

Khed Taluka Shikshan Prasarak Mandal's
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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Sr. No	Item	Particulars
1	Date	30/07/2026
2	Name of Event	Startup Shitij 2.0
3	Venue	Hutatma Rajguru Mahavidyalaya
4	Time	10.30 am to 1.00 pm
5	Duration of the programme	One day
6	Number of participants	56
7	Activity belongs to which Criteria of NAAC	Criteria 3

Report

Report on "Startup Shitij 2.0 – Innovative Ideas" -Participation of Botany Students

The **Innovation, Incubation and Linkages Cell** in collaboration with the **Faculty of Science** organized "**Startup Shitij 2.0 – Innovative Ideas**" on **30th July 2026** to foster innovation, entrepreneurship and startup culture among students. The students of the Department of Botany participated with great enthusiasm and played a key role in the success of the program. The inaugural session was chaired by **Hon. Vice Chairman Shri Nansaheb Takalkar**. The program began with ceremonial lamp lighting and a warm welcome to the dignitaries. The organizing committee expressed special gratitude to **Dr. Shirish Pingale, Principal**, Hutatma Rajguru Mahavidyalaya, Rajgurunagar for his constant encouragement and support. The Botany students actively participated in all the sessions. During the inaugural address by **Dr. Kirti Nitnaware**, who emphasized the importance of innovation and problem-solving, Botany students interacted and showed keen interest in transforming plant-based innovative ideas into viable startups. The keynote address by Dr. Kale, Scientist, ICAR–Directorate of Onion and Garlic Research (DOGR), Pune, was particularly relevant for Botany students. He highlighted agricultural innovation, value addition in medicinal and aromatic plants, nursery management, tissue culture and agri-business startup opportunities. Our Botany students raised queries on entrepreneurship in organic farming, bio-fertilizers and conservation of local germplasm. In the technical guidance session, Dr. Sudip Gorai, Research Associate, Agri Business Incubation Centre, ICAR–DOGR, Pune, explained the innovation ecosystem, incubation support and

government funding schemes like RKVY-RAFTAAR and Startup India. Botany students were highly motivated to learn about the process of registering their ideas related to herbal products, hydroponics and sustainable agriculture at the incubation centre. Mr. Tejas Rokade shared his practical entrepreneurial journey which inspired the Botany students to think about sustainable business models from botanical knowledge. Overall, the active involvement, questioning, and presentation of green startup ideas by the Botany students made the program more interactive and fruitful. The program helped them to link their academic knowledge of plant sciences with real-world entrepreneurship opportunities. The program concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by **Dr. Yogesh Walunj**, expressing sincere gratitude to the chairperson, resource persons, guests, faculty members and all participating Botany students for making Startup Shitij 2.0 a grand success.





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 Innovation and Incubation Cell

Innovation and Incubation Cell
 Organized workshop on
SHITIJ 2.0 STARTUP INCUBATION PROGRAM
 In collaboration with
 ICAR, Onion and Garlic Research Centre
 Supported by NAIF

on
 Date: 30/07/2026 Time 11.00 am

Attendance Sheet

Sr. No.	Name	Class	Mobile No.	Sign	M/F	Address
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4)	Prathamesh G. Gonde	F.Y.B.Sc.	7822087907	<i>Prathamesh</i>	M	At. P. Gosasi
5)	Shrinath S. Gaikwad	F.Y.B.Sc.	9405716957	<i>Shrinath</i>	M	At. P. Khed
6)	Bhaskar S. Kumbhar	T.Y.B.Sc.	9699113286	<i>Bhaskar</i>	F	At. P. Moshi
7)	Shivaji G. Gawade	T.Y.B.Sc.	9607445335	<i>Gawade</i>	F	At. P. Rakshewar
8)	Payal A. Kotwal	T.Y.B.Sc.	8669717557	<i>Kotwal</i>	F	At. P. Dhorebhamur
9)	Yash S. Padwal	F.Y.B.Sc.	7214085463	<i>Yash</i>	M	At. Rajgurunaga
10)	Sanskriti Zinjure	F.Y.B.Sc.	8149671426	<i>Sanskriti</i>	F	At. Kadichiwad
11)	Anushka R. Shinde	F.Y.B.Sc.	9325454283	<i>Anushka</i>	F	At. P. Amboli
12)	Nomal K. Deurkar	F.Y.B.Sc.	7744861306	<i>Nomal</i>	F	At. Medankarwa
13)	Priya S. Sarnade	F.Y.B.Sc.	8329311685	<i>Priya</i>	F	At. P. Rajgurunaga
14)	Poonam H. Nagare	T.Y.B.Sc.	8208673679	<i>Poonam</i>	F	At. P. Ambethan.
15)	Vedika P. Temgire	F.Y.B.Sc.	7033710708	<i>Vedika</i>	F	At. P. Kallu.
16)	Nikita B. Shinde	F.Y.B.Sc.	9209708216	<i>Nikita</i>	F	At. P. - Rajgurun
17)	Samruddhi S. Sawant	F.Y.B.Sc.	9325125774	<i>Sawant</i>	F	At. P. - Shirol
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