



NAGINDAS KHANDWALA COLLEGE

(AN EMPOWERED AUTONOMOUS INSTITUTION)

REPORT ON STUDENT ATTRIBUTES FACILITATED BY THE INSTITUTION

For MALAD KANDIVLI EDUCATION SOCIETY

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NAGINDAS KHANDWALA COLLEGE OF COMMERCE
ARTS & MANAGEMENT STUDIES AND SHANTABEN
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About Nagindas Khandwala College

Education is an essential requisite for any civilized society. In 1942, when India was still under colonial rule, the need of education became all the more crucial. Realizing this need, the visionary Management Members of Malad and Kandivli areas came together and established the Malad Kandivli Education Society. Harboursing the dream of providing a high standard education, Malad Kandivli Education Society founded Sheth Nahalchand Laloochand High School in 1942-43.

Dedicated to providing outstanding education; the Malad Kandivli Education Society expanded its branches and established many new educational institutions. It has groomed many young minds into responsible citizens over these many years. Thousands of students have gone out of its portals and today occupy important positions in the Society. In its 60 years of existence, the society has achieved many milestones and one such significant milestone of the Society was the **establishment of the College in July 1983.**

The College commenced with three lecture rooms of Commerce, created by wooden partitions in a dilapidated hall without any government grant, catering to 300 students. In its first year, 330 students had enrolled in college. **In 1988**, the Arts stream was introduced and **‘Nagindas Khandwala College of Commerce and Arts’** and **‘The Bombay Suburban Grain Dealers’ Junior College of Commerce and Arts’** was established. After five years of its existence, the College received a grant from the government. The College ran in two sessions - morning and evening, for nearly a decade. In 2001, the evening session was discontinued and the Degree College ran full-fledged in the morning and the Junior College ran in the afternoon session. Today the College is renowned as one of the best institutions that provide quality education to more than four thousand students.

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Student Attributes

Education enables a person to be independent and leads to holistic development of their personality. Following are the student attributes that Nagindas Khandwala College advocates:

1. **Desire to Learn:** Students are always encouraged to acquire knowledge. Peer group learning, self-study, e-learning are important pillars of learning in Nagindas Khandwala College.
2. **Sincerity and Dedication:** Students of Nagindas Khandwala College are encouraged to perform all activities with utmost sincerity and dedication. Further, students are encouraged to contribute to the benefit of society.
3. **Honesty and Truthfulness:** Attributes like kindness, discipline, truthfulness, moral integrity and more are encouraged in students which helps students to understand themselves, and know their strengths and weaknesses.
4. **Open-mindedness to Learn:** Students at Nagindas Khandwala College are taught to appreciate the different cultures and learn to work with individuals from diverse backgrounds.
5. **Working Together:** This attribute helps students to acquire essential social skills, improves self-confidence, and sets students up for future success. Students learn how to listen to one another in order to function as a cohesive unit and how to respectfully, confidently and effectively express their ideas and opinions effectively in a group setting.
6. **Participating in Activities:** Organization of various extra-curricular activities such as cultural activities, N.S.S. activities, sports activities, seminars, workshops, social activities are carried out through different committees like the Students' Council, N.S.S. Committee, Women Development Cell, Career Development Cell, NKare Social Cell, etc. These activities are organized to make students ready for various events, to make them ready to participate in various competitions at district, state, national and international level.

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Through social activities, students learn to help others, which make them better individuals with a strong value system.

The College's Students' Council organizes different events like singing, dancing, drama, music, etc. These events not only give them a chance to exhibit their talent but also gives them an opportunity to enhance their management skills.

The college organizes various social activities such as tree plantation, old age home visit, beach clean-up drive, artificial pond awareness during Ganpati Visarjan, etc. which helps them to increase their sensitivity towards environment and society.

The Career Development Cell of the college helps students to develop their professional skills by providing training on team building, how to crack interview, etc.

The Entrepreneurship Development Cell conducts workshops and guest lectures to give insights to students who aspire to become an entrepreneur.

Through all these activities, students develop skills for their career path ahead. Students get opportunities to enhance their leadership abilities while increasing their self-confidence.

The college has various clubs like the Drama club, Music Academy, English Club, the English Literary Association, Gujarati Sahitya Mandal and Marathi Sanskrutik Mandal which help to enhance the proficiency and competency of students. Furthermore, it increases their awareness about various cultures, festivals and traditions.

With the continued efforts of teaching and non-teaching staff, Nagindas Khandwala College is striving hard to inculcate in the students the qualities of leadership, life-long learning, ethics and service to society.
