



Vidya Bharati Shaikshanik Mandal, Amravati's

Vidya Bharati Mahavidyalaya, Amravati

**Affiliated to Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati
Maharashtra**

NAAC Re-accredited with Grade "A"(CGPA 3.26-Second Cycle)
CPE Status (Third Time) by UGC,
Mentor College under Paramarsh Scheme by UGC
'Lead College' by S.G.B. Amravati University, Amravati
ISO Certification: 9001:2015 and 14001:2015

Website: vbmv.org

Information Brochure

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Disabled-Friendly & Barrier Free Environment

1. Physical Facilities:

The college provides special facilities for the differently-abled students and persons to provide them opportunities to acquire quality education and to bring them into the main stream of the society. The college has a social responsibility and perception that differently-abled students should be respected and treated as a normal human being.

Wheel chair facility



2. Ramp/Rails:

The college has a special facility of ramp and rails for the differently-abled students. The main entrances and exits clearly identifiable and easily accessible. It can accommodate wheelchair users. Steps and ramps have hand railings and the entrance permitting access to a conveniently located lift.

Ramp/ Rails



Ramp at Main Building

3. Provision for the Lift

Parking for people with disabilities is available near the building. This is easily accessible to cross-disability groups equally. Accessible indoor parking spaces are located close to the lift. The doors should be wide enough to accommodate wheelchair users and the space inside is sufficient for them. Appropriate heights control panels and the large buttons are embossed. Visual and audible signals indicating the arrival at different floors is available.



Elevator in Main Building



Elevator in MBA Building

4. Rest Rooms:

Separate toilets are available for people with disabilities. They are clearly identifiable and accessible. The doors are wide enough and lockable from inside and releasable from outside. There is enough maneuvering space inside. All floor surfaces are slip resistant. Mirrors, flushing arrangements, dispensers mounted at appropriate heights.

Rest Room



5. Scribes for the Examination:

There are some students who feel difficult to take the examination and they need scribes with them. The college provides or allows the students to take the help of scribes in the examination. The college has established the Human Assistance Group consisting 42 students voluntarily ready to render their services to the differently abled students as scribes and readers to assist them. The details of the contacts and accessibility are made

available on the college website.

- a) The blind student may select the scribe.
- b) The scribe needs to have a qualification lower than that of the student. The scribe should not have the qualification (with the same optional and languages) pertaining to the examinations, which the student is writing (For example, student who has completed B.A. or M.A. can be a scribe for the student who is taking B. Sc. Examinations).
- c) A physically disabled / blind / hearing impaired candidate and the scribes for such a candidate shall be allowed an extra time of 20 minutes per hour.

As the hearing impaired students are having language problems, possibilities of grammar mistakes, mistakes in building the sentences are there. Hence, the answer papers shall be identified separately and evaluated with additional care.

(Link of Human Assistance Group): https://vbm.v.org/support_human_assistance.php

6. Braille Software facilities:

The differently-abled students are provided the facility of the Braille Software to develop their skills. The college helps them to develop their language and other skills through Braille Software.

Non Visual Desktop Access (NVDA): It is an open source, portable screen reader for Microsoft Windows.



Central Library

Certificate by the Librarian

This is to certify that Braille Software is available with the Central Library.
This Software is used to support for the differently-abled students.



Librarian



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