at discounted rates, supporting educational institutions in promoting sustainable and eco-friendly initiatives through plantation and biodiversity conservation activities.

- **Timeline:** 10th July 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure I
- **Photose:**



13. "Ek Ped Maa ke Naam" Plantation program

Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy organized a tree plantation program titled "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" under the joint initiative of the NSS Unit and Medicinal Plant Garden Committee. The program aimed to promote environmental protection, medicinal plant awareness, and eco-consciousness among students and staff. The event highlighted inspiring messages such as "One tree is the support for thousands of dreams" and "Plant Trees, Save Lives," emphasizing the importance of trees in maintaining ecological balance, providing clean air, and supporting overall well-being.

- **Timeline:** 16th July 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure II
- **Photos:**



14. Installation of protective net and boundary

To ensure the safety and proper maintenance of the medicinal plant garden a strong protective iron net boundary with supporting poles was installed around the garden area. All entry points were securely closed, and a double-gate iron door with chain lock and above half circle kaman was fitted for controlled access. Additionally, a framed banner displaying the plant name list with coloring was installed for educational awareness, along with a waste bin support system to maintain cleanliness and promote environmental responsibility within the garden

➤ **Timeline:** 13th Oct. 2025

➤ **Photos:**



15. Plant Stem colouring and decoration (Name plate & Board)

The medicinal garden plants were treated with traditional geru and chuna coloring to help prevent fungal infections and protect the plants. The lower one-foot portion above ground level was coated with white chuna, while the middle section was painted with geru. In addition, several plant name plates were repaired, repainted, and rewritten with botanical names (B.S.) and family details. The garden entry board was also redesigned and repainted to improve the overall appearance and educational value of the garden.

➤ **Timeline:** 24th Nov. 2025

➤ **Photose:**



16. Digitization of plants

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy consists of more than 85+ diverse medicinal plant species. Each plant is equipped with a unique QR code, allowing easy access to detailed digital information about its medicinal uses and botanical details. Developed in alignment with the visions of Digital India and Viksit Bharat 2047, the initiative encourages technology-driven learning, environmental awareness, and research aptitude among students. All QR codes and plant information were collected and prepared by students, reflecting their innovative ideas and active participation.

- **Timeline:** 27th Dec. 2025
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure III
- **Photose:**



17. Inauguration program

On 02nd Feb. 2026: The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy was inaugurated by President Shri. Yogendraji Gode and MLA Shri. Chainsukhji Sancheti. The initiative reflects the integration of digital technology with experiential pharmacy education. The project was completed under the guidance of Miss Tanvi Gode Mam, Dr. P. K. Deshmukh, and Dr. V. S. Adhao, with support from teaching and non-teaching staff.

- **Timeline:** 02nd Feb. 2026
- **Supporting documents:** Annexure III
- **Photos:**



18. Awareness and Outreach activities

19. Ranbhaji Mahotstav (रानभाजी महोत्सव):

On 26 September 2025, the Wild Vegetable Festival was successfully organized at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur by the Department of Pharmacognosy, Medicinal Plant Garden, and NSS. Around 35 varieties of wild vegetables were exhibited. Students explained their local and scientific names, medicinal importance, and uses, attracting enthusiastic participation and appreciation. Total 125 students were participated in this program.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure IV

➤ **Objective of Program**

- To create awareness about wild edible vegetables and their importance.
- To promote knowledge of medicinal and nutritional values of wild plants.
- To conserve traditional food and ethnobotanical heritage.
- To enhance students' scientific and communication skills.
- To encourage sustainable use of local plant resources.

➤ **Photose:**



➤ **Outputs of Ranbhaji Mahotsav**

- Exhibition of approximately 35 varieties of wild edible vegetables.
- Enhanced awareness regarding nutritional and medicinal benefits.
- Improved knowledge of local and scientific names of indigenous plants.
- Active student participation and development of presentation skills.
- Promotion of traditional food culture and conservation of local biodiversity.

20. Medicinal Garden Class Visit:

The Department of Pharmacognosy at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur organized a pedagogical activity titled “Digital Medicinal Plant Garden Visit” for B. Pharm Second Year students on 10 and 12 March 2026. The activity aimed to enhance practical knowledge of medicinal plants through experiential learning. Students explored various medicinal and aromatic plants, organized and unorganized crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species under the guidance of Prof. V. N. Ghait. QR code-based digital learning enabled students to access scientific and medicinal information about plants. A total of 102 students participated and benefited from the field-based learning experience.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure V

➤ **Objective of Program**

- i) To enhance practical knowledge of medicinal and aromatic plants.
- ii) To provide experiential learning through field-based education.
- iii) To familiarize students with crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species.
- iv) To promote digital learning using QR code-based plant information systems.
- v) To bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical identification.



➤ **Outputs Medicinal Garden Class Visit**

- i) Improved identification skills of medicinal and aromatic plants among students.
- ii) Enhanced understanding of crude drugs, poisonous plants, and rare species.
- iii) Effective utilization of QR code-based digital learning resources.
- iv) Strengthened practical and field-based learning experience.
- v) Active participation of 102 students in experiential learning activities.

21. Registration on Government Amrutvrksh) अमृतवृक्ष(App

The Medicinal Plant Garden Committee actively participated in the Government's Amrutvrksh (अमृतवृक्ष) Campaign. As part of Stage 1 of the initiative, registration was successfully completed on the Amrutvrksh App on 11 September 2025. The participation reflects the institution's commitment to environmental conservation, tree plantation, and sustainable development. Through this initiative, the committee contributed to the government's green mission "१० कोटी वृक्ष लागवड (२०२५ पावसाळा)" and promoted awareness regarding the importance of biodiversity and ecological balance among students and stakeholders.

➤ **Supporting documents:** Annexure VI

➤ **Photose:**

22. Visitors Garden Tour

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has been visited and appreciated by students, parents, social workers, doctors, healthcare professionals, academicians, industry representatives, and Health Department officers. Visitors gained knowledge about medicinal plants, their uses, and health benefits. The QR code-based digital learning system attracted special attention and enhanced the learning experience. The initiative successfully promoted awareness of medicinal plant conservation, herbal medicine, and traditional knowledge.

➤ Photose:



23. Inspection by various committee

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has been highly appreciated by visiting teams from the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), Maharashtra State Board of Technical Education, University Autonomy Committees, and Government officials. Visitors praised the innovative integration of medicinal plant conservation with digital technology, recognizing it as an excellent initiative that enhances experiential learning and supports quality pharmacy education.

Sr. No.	Inspection Committee	Date of Inspection
1.	Maharashtra State Board of Technical Education (MSBTE)	23 March 2026
2.	SGBAU University Autonomy Committee	04 March 2026
3.	Pharmacy Council of India (PCI)	09 March 2026

24. Media Coverage

The Digital Medicinal Plant Garden at Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur has received significant media attention. Various print and electronic media have covered major activities such as plantation drives, Rانبhaji Mahotsav, and the garden inauguration program. Local and regional media representatives have visited the garden to learn about its unique features and educational value. Their coverage has helped create awareness about medicinal plants, environmental conservation, and the innovative learning initiatives undertaken by the college.

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**रानभाजी महोत्सव डॉ. राजेंद्र गोडे कॉलेज ऑफ
 फार्मसी, मलकापूर येथे उत्पादात संपन्न**

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मलकापूर प्रतिनिधी- होंदरा बहुउद्देशीय प्रकल्पाने अर्थसह्ये अन्वेष्य श्री. योगेंद्रजी सर व माननीय आन्ध्रप्रदेश वनसंरक्षणीय यंत्रणेच्या श्रमधन्यते उन्मेषावृत्ती वातावरणास सादर झाले. या उपक्रमामुळे महाविद्यालयाच्या शैक्षणिक वाट्यातील एक महत्त्वाचा वृक्ष गमला अन्वेष्य, फार्मसी शिष्यांना अनुभववाच्य अन्वेष्य व डिजिटल तंत्रज्ञानाचा प्रभावी परपर अर्थोपस्थित झाले आहे.

डिजिटल ज्ञानाची वनरचणी उपग्रह फार्मासीनोनी विभागाचे प्र. विकास फार्मास्य संकल्पना व अन्वेष्य प्रयत्नांतून सादर झाले आहे. बी. फार्मा आणि डी. फार्मा विद्यार्थ्यांच्या या उपक्रमाने सक्रिय रहस्य

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मार्गदर्शनाखाली विद्यार्थ्यांनी विविध ओषधीं वनस्पतींची ओळख, माहिती संकलन व नोंदणी केली, उद्योगाच्या प्रगतीस विकास व देखभालीसाठी फांद्यांची छाटणी, तणनिवारी, स्वच्छता, छाट्टे तयार करणे तसेच एकूण व्यवस्थापनाची जबाबदारी उद्यान सेवक श्रीकृष्ण केली यांनी पार पाडली. हा उपक्रम योग्यतेने चालू आहे.

25. Challenges Faced

- Seasonal plant loss due to natural calamities (Floods, cyclones, temperature, etc.)
- Water management issues
- Fungue infection & Pest control



26. Achievements

- ✓ Increased medicinal plant diversity from 39 to 88 species through plantation and conservation efforts.
- ✓ Developed a QR code-enabled Digital Medicinal Plant Garden for smart learning.
- ✓ Digitized information for 85 medicinal plant species with instant mobile access.
- ✓ Enhanced practical learning through Digital Medicinal Plant Garden visits for students.
- ✓ Organized Ranbhaji Mahotsav to promote awareness of wild edible and medicinal plants.
- ✓ Improved garden infrastructure through protective fencing, gates, board, Kaman & name plates.
- ✓ Received appreciation from PCI, MSBTE, University Autonomy Committees.
- ✓ Promoted medicinal plant conservation, environmental awareness, and Digital India initiatives through various activities.

27. Future Planning

- Plantation of more rare medicinal and wild plants.
- Development of vertical gardening.
- Establishment of a vermicompost unit.
- Herbal plant nursery development.
- Eco-friendly awareness programs with farmer societies.
- Beautification of the garden and campus.
- Research-based documentation of medicinal plants.

28. Conclusion

The Medicinal Plant Garden Committee has successfully contributed to academic excellence, practical learning, research awareness, and environmental sustainability throughout the academic year. The garden has served as a valuable educational resource by providing hands-on exposure to medicinal and aromatic plants, crude drugs, and traditional herbal knowledge. Activities such as the Digital Medicinal Plant Garden, plantation drives, educational visits, and awareness programs have enriched student learning and promoted biodiversity conservation. The garden has received appreciation from students, academicians, healthcare professionals, industry representatives, and visitors. The committee remains committed to further strengthening conservation, research, and community engagement initiatives in the coming years.



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VERMI COMPOST PROJECT

{ Organic Waste to Natural Manure for the Medicinal Plant Garden }

1. About Vermi Compost Project

Dr. Rajendra Gode College of Pharmacy, Malkapur, an Autonomous Institution, promotes practical, environment-friendly and skill-based activities through academic and extension programmes. As part of its sustainable waste-management and natural-farming initiatives, the college has established a Vermi compost Project within the college premises.

The project consists of one vermi compost bed measuring 8 ft × 4 ft for converting biodegradable organic waste into nutrient-rich organic manure using suitable composting earthworms. The process involves the use of locally available materials such as partially decomposed cow dung, dry leaves, garden waste and suitable biodegradable waste. Proper moisture, shade and regular monitoring are maintained to support effective decomposition and earthworm activity. The project also provides students with practical exposure to vermicomposting, organic waste recycling, compost management and sustainable gardening practices.

The mature vermi compost is planned to be collected approximately every 45–60 days, depending on its maturity. The prepared compost is intended only for use on plants within the college premises, particularly the Medicinal Plant Garden, and is not produced for commercial sale. This initiative supports responsible organic waste utilization while producing a useful natural manure for sustainable plant growth.



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2. Aim

To prepare quality Vermi compost from biodegradable organic materials using earthworms and utilize the prepared compost as a natural manure for the medicinal plant garden of the college.

3. Objectives

- To convert biodegradable organic waste and suitable farm/garden residues into useful manure.
- To maintain a healthy population of suitable composting earthworms.
- To produce vermi compost for improving soil health and supporting medicinal plants.
- To demonstrate a simple, low-cost and eco-friendly waste-management practice for students.
- To promote natural farming concepts and sustainable use of organic resources.

4. Vermicomposting Earthworm Information

Composting earthworms help break down partially decomposed organic matter and convert it into fine, stable organic manure. The following varieties are commonly used for vermicomposting:

Common Name	Scientific Name
Variety of Verms	<i>Eisenia fetida</i> (Lumbricidae) Red Wiggler/ लाल गांड़ूळ
Requirements	1) Vermi compost bed 2) Composting earthworms 3) Cow dung 4) Dry leaves & garden waste 5) Vegetable/fruit waste 6) Water 7) Shade/protection 8) Basic tools & gloves

5. Need of the Project

- To manage biodegradable waste generated from the garden and campus activities.
- To produce useful organic manure within the college premises.
- To support the growth and maintenance of the medicinal plant garden.
- To demonstrate recycling of organic resources through a simple biological process.
- To provide hands-on learning to students about natural farming and sustainable gardening.



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6. Bed Management

- Maintain proper moisture; the bed should be moist but not waterlogged.
- Keep the bed shaded and protected from direct sunlight and heavy rainfall.
- Ensure good aeration and avoid compacting the organic material.
- Add partially decomposed organic material gradually rather than overloading the bed.
- Observe earthworm activity and protect the bed from ants, pests and other disturbances.
- Remove unsuitable materials and maintain cleanliness around the unit.
- Record weekly observations, maintenance work and corrective actions.
- Harvest only well-decomposed, mature vermi compost.

7. Vermicomposting Procedure

Step	Details
1. Select the site	Choose a shaded, well-ventilated location with good drainage. Avoid direct sunlight and waterlogging.
2. Prepare the bed	Prepare the 8 ft × 4 ft bed and ensure that excess water can drain away.
3. Prepare organic materials	Collect suitable biodegradable materials. Partially decompose fresh cow dung and other materials before introducing earthworms.
4. Add bedding/material	Place suitable moist organic material in the bed in a loose layer. Do not compact it.
5. Add earthworms	Introduce healthy composting earthworms evenly over the prepared material.
6. Maintain moisture	Sprinkle water as required to keep the material adequately moist. Do not flood the bed.
7. Provide protection	Keep the bed shaded and protected from heavy rain, direct sunlight, predators and disturbance.
8. Add organic material	Add partially decomposed organic material gradually as the earlier material is processed.
9. Regular observation	Check moisture, worm activity, smell, decomposition, pests and general bed condition every week.
10. Maturation	Allow the material to decompose until it becomes dark, fine, crumbly and soil-like.
11. Harvest	Separate the finished Vermi compost from the earthworms using suitable harvesting/sieving methods.
12. Storage	Keep the finished compost in a cool, shaded and dry place until use.
13. Application	Apply the prepared Vermi compost to medicinal plants in the college garden as required. The compost is not for sale.



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8. Process Flowchart

VERMICOMPOST PROCESS FLOW





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9. Expected Output

- One functional Vermi compost bed of 8 ft × 4 ft.
- Conversion of suitable biodegradable organic material into mature vermicompost.
- A reusable source of organic manure for the medicinal plant garden.
- Regular records of bed management and weekly observations.
- Practical learning resource for students and college activities.

10. Benefits of Natural Farming

- 1) Encourages the use of locally available organic resources.
- 2) Supports soil health by increasing organic matter and improving soil structure.
- 3) Helps recycle biodegradable waste into useful farm/garden inputs.
- 4) Reduces dependence on externally purchased synthetic inputs when used.
- 5) Supports moisture retention and biological activity in soil.
- 6) Promotes biodiversity and an environment-friendly approach to cultivation.
- 7) Encourages sustainable use of resources and reduction of waste.
- 8) Provides students with practical knowledge of ecological and natural farming.

11. Use of Vermi compost in the Medicinal Plant Garden

The Vermi compost produced through this project is reserved for the college medicinal plant garden. It may be incorporated into soil or used as an organic manure according to the requirements of individual plants and garden-management practices. The material is not intended for commercial sale.

12. Result

The Vermi compost unit provides a practical method for converting biodegradable organic materials into useful organic manure. The 8 ft × 4 ft bed is maintained through regular moisture, shade, feeding and observation. The mature Vermi compost obtained from the unit is utilized in the college medicinal plant garden to support soil health and plant growth. The project also demonstrates responsible organic-waste management and the practical application of natural-farming principles. The activity is intended for institutional use and educational demonstration; the prepared Vermi compost is not for sale.



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Project Details

Sr. No.	Parameter	Details
1	Project Title	Vermi compost Production for Use in the Medicinal Plant Garden
2	Project Establishment Date	11 September 2026
3	Bed Size	8 ft × 4 ft
4	Total Beds	01
5	Raw Materials	Cow dung, dry leaves, garden waste & biodegradable organic waste
6	Pre-Decomposition	Organic waste partially decomposed before adding earthworms
7	Moisture Management	Regular monitoring and maintenance of adequate moisture
8	Shade Management	Natural Plant Shade; Bed protected from direct sunlight and heavy rain
9	Monitoring Frequency	Weekly (As per Annexure I)
10	Compost Collection	Every 45–60 days , depending on maturity
11	Compost Quality	Dark, crumbly, mature and free from foul odour
12	Final Use	College premises plants & Medicinal Plant Garden only
13	Record Maintenance	Weekly checklist, observations, collection date & quantity (As per Annexure I)
14	Commercial Status	Not for sale; Prepared and used College & Medicinal Plant Garden only

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Annexure I

Weekly Checklist

Sr. No.	Check Point Parameters	Yes ✓ or No ✗							
1	Moisture is adequate								
2	No waterlogging								
3	Earthworms are active								
4	Organic material decompose								
5	No foul odour								
6	Shade/protection is adequate								
7	No major pest/ant problem								
8	Bed is clean and undisturbed								
9	Organic material added if required								
10	Observation recorded								
11	Compost ready for collection*								
12	Mature compost collected and sieved								
13	Compost stored properly for garden use								
14	Total Quantity collected (Kg)								
Done By Sign									

* Compost collection and sieving completed (every 45-60 days)

Done By

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