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New resolutions for Nation Building

***Vidya Bharati
is Providing
Education
with Values at
Low Cost***

PM Modi Talks on Podcast with American Podcaster Lex Fridman

**On behalf of the Vidya Bharati Sankul Samvad family,
Heartfelt wishes for a Bharatiya Navvarsh to everyone 🙏**

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Poornkaalin Karyakarta Training Workshop

New Resolutions for Nation Building



Bhopal | The five-day Poornkaalin Karyakarta Training Workshop of Vidya Bharati successfully conducted from March 3 to 8, 2025, at Sharda Vihar Residential Vidyapeeth, Bhopal. In the inauguration of the camp, the Param Poojya Sarasanghchalak of Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, Dr. Mohan Bhagwat, provided guidance on topics such as era-appropriate changes and our vision, the role of Poornkaalin Karyakarta, current challenges and solutions, and the self-development of karyakartas. The camp involved deep discussions on thoughts, behaviors, and organizational work styles. Various sessions focused on education, society, and national interest, with detailed discussions on these subjects were organised. Through the training camp, Karyakartas were inspired to move forward with a new perspective, effective strategies, and a sense of dedication.



At the closing ceremony, Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh, Dr. Mohan Yadav, referred to the trust of Sage Vishwamitra in Lord Ram and Lakshman, saying that the sage did not ask King Dasharath for a large army to destroy the demons

but instead placed his trust in the education and values that Lord Ram had received in the Gurukul. Highlighting the role of Vidya Bharati's Gurukuls and Saraswati Shishu Mandirs, he mentioned that students from these institutions are setting examples in various fields.

Organizational Responsibilities and Challenges of the Technological Era

Shri Suresh Ji Soni, Akhil Bharatiya Executive Member of Sangh, emphasized that the role of Poornkaalin Karyakarta of Vidya Bharati should not be confined to only individual or organizational level, but should extend to effective intervention in society, particularly in the field of education. Discussing the growing influence of Artificial Intelligence and the challenges it brings, he pointed out that the progress of technology is increasing the capacity of machines, but its negative effects are impacting human physical and mental abilities. He further noted that today, even if a person is traveling by plane, bus, or car, his mind is often wandering in the virtual world. This tendency is gradually distancing individuals from reality, which in turn, is affecting both social and family life. Technology can connect us, but it cannot maintain relationships.

Suresh ji called for the use of Artificial Intelligence, but urged that we must ensure it does not weaken our basic intelligence. He emphasized that technology should be seen as a tool, not as ultimate goal.



The camp was also graced by several prominent Speakers who guided the Karyakartas. Among them were Dr. Krishna Gopal Ji, Sah-Sarkaryavah of Sangh; Shri Govind Chandra Mahant Ji, Akhil Bharatiya Organizing Secretary of Vidya Bharati; Shriram Aaravkar Ji, Joint-Organizing Secretary; Yatindra Ji, Joint-Organizing Secretary; Pujya Swami Mitranand Ji,

Head of Chinmaya Mission; Dr. Dinesh Prasad Saklani Ji, Director, NCERT; Dr. GSN Murthy, Head of the Indian Knowledge System Division, Union Education Ministry; Padma Shri Chamu Krishna Shastri Ji, President of Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti;; and Dr. Vishwajeet Saha Ji, Director (Skill Development) Central Board of Secondary Education.

On March 6, 2025, the launch of "Hamara Lakshya" was held with a slight modification during the Poornkaalin Karyakarta Training Workshop in Bhopal. The release was done by the respected Sah-Sarkaryavah of Sangh, Shri Krishna Gopal Ji.



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अखिल भारतीय शिक्षा संस्थान

हमारा लक्ष्य

हमारा लक्ष्य इस प्रकार की राष्ट्रीय शिक्षा प्रणाली का विकास करना है जिसके द्वारा हिन्दुत्वनिष्ठ एवं राष्ट्रभक्ति से ओतप्रोत तथा शारीरिक, प्राणिक, मानसिक, बौद्धिक एवं आध्यात्मिक दृष्टि से पूर्ण विकसित युवा पीढ़ी का निर्माण हो, जो जीवन की वर्तमान चुनौतियों का सामना सफलतापूर्वक कर सके और जिसका जीवन नगरों, ग्रामों, वनों, गिरिकन्द्राओं एवं चुनौतीपूर्ण क्षेत्रों में निवास करने वाले वंचित और अभावग्रस्त अपने बांधवों को सामाजिक कुरीतियों एवं अन्याय से मुक्त कराकर राष्ट्रजीवन को सुसंस्कृत, समरस तथा सुसम्पन्न बनाते हुए 'वसुधैवकुटुम्बकम्' के भाव से प्रेरित होकर विश्वकल्याण के लिए समर्पित हो।













599 Poornkaalin Karyakartas, 23 central office bearers and more than 245 Karyakarta assisting in the arrangements participated in the Training Workshop.

Students of Sharda Vihar Bhopal performed a show of ghosh and Bagpiper Band during the Training Workshop.



Special Exhibitions Held:

During the Poornkaalin Karyakarta Training Workshop, three special exhibitions were organized on Culture, Digital Achievements, and Shishu Vatika.

These exhibitions were inaugurated by Shri Vishwas Kailash Sarang Ji, Minister for Cooperation, Sports, and Youth Welfare of Madhya Pradesh. The Minister praised the contributions of Vidya Bharati, stating that Saraswati Shishu Mandirs are not only providing education but also playing a crucial role as centers of values.

Culture Exhibition: This exhibition showcased the prominent personalities and historical sites of Madhya Pradesh, highlighting the state's rich cultural heritage.

Achievements: The achievements of Vidya Bharati in various fields were displayed using advanced technology.

Shishu Vatika: This exhibition focused on integrating values with education. It represented 12 key arrangements emphasizing this aspect.

Glimpse of Rural Life

Poornkaalin Karyakarta from Vidya Bharati across the country got a chance to experience rural life by visiting over 40 tribal-majority villages.

Karyakartas from across the country have reached 40 tribal-majority villages.





Param Poojya Sarasanghchalak Dr. Mohan Bhagwat Ji Inaugurates Saraswati Vidya Mandir, Veerpur, Supaul

Vidya Bharati's Goal: To Build Patriotic Citizens : Dr. Mohan Bhagwat Ji



Veerpur/Supaul (North Bihar) | On March 6, 2025, Dr. Mohan Bhagwat, the Param Poojya Sarasanghchalak, inaugurated the newly constructed building of SVM, Veerpur, run by Vidya Bharati and managed by Lok Shiksha Samiti, Bihar. The inauguration ceremony saw the participation of thousands of Karyakartas and citizens from hundreds of villages along the India-Nepal border, turning the event into a grand celebration. Before the building inauguration, the students of the school presented a cultural program.

Vidya Bharati's Contribution and the Importance of Education

Dr. Subodh Kumar, the State Secretary of Lok Shiksha Samiti, Bihar, presented the report of Vidya Bharati North Bihar. On the stage with Dr. Mohan Bhagwat were Dr. Mohan Singh, RSS Kshetra Karyavah, and Dr. Lalan Prasad Singh, the President of the School Management Committee. Addressing the gathering, Dr. Mohan Bhagwat said that today's event marks the end of the days of misfortune. He emphasized the efforts being made for nation-building through education and stated that success in any endeavor requires efforts at various levels. Dr. Bhagwat emphasized the importance of working with a sense of public welfare and the need for hard work to achieve success. He further stressed that to make one's destiny favorable, it is essential to become a person capable.

Vidya Bharati's Extensive Contribution through 21,000 Schools

In his speech, Dr. Mohan Bhagwat shared that

Vidya Bharati, with the support of society, is operating over 21,000 schools across the country, where dedicated teachers are working hard to ignite the light of education. He mentioned that the students in Vidya Bharati's schools are taught the value of not only serving themselves but also being useful to society and the nation.

Discussion on India's Education System

Dr. Bhagwat spoke about India's education system, stating that in our country, education is not measured by money but by values and principles. He emphasized that human are the most intelligent beings on Earth, and therefore every individual has the right to education. Education, he pointed out, is not merely a means of acquiring knowledge but a way to make individuals better human beings.

Emphasis on Environmental Protection and Self-Reliance

Dr. Bhagwat also focused on the need to balance progress with environmental protection. He stated that while human have made significant progress, we must ensure that our progress does not harm the environment. He highlighted the importance of traditional agricultural practices, saying that such farming methods should be adopted to preserve soil fertility and ensure long-term benefits.

Focus on Building Well-Disciplined Children:

Param Poojya Sarasanghchalak Ji emphasized that Vidya Bharati's goal is not only to create educated citizens but to develop well-disciplined, self-confident, and dedicated individuals who are committed to the nation. He further stated that to





realize the vision of an Atmanirbhar Bharat, it is essential to work with a sense of national and global welfare.

Cultural Program by Students Captivated Everyone

On the occasion of the inauguration, students from various Vidya Bharati schools in North Bihar presented a cultural program that captivated the hearts of thousands of attendees at the event.

Inauguration of the School with Havan and Puja
Before unveiling the inauguration plaque, the Param Poojya Sarasanghchalak Dr. Mohan Bhagwat performed a Havan and Puja at the newly constructed school building.

Hundreds of Karyakartas from Nepal Also Attended

In response to an invitation from Vidya Bharati, hundreds of Karyakartas from the Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh and Pashupati Shiksha Samiti, Nepal also attended the inauguration ceremony, making the event even more special with their presence.



Prime Minister Narendra Modi Mentions Vidya Bharati's Work in Podcast

"Very low-cost education, prioritizing values, individuals grounded in the community, learning skills alongside studies, and not becoming a burden on society - such children are being nurtured in Vidya Bharati schools," said Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

16 March, 2025, New Delhi | In a podcast with American research scientist and podcaster Lex Fridman, PM Shri Narendra Modi discussed a variety of topics in detail and provided clear and engaging insights on governance, development, global affairs, and India's progress. The Prime Minister mentioned that Vidya Bharati was established by a few volunteers with the aim of revolutionizing education. He expressed his belief that this initiative has benefited millions of students, who are receiving education at a very low cost. Vidya Bharati schools prioritize values, and they prepare children to be grounded in the community, learn practical skills alongside their studies, and not become a burden on society.



To listen in detail, you can use the link provided below: [Watch the Podcast https://www.youtube.com/live/n6T0WaElw54?si=w9ob60XmoQuwZ-04](https://www.youtube.com/live/n6T0WaElw54?si=w9ob60XmoQuwZ-04)



Four-Day Panchpadi Learning Methodology Workshop Organized

Jalandhar | A four-day Panchpadi Learning Methodology workshop was organized at VidyaDham Jalandhar (Punjab) by Vidya Bharati North Zone. Participants from five states of the North Zone — Delhi, Haryana, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh - took part in the workshop. Vidya Bharati's Akhil Bharatiya Organizing Secretary, Shri Govind Chandra Mahant Ji was present at the event. In line with the National Education Policy 2020, Vidya Bharati North Zone launched several new resources, including Shishuvatika Utsah Arun, Utsah Prabhat, Utsah Uday, and the Parent-Teacher Guidebook.



Vidya Bharati Poorv Chhatra Parishad Meeting

Bengaluru | A meeting of Alumni who completed their studies in various Vidya Bharati schools in Bihar and Jharkhand, and are now studying or working in Bengaluru and surrounding areas, was held at the Bengaluru Golf Club under the auspices of the Vidya Bharati Poorv Chhatra Parishad, Bihar region. On this occasion, Akhil Bharatiya Organizing Secretary Shri Govind Mahant ji emphasized the importance of focusing on helping and supporting the SSM. Special guest Shri Khayaliram Ji suggested that alumni should visit their old schools along with family and friends to re-experience the culture and values of those institutions, and inspire current students.



Other notable attendees included BJP Jharkhand's Organizing Secretary Shri Karmavir Ji, Vidya Bharati Poorv Chhatra Parishad's Regional Coordinator Shri Alok Tiwari Ji, Shri Kaushalesh Ji, Shri Jay Kishore Pathak, and others. During the meeting, it was announced that Dr. Vijay Pandey Ji will take up the role of Coordinator for the Poorv Chhatra Parishad in Bengaluru and the surrounding areas.





National Curriculum Framework Workshop

Mallappuram | A two-day workshop for NIOS principals was organized at Vidya Bhavan School in Kottakkal, Mallappuram district. The training focused on the National Curriculum Framework under the NEP, specifically for headmasters, as well as the comprehensive progress card.

48 principals from the Mallappuram and Kozhikode districts participated in the workshop. Notable attendees included the manager of Kottakkal Vidya Bhavan School, Shri Muraleedharan K., Bharatiya Vidya Niketan, Mallappuram district secretary Shri M. Jayaprakash, coordinator Shri Sajith Chellur, and state committee member Shri C.P.G. Rajagopal, among others.



Moral and Spiritual Education Workshop

Rajasthan | An Akhil Bharatiya Workshop on the development of the Moral and Spiritual Education Curriculum by Vidya Bharati was held at Adarsh Vidya Mandir, Mount Abu, Rajasthan, from 24th to 27th March 2025. The workshop aimed to design and strengthen the curriculum for imparting moral and spiritual education, in line with Vidya Bharati's educational vision.



Dimensions of Indian Knowledge System and NEP-2020 Seminar

"The Philosophy of Life and the Philosophy of Education Should Be Aligned" - Avnish Ji

Meerut | A two-day national seminar on "Dimensions of Indian Knowledge System and NEP-2020" was organized by the College of Education at IIMT University, Meerut. The chief guest, Shri Avnish Bhatnagar, General Secretary of Vidya Bharati, emphasized that the philosophy of life and the philosophy of education should align in any country. He further added that education should empower individuals to face the challenges of life effectively. He also explained the concept of Panchkoshatmaka development in the Indian knowledge System, highlighting the importance of holistic development personality.





Awareness Program

Sikkim | An awareness program was organized on March 17, 2025, at Saraswati Vidya Niketan, Tadog, Gangtok, under Vidya Bharti Sikkim. The program was conducted by the Health Department of the Government of Sikkim. The event was attended by the department's director, Anita Bhotia, senior Pracharak Shri Lakshminarayan Bhala, Prant General Secretary Vijay Kumar Sharma, coordinator Mohan Sharma, former Prant president Shri Chultatim Bhotia, and others.



Poorv Chhatra Meeting

Bhubaneswar | A meeting of the Alumni of Vidya Bharti, Shiksha Vikas Samiti, Odisha, was held at Bhagavad Gita Saraswati Shishu Vidya Mandir, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar. The meeting was attended by Vidya Bharti East Region's Organizing Secretary Dr. Anand Rao Pardhi Ji, Organizing Secretary of Shiksha Vikas Samiti, Odisha, Tarakdas Sarkar Ji, and Poorv Chhatra Parishad's Palak Karyakarta Satyanarayan Pattnaik Ji, who inspired the alumni to dedicate themselves for community service. The meeting had the participation of 50 former students from all districts of Odisha.



School Inspection

Sikkim | Vidya Bharati Eastern Region's Organizing Secretary Dr. Anand Rao Ji and Co-Organizing Secretary Parth Ghosh Ji visited Sikkim from 24th to 27th March. During this visit, they attended an introductory program at Saraswati Vidya Niketan, Malbase-Namphig, South Sikkim, and also conducted an inspection of Saraswati Vidya Niketan, Pachekhani (Sikkim). During the visit, the Prant President Chandra Kumar Rai, Prant Vice President Pradeep Agarwal, Prant General Secretary Vijay Kumar Sharma, Executive Member Shri Khemraj Sharma, and Prant Coordinator Shri Mohan Sharma were also present.





Governor's Visit to the School

Siliguri | Dr. C.V. Anand Bose, the Governor of West Bengal, visited the 41 BN SSB BOP located near Panitanki, in the India-Nepal border region of Siliguri. During the event organized by the SSB, the students of Sharda Vidya Mandir, Naxalbari, under Vidya Bharati North Bengal, presented songs and dances. Along with education, Vidya Mandir is also running service activities in this area. On this occasion, the Governor was also presented some literature as a token of memoir.



Addressed the awareness program organized for doctors.

Telangana | Shri Lingam Sudhakar Reddy Ji, the Organizing Secretary of Vidya Bharati South Central Region, addressed an awareness program for doctors in Manchiryala, Telangana.



E-Magazine Launch

Bihar | The quarterly e-magazine of the Bharatiya Shiksha Samiti, Bihar was launched at Poojya Tapasvi Shri Jagjeevan Ji Maharaj at SVM, Rajgir, Akhil Bharatiya Organizing Secretary Shri Govind Chandra Mahant, Regional Organizing Secretary of Bihar Region, Khayaliram Ji, Prant Secretary of Bharatiya Shiksha Samiti Bihar and Shishu Shiksha Samiti Bihar Shri Pradeep Kumar Kushwaha.



Alumni Interaction

Bhopal | An interactive session with the alumni of Vidya Bharati was held in the Sharda Vihar campus of Vidya Bharati Madhya Bharat Prant, Bhopal, by the Sah Sarkaryawah of Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, Dr. Krishna Gopal Ji.





The Tradition of Seeking Blessings

Basara, a famous pilgrimage site in the Telangana region, is home to the sacred Shri Saraswati Devi Temple on the banks of the holy Godavari River. It is a tradition for students of Saraswati Shishu Mandir to visit Basara at the beginning of their Class 10 session and seek the blessings of Goddess Saraswati.



Selection for Scholarship

Avani Anil and Shivanda Shivraman, students of Shri Saraswati Vidya Mandir, Karikode, managed by Bharatiya Vidya Niketan, Karikode P.O., Peruva, Kottayam District, have been selected for the prestigious scholarship offered by the Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi, for the academic year 2024-2025.



Alumni Parvati Honored with International Recognition



Ms. Parvati Jangid Suthar, an Alumna of Balika Adarsh Vidya Mandir, Shastri Nagar, Jodhpur, has been ranked third globally in the list of Top 100 Extraordinary Changemaker Women released on the occasion of International Women's Day. Parvati is the youngest woman on this prestigious list. Additionally, she was honored with the "Award of Balochi Dastar" for raising her voice globally against the oppression and genocide being carried out by the Pakistani military in Pakistan-occupied Kashmir and Balochistan.

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