



ANNUAL REPORT

2024-2025

RURAL FOUNDATION NANDURBAR

Since its inception in 1994, the Rural Foundation has been a steadfast beacon of change, relentlessly working to uplift remote, hilly, and tribal-dominated regions across Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, and Gujarat. Our profound mission is to empower marginalized communities—particularly tribal families, women, and children—by pioneering transformative initiatives in education, sustainable livelihoods, comprehensive health, vital watershed development, and integrated holistic village development, fostering a future where every community thrives.



Prakash B. Patil

Founder & Chairman
Rural Foundation, Nandurbar

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Prakash B. Patil', written over a horizontal line.

Message from the Founder & Chairman

It gives me immense pride and gratitude to present the Annual Report of Rural Foundation, Nandurbar, which reflects our collective efforts towards inclusive and sustainable rural development.

Established in 1994, Rural Foundation has been working relentlessly in remote, hilly, and tribal-dominated regions of Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, and Gujarat. Our mission has always been to empower marginalized communities—particularly tribal families, women, and children—through education, livelihood enhancement, health initiatives, watershed development, and holistic village development.

Education lies at the core of our philosophy. We believe that true education nurtures character, confidence, values, and social responsibility. Through our schools, colleges, girls' hostels, and residential institutions, we strive to ensure that every child—especially first-generation learners and tribal girls—receives opportunities to grow into independent and responsible citizens.

Despite various challenges, our dedicated team and strong community partnerships have enabled us to work across 75 villages in 5 blocks, most of which are tribal dominated. Our integrated approach—combining natural resource management, women's empowerment, capacity building, and institutional development—has strengthened livelihoods and significantly improved the quality of life in these communities.

As we move forward, Rural Foundation remains committed to building a society where every individual lives with dignity, opportunity, and hope.

Warm regards,

About Rural Foundation

Rural Foundation is a registered non-profit organization established in 1994 by visionary social entrepreneur Prakash B. Patil, working towards the holistic and sustainable empowerment of marginalized tribal communities in Nandurbar—an Aspirational District of Maharashtra—and the adjoining border regions of Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh. Over the past three decades, the Foundation has evolved as a credible development institution, adopting a community-led and systems-oriented approach that integrates indigenous knowledge with contemporary scientific and policy frameworks to foster inclusive growth, resilience, and self-reliance.



Community members and beneficiaries of Rural Foundation's programs

75

Villages Covered

Across 5 blocks in tribal-dominated regions

3,300+

Lives Impacted

Tribal households and community members

30

Years of Service

Since 1994, building resilient communities

Rural Development: Building Climate Resilience

Between 1996, Rural Foundation implemented an integrated livelihoods and rural development model anchored in Natural Resource Management (NRM) as a foundational strategy for poverty alleviation. Large-scale interventions in watershed development, soil and water conservation, and groundwater recharge addressed chronic water insecurity, while parallel investments in women's financial inclusion strengthened local institutions through the formation and federation of Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These efforts enabled smallholder farmers and landless households to adopt improved irrigation systems, climate-resilient agricultural practices, and diversified livelihood options, resulting in measurable improvements in household income, food security, and economic stability across more than 75 villages. The integrated approach also contributed to reduced seasonal distress migration, enhanced household and family stability, and lower school dropout rates among children.

Building on this foundation, since 2019 and continuing through 2025, the Foundation has strategically pivoted towards climate change adaptation and resilience-building in response to increasing climatic stress, including erratic rainfall, prolonged dry spells, and declining groundwater levels. Working closely with farming communities, Rural Foundation is implementing climate-smart, water-efficient agricultural practices, strengthened natural resource management systems, and resilient livelihood models that provide immediate relief while enabling long-term adaptation. These interventions support farmers in reducing risk, making informed decisions, adopting innovative practices, and transitioning towards sustainable, future-ready agricultural systems.

Education Development: Cradle-to-Career Ecosystem

Recognizing human capital development as a critical lever for long-term social transformation, the Foundation institutionalized its education vertical in 1999. Under Rural Foundation Nandurbar Sanchalit (RFNS), the organization manages a comprehensive "Cradle-to-Career" education ecosystem encompassing primary and secondary schools, English-medium schools, the Bellwether International School, and higher education institutions including Junior and Senior Science Colleges, as well as B.Ed. and D.Ed. Teacher Training Colleges. A flagship intervention within this ecosystem is the Balikashram (Girls' Residential Home), which provides a structured, protective, and enabling environment for vulnerable girls, ensuring continuity of education and addressing entrenched gender and social inequities.



Savitribai Phule Higher Secondary School

900 Students

Operating successfully since 1999



RFN Senior Science College

260 Students

NAAC Accredited: Grade 'B++'



RFN College of Education B.ED

100 Trainees

NAAC Accredited: Grade 'C+'



Bellwether International School

208 Students

Established 2023, Co-ed English Medium

Key Milestones & Achievements

1 Engineering Water Security (Ridge-to-Valley Approach)

We successfully arrested soil erosion and enhanced groundwater recharge through massive landscape treatment.

- **Structures Created:** Implemented a dense network of Continuous Contour Trenches (CCTs), Water Absorption Trenches (WAT), and Gabion Structures to catch rainwater where it falls.
- **Visible Outcome:** In villages like Mograpani and Jamada, the "Net Irrigated Area" significantly increased (e.g., Mograpani saw seasonal irrigation rise from 28 ha to 100+ ha).
- **Innovation:** Construction of Sunken Ponds and Recharge Pits has directly improved water levels in open wells and borewells.

2 Climate-Resilient Agriculture (The "Soil Health" Initiative)

Moving beyond water, we transformed how farmers cultivate to ensure food security despite climate risks.

- **Input Reduction:** Distributed hundreds of Vermi-composting kits and trained farmers in making Jivamrut and Dashparni Ark (bio-pesticides), reducing dependency on chemical fertilizers.
- **Technology Adoption:** Installation of Automatic Weather Stations (AWS) in Anjane, Jamada, and Marod. Farmers now receive SMS advisories on rainfall and temperature, allowing them to plan sowing and harvesting to avoid weather damage.
- **Crop Diversification:** Successfully introduced Cash Crops (Turmeric, Vegetables) and Inter-cropping (Legume-based) to 100+ hectares, reducing the risk of total crop failure.

3 Livelihood Diversification & Women Empowerment

We reduced economic vulnerability by creating secondary income sources managed primarily by women.

- **Nutritional Security:** Established over 375 Kitchen Gardens (Nutritional Gardens) across the four clusters, providing families with fresh vegetables (Spinach, Tomato, Brinjal) and reducing market dependency.
- **Backyard Poultry:** Supported 320+ landless and poor households with Backyard Poultry units (approx. 50-90 units per village), creating a steady daily income from egg sales.
- **Institutional Strength:** Strengthened Village Watershed Committees (VWC) and Self-Help Groups (SHGs). In Mograpani alone, SHG women manage savings of over ₹9 Lakhs, empowering them to take loans for businesses like Flour Mills and Goatry.

4 Sustainability & Institutional Handover

Ensuring the project lives on after our exit.

- **Maintenance Funds:** Successfully established "Maintenance Funds" (e.g., ₹2.9 Lakhs in Anjane, ₹2.1 Lakhs in Mograpani) funded by community contributions and interest accrued. This ensures money is available for future repairs of dams and bunds.
- **Community Ownership:** Assets have been formally handed over to Village Watershed Committees, who are now trained in maintenance and water budgeting.



Our Programs & Projects

Program 1: Natural Resource Management (NRM) & Climate Resilience

Focus: Soil conservation, water harvesting, and climate-proofing agriculture in tribal belts.

Project Name	Location	Key Achievements / Scope
Anjane Watershed Project	Tal. Navapur (5 Villages)	Treated 525 Ha; Supported 187 Households; Created 250+ water/soil structures
Jamada Watershed Project	Tal. Navapur (3 Villages)	Treated 506 Ha; Supported 146 Households; Est. AWS (Weather Station) & Village Knowledge Centre
Marod Watershed Project	Tal. Navapur (2 Villages)	Treated 636 Ha; Supported 134 Households; High success in SRI Paddy & Cotton cultivation
Mograpani Watershed Project	Tal. Akkalkuwa	Treated ~570 Ha; 100% utilization of funds; Introduced Drip/Sprinkler Irrigation on 15 acres

Program 2: Social Welfare & Livelihood Empowerment

Focus: Supporting the most vulnerable (orphans, landless, and women) with shelter and sustainable incomes.

Rukhmabai Balikashram Target Group: Orphan/Semi-orphan Girls Provides shelter and care for 45 girls (Supported by WCD Dept).	Sewing Training Centre Target Group: Rural Women Trains 30 women annually (2 batches) for self-employment.
Watershed Livelihoods Target Group: Landless Families Distributed Poultry Units (90+ in Marod/Anjane) & Goatry units to landless families	Women's SHGs Target Group: Tribal Women Formed 40+ SHGs across watersheds (Anjane, Jamada, Marod, Mograpani) enabling savings & credit

Program 3: Human Resource Development (Education)

Focus: Providing quality education from primary school to post-graduate level, with a focus on science and teacher training.

Project / Institution	Capacity	Key Milestone (FY 2024-25)
RFN Senior Science College	260 Students	🏆 NAAC Accredited: Grade 'B++' (2nd Cycle)
RFN College of Education B.ED (Women)	100 Trainees	🏆 NAAC Accredited: Grade 'C+'
Savitribai Phule Higher Secondary School	900 Students	Operating successfully since 1999
Bellwether International School	208 Students	Newest initiative (Est. 2023); Co-ed English Medium
RFN Junior Science College	120 Students	Focus on 11th & 12th Science stream
RFN D.T.Ed. College	100 Students	Diploma in Teacher Education
RFN College of Education (Bardoli)	200 Students	B.Ed college expanding reach to Gujarat

Our Team: Qualified Leaders, Dedicated Practitioners

At Rural Foundation, our human capital is our greatest asset. Our organizational structure is designed to ensure technical rigor in our projects and academic excellence in our institutions. We currently employ a diverse workforce led by Ph.D. qualified experts and experienced field veterans.

107

Total Team Members

Multidisciplinary expertise across all programs

88

Education Staff

Ph.D. & NET/SET Qualified professionals

19

NRM & Climate Staff

M.Sc. (Agri) & Engineering specialists

Education Programme Staff

Building Minds: From Primary School to Post-Graduate Research

Our educational institutions are governed by a hierarchy of academic leaders ensuring strict adherence to university and board standards.

Higher Education (Colleges)

- **RFNS Senior Science College (Total: 19)**
 - Leadership: 1 Principal (Ph.D. Qualified)
 - Faculty: 8 Assistant Professors (NET / SET Qualified Subject Specialists)
 - Support: 10 Administrative & Other Staff
- **RFN Women's B.Ed. College (Total: 10)**
 - Leadership: 1 Principal (Ph.D. Qualified)
 - Faculty: 1 Assistant Professor (SET Qualified)
 - Faculty: 4 Assistant Professors (Post-Graduate Subject Experts)
 - Support: 4 Administrative Staff

School Education

- **Savitribai School Phule Higher Secondary school & Junior Sci College (Total: 23)**
 - Leadership: 1 Principal (Ph.D. Qualified)
 - Faculty: 16 Teachers (Subject-wise Experts)
 - Support: 6 Administrative Staff
- **Bellwether International School (Total: 30)**
 - Leadership: 1 Principal (Subject Expert)
 - Faculty: 15 Teachers (Academic)
 - Support: 14 Staff (5 Admin + 9 Transport/Safety)

Social Welfare

- **Rukhamabai Anath Balikashram (Total: 6)**
 - Care Team: 1 Adhikshika (Superintendent)
 - Support: 5 Care & Administrative Staff

NRM & Climate Change Project Staff

Building Resilience: A Multidisciplinary Field Force

Our Natural Resource Management (NRM) unit does not rely on external consultants. We have a dedicated, technical in-house team capable of executing large-scale watershed and climate adaptation projects.

Technical & Field Experts (Total Strength: 19)

Role / Specialization	Count	Function
Agronomists	4	Crop planning, Soil health, & Horticulture
Social Workers	3	Community mobilization & Participatory planning
Village Supervisors	4	Daily monitoring of field sites
Project Guidance Experts	2	Strategic oversight and donor reporting
Livestock Expert	1	Management of Goatry/Poultry units
Technical Expert	1	Engineering and Infrastructure quality
Women's Empowerment	1	SHG formation and gender mainstreaming
Community Organizer	1	Strengthening Village Watershed Committees
Admin Support	2	Documentation and MIS data management

Our Team Philosophy: "Quality through Qualification"

1. **Academic Leadership:** All major institutions are headed by Ph.D. qualified Principals. Crucially, our Science College faculty are NET/SET Qualified, ensuring they meet the highest national standards for teaching eligibility.
2. **Specialization:** Whether it is an Agronomist for the farm or a NET/SET Qualified Professor for the classroom, we believe in deploying specialists, not generalists.
3. **Field-First Approach:** Our NRM team is heavily weighted towards field staff (Agronomists, Social Workers, Supervisors) to ensure we are always present in the community.
4. **Inclusion:** We maintain a balanced mix of education, administration, and gender experts to drive holistic development.

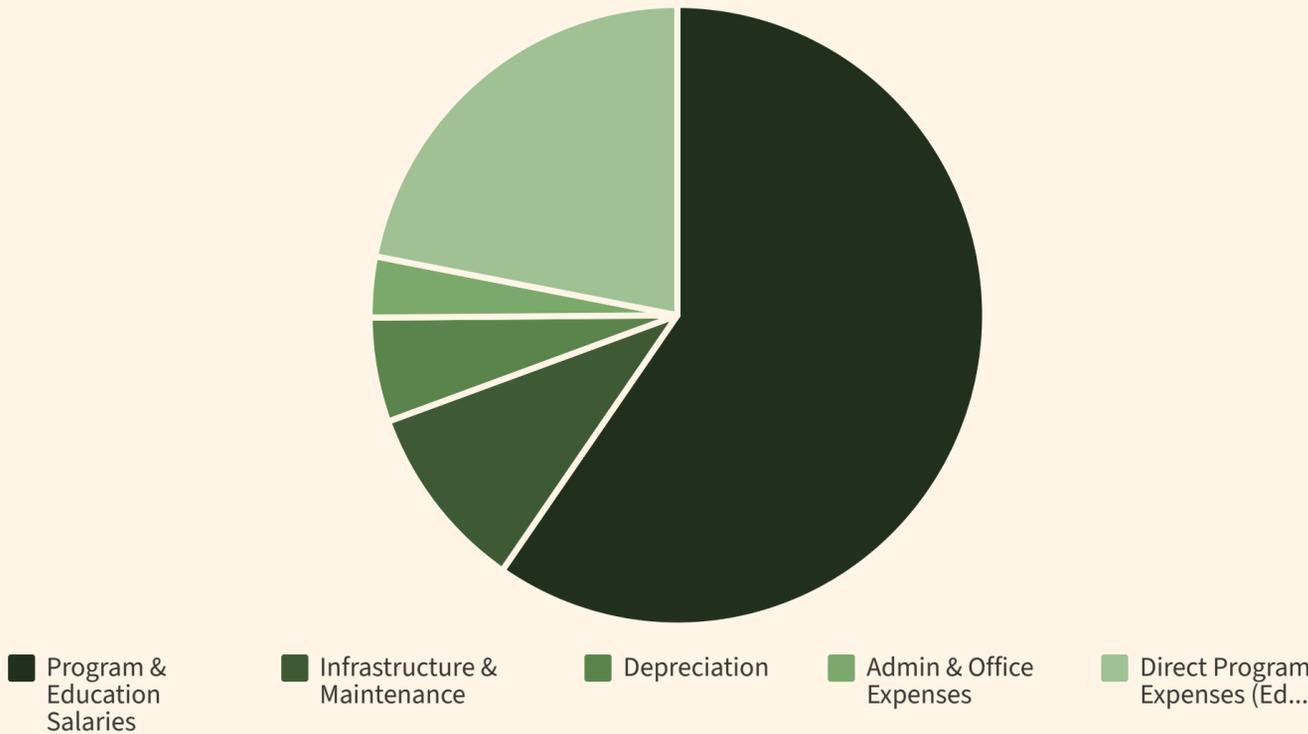
Financial Transparency & Governance

FY 2024–25: "Integrity in Every Rupee"

At Rural Foundation, we believe that financial transparency is the bedrock of trust. We adhere to the strictest standards of accounting and are fully compliant with the Bombay Public Trust Act, 1950, Income Tax Act, and FCRA regulations.

In FY 2024–25, the organization managed a financial portfolio of approximately Crores, demonstrating our capacity to handle large-scale CSR and Government grants with efficiency and zero procedural deviation.

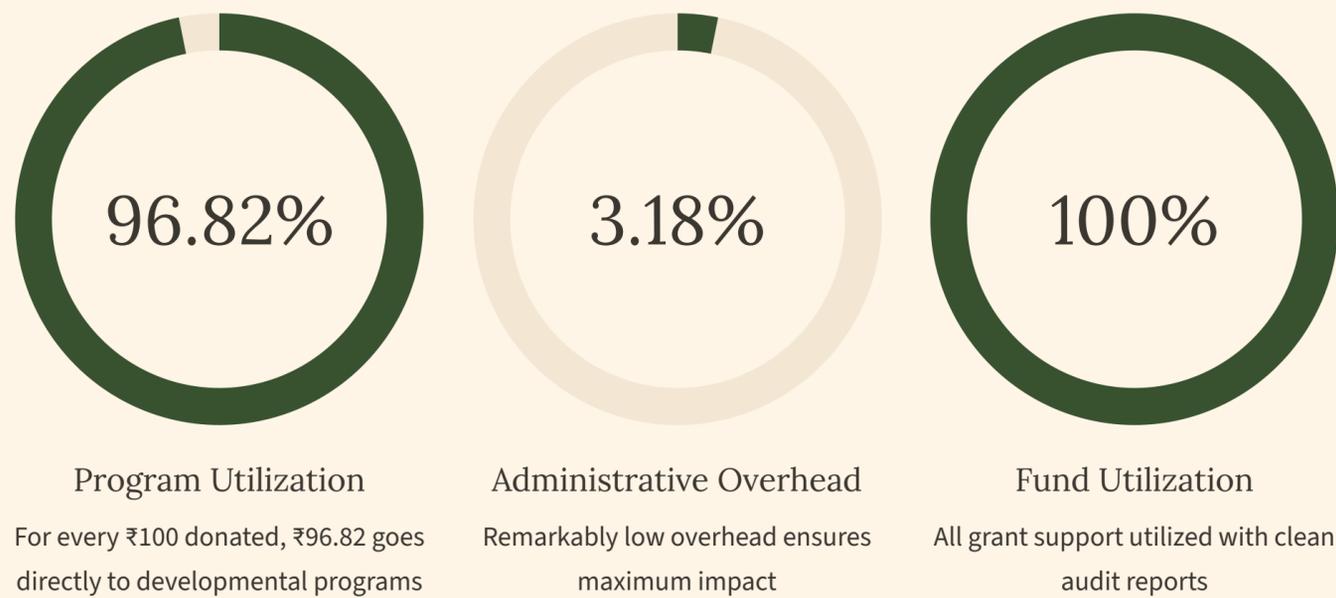
Expenditure Breakup (Audited)



The pie chart shows the distribution of expenditure across different categories. Program & Education Salaries represent the largest share at 59.85%, demonstrating our investment in human capital. Direct Program Expenses account for 22.03%, while Infrastructure & Maintenance represents 9.84%. Administrative costs are kept remarkably low at just 3.18%.

Detailed Expenditure Breakdown

Category	Amount (₹)	% Share
Program & Education Salaries	3,08,97,226.00	59.85%
Infrastructure & Maintenance	50,82,766.00	9.84%
Depreciation	28,19,800.00	5.46%
Admin & Office Expenses	16,41,474.35	3.18%
Direct Program Expenses (Education, Health, Women, Water, Environment)	1,13,74,657.80	22.03%
TOTAL	5,16,31,930.15	100%



Balance Sheet Highlights (31.03.2025)

- **Immovable Assets (Net):** ₹1,78,17,878.30
- **Total Assets:** ₹3,78,43,866.72
- **Cash & Bank Balance:** ₹80,07,804.00
- **Loans & Advances:** ₹61,17,421.00

Financial Health Indicators

Strong Grant Portfolio: Our income is diversified, ensuring organizational stability.

- **Government Grants:** Salary grants for Aided Educational Institutions.
- **Project Grants:** Restricted funds from NABARD and KfW for specific watershed deliverables.
- **Internal Accruals:** Interest realized from investments (₹ 7.40 Lakhs) ensures we have a safety net for emergencies.

Our Activities & Impact

Programs in Action Across Communities

Rural Foundation is deeply committed to fostering holistic development and sustainable change in rural India. Our diverse portfolio of programs addresses critical needs across various sectors, empowering communities, protecting the environment, and building a brighter future. Below are the core pillars of our work, each designed to create lasting impact through strategic interventions and community partnership.



Climate Change Adaptation (CCA)

We implement innovative strategies to help vulnerable communities adapt to the impacts of climate change. This includes promoting drought-resilient crops, efficient water harvesting techniques, and community-based disaster preparedness, ensuring long-term sustainability and food security.



Livelihood Activity

Our programs focus on enhancing economic opportunities for rural households through skill development, entrepreneurship training, and promoting sustainable income-generating activities. We support micro-enterprises and connect local products to wider markets, improving financial stability and reducing poverty.



Education

We strive to provide quality education and modern learning environments, from primary schooling to vocational training. Our initiatives aim to reduce dropout rates, improve literacy, and equip students with essential skills for future employment, fostering intellectual growth and societal advancement.



Farmer Producer Organization (FPO)

We empower small and marginal farmers by facilitating the formation and strengthening of FPOs. These organizations enable collective bargaining for inputs, better market access for produce, and shared knowledge on modern agricultural practices, boosting farmers' income and resilience.



Natural Resource Management (NRM)

Our NRM programs focus on the sustainable use and conservation of natural assets like soil, water, and forests. Through watershed development, afforestation, and biodiversity preservation, we ensure ecological balance and resource availability for current and future generations.



Training & Awareness Programs

We conduct regular training sessions and awareness campaigns on critical topics such as health & hygiene, sustainable agriculture, financial literacy, and environmental conservation. These programs build capacity, promote informed decision-making, and foster community participation for overall development.

Climate Change Adaptation (CCA)

Building Resilience in Vulnerable Communities

Our Climate Change Adaptation programs are designed to equip rural communities with the knowledge and tools necessary to withstand and thrive amidst the increasing challenges posed by a changing climate. Through a multi-faceted approach, we empower individuals and strengthen community structures to foster long-term sustainability and well-being. Our initiatives have successfully trained over **5,000 farmers** in climate-smart agriculture techniques, leading to enhanced food security and increased crop yields across **15,000 hectares** of agricultural land. We've implemented water harvesting solutions in **75 villages**, significantly reducing water scarcity and improving groundwater levels. These efforts have demonstrably improved community resilience and fostered sustainable development.



AMRUT PANI WATER CONSERVATION TECHNIQUE

Implementation of traditional water conservation techniques.



YELLOW CARD INSECT CONTROL

Eco-friendly pest management using yellow sticky cards.



VERMICOMPOSTING

Sustainable organic fertilizer production using earthworms



WATER RECHARGE

Innovative water recharge technique where water is filtered

Livelihood Activity

Empowering Economic Independence

Our programs focus on enhancing economic opportunities for rural households through skill development, entrepreneurship training, and promoting sustainable income-generating activities. We support micro-enterprises and connect local products to wider markets, improving financial stability and reducing poverty. These initiatives have directly benefited over **5,000 families** across various communities, leading to tangible improvements in their quality of life. Below are some examples of our livelihood initiatives in action:



Kitchen Garden Kits Distribution

We have established over **375 nutritional kitchen gardens**, empowering women to grow fresh vegetables like spinach, tomatoes, and brinjal. This initiative provides families with consistent food security, significantly reduces their dependency on volatile markets, and enhances overall household nutrition for hundreds of families.



Women's Self-Help Groups (SHGs)

Our Self-Help Groups foster financial independence and entrepreneurial spirit among women. For instance, in Mograpani, SHG women have collectively accumulated savings of over **₹19 Lakhs**. These funds are utilized for internal lending and investing in micro-enterprises like flour mills and goatry, creating sustainable business opportunities and economic growth.



Backyard Poultry Units

Through our support, over **320 landless and poor households** now manage backyard poultry units. These units generate a steady daily income from egg sales, contributing significantly to family finances. Moreover, the poultry provides a vital source of protein, drastically improving household nutrition and well-being.



Goatry Units

We have supported over 150 families in establishing goatry units as a sustainable livelihood option. Goat rearing provides multiple income streams through milk sales, meat production, and breeding stock. This initiative has proven particularly effective for landless and marginalized households, generating consistent monthly income while requiring minimal land and investment. Goats also serve as a valuable asset for families, providing both economic security and nutritional benefits through milk and meat production.

Education

Nurturing Minds, Building Futures



Foundational Learning

We provide quality education to over 1131 students annually, including many first-generation learners and tribal children, across institutions like the Bellwether International School (30 staff) and Savitribai Phule Higher Secondary (23 staff). Our efforts have successfully reduced the dropout rate by 15% in these primary and secondary levels, ensuring more children complete their foundational schooling.



Empowering Tribal Girls

At the Balikashram, tribal girls find a safe and protective environment where they receive education, nutritious meals, and essential mentorship. This program has enabled over 200 girls to overcome significant social barriers, with 90% continuing their studies to higher education. Many have become role models in their communities, proving that education is a powerful tool for change.



Advanced Higher Education

Through institutions like the RFNS Senior Science College (19 staff) and Women's B.Ed. College (10 staff), we offer advanced education with a dedicated team of NET/SET qualified faculty. These colleges serve over 320 students, achieving an average graduation rate of 85% and equipping them with the knowledge needed for successful careers.

Farmer Producer Organization (FPO)

Collective Strength for Agricultural Prosperity



MOGIMATA FARMER PRODUCER COMPANY, MAROD

MOGIMATA FPO is a farmer-led enterprise that operates an oil mill and produces poultry feed, creating value-added products from agricultural inputs. This organization has become a model for collective agricultural entrepreneurship in Navapur Block by empowering tribal farmers.

Key Details:

- **Location:** Navapur Block
- **Type:** Oil Mill & Poultry Food Production Unit
- **Leadership:** 11 Directors
- **Members:** 230+ Tribal Farmers
- **Community:** 100% Tribal Community FPO

Operations & Impact:

With 11 dedicated directors and over 230 tribal farmer members, MOGIMATA FPO enables farmers to process their produce locally, significantly reducing post-harvest losses. By creating value-added products like oil and poultry feed, the FPO ensures better market access and improved income for its members. This collective approach fosters economic growth and self-reliance within the tribal community of Navapur Block.



SANJYOG FARMER PRODUCER COMPANY, SHELTPANI, AKKALKUWA

SANJYOG FPO is a specialized farmer producer organization focused on amchur (dried mango powder) collection and processing. Operating in the Akkalkuwa Block within the Satpuda Range, this FPO has become a model for value-added agricultural product processing and tribal community empowerment.

Key Details:

- **Location:** Sheltpani, Akkalkuwa Block
- **Specialty:** Amchur (Dried Mango Powder) Collection & Processing
- **Leadership:** 11 Directors
- **Members:** 250+ Farmer Shareholders
- **Community:** 100% Satpuda Range Tribal Community FPO

Operations & Impact:

SANJYOG FPO specializes in the collection and processing of amchur, a high-value agricultural product derived from raw mangoes. With 11 dedicated directors and over 250 tribal farmer shareholders, the organization creates employment opportunities and generates sustainable income for tribal communities in the Satpuda Range. By processing raw mangoes into amchur, the FPO adds significant value to agricultural produce, ensures better market prices for farmers, and reduces post-harvest losses. This initiative demonstrates how traditional agricultural products can be transformed into profitable enterprises while preserving tribal livelihoods and cultural practices.

Natural Resource Management (NRM)

Infrastructure Clicks



CHECK DAM, MAROD



SUKUN POND, ANJANE



CCT, JAMDA



MATI NALA BUND, MOGRAPANI



FARM BUNDING, MOGRAPANI

Training & Awareness



WOMEN HEALTH CAMP, MOGRAPANI AKKALKUWA



WOMEN'S MELAVA CAMP



FARMER FIELD SCHOOL AWARENESS



ANIMAL VACCINATION & HEALTH CAMP, MOGRAPANI AKKALKUWA

Media Coverage

Rural Foundation in the News

Below are some examples of our recent coverage:

दिव्य मराठी धुळे सिटी 18-04-2024

व्याख्यानमाला • महिला शिक्षणशास्त्र महाविद्यालयाच्या कार्यक्रमात प्रतिपादन

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प्रतिनिधी | अक्कलकुवा

क्रांतिपूर्ण महात्मा ज्योतिबा फुले यांनी मुलींसाठी शिक्षणाचे द्वार उघडले होते. त्यामुळे मुलींनी आता उच्च शिक्षणाची कस भरवी व या संधीचे सोने करावे, असे प्रतिपादन येथील वि. वि. म. कला वाणिज्य महाविद्यालयचे प्रा.डॉ. जय बागुल यांनी व्याख्यानमालेत केले.

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बेलवेदर स्कूलमध्ये उन्हाळी शिबिराचा समारोप

नंदुरबार येथील बेलवेदर इंटरनॅशनल स्कूलमध्ये झालेल्या उन्हाळी शिबिरात सहभागी विद्यार्थी, सोबत प्राचार्या शिल्पा चन्ने व प्रशिक्षक.

(छाया : सुनील कुलकर्णी)

लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क नंदुरबार : येथील बेलवेदर इंटरनॅशनल स्कूलमध्ये आठ दिवसीय उन्हाळी शिबिराचा समारोप करण्यात आला.

या आठ दिवसीय शिबिरात विविध उपक्रम राबविण्यात आले व तज्ञ मार्गदर्शकांमार्फत मार्गदर्शन करण्यात आले.

योगासने, वारली, घोडेस्वारी, कला, हस्तकला, कराटे, मनोरंजक खेळ, कोलाज काम, रंगछटा, ध्यान साधना, गायन व नृत्य, कुंभार कामाची ओळख, चंद्रयानबाबत व्हिडीओव्दारे माहिती, रॉकेट बनविणे, सलाड सजावट, अभिविना स्वयंपाक, मतदान जनजागृती आदी विविध उपक्रम राबविण्यात आले. त्यात २०० विद्यार्थ्यांनी सहभाग नोंदवला. तसेच रोज विविध प्रकारचे पौष्टिक पदार्थ देण्यात आले. समारोपप्रसंगी संस्थेचे संदीप पाटील, प्राची पाटील, प्राचार्या शिल्पा चन्ने आदी उपस्थित होते. यावेळी सहभागी विद्यार्थ्यांना बक्षीसे व प्रमाणपत्र देण्यात आले. कार्यक्रमासाठी शिक्षक व कर्मचाऱ्यांचे सहकार्य लाभले.

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सोरापाडा शिक्षणशास्त्र महिला महाविद्यालयाचा १०० टक्के निकाल

लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क वाण्याविहीर : अक्कलकुवा तालुक्यातील सोरापाडा येथील आर. एफ.एन.एस. शिक्षणशास्त्र महिला महाविद्यालयाचा शैक्षणिक वर्ष २०२३-२४ बी. एड. प्रथम वर्षाचा निकाल १०० टक्के लागला.

शैक्षणिक वर्ष २०२३-२४ या वर्षातील प्रवेशित एकूण ५० विद्यार्थिनींचा प्रथम वर्षाचा निकाल नुकताच जाहीर झाला. महाविद्यालयाचा निकाल हा १०० टक्के लागला आहे.

त्यात प्रथम क्रमांक अश्विनी संजय अग्निहोत्री (७५.७० टक्के), द्वितीय अदिती प्रदीपराव रामदासी (७५.७० टक्के) व तृतीय क्रमांक भाग्यश्री ईश्वर वळवी (७३.६० टक्के) या विद्यार्थिनीने मिळविला.

संस्थेचे चेअरमन प्रकाश बी. पाटील, महाविद्यालयाच्या प्राचार्या डॉ. ज्योती लष्करी, प्रा. योगीता चौधरी, प्रा. वर्षा वसावे, प्रा. जमिला वळवी, प्रा. पूनम माळी, प्रा. कुसुंबा गावीत, प्रा. नंदिनी लष्करी, प्रा. कैलास पाटील, तुळशीराम वळवी, प्रीतेश बाविस्कर, बहादूर पाडवी आदींनी यशस्वी विद्यार्थिनींचे कौतुक केले.

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अक्कलकुवा महाविद्यालयास आज नॅक समितीची भेट

नवापूर : अक्कलकुवा येथील आर. एफ. एन. एस. वरिष्ठ विज्ञान महाविद्यालयास गुणवत्तेचे मूल्यमापन करण्यासाठी तीन सदस्यीय नॅक समिती १६ व १७ जानेवारीला भेट देणार आहे. समिती अध्यक्ष आनंद (गुजरात) येथील सरदार पटेल विद्यापीठातील संगणक विज्ञान व तंत्रज्ञान विभागाच्या संचालिका प्रा. डॉ. प्रीती श्रीनिवास सज्जा आहेत. समन्वयक म्हणून मिझोराम विद्यापीठातील रसायनशास्त्र विभागातील प्रा. डॉ. दिवाकर तिवारी, समिती सदस्य म्हणून बारामुल्ला (काश्मीर) येथील शासकीय पदवी महाविद्यालयाचे प्राचार्य डॉ. मोहम्मद फारूक राथर यांची नियुक्ती झाली आहे. भेटीत समिती विविध शैक्षणिक, प्रशासकीय आणि गुणवत्ता वाढीच्या उपक्रमांचे मूल्यमापन करेल. तसेच शैक्षणिक व सामाजिक कार्य, विद्यार्थी विकासासाठी घेतलेले उपक्रम आणि राष्ट्रीय शिक्षण धोरण-२०२० च्या अंमलबजावणीचे निरीक्षण करेल. भेटीसाठी महाविद्यालयात विशेष तयारी सुरू आहे. महाविद्यालयासाठी ही भेट एक महत्त्वपूर्ण टप्पा ठरणार असून, या माध्यमातून महाविद्यालयाच्या शैक्षणिक स्तराला नवीन उंची मिळेल, असा विश्वास व्यक्त केला जात आहे.

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अक्कलकुवा येथे आर.एफ.एन.एस. महाविद्यालयात 'स्वातंत्र्य सेनानींचे महत्त्वा'वर सेमिनार

तथा वृत्तसेवा अक्कलकुवा, १ ऑक्टोबर

येथील आर. एफ. एन. एस. वरिष्ठ विज्ञान महाविद्यालयातील राष्ट्रीय सेवा योजना विभाग, आय.क्यू.ए.सी. व ग्रंथालय विभागाच्या वतीने केंद्र शासन व क्वचो उर्मावे जळगाव रा.से.यो. विभाग यांच्या निदेशानुसार 'स्वच्छता ही सेवा' मोहिमेतर्गत १ ऑक्टोबर रोजी महाविद्यालयात 'स्वातंत्र्य सेनानींचे महत्त्व' या विषयावर सेमिनारचे आयोजन करण्यात आले. अध्यक्षस्थानी प्राचार्य प्रा.डॉ.सी.पी.सावंत होते. प्रमुख मार्गदर्शक म्हणून खापर येथील कला व वाणिज्य महाविद्यालयातील इतिहास विभागप्रमुख प्रा. डॉ. अर. डी. चौधरी उपस्थित होते. प्रथम सत्रात प्रा. डॉ. आर. डी. चौधरी यांनी 'भारतीय जहालवादी, मवाळवादी व क्रांतीकारक स्वातंत्र्य सेनानी' या विषयावर मनोगत व्यक्त केले. अध्यक्षीय भाषणात प्राचार्य प्रा.डॉ.सी.पी.सावंत यांनी मार्गदर्शन करताना भारतीय स्वातंत्र्य सेनानी आजच्या युवकांचे आदर्श असावे असे मत व्यक्त केले.

द्वितीय सत्रात 'भारतीय स्वातंत्र्य सेनानी' या विषयावर पोस्टर स्पर्धेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले. स्पर्धेचे उदघाटन प्राचार्य प्रा. डॉ. सी.पी. सावंत यांनी केले. परीक्षण प्रा. डॉ. आर. डी. चौधरी यांनी केले. कार्यक्रम यशस्वीतेसाठी रा.से.यो. नंदुरबार जिल्हा समन्वय प्रा. डॉ. विजय पाटील, कार्यक्रम अधिकारी प्रा. राजेश्वरसिंग पाडवी, प्रशांत पिंपळे, भगवान पाटील, नारायण पाटील, भरत साळवे, अंकुश ठाकरे, दिनेश इशी यांचे सहकार्य लाभले. रा. से. यो. विभागासोबत प्रथम सत्र कार्यक्रमाचे नियोजन आय.क्यू.ए.सी. समन्वयक प्रा. डॉ. योगेश दुर्गिंग यांनी केले.

प्रास्ताविक सहाय्यक कार्यक्रम अधिकारी प्रा. डॉ. अंकुश खोब्रागडे यांनी, तर सूत्रसंचालन प्रा. डॉ. भरत पाटील व आभार प्रा. डॉ.सुबेर शेख यांनी केले. द्वितीय सत्र पोस्टर स्पर्धेचे नियोजन ग्रंथपाल प्रा.गोदू सूर्यवंशी यांनी केले.

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Strategic Outlook: The Road Ahead

FY 2025–26: "From Project Implementation to Sustainable Partnership"

As we move into the new financial year, Rural Foundation is pivoting its strategy from "Project Implementation" to "Sustainable Partnership." Our roadmap for 2025–26 focuses on three key pillars: Direct Climate Action, Educational Modernization, and Transparent Resource Mobilization.

		
NRM Strategy: Direct Climate Action Theme: From "Watershed" to "Carbon Sinks" We are shifting our narrative from traditional soil conservation to a "Direct Climate Action" framework. Our interventions in FY 2025–26 will focus on measurable environmental offsets. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Carbon Capture: Treating degraded lands in the Satpudas to act as carbon sinks.• Water Security: Creating "Water Banks" through ridge-to-valley structures that directly mitigate drought risk.• Implementation Sites: Zharipada Cluster (Navapur Block) and Kalamba Cluster (Nandurbar Block)	Education Strategy: Quality 2.0 Theme: Skills, Screens, and Standards Building on our recent NAAC 'B++' and 'C+' Accreditations, we are upgrading the "Quality of Education" to match urban standards. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Digital Integration: Smart Classrooms in our Senior Science College to facilitate hybrid learning.• Skill-Based Curriculum: Introducing "Vocational Certificate Courses" (e.g., Soil Testing, Organic Inputs) to make our science graduates industry-ready.• Alumni Engagement: Formalizing the alumni network to provide mentorship and placement support.	Resource Mobilization: Listed & Verified Theme: Discoverable, Transparent, Compliant To make it easier for Corporate India to partner with us, Rural Foundation has completed its listing on India's premier CSR exchanges. We are now "Investment Ready" for companies seeking verified implementation partners.

Social Welfare: Sustainability Partnerships

Rukhmbai Balikashram: We are actively seeking a long-term CSR partner to adopt the orphanage, shifting from a "survival model" to a "holistic development model" that includes digital literacy and nutritional upgrades for the girls.

Our Partners in Change: "Supported by the Best"

Rural Foundation is proud to implement its programs with the financial and technical backing of prestigious national and international agencies. We extend our deepest gratitude to the following organizations for their trust in our capability.



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