



The B.G.E. Society's

**Sitabai Arts, Commerce & Science
College, Akola (M.S.)**

Central Library Profile

Dr.A.S.Sonone

Librarian

Sitabai Arts, Commerce & Science College, Akola (M.S.)



About College

Sitabai Arts College, fondly referred to as S.A. College, located in the heart of Akola city is the temple for the pupils pursuing various educational and vocational courses. Established in 1938, S. A. College has the honour and privilege of being the oldest and most seasoned educational institution in Vidarbha, Maharashtra.

Founded in pre-independence era, it has its roots deep in the virtues and great values. Having said that, the fact remains that it has never shied away from keeping up with the pace of changing time. As a result it has always been proactive in adopting the latest technologies and innovative teaching practices to ensure that the pupils are groomed in the most optimum manner.

Spread across 2.5 acres, it has self-owned and well equipped infrastructure to facilitate the scores of UG and PG courses. These include Bachelor of Arts in the fields of English, Marathi, Hindi, Urdu, Sanskrit, Economics, Political Science, Sociology, History, Home Science, Music and Master of Arts in the fields of English, Marathi, Hindi, Economics, Political Science, History, Sociology and Music. The facilities include: Reading rooms, female students' room, first-aid and medical section, fully equipped labs, traditional and modern musical instruments, a reservoir of 54000+ books in the library, sports equipments, dedicated halls for yoga and meditation, to name a few. S. A. College takes on roll the top-notch personnel, who tirelessly invest their soul, heart and skills in bringing out the best in each individual pupil. A few credentials that substantiate this fact: S. A. College's full time engagement of 9 Research Guides, 17 qualified doctorates – Ph.D. in their respective fields, 2 Major Research Project Awardees, 20 Minor Research Project Awardees and quite a few well-experienced teaching and non-teaching staff.

So as to benchmark the best practices, the faculties frequently organize informal yet effective 'Train – the – Trainer' sessions, thus they constantly sharpen their knowledge sharing acumen.

Central Library.

The college has a well equipped and spacious library with more than 54,000 books (Including Some Rare books) journals and numerous periodicals, newspapers and E-resources facility, provides excellent opportunities for academic exploration and research to the students, teaching staff and research scholars. Library is using SOUL software developed by INFLIBNET (An Inter University Center of UGC) for the library automation since 2005. It is now fully computerized with Barcode facility. Library also a member of N-List Consortia of the INFLIBNET.

Library Advisory Committee

Library advisory committee consists of all Head of the Departments. The committee monitors all the activities of the library.

Sr.No	Name	Designation	Department
1	Dr.R.D.Sikchi	Chairman	Principal
2	Dr.R. V.Rathod		HOD,Pol.Sci.
3	Shri.R.R.Ranpise	--“--	HOD,English
4	Dr.B.S.Wazire	--“--	HOD,History
5	Dr.D.E.Umbarkar	--“--	HOD,Sociology
6	Shri.B.B.Dharne	--“--	HOD,Marathi
7	Shri.A.M.Khare	--“--	HOD,Music

8	Dr.S.K.Keswani	--“--	HOD,Hindi
9	Dr.C.Kherdekar	--“--	HOD,Home Sci.
10	Dr.P.R.Gawai	--“--	HOD,Economics
11	Dr.A.S.Sonone	Secretary	Librarian

Library Services

Library provides following services to its users. These are

1. Circulation Service
2. Reference Service
3. Current Awareness Service
4. Document Delivery Service
5. OPAC Service
6. Internet Service/E-Resources Facility
7. Printing and Reprography
8. Selective Dissemination of information
9. Reading Room Facility
10. Institutional Repository

Library Timings: 8 am to 5.30 PM

Library Science Courses:

UGC has sanctioned Certificate, Diploma; Advance Diploma Career oriented Courses to the dept. of library.

Library Staff

Sr.No	Name of the Staff	Qualification	Designation
1	Dr.A.S.Sonone	M.Com.,M.Phil., M.Lib.I.Sc.SET,Ph.D.	Librarian
2	Shri.M.S. Jamnik	H.Sc.	Jr.Clerk
3	Shri.Vivek Wadewale	B.A.	Library Attendant
4	Shri. M. Hiwarale	B.A.	Library Attendant
5	Kiran Patekhede	B.A	Library Attendant
6	Pranav Joshi	B.Com.	Library Attendant

Library Members

The students, Teaching Staff, Ph.D. Research Scholars are regular members of the library .In the current academic year 2016-2017 1847 members are registered for library membership.

Books Circulation-

Home circulation-2 book at a time for Student

In-house(Reading Room)Circulation-1 book

Extension Activities:

1. Best User Award

To increase the reading habits and to motivate the students for reading library started Best user Award for the best user of the library. This award is presented every year in the annual prize distribution ceremony of the college. The nature of the award is Cash prize Rs.501, book and certificate.(Librarian)

2. Books Exhibition

Library organizes books exhibition on the occasion of special day of the author as well as World book day.

3. Library Orientation /Information Literacy programme.

Library conducts information literacy programme for the student community to make them aware about the various information sources and library services.

Achievement of the Librarian

Our Librarian, **Dr.A. S. Sonone** has worked as a **SOUL coordinator (Appointed by INFLIBNET Center an IUC of UGC)for the region of Maharashtra and Goa (from 2008 to 2012)** .He has provided technical support to the university *as well as college libraries in the region.*

Institutional Repository

Library has developed institutional repository by using Calibre open source software .Full text digital Books, Research papers of the faculties, Question papers set of University Examination, Syllabuses are available to its users.

SUBJECTWISE STATEMENT OF BOOKS

Sr. No	Subject	UGC	GEN	COS.	Total Books
1	Hindi	917	3460	352	4729
2	Marathi	4120	10308	45	14473
3	English	1446	6041	04	7491
4	Sanskrit	450	1418	-	1868
5	Pol.Science	2094	4124	09	6227
6	History	1035	3953	03	4991
7	Sociology	741	1650	01	2392
8	Com. Exams	2135	84	-	2219
9	Home Economics	595	1157	-	1752
10	Economics	836	2693	11	3540
11	Philosophy	20	1061	01	1082
12	Music	637	267	02	906
13	Environment	-	22	-	22
14	Urdu	34	68	-	102
15	Library Science	78	02	-	80

16	Gen/Ref.	233	1835	3	2071
17	Education	26	86	02	114
18	Health and Sports	69	268		337
19	Biology/ Micro	-	80	-	80
20	Chemistry	-	50	-	50
21	Physics/ Maths	-	48	-	48
22	Zoology	-	18	-	18
23	Commerce	-	74	-	74
	Total	15466	38767	433	54666

E-Resources:

Library provides e-resources facilities to its user through N-LIST consortia as well as the subscribed e-journals. Through N-LIST 6000 scholarly e journals (International, National Level) & 3,00,000 e books are available and accessible in the campus as well as outside of the campus

LIST OF PH.D. RESEARCH SCHOLARS

(USED LIBRARY AS A RESOURCE CENTER)

Sr. No	Name of Researcher	College
1	Dr.U.P.Patil (English)	R.D.G.Women's College,Akola
2	Dr.P.S.Wankhade (Marathi)	Arts,Commerce &Science College,BalapurDist-Akola
3	Charushila Rajeshwar Rumale (Marathi)	R.D.G.WomensCollege,Akola
4	Ashalata Raman (English)	Smt.L.R.T.Commercecollege, Akola
5	Pravin P.Sonune (English)	MuktanandArts,Commerce and Science College,Gangapur Dist.Aurangabad
6	K.R.Nagulkar (History)	Gulabnabi Azad College, Barshitakli Dist.Akola
7	Vijaya K.Khandekar (Marathi)	Smt.R.D.G.Womens College, Akola

8	Santosh S.Huse (English)	Gulabnabi Azad College, Barshitakli Dist. Akola
9	Manoj K. Fadanvis (Marathi)	Dnyanprakash Senior College, Pinjar Dist. Akola
10	Gayatri Sopan Gadekar (Marathi)	Swami Ramanad Tirth College, Ambe Jogai Dist. BEED
11	Harsha H. Chikhalkar (History)	Akola PG Student
12	Dhairyawardhan Fundkar (Political Science)	Arts, Commerce and Science College, Balapur Dist. Akola
13	Dr. Jaishree Sakalkale (Sanskrit)	Shankarlal Khandelwal College, Akola
14	Arjinbee Yusuf Sheikh (Hindi)	Akola P.G. Student
15	S.N. Nagre (Marathi)	Shankarlal Khandelwal College, Akola

16	B.S.Wazire (History)	Sitabai Arts College,Akola
17	Abha S.Khedekar (Hindi)	Smt.L.R.T.CommerceCollege,A kola
18	KapilaV.Mhaisne (English)	Shri Shivaji Arts Commerce and Science College,Akola
19	LataThorat (Marathi)	Dr.H.N.SinghaCollege,PaturDis t.Akola
20	B.G.Wasu (History)	Dr.H.N.SinghaCollege,PaturDis t.Akola
21	B.R.Tanpure (History)	MatoshreeShantabaiGoteArts,C ommercer& Science College,Washim
22	A.A.Gadre (Music)	Smt.S.R.Mohta Womens College,Khamgaon Dist.Buldhana
23	Nishali Panchgaon (Hindi)	Akola Editor Lokmat Samachar
24	R.S.Gajbhiye JRF (UGC) (Sociology)	Amravati Research Student
25	P.S.BhagatJRF	Research Student

	(UGC)(Sociology)	Amravati
26	Mamta V.Mandale JRF(UGC) Sociology)	Research Student Amravati
27	Deepali S.Ghogre (Political Science)	Dr.H.N.SinghaCollege,PaturDis t.Akola
28	V.R.Alsi (Music)	Smt .R.D.G.WomensCollege,Akola
29	Sandhya V.Kamble (Marathi)	Smt. R.D.G.WomensCollege,Akola
30	Ganesh M.Dhore (Sociology)	At.GoregaonDistAkola
31	Chandrashekhar S.Bhandakkar (History)	Chaitanyawadi, Lande Layout Buldhana
32	Shailendra P.Chauhan (History)	Post.HinganaTa.Khamgaon Dist.Buldhana
33	S.B.Sonone (Political Science)	R.A.Arts,Shri.M.K.Commerce and Shri.S.R.Rathi Science College,Washim
34	Sudhira A.Thosar	Gulabnabi Azad College,

	(Music)	Barshitakli Dist.Akola
35	DeepakLahase (History)	Raje Chatrapati Arts College Buldhana
36	Ujjawala S. Ghadekar (Marathi)	Tilak Rashtriya Saraswati Mandeer, Umri Dist.Akola
37	V.B.Chandajkar (Political Science)	Matoshree Shantabai Gote Arts,Commerce&Science College, Washim
38	D. P.Damodare (English)	Rupnath Arts and Commerce college,Dahihanda,Dist Akola
39	B.B.Dharne (Marathi)	Sitabai Arts College,Akola
40	M.R.Ingle (Economics)	ShivajiArts,Commerce and Science College,Akola
41	Sadhana Kulat (Marathi)	Akola
42	R.D.Chandrawanshi (Phy.Education)	R.L.T.ScienceCollege,Akola
43	Versha Shah (Hindi)	Shivaji Arts,Commerce and Science College,Akola

LIST OF JOURNALS AND MAGZINES

Sr. No.	Name of Journals	Periodicity
1	University News	Weekly
2	Economic and Political Weekly	Weekly
3	International Journal of Humanities and Social Science Research	Monthly
4	International Journal of English Research	Bimonthly
5	International Journal of Hindi Research	Bimonthly
6	International Journal of Sanskrit Research	Bimonthly
7	Studies In History (International)	Biannually
8	Contribution to Indian Sociology (International)	Tri-annually
9	South Asia Research (International)	Tri-annually
10	Journal of Asia for Democracy and Development	Monthly
11	Sociological Bulletin	Tri-annually
12	The Vedic Path	Quarterly
13	Pasayadanamrut	Monthly
14	Chanakya Mandal	Monthly
15	Employment News	Weekly
16	Sanshodhak	Quarterly

17	Yojana	Monthly
18	Lokrajya	Monthly
19	Banking & You	Monthly
20	Rojgar Nokari Sandarbha	Weekly
21	Saptahik Nokari Sandarbha	Weekly
22	Competition Success Reviews	Monthly
23	Competition Refresher	Monthly
24	ChankyaMandalPariwar	Monthly
25	Cronical	Monthly
26	PratiyogitaDarpan	Monthly
27	Spardha Pariksha – Nokari Sandarbha	Monthly
28	ShikshanSankraman	Monthly
29	Gyanamrut	Gyanamrut
30	Dream 2047	Dream 2047
31	International Journal of Home Science	Monthly
32	The Theosophist(International)	Monthly
33	Millun Saraya Zani	Monthly
34	Lalit	Monthly
35	India Today	Weekly
36	Gruhashobha	Monthly

Sr.No	Name of Periodicals	Periodicity
37	Lokprabha	Weekly
38	Amrut	Monthly
39	Out Look	Weekly
40	MeriSaheli	Monthly
41	Frontline	Monthly
42	Sarita	Monthly
43	Lokprabha	Weekly
44	Nirogdham	Monthly
45	Bulletin Of Unique Academy	Monthly
46	Pratiyogita Kiran	Monthly
47	PariwartanachaWatsaru	Monthly
48	Insage	Quarterly
49	NBT Newsletter	Monthly
50	Vedic VagJyoti	Monthly
51	JeevanVikas	Monthly

LIST OF NEWSPAPERS

Sr.No	Name of Newspaper	Language
1	Times of India	English
2	Indian Express	English
3	Economic Times	English
4	Hitawada	English
5	Loksatta	Marathi
6	Sakal	Marathi
7	Lokmat	Marathi
8	Maharashtra Times	Marathi
9	Deshonnati	Marathi
10	Matrubhumi	Marathi
11	Tarun Bharat	Marathi
12	Samna	Marathi
13	LokmatSamachar	Hindi
14	DainikBhaskar	Hindi
15	PunyaNagari	Marathi
16	Divya Marathi	Marathi
17	Samrat	Maratni

LIST OF PH.D.SUPERVISORS

Sr.No	Name of Supervisor	Department
1	Dr.R.D.Sikchi	Principal Dept.of Commerce/Economics
2	Dr.R.V.Rathod	HOD Dept. Of Pol.Science
3	Dr.B.S.Wazire	HOD, Dept. of History
4	Dr.D.E.Umbarkar	HOD, Dept. of Sociology
5	Dr.B.S.Patnaik	Dept. of English
6	Dr.K.P.Barde	Dept. Of Music
7	Dr.S.D.Shembekar	Dept. Of Music
8	Dr.A.Y.Singh	Dept. of Sanskrit