

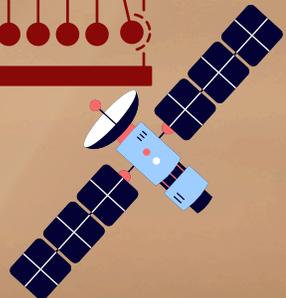
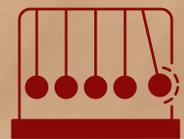
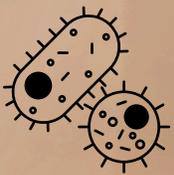
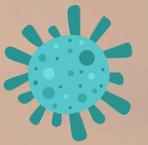
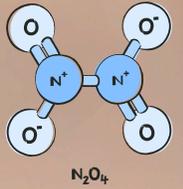
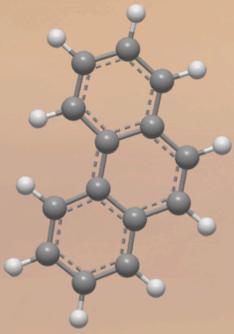


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About the College

Dayanand Science College, Latur, The Temple of Knowledge Striving for Excellence, is a leading institution run by the Dayanand Education Society. The college has been awarded the status of “College with Potential for Excellence (CPE)” and is NAAC Accredited with A⁺Grade. It is a DST-FIST sponsored college and has received the Best College Award (Urban) and Best Principal Award by SRTMU, Nanded. The college is also a proud recipient of the Maharashtra Government’s “Shahu-Phule-Ambedkar” Award. Spread over 22 acres of a closed green campus, the institution maintains digital classrooms and laboratories equipped with smart boards and touch panels. The college has received a RUSA Infrastructure Grant of Rs. 2 Crore. It has won the “Microsoft’s Showcase and Innovative College” Award by Microsoft India and the “Clean & Green Campus” Award by Latur Municipal Corporation. The college is recognized as “One District One Green Champion” by MGNCRE under MHRD and has received the 16th and 17th State-Level Awards for Excellence in Energy Conservation and Management by MEDA, in addition to being honoured with the Second Prize for Excellence in Energy Conservation by MEDA. It has also earned the First National Level Award for Scientific Calendar 2022 by MBSI, Best College Award of Career Katta by MITSC and the National Award in Energy Conservation -First Prize by the Ministry of Power, Government of India, presented by the Hon’ble President of India Smt. Droupadi Murmu.

The Dayanand Science Bulletin is a monthly publication that highlights the college’s major academic, scientific, cultural, and co-curricular activities. In this bulletin, we share updates about various college programmes, seminars, workshops, competitions, NSS/NCC activities, departmental events, as well as students’ and teachers’ achievements, awards, and recognitions. It serves as an effective communication platform to keep students, parents, faculty, and stakeholders informed about the institution’s continuous progress and accomplishments, while promoting a culture of excellence, teamwork, creativity, and responsibility.

The bulletin reflects the vision and progressive growth of the college under the able leadership of the Dayanand Education Society, guided by Hon. Shri. Laxmiramanji Lahoti (President), Hon. Shri Lalitbhai Shah (Vice President), Hon. Shri Rameshkumarji Rathi (Vice President), Hon. Shri Rameshji Biyani (Secretary), Hon. Shri Vishalji Lahoti (Joint Secretary), Hon. Shri Shrikantji Utge (Assistant Secretary), Hon. Shri Ajayji Sonawane (Assistant Secretary), Hon. Shri Sanjayji Bora (Treasurer), and all esteemed members of the Society. Their collective efforts continue to strengthen the institution’s academic excellence, research culture, and social commitment. The academic planning, quality enhancement, and overall development of the institution are effectively guided by Dr. J. S. Dargad, Academic Development Officer (ADO), ensuring sustained progress and continuous improvement in all spheres of academic and co-curricular activities.

Dr. S. S. Bellale
IIC Principal, DSC, Latur

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1. Savitribai Phule's birth anniversary celebrated in Dayanand Science College



The birth anniversary of Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 03 January 2026 at Dayanand Science College. On this occasion, the college's Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale paid tribute to Savitribai Phule, the first woman teacher, headmistress, women's savitri, social reformer, pioneer of women's education, who showed the way to enlightenment for all women. They paid their humble respects by offering a wreath to her portrait and wished everyone on the occasion of Girl's Day, Women's Liberation Day and Jayanti, so that everyone may follow the example of the work of the revolutionary Savitribai Phule. On this occasion supervisor, teaching and non-teaching staff was present.



2. Seminar on MNC Job Preparation for UG & PG Students



The Department of Computer Science, Dayanand Science College, Latur conducted an MNC Job Preparation Seminar for UG and PG students on 1st January 2026. The seminar aimed to equip students with essential knowledge and skills required for employment in multinational companies by familiarizing them with industry expectations and recruitment processes. It focused on bridging the gap between academics and corporate requirements through guidance on aptitude tests, technical and HR interviews, communication skills, resume building, and professional etiquette. The program also motivated students to develop global competencies, adaptability, and a professional mindset to confidently compete in the international job market. The seminar was held at 12:00 PM in the Computer Science Seminar Hall. It began with an introductory address by Dr. R. B. Shinde, Head of the Department of Computer Science, followed by the introduction of the resource person by Mr. V. G. Kulkarni, Program Coordinator. A total of 129 students from B.Sc. (Computer Science) SY & TY and B.Sc. (AI & ML) FY actively participated in the seminar. Also teaching and non-teaching staff were present.



3. A cricket practice camp is being organized by Dayanand Science College



A camp for the girls' cricket team selected for the West Zone Inter-University competition on behalf of Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded, and Dayanand Science College has been organized from January 05 to January 10, 2026. Students from various colleges affiliated with the university are included in this camp. They include Aishwarya Chevale, Sandhya Chavan, Radhika Shinde, Mohini Khadap, Janhvi Vir, Sandhya Sutar, Pratiksha Tavase, Dnyaneshwari Hake, Ashwini Borikar, Bhagyashree Bhusare, Swati Korde, Gayatri Mundada, Vaishnavi Khaire, Jyoti Waghmare, Sakshi Jadhav, Ayushka Kamble. The said inter-university competition has been organized at Banasthali University, Rajasthan, from January 15 to January 22, 2026.



Prof. Hrishikesh Maske is guiding the said team and Prof. Dr. Mahesh Bembade is acting as the camp coordinator. Dayanand Science College's Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, Dayanand Education Society's Sports Committee members Ravindraji Vohra, Dr. Nitesh Swami, Prof. Kalpana Tapekar, etc., visited the camp and wished the team success for the upcoming competition.

4. Dnyanprakash Balvikas Kendra students guided at Dayanand Science College



On January 05, 2026, students from Dnyanprakash Balvikas Kendra, Latur, who were selected for the Homi Bhabha Scientific Competition Examination, came to Dayanand Science College to prepare for the second round. These students were guided in detail regarding the Homi Bhabha competition examination and practical knowledge by expert and experienced professors from the Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Zoology, and Fishery Science departments of Dayanand Science College.

The students also performed practical experiments related to their examination subjects in the well-equipped laboratories of the college. Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, Vice Principal Prof. Bhausahab Sarvade, Supervisors Dr. Sandhya Kolhe, Dr. Hemant Varudkar, and others at the college expressed hope that the academic atmosphere and the experience of the expert and experienced professors at the college will surely benefit the students and help them succeed in the examination. The guidance was made possible with the cooperation of department heads Dr. Ravi Solunke, Dr. R.V. Kirtane, Dr. Vaishali Patil, Dr. Suraj Kolhe, and other professors.

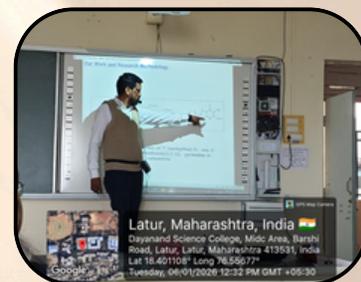


5. Special Seminar at Dayanand Science College on the Birth Anniversary of John Smith



On January 6, 2026, a special seminar was organized at Dayanand Science College, Latur as part of the 'Luminaria Lecture Series' to mark the 106th birth anniversary of the renowned scientist, researcher, and academician John Smith. Ms. Shweta Fawade, a third-year B.Sc. Biotechnology student, delivered a detailed presentation on the life journey, academic career, and significant contributions of John Smith to the fields of science and research. The presentation highlighted that John Smith promoted research-based learning, experimental teaching methods, and the spread of a modern scientific outlook in science education. His research has made science education more effective, fostering scientific awareness and a passion for research among students. John Smith made significant contributions to the field of science education through various research articles, papers, and academic books. His work conveys the message of integrating scientific thinking, logical reasoning, and ethical values. This seminar has encouraged the development of critical thinking, inspiration for innovation, a research mindset, and a scientific temperament among students.

6. Six-month progress report submission and presentation of Ph.D. work by Department of Chemistry, Dayanand Science College



The six-month progress report submission and presentation of Ph.D. work of research scholars was conducted on 6th January 2026 by the Department of Chemistry, Dayanand Science College, Latur. Total six research scholars presented their work carried out during the last six months. The presentations were evaluated by the Research Advisory Committee, and valuable suggestions were given to improve the quality and direction of the research work. Total 31 faculties, research scholars and students were present for this presentation.



7. Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights and Patent Filing Process



Dayanand Science College, organized a specialized workshop and live demonstration on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and the patent filing process on January 31, 2026. The session was presided over by Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, alongside Vice-Principal Prof. Bhausaheb Sarwade, IPR Coordinator Prof. Shivaji Alane, IQAC Coordinator Dr. Jaman Angulwar, and several other academic supervisors. During the workshop, Dr. Ravindra Shinde from the Chemistry Department provided a detailed walkthrough of patent searching and the legal journey toward securing a patent. His presentation covered essential steps including checking for invention novelty, completing Form 1 and Form 2 (provisional or complete specifications), the publication process, and the technicalities of drafting an application. Complementing this, Prof. Shivaji Alane emphasized the importance of IPR awareness for researchers and entrepreneurs, ensuring the large gathering of department heads and staff members understood the legal protections available for their innovations.

8. Placement Drive 2026



Dayanand Science College, Latur organized a placement drive in collaboration with Global Space Technologies and Giris Tech Private Limited on 8 January 2026 at 10:30 a.m. for UG and PG students of Computer Science and Computer Application. Placement drives aim to connect students with potential employers, providing a platform for companies to identify and recruit top talent. These drives typically involve a series of assessments, including aptitude tests, group discussions, and interviews, to evaluate candidates' skills and fit for various roles. A total of 109 students attended the inauguration program. The placement drive was conducted in two stages: Screening Test 1 and Screening Test 2. 88 students appeared for Screening Test 1, out of which 13 students were shortlisted for Screening Test 2.

The program concluded with the National Anthem. Several faculty members, coordinators, and guests were present, contributing to the successful execution of the placement drive.



9. Birth Anniversary of Rajmata Jijau and Swami Vivekananda Celebrated with Enthusiasm



The birth anniversaries of Jijau Ma Saheb and Swami Vivekananda were celebrated with great warmth at Dayanand Science College on January 12, 2026. On this occasion, the Acting Principal, Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, paid a humble tribute by offering floral garlands to the portraits of Rashtramata Jijau and the visionary Swami Vivekananda, while extending his best wishes to everyone. The event was attended 17 teaching staff along with other faculty members, non-teaching staff, and students.

The programme highlighted the ideals of social reform, national awakening and spiritual strength highlighted by Rajmata Jijau and Swami Vivekananda. The celebration concluded with a collective pledge by staff and students to follow the path of discipline, self-confidence, and service to society, inspired by the thoughts of these great visionaries

10. NCC Cadets of Dayanand Science College Participate Enthusiastically in Voter Awareness Rally



To increase the voting percentage in the Latur Municipal Corporation elections, a 'Voter Awareness Rally' was jointly organized on 10th January-2026 by the 53 Maharashtra Battalion NCC and the Latur Municipal Corporation. Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale and Principal Dr. Prashant Mannikar flagged off the rally. Starting from Dayanand College, the rally concluded at the Town Hall, witnessing enthusiastic participation from the NCC cadets of Dayanand Science College.

Captain Dr. Vijendra Chaudhary of Dayanand Science College meticulously planned the event. During the rally, cadets marched alongside peers from other colleges, carrying placards and chanting slogans like "Please Vote" to encourage citizens. At the concluding ceremony, the cadets benefited from the guidance of Municipal Deputy Commissioner Punjabrao Khansole.

Under the leadership of Colonel Santosh Naugan, Colonel Y.B. Singh, and Education Officer Shweta Nagnane, this initiative under the SVEEP (Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation) program drew the attention of Latur residents through the disciplined marching of the cadets. The event also featured the felicitation of Subhedar Harinder Singh, Sanjay Chikne, Havaldar Hirasingh, Ravi Kumar, and other personnel in the presence of the Dayanand Science NCC unit.

11. Dayanand Education Society is Equipped with Modern Facilities: Joint Director of Higher Education Hon. Babasaheb Bhosale



District selection trials for the state-level open-group invited cricket tournament organized by the Maharashtra Cricket Association were held at the cricket ground of Dayanand Education Society under the guidance of the President, Shri Laxmiramanji Lahoti, and Secretary, Shri Rameshji Biyani. The Latur District Cricket Association team will be selected based on the performance of players in these trials.



On this occasion, the Acting Principal, Dr. S. S. Bellale, was present and encouraged the players. Hon. Babasaheb Bhosale, Joint Director of the Nanded Higher Education Department, visited and inspected the cricket ground, guided the players and appreciated the modern sports facilities available at the institution. He also extended his best wishes to the players for the upcoming state-level competition.

12. Department of Physics Celebrates Ph.D. Award to Research Scholar Mr. Santosh Bhise



Santosh Laxman Bhise, who has been serving as an Assistant Teacher for the past 15 years at Mahatma Gandhi College, Ahmadpur, and is also working as a Research Scholar at the Research Centre of Dayanand Science College, has been awarded the prestigious Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degree in Physics by Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded. His academic journey reflects consistent dedication to teaching and research, and his achievement has brought pride to the institution. He successfully completed his doctoral research under the able and expert guidance of Prof. Dr. Vishwanath Mote, Department of Physics, Dayanand Science College. His research thesis, entitled “Synthesis and Characterization of Zinc and Manganese Doped Copper Oxide Thin Films”, focuses on advanced material synthesis techniques and their detailed scientific characterization, with special emphasis on their practical applications in the field of gas sensing technology. The research work involved a systematic study of the preparation of zinc- and manganese-doped copper oxide thin films and an in-depth analysis of their structural, optical, and sensory properties. Dayanand Education Society has consistently supported and encouraged such research achievements by providing a conducive academic environment and necessary institutional facilities. The Society actively promotes a strong research culture.



13. Celebration of 77th Republic Day of India



Dayanand Science College, Latur celebrated the 77th Republic Day with great pride and enthusiasm. The programme began with flag hoisting, followed by the National Anthem and patriotic messages. Later, a felicitation ceremony was held to honour teachers, researchers and students for their outstanding achievements in academics and sports. The honours were presented at the auspicious hands of the President and Secretary, in the presence of other office bearers, principals of various colleges and faculty members. Dr. J. S. Dargad (Nodal Officer) was felicitated for receiving a First prize in Energy conservation from the Ministry of Power, Government of India. Dr. Shankar D. Birajdar was honoured for securing a patent titled “An Improved Apparatus for Preparing Management Nanoparticle and the Process Thereof.” Dr. Sandhya Jadhav, Vishwanath Mote and Dr. Ravindra Shinde were felicitated for an International Germany Utility Patent for their work on “Mn-doped ZnO films for high-performance ammonia detection”. Dr. Sandhya Anil Jadhav was also congratulated for receiving her Ph.D. award in Physics. Students Mr. Ganesh Gunale and Mr. Sainath Dhakpade were also honoured for their achievements in martial arts and wrestling at the state and national levels respectively.

14. Miss. Dhaware Parnavi Pradhan was Selected as the Student Parliament General Secretary (GS)



The election for the post of General Secretary (GS) was successfully held in the presence of all student council representatives, under the chairmanship of the respected Principal Dr. S. S. Bellale.

Ugile Rutuja Haribhagwan
B.Sc. III Yr. (Ladies Representative)

Shaikh Sareena Rafeek
B.Sc. I Yr. (Ladies Representative)

Telange Vishal Khanderao
B.Sc. II Yr. (NSS Representative)

Mane Vaibhavi Dattatry
B.Sc. II Yr. (NSS Representative)

Akshada Anil Gaikwad
B.Sc. II Yr. (Sports Representative)

Yeshshree Ashish Baheti
B.Sc. II Yr. (NCC Representative)



15. Industrial Visit of the Biotechnology Department to Natural Sugar Factory



The Department of Biotechnology at Dayanand Science College regularly organizes various educational activities to provide students with hands-on experience of industrial processes. As a part of this initiative, a one-day industrial visit was organized to Natural Sugar and Allied Industries, Ranjani on 20th January, 2026.

Through this visit, students gained detailed insights into modern technology in the sugar industry, production methods, and the processing of biological by-products. By interacting with industry experts, students earned valuable exposure to career opportunities and skill development within the industrial sector.

Prof. Rutuja Digraskar and Prof. Aau Yelikar played a vital role as the coordinators of this tour. The presence of college professors and mentors ensured that the visit was highly informative, educational, and inspiring for all 59 participants.

16. Book Published by Capt. Dr. Vijendra Chaudhari



Dr. Vijendra Chaudhari, Head of the Department of Physics, Dayanand Science College, Latur, published the book titled “Fundamental Approaches and Advanced Techniques for Synthesis of Nanomaterials”. The book was released on 26th January 2026 by Shri Laxmiramanji Lahoti, President, Dayanand Education Society and Shri Rameshji Biyani, Secretary of the Society. The book provides a comprehensive overview of nanomaterials, including their synthesis techniques, properties and applications. The ceremony was attended by Shri Vishalji Lahoti (Joint Secretary), Kunalji Kore, other Society members and office-bearers, ADO Dr. Jayprakash Dargad, I/C Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, Principal Dr. Shivaji Gaikwad, Principal Dr. Prashant Mannikar, Principal Dr. Poonam Nathani, Principal Dr. Kranti Satpute, Principal Dr. Wajid Chaus, Principal Prof. Preeti Patwari, Vice Principal Prof. Bhausahab Sarvade, Supervisor Dr. Sandhya Kolhe, Supervisor Dr. Hemant Varudkar, Self-Finance Principal Prof. Anilkumar Mali along with teaching and non-teaching staff.



17. 'Boli Cha Jagar' Programme at Dayanand Science College



The Language Department of Dayanand Science College, Latur, organized 'Boli Cha Jagar' under the Marathi Language Conservation Fortnight (14–28 January 2026), under the guidance of I/C Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale. As the chief guest, Prof. Dr. Sunita Sangole (Head, Marathi Department, Dayanand Arts College, Latur) said that Marathi is enriched by dialects such as Konkani, Puneri, Ahirani, Malvani, Mandeshi, and Belagavi, and emphasized on the need to preserve and promote them.



18. Four Microbiology Students Receive Best Student Award from MBSI



Four students from the Department of Microbiology, Dayanand Science College, Latur, received the Best Student Award from the Microbiology Society of India (MBSI). The award ceremony was held during a one-day national conference at Sant Janabai Shikshan Mandal's Arts, Science and Commerce College, Gangakhed.

The awardees were Sarthak Korale and Rajalaxmi Waghmare (UG), and Shruti Pawar and Shraddha Mane (PG). The awards were presented by Dr. A. M. Deshmukh (President, MBSI) by giving mementos and certificates. The students were also felicitated by I/C Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale in the presence of Dr. Rahul More (HoD), teaching and non-teaching staff of Microbiology department. It reflects the continuous encouragement and academic support of Dayanand Education Society.



19. Students at Dayanand Science College Take Pledge for "Copy-Free" Campaign



Under the guidance of I/C Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, Dayanand Science College, Latur (run by Dayanand Education Society), organized a "Copy-Free Campaign" from January 19 to 26, 2026, to promote integrity in the upcoming 10th and 12th-grade board exams. During the event, Exam Center Chief Prof. Vijaykumar Mandale administered a pledge to the students, who vowed to face the February/March 2026 examinations through hard work and merit rather than unfair means. The students committed to following all board regulations, practicing consistently, and appearing for their exams with confidence and without fear or stress to honor their parents, teachers, and school. The ceremony saw a large turnout of students and staff, including Vice-Principal Prof. Bhausaheb Sarwade, Supervisors Dr. Sandhya Kolhe and Dr. Hemant Warudkar, Prof. Balwant Suryawanshi, and Prof. S.D. Rathod.

20. Department of Biotechnology organized State Level Seminar on Plant Tissue Culture: Challenges, Solutions, and Future Prospects.



At the Dayanand Science College workshop on January 29, 2026, Dr. Ashok Dhawan, former Vice-Chancellor of Vasant Rao Naik Marathwada Agricultural University declared that India's agricultural focus must shift from surplus production to Nutritional Security. Key speakers Dr. Jayaprakash Dargad and Dr. Rahul Chavan (Vilasrao Deshmukh Agricultural Biotechnology College) championed plant tissue culture as a revolutionary solution for developing high-quality, disease-free crops. To address the economic potential of the field, Mr. Shivaji Supare (G-Mart Nursery) urged rural youth to launch agri-allied startups, citing the high-turnover potential of nurseries. The event, held under the guidance of Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, also featured contributions from Dr. J.A. Angulwar, Dr. R.A. More, Prof. A.A. Bidkar, Ms. Shweta V. Madane student moderator Parnavi Dhavare, and Dr. Firdaus Biradar, who collectively addressed the technical challenges and future opportunities in biotechnology.

21. Department of Computer Science organized five-day mega robotics workshop



A five-day hands-on workshop on "Mega Robotics" from January 30 to February 3, 2026. Experts Arvind Prajapati and Revati Mali served as the primary resource persons, guiding 41 students from the B.Sc. second and third years through the nuances of robot assembly and development.



The event was inaugurated on January 30, 2026, under the chairmanship of Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, with IQAC Coordinator Dr. Jaman Angulwar attending as the guest of honour. In his presidential address, Dr. Bellale emphasized that in today's competitive era of automation, students must master innovative skills to ensure a bright future. The program's introductory remarks were delivered by Dr. R.B. Shinde, Head of the Computer Science Department, while the sessions focused on practical robot construction during the first three days, followed by specialized functional development in the final two days. The inaugural ceremony was hosted by Vaishnavi Sathe and Shreya, and the formal vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. S.A. Jaju.

22. Department of Microbiology organized one-day seminar on the theme 'Let's Make India Healthy'



Under the mission 'Let's Make India Healthy,' the Department of Microbiology, organized a one-day seminar on January 31, 2026. The event was presided over by Acting Principal Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, with Siddhant Taware from the Nature Cure Institute, Pune, serving as the keynote speaker. Other prominent attendees included Vice-Principal Prof. Bhausahab Sarwade, supervisors Dr. Sandhya Kolhe and Dr. Hemant Varudkar, IQAC Coordinator Dr. Jaman Angulwar, Seminar Coordinator Dr. Rahul More, and several esteemed faculty members. During the seminar, resource person Siddhant Taware addressed the alarming rise in lifestyle diseases among employees due to excessive work stress, noting that many individuals become dependent on medication by retirement. He emphasized that the modern era necessitates a return to home remedies and Nadi Parikshan (pulse diagnosis) to understand bodily requirements. Taware provided scientific insights into preparing natural medicines using plants such as Ashwagandha, Tulsi, Aloe Vera, and Spirulina. Furthermore, he announced that naturopathy therapies worth one lakh rupees would be provided free of charge for ailments like joint pain, high blood pressure, thyroid issues, PCOD, and skin problems. The seminar, which concluded with detailed guidance on dietary management and disease prevention, was attended by a large number of department heads, professors, and staff members from both the junior and senior colleges.



23. Talk on 'Women empowerment'



As part of the seven-day National Service Scheme (NSS) camp organized by Dayanand Science College, Latur at Davatpur village (Ausa Taluka) from 17 to 23 January 2026, a special lecture on “Women Empowerment” was delivered on 18 January 2026 by Dr. Deepti Dhere, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology.

Addressing rural women and girl students, Dr. Dhere emphasized that education, economic self-reliance, health awareness, and self-respect are the true pillars of women empowerment. She highlighted the importance of education, financial planning, self-protection, responsible use of mobile phones and social media, health care, and increased participation of women in politics.

The programme witnessed the presence of village women, students, NSS volunteers, and NSS Programme Officers Dr. Suraj Kolhe and Dr. Amol Thosar, along with faculty members.



24. Seven-Day National Service Scheme Camp of Dayanand Science College



The National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of Dayanand Science College, Latur had organized a seven-day special annual camp at Davatpur village, Taluka Ausa, District Latur, from 17 to 23 January 2026. The camp was based on the theme “Youth for Sustainable Development: Water Conservation Management and Wasteland Development.”

The inauguration held on 18 January 2026 at Davatpur village. Dr. Shivraj Bokade, former NSS Director, acted the chief guest and president of the programme was Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, In-charge Principal, Dayanand Science College, Latur.

The valedictory function held on 23 January 2026, presided over by Dr. Jaman Angulwar, IQAC Coordinator, with environmental expert Shri Suparna Jagatap as the chief guest.

During the seven-day camp, activities such as village cleanliness, clean school campaign, health check-ups, anti-addiction awareness, documentary presentations, and educational and social activities were conducted. The concluding ceremony strengthened the volunteers' sense of social responsibility, environmental awareness, and national service.

The camp was successfully organized under the guidance of Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, In-charge Principal, and NSS Programme Officers Dr. Suraj Kolhe and Dr. Amol Thosar, with active participation from faculty, staff, and NSS volunteers.

25. The Inaugural ceremony of the special NSS annual youth camp



The inaugural ceremony of the special annual youth camp organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Dayanand Science College, Latur, was held at Dawatpur (Taluka Ausa, District Latur) with great enthusiasm. The camp aims to develop social responsibility, service spirit, and leadership qualities among youth.



The ceremony was presided over by Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale, Principal of the college. Dr. Shivraj Bokade, former Director, National Service Scheme, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded, was the chief guest. The camp's theme is "Youth for Sustainable Development: Water Conservation Management and Wasteland Development", focusing on water conservation, soil conservation, tree plantation, and wasteland development through active youth participation.



Dr. Shivraj Bokade explained the objectives of NSS and emphasized that it is a movement for social change, not just a scheme. He urged students to work for the needy, make social service an integral part of life, and participate in water conservation, cleanliness, environmental protection, and rural development.



Dr. Siddheshwar Bellale noted that NSS is an effective movement for social transformation and that such camps help in the holistic development of students. The camp aims to promote rural development through various socially useful activities.

26. Students Spread Awareness on Environmental Conservation through Street Play



As part of the ongoing National Service Scheme (NSS) camp of Dayanand Science College, Latur at Davatpur village, an environmental awareness street play was organized on 18 January to promote environmental conservation among villagers.

The rally street play conducted to spread awareness about protecting the environment. The programme was guided by NSS Coordinator Prof. Shailesh Gavit, Dr. Deepti Dhere, Dr. Shweta Lokhande, Prof. Aishwarya Andhare, and Prof. Pooja Nandgave. Students actively participated by raising slogans and conveying messages related to environmental protection. NSS Programme Officers Dr. Amol Thosar and Dr. Suraj Kolhe, faculty members, NSS volunteers, non-teaching staff, and villagers were present in large numbers.



27. "Swachh Shala Abhiyan" (Clean School Campaign)



The National Service Scheme (NSS) of Dayanand Science College, Latur, successfully implemented the "Swachh Shala Abhiyan" (Clean School Campaign) at Zilla Parishad School, Dawatpur, Taluka AUSA. As part of the program "Youth for Sustainable Development: Water Conservation Management and Wasteland Development" (17-23 January 2026), NSS volunteers cleaned the school premises, classrooms, and surroundings. Teachers and students participated enthusiastically.

NSS Program Officers Dr. Suraj Kolhe and Dr. Amol Thosar guided the effort. Sarpanch Shivdas Kamble and Upasarpanch Vitthal Bedjewalge were present. All volunteers contributed diligently, making the campaign a success. The Swachh Shala Abhiyan created awareness among students about cleanliness, health, and environmental protection.

28. Village Cleanliness Drive at NSS Camp of Dayanand Science College



As part of the special annual NSS camp on the theme “Youth for Sustainable Development: Water Conservation Management and Wasteland Development,” organized by Dayanand Science College, Latur at Davatpur village, Taluka Ausa, a village cleanliness drive was conducted.

NSS volunteers cleaned main roads, public places, the Gram Panchayat premises, and water supply areas. Garbage collection and proper management of plastic waste were carried out. Anganwadi students were also educated about the importance of cleanliness in simple language, highlighting the link between hygiene and good health.

The initiative aimed to make positive cleanliness habits at an early age. Villagers actively participated and appreciated the efforts of the NSS volunteers. The programme was conducted under the guidance of NSS Programme Officers Dr. Suraj Kolhe and Dr. Amol Thosar, with the participation of NSS volunteers, Anganwadi students, and villagers. The drive helped create awareness about cleanliness among villagers and young students.



29. "Akash Darshan" (Sky Watching)



An "Akash Darshan" (Sky Watching) program was organized under the annual youth camp of the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Dayanand Science College, Latur, held at Dawatpur, Taluka Ausa. Dr. Mahadev Pandge guided students and village people on how to identify various stars in the sky and view stars and their directions using a telescope. He gave practical demonstrations along with explanations. The event was attended by Dr. Yuvaraj Sarnikar, Dr. Shreyash Mahurkar, Shankar Birajdar, Dr. Amol Thosar, Dr. Suraj Kolhe, NSS volunteers, villagers, and students of various age groups.



30. Talk on 'Addiction Free Society'



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31. 'Hind Ki Chadar' Documentary Screening



A special screening of the documentary "Hind Ki Chadar" was held at Zilla Parishad School, Dawatpur, under the special annual youth camp organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Dayanand Science College, Latur. The screening was part of the 350th martyrdom anniversary celebrations of Guru Teg Bahadur Sahib Ji, the ninth Sikh Guru, as per the directive of the NSS department of Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded. Through the documentary, students were informed about Guru Teg Bahadur Sahib Ji's great sacrifice for religious freedom, human values, and against injustice. The main objective was to instill secularism, tolerance, social unity, and national integration among students. After the screening, there was an interactive session with students, discussing Guru Teg Bahadur Sahib Ji's life and work, and inspiring them to draw motivation from his sacrifice. Students gave an enthusiastic response. The event helped increase students' awareness of history and nurture moral values. The headmaster, teachers of Zilla Parishad School, and NSS volunteers worked hard to make the program a success.

32. A health check-up and blood group testing camp



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A health check-up and blood group testing camp was organized under the special annual youth camp of the National Service Scheme (NSS) at Dawatpur, Taluka Ausa. Dr. Rahul More and Dr. Mahesh Karale conducted the health check-up and blood group testing for students. Dr. Mahesh Karale explained the importance of knowing one's blood group, its role in emergencies, and the social significance of blood donation. He also emphasized the importance of a balanced diet, regular exercise, and healthy habits. The camp saw enthusiastic participation from students of Zilla Parishad Primary School, Dawatpur, and NSS volunteers. NSS Program Officer Dr. Suraj Kolhe, Dr. Amol Thosar, teachers, Madhav Suryavanshi, NSS volunteers, and students were present. The health and blood group testing camp increased awareness about health and provided students with information about their blood groups.

33. Talk About 'Digital Literacy' 'Prosperous Democracy' 'Cyber Security'



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Under the special annual youth camp organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Dayanand Science College, Latur at Dawatpur, Taluka Ausa, a guidance lecture on the various topics. In this program, Mrs. Megha Pandit gave talk on 'Digital Literacy', Dr. Gajanan Bane and Dr. Ramshetty Shetkar gave talk on 'Prosperous Democracy', Dr. Manisha Gurme gave talk on 'Cyber Security'. The guests guided NSS volunteers and students of Zilla Parishad School on the various topics.



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34. Concluding ceremony of the National Service Scheme (NSS)



The concluding ceremony of the National Service Scheme (NSS) special camp organized at Dawatpur, Taluka Ausa, was held on January 23, 2026, with great enthusiasm. The chief guest for the occasion was Mr. Suparn Jagatap (Environmental Expert, Latur). During the ceremony, Mr. Jagatap guided the NSS volunteers and students about the importance of environmental conservation, growing environmental issues, protection of natural resources, and the role of youth in environmental protection. He emphasized that environmental conservation is a crucial social responsibility and everyone should focus on tree plantation, water conservation, and cleanliness.



Dr. Jaman Angulwar (IQAC Coordinator), who presided over the function, spoke about the objectives and goals of the National Service Scheme and its contribution to societal development. He noted that through NSS, students develop social awareness, leadership qualities, and a spirit of volunteerism. The function was attended by Dr. Annarao Chougule, Headmaster of Zilla Parishad School Kiran Mhetre, NSS Program Officer Dr. Suraj Kolhe, Dr. Amol Thosar, NSS volunteers, and a large number of students. The program was conducted by Mangesh Swami, and Hemant Jadhav expressed gratitude.



The NSS concluding ceremony marked the successful completion of various social service activities carried out with active student participation. The programme highlighted the role of NSS in developing social responsibility, leadership, and a spirit of service among students. Dayanand Education Society consistently strives to promote NSS activities and encourages students to actively participate in community service, nation-building initiatives, and social awareness programmes, thereby nurturing responsible and socially committed citizens.

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