

Gokhale Education Society's  
**SMRK-BK-AK Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nashik.**

## Event Report

Name of the Programme	Library User Education Programme on <b>Digital Literacy</b> Digital Resources and Facilities : In SMRK BK AK College Library and <b>Orientation Session on Savitri Competitive Examination Cell</b>
Day, Date and Time	29 <sup>th</sup> July 2025, Tuesday 11.00 am to 12.00 noon Senior College Students (B. A, B.COM, B.SC, BVA, BMS of Second year and Final year Students)
Organizing Committee/Department	Library Committee in collaboration with Savitri Competitive Examination Cell
Topic /Theme	An Orientation Session about Savitri Competitive Examination Cell and Digital Literacy Program about Digital Resources and Facilities : In SMRK BK AK College Library
Resource Person/s	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Prin. Dr. Mrs. Sandhya Khedekar (Principal)</li><li>2. Prof. Dr. Suresh Kanade (Co-ordinator Arts Faculty)</li><li>3. Dr. Satish Dhanawade (In-charge of Library Committee and Savitri Competitive Examination Cell)</li><li>4. Mrs. Yamini Galapure (Librarian) , SMRK-BK-AK Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nashik</li></ol>
No. of Teachers attended	18
No. of Students attended	84
Brief Summary	<p><b>Department of Library and the Library Committee</b>, in collaboration with the <b>Savitri Competitive Examination Cell</b>, organized a <b>Library User Education Program and a Digital Literacy Session</b>. The primary aim of this program was to promote awareness among students about the use of digital resources in the library and to provide an introduction to the activities of the Savitri Competitive Examination Cell.</p> <p>The event began with a welcome address by Mrs. Yamini Galapure, College Librarian and Secretary of the Library Committee. She emphasized the growing importance of digital literacy in academics and explained the shift from traditional print to online resources. She introduced students to e-books, journals, and databases available in the college library. Mrs. Galapure conducted a practical session demonstrating how to access digital tools, search academic content, and find exam papers. She also highlighted the need to use reliable and authentic platforms. The session aimed to help students become independent in using digital learning resources effectively and responsibly.</p> <p>Following this, Dr. Satish Dhanawade, In-Charge of the Library and Savitri Competitive Examination Cell, conducted an orientation session. He gave a clear overview of the cell's objectives and its ongoing support for students preparing for competitive exams like UPSC, MPSC, banking, and railways. Dr. Dhanawade explained that the cell was created to guide students through their exam journey by providing useful academic resources and mentorship. He</p>

mentioned that the cell regularly conducts workshops to boost students' confidence and readiness. The session helped students understand how to register with the cell and make use of the facilities and guidance available.

Prof. Dr. Suresh Kanade, Coordinator of the Arts Faculty, delivered an insightful talk on "Awareness about Competitive Examination." He discussed career options in public administration, education, finance, and defense services. He explained the structure of key exams and encouraged early preparation with discipline. Emphasizing the importance of reading newspapers and time management, he also shared his own practical experience in exam preparation. His talk was both informative and inspiring, helping students understand various career paths through competitive examinations.

One of the most impactful moments of the program was the address by the Principal, Dr. Mrs. Sandhya Khedekar on the theme "Opportunities in Competitive Examinations". In her brief but inspiring speech, she encouraged students to make the most of the resources offered by the college, especially the digital library and the Savitri Competitive Examination Cell. She explained the importance of consistent effort, time management, and self-discipline for competitive exam preparation. To further motivate students, Dr. Khedekar shared her own experience of qualifying the UPSC examination, highlighting the value of dedication and continuous learning. Her words deeply inspired students to stay focused and determined.

An interactive question-and-answer session was held to enhance engagement. During this session, students had the opportunity to clarify their doubts related to competitive exams and digital access. Their queries were addressed by senior faculty members. The session proved to be very beneficial, as it allowed for direct communication between students and experts, making the program more student-centric.

The event ended with a vote of thanks delivered by Mrs. Hema Deshmukh, who expressed gratitude to all participants and organizers. The program was informative and motivating, raising awareness about the library's digital resources and the Savitri Competitive Examination Cell. It successfully guided students toward academic support and career preparation, meeting its objectives effectively.

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**Library User Education Programme on**

An Orientation Session about Savitri Competitive Examination Cell and Digital Literacy Session on Digital Resources and Facilities : In SMRK BK AK College Library



Dr. Satish Dhanawade (incharge of Library Committee) guiding the students of importance of Library resources and facilities



Mrs. Yamini Galapure (Librarian of the College) explaining the students about the access strategies of Digital Resources and facilities



Prof. Dr. Suresh Kanade guiding the students about Competitive examinations



Prin. Dr. Mrs. Sandhya Khedekar guiding the students on "Opportunities in Competitive examinations"



Mrs. Hema Deshmukh proposed vote of thanks



Active participation of students in the session

<p>Signature of the Committee In-charge/ HOD</p>	  <p>Mrs. Yamini Galapure Secretary, Library Committee</p>	  <p>Dr. Satish Dhanawade In-Charge, (Library Committee and Savitri Competitive Examination)</p>
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