

GUJARAT VIDYAPITH : AHMEDABAD - 380 014

(Founded by Mahatma Gandhi in 1920)

SUMMARY OF THE ANNUAL REPORT OF GUJARAT VIDYAPITH YEAR – 2017-18

(Original report is in Gujarati)

1. Preface:-

The Gujarat Vidyapith was founded by Mahatma Gandhi on 18th October, 1920. It was started as Rashtriya Vidyapith and was in the wake of the Non-cooperation Movement. Mahatma Gandhiji remained its life-long Kulpati (Chancellor). Then Shri Sardar Patel, Dr. Rajendra Prasad, Shri Morarjibhai Desai remained the Chancellor of the Vidyapith. At present Shri Elababen Bhatt has been providing her services as Chancellor. Shri Anamikbhai Shah has been providing his services as the Vice Chancellor of the Gujarat Vidyapith.

The Vidyapith imparts higher education with an integrated system of education, teaching from Nursery to Doctorate level. The main objective is to prepare workers of character, ability, culture & dedication for the conduct of movement connected with the regeneration of country in accordance with the ideas given by Mahatma Gandhi. Vidyapith has been accorded the status of the Deemed to be University since 1963 for its higher education departments.

The objectives of the Vidyapith have been lay down on the basis of the Gandhian ideology. Accordingly, the education system of Gujarat Vidyapith includes participation in community living, *Padyatra* in remote and rural area, social services, community prayer, simple and self-reliant life, study tours and field visits, hand spinning and training in craft work, etc.

The Higher Education Unit of the Vidyapith have been divided into under 8(eight) faculties. There are 23 departments/ centres within these 8 faculties. It is very important that the residential educational facilities have been developed to provide higher education up to Ph.D. level. The other educational and extension activities like Adult education, Tribal Research and Training, women empowerment, school education for downtrodden, Propagation of Hindi, Krishi Vignan Kendras, Panchayatiraj training, etc. have been woven around the higher education activities.

During the year 2015-16, the Vidyapith received A Grade in NAAC Accreditation.

2. Higher Education Departments.

2.1 Details of Number of Students and Teachers

Sr.No.	Faculty and Department	No. of Students					No. of teachers				
		Ph.D.	M.Phil	PG	UG	Other	Prof.	Asso.	Asst Pro.	Other	Total
	I. Faculty of Language and Literature										
1.	Gujarati	11	11	68	19	-	1	2	3	-	6
2.	Hindi	16	10	27	13	43	2	4	1	-	7
3.	English	-	-	5	64	-	-	-	3	-	3
	II. Faculty of Social Science										
1.	Rural Economics	12	10	84	93		2	1	3	-	6
2.	History & Culture	25	17	65	117		5	-	4	1	10
3.	Sociology and So. Anthropology	21	10	77	107		-	2	3	-	5
4.	Rural Studies				76		-	-	3	-	3
	III. Faculty of Education										
1.	College of Education Population Education	55	17	56	93		06	02	03	-	11
2.	Hindi Teacher's Training College				34		01	-	03	-	04
	IV. Faculty of Gandhian Studies and Peace Research										
	Gandhian Studies	21	2	2			2	-	3	-	5

	V. Faculty of Professional Studies										
1.	Social Work	19	19	82	-	-	2	-	4	3	9
2.	Journalism and Mass Com.	17	8	23			1	2	-		3
	Audio visual Dept.					17				2	2
3.	Human Resource	3		27			1	1	2	-	4
4.	Library & Info. Science	4		9	9		-	-	1	-	1
	VI. Faculty of Physical Education & Sports										
1.	Physical Education.	15	3	39	188		4	3	4	-	11
2	Yoga Centre			32		29	-	2	-	-	2
	VII. Faculty of Science and Applied Science										
1.	Microbiology Dept.	20	1	93	194		4	2	1	3	10
										Adhoc	
2.	Home Science				44		-	2	1	-	3
	VIII. Faculty of Management and Technology										
1.	MBA- Rural Management	21	10	61	-		3	2	-	-	5
2.	Computer Science	15	2	120	3		2	1	4	-	7
3.	USIC				3		-	-	-	2	2

2.2 Details of Seminars, Workshops organised, Numbers of Participants, Publications and participation in seminars, training prog., etc. during the year.

Sr.No.	Department	Org. of Seminar		Publication		Parti. In Seminar, etc	Expert's Lectures in Dept.
		Prog.	Particip	Books	Articles, Chapters in Books		
1.	Gujarati	1	265	04	13	34	12
1	Hindi	2	92	02	07	09	06
3.	English	1	47	-	03	05	-
4.	Rural Economics				01	03	17
5.	History & Culture	1	200	02	05	16	08
5.	Sociology and Social Anthropology Rural Development				11	08	10
6.	Education	6	247	06	25	71	
7.	Hindi Teachers' Training						
8.	Gandhi Darshan	7	362	01		14	13
9.	Lifelong Edu. & Extension	1	55	03	04		21
6.	Social Work	7	730	01	06	10	25
7.	Journalism and Mass Commu. Audio Visual Production	1	70		03	06	11
8.	Library and Info. Sci.			04	03		-
9.	Phy. Edu. & Sports Yoga Department			02	27	17	07 06
10.	Microbiology Dept.			01	08	08	05
11	Home Science	1	35	01	05	03	08
12	Rural Management	1	25	06	17	07	06
13	Computer Science	1	25		05	05	12

14	USIC						02
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2.3 Research Projects

Sr.No.	Name of Teacher and Department	Project	Funding Agency	Grant
A.	Major Projects			
1.	Dr. Manjula L. Dabhi Rural Economics	Surplus Land Distribution impact on Dalits, Economics Status and Capability in Gujarat State- An Analysis	ICSSR, New Delhi	4,00,000
2.	Dr. Mayur C. Shah & Dr. Pratik Shilpkar Microbiology	To find out the reason behind better health of organically farmed soil compare to inorganic one.	Dept. of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Tech.	8,00,000
3.	Dr. Srinivas Murthy Microbiology	Bio prospecting of Crop Residues By SSF To Enhance Nutrient Utilization and Feed Efficiency in Ruminants	Dept. of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Tech.	37,00,000
B.	Other Projects			
1.	Dr. Ashok Parmar Hindi Teacher's Training College	गुजरात राज्य शाला पाठ्यपुस्तक मंडळ द्वारा प्रकाशित हिन्दी के पाठ्यपुस्तको में नयी तालीम के तत्वों का अध्ययन	GCERT	10,000
2.	Dr. Nitin Dhadhodara Education	Measurement of religious tolerance in teacher- trainees.	GCERT	10,000
3.	Dr. Nilesh Kapadia Education	A Study of attitude of students of the post basic school towards Gandhian Thought.	GCERT	10,000

C. Projects sponsored by the Gujarat Vidyapith Trust				
1.	Dr. Kanubhai Vasava, Gujarati	Adivasi Sahityama Paryavaran Chetna (Surat and Narmada District)	Vidyapith	50,000/-
2.	Dr. Dwanilbhai Parekh, Gujarati	Gujarati Gazalono Vikas ane Samprat Gujarati Gazal	Vidyapith	50,000/-
3.	Shri Amrendra Pandey, English	Dakshinamurti Educational Institute; A Critical Study	Vidyapith	50,000/-
4.	Dr. Divyesh Bhatt English	Looking at the west through Indian eyes; A study of two nineteenth century- Gujarati Travelogues England ni Musafari by Mahipatram Ruparam and England ma pravas by Karsandas Mulji	Vidyapith	50,000/-
5.	Dr. Ashok Parmar Hindi Teacher's Training College	पर्यावरण शिक्षा के लिए ई-सामग्री का निर्माण	Vidyapith	50,000/-
6.	Dr. Dwanilbhai Parekh, Gujarati	Gujarati Gazalono Vikas ane Samprat Gujarati Gazal	Vidyapith	50,000/-

2.4 Other Research/Extension/Training Programmes (Collaborations)

Sr. No.	Programme	Collaborative Agency	Nature of Assistance provided	Grant
1.	Reading Camp Gujarati	Gujarat Sahitya Academy, Gandhinagar	Organisation of camp	50,000/-
2.	Camps on –“Yuva ki aur Gandhi,” Gandhi Darshan	Donation	Organisation of 5 days' camps at 1.Kushinagar, U.P. 2.Madhavbari, Agartala 3.Shindi, Maharashtra	

			4.Gauhatti, Asam 5.Nalanda, Bihar 6.Bhadrak, Orissa 7.Indore, M.P.	
3.	Childline Project (MSW Dept.)	Childline India Foundation, Mumbai	Nodal Organisation	4,20,000
4.	Social empowerment and Digital Knowledge (MSW Dept.)	Rise Foundation	MoU for computer classes at extension centre, Thaltej.	
5.	MSW in Psychiatry (MSW Dept.)	Mental Health Hospital, Ahmedabad.	Support for starting new course.	20,00,000
6.	Certificate Course in Family Counselling (MSW Dept.)	Adarsh Ahmeabad, Ahmedabad	MoU for running the course	-
7.	Legal Awareness Camp (MSW Dept.)	Mahila Ayog, Gandhinagar	Grant	1,40,000/- (One Day)
8.	Computer training Course (MSW Dept.)	Polytechnic, Ahmedabad	Received equipment for training.	
9.	Training programmes on Child abuses (MSW Dept.)	Young India (Confederation of Indian Industry) Masum Project and District Primary Education Officer.	MoU to provide training to the teachers	During the year training was provided to 220 teachers and 100 volunteers.
10.	Pradhan Mantri Kaushalya Vikas Yojna (MRM Randheja)	AICTE	Course- IT Help Desk Attendant	4,00,000
11.	National Workshop on Geo-spatial Technology for Rural Planning and Development	GUJCOST (Association with SPACETECH & SCAN POINT)	Workshop	30,000

	(MRM Randheja and Computer centre)			
12	Diploma in Co-operative Management (MRM Randheja)	National Co-operative Union of India, New Delhi	Diploma Course	-
13.	Water Resource Management (MRM Randheja)	Arid Communications and Technologies	Training Workshop	
14.	Pradhan Mantri Kaushalya Vikas Yojna (Computer Centre)	AICTE	1.Domestic Data Entry Operator 2.Junior Software Developer	8,00,000

2.5 Achievements/ special activities during the year.

1. Prof. Dr. Ushababen Upadhyay, Dept. of Gujarati honoured for her outstanding contribution to the society by the Public Relation Society of India, Ahmedabad Chapter.
2. Dr. Anandibahen Patel, Professor, Social Work department honoured by Young Indian (Confederation of Indian Industry) for providing training to 600 teachers on child abuses under Masoom project.
3. Dr. Anandibahen Patel, MSW Department and Binal Patel of Childline Project were awarded by Gujarat State Child Protection Society for excellent work.
4. Dr. Zenamabibi Kadri of History Department stood second in Essay Competition- "Gondal Rajyani Shaikshanik Pravrutti"
5. Shri Rafikababen Saiyad got prize for her publication- "Rashtriya Andolanma Gujaratni Mahilaonu Yogdan"
6. Student Shri Devendrabbhai Solanki received Best NSS Volunteer award.

2.6 Gujarat Vidyapith Central Library

Gujarat Vidyapith Central Library is a one of the biggest library in Gujarat. Total collection of the Library has 5,83,156 volumes. It has Gandhi Adhyayan Khand, Reference section, copy right section, children section and specious reading room equipped with the solar lights. E-

journals, Bibliographical services and photocopy services are provided by the library. During 2017-18 total 5,832 books were added. There were 287 periodicals and 41 News Papers in the library. The Library remained open for 347 days during the year 2017-18. There are 2689 active members of the Library. During 2017-18, 32,152 books were issued to the members. During the year 10 exhibitions were organised on occasions of special days and anniversary of the writers. The computer centre of the Library has provided OPAC services, Internet services to the students and helped students for filling up online forms for various competitive examinations. Total 6305 online forms were filled up during the year.

2.7 National Service Scheme.

During the year various students of the Vidyapith took part in Republic Day Camp, Pre-Republic Day camp, Youth Festival, Mock Parliament, Debate, etc. under NSS General activities. Under NSS special camps, nine camps of seven days were organised in rural area and 781 students participated.

The GoI has approved Empanel Training Institute to impart the training to the NSS programme officers. During the year, ten training programmes of one week were conducted and total 371 trainers took part.

2.8 SCT Cell

Details of the total admission and % of the SC, ST and SEBE are as under:-

Sr. No.	Course	Total No. of Students	SC	ST	SEBC
1.	Graduation	1051	82 8.70%	337 32.06%	452 43.01%
2.	Post Graduation	870	112 12.87%	336 38.62%	237 27.24%
3.	M.Phil.	120	8 6.67%	9 7.50%	13 10.83%
4.	Ph.D.	275	40	25	41

			14.55%	9.09%	14.91%
5.	P G Diploma	95	8 8.42%	28 29.47%	18 18.95%
	Total	2411	250 10.37%	735 30.49%	761 31.56%

2.9 Community living (Hostel life) In the courses leading to Graduation and above are residential courses and during the year 2017-18 total 1903 students were admitted in the various hostels. For students of the Vidyapith, hostel is not mere a residence but it provides life education. During the year 52 lectures were conducted. Several days and festivals were also celebrated.

2.10 Convocation-2017

The sixty fourth convocation was held on 18-10-2017 at Ahmedabad. The Hon'ble Chancellor Shri Elabahen Bhatt presided. Dr. Sam Pitroda remained present as chief guest and delivered the convocation address. 51 students honoured with medals, 29 students were conferred Ph.D., 30 M.Phil, 374 Parangat (Post Graduation), 299 Visharad (Graduation) and 53 were awarded PG Diploma.

3.Back to the Village – Gramshilpi Project

To fulfil the objective of laying down the priorities of education, the needs of the village dwellers has been taken into consideration and the programmes of education have been linked with the national needs of rural up-liftment with a view to promote education conducive to the grass-root levels of the society.

Every year, applications from the students of the Vidyapith are invited to work as Gramshilpi. Initially, for five years, financial support as well as training are being provided by the Vidyapith Mandal. The Gramshilpi has to work in a remote rural area for the upliftment of the rural society. At present 10 (ten) Gramshilpies are working in the rural area. They have done remarkable work in their area. During the year, one Gramshilpi Shri Nilam Dhirubhai Patel received “Mahadev Desai Samajseva” Award for his outstanding work in Valsad district.

4. Tribal Research and Training Institute.

Gujarat has around 14.75% tribal population as per 2011 census. The Tribal Research and Training Institute (TRTI) has been working since 1962 with the financial support of the State Government. During 2017-18, the TRTI has worked on 10 (ten) research projects and conducted 46 training programmes for the government, non-government trainers and provided training to 3267 trainers. The TRTI has also conducted FRA (Forest Right Act) off campus training programmes for the tribes who are residing in forest. During the year 6649 visitors visited the Tribal Museum of the TRTI. The Institute actively participated in Exhibition cum sales Fair of traditional tribal handicrafts organised by the Tribal Development Department during 25-12-2017 to 01-01-2018.

5. State Resource Centre (SRC)

The SRC has been approved since 1977-78 in Gujarat Vidyapith by Govt. of India. The main objectives of the programme is to involve the marginal people of the society in development process of the country. During the year the centre worked in 8 (eight) districts of Gujarat. During the year, 59 programmes have been conducted throughout the year and 2965 participated in these programmes. Various literature, folders and handbills were prepared for the neo-literates. Under the programme- Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat, the SRC team visited Chhattisgadh State and SRC Chhattisgadh visited Gujarat.

6. Hindi- Hindustani Prachar Samiti

The propagation of Hindi- Hindustani has been one of the prime work of the Gujarat Vidyapith. During the year 2017-18, 1,66,585 students appeared in various Hindi propagation examinations conducted by the Vidyapith. For propagation of the Gandhian Thought, seven examinations were conducted in five languages In Gandhian Thought propagation examination, total 14437 students appeared in various examinations.

7. Bhartiya Bhasha Sanskruti Bhavan.

This is a unique experiment for National Integration through various Indian languages and culture. Through this centre, Elementary courses and Certificate Courses in 12 (twelve) Indian languages and 9 (nine) foreign languages are being conducted. Total 93 students benefited through various courses.

8. Appropriate Technology Centre.

With the objective of the women empowerment, various technical (ITI) courses are being conducted through this centre. During 2017-18, 100 students benefited in five technical trades. During the year the centre conducted two short term training programmes on Basic House wiring.

9. Panchayatiraj Talim Kendra, Sadra

To fulfil the idea of Mahatma Gandhi of Gram Swaraj and decentralization of power, Gram panchayats are working in Gujarat. The centre was established in 1968 to provide the training to the Tatalies (Secretaries) of the Gram Panchayats. During the year, four training programmes of 75 days were conducted by the centre and total 156 Talaties were trained. Various seminars and workshops were conducted throughout the year.

10. Krishi Vigyan Kendras at village-Randheja, Ambheti and Dethli.

To provide the training to the farmers and to implement the idea of 'Lab to land", three Krishi Vigyan Kendras have been established in three Districts of Gujarat. During the year 159 training programmes were organised and total 4756 farmers/ youth were benefited. During the year 16 On Farm Training Programme were conducted and 161 farmers were benefited. Through various 254 extension programmes, 16454 beneficiaries were covered.

11. Primary and Secondary education:

To propagate the Buniyadi education at the primary and secondary education level, six primary schools and high schools are being run by the Gujarat Vidyapith. Through these schools, students from the poor and down-trodden families are taking benefits. Details of schools are as under:-

Sr. No	Name of the School	Standards	Remark
1.	Gujarat Kumar Vinay Mandir, Ahmedabad	KG to Std. XII	-
2.	Gram Seva Kendra, Dethli	KG to Std. -X	For nomedic tribe and SEBC
3.	Gram Seva Kendra, Bochasan	Std. V to XII, PTC	For SEBC
4.	Gram Seva Kendra, Bhalada	Std. I to VII	For nomedic Tribe and SEBC
5.	Gram Seva Kendra, Bharel	Std. IX- XII	For Girls, SEBE.
6.	Gram Seva Kendra, Ambheti	Std.- I to X	For ST

12. Other Departments.

Over and above departments, Kosh Vibhab (Gujarati Lexican), Publication Department, Shri Morarji Desai Museum, Rural Science extension centre, Kocharab Ashram, Anuvad Pratisthan, Late Jankidevi Bajaj Nisargopchar Centre, Randheja, are working.

13. List of the Trustees

Governing Council of Gujarat Vidyapith (Mandal) (Year : 2017-18)

S.no.	Name	
01.	Shri Ela Bahen Bhatt	Chancellor
Trustee		
01.	Prof. Anamik Shah	Vice Chancellor and Trustee
02.	Shri Govindbhai Raval	Life Time
03.	Shri Narsinhbhai Hathila	Life Time
04.	Dr. Mandabahen Parikh	Trustee
05.	Shri Arvindbhai Desai	Trustee
06.	Shri Radhabhan Bhatt	Trustee
07.	Shri Kanubhai Nayak	Trustee
08.	Shri Uttambhai Parmar	Trustee
09.	Shri Chaitanybhai Bhatt	Trustee
10.	Shri ShriKumar	Trustee
11.	Shri Ayeshabahen Patel	Trustee
12.	Shri Kapilkumar Shah	Trustee
13.	Shri Michael Mazgaonkar	Trustee
14.	Shri Sudarshan Iyengar	Trustee
15.	Dr. Jayprakash Pandya	Member and Dean, Faculty of Education
16.	Dr. Kamleshbhai Patel	Member and Coordinator, M.D. Samajseva Mahavidyalaya, Ahmedabad

17.	Dr. Kanaiyalal Nayak	Member and Coordinator, M.D. Gramseva Mahavidyalaya, Sadra
18.	Dr. Ramgopal Sinh	Member and Professor, Department of Hindi
19.	Dr. Shetalben Badodiya	Member and Assistant Professor, Lifelong Education and extension.
20.	Dr. Nileshbhai Kapadia	Member and Assistant Professor, Faculty of Education.
21.	Dr. Atulbhai Parmar	Member and Assistant Professor, Dept. Of English
22.	Shri Manishbhai Bhatt	Principal, Vinay Mandir, Dethli
22.	Dr. Rajendra Khimani	Secretary/Registrar

14. List of the various committees and dates of meetings.

Sr.No.	Committee	Dates of meetings
1.	Gujarat Vidyapith Mandal	18-07-2017,28-08-2017,17-10-2017,26-12-2017,15-03-2018
2.	Executive Committee	14-06-2017,18-09-2017,16-10-2017,16-02-2018
3.	Board of Management (Higher Education)	10-08-2017,17-10-2017,14-03-2018
4.	Gram Seva Samiti	17-02-2018
5.	Publication Committee	15-02-2018
6.	Library Committee	15-02-2018
6.	Student Welfare and Hostel Committee	12-02-2018
7.	Hindi Prachar Samiti	13-02-2018
8.	Tribal Research and Training Institute	13-02-2018
9.	Academic Council	14-06-2017,05-10-2017
10.	GVP Finance Committee	10-07-2017,16-02-2018
11.	Finance Committee (Higher Edu.)	08-08-2017

12.	I.T.I Advisory Committee	13-02-2018
13.	NSS Advisory Committee	12-02-2018
14.	Swavlamban (Self-Reliant) Cimmittee	04-09-2017,17-02-2018
15.	KVK Advisory Committee, Dethli	28-02-2018
16.	KVK Advisory Committee, Randheja	28-02-2018
17.	KVK Advisory Committee, Ambheti	27-02-2018
18.	SC/ST Advisory Committee	15-02-2018
18.	OBC Advisory Committee	15-02-2018
19.	Works Committee	14-09-2017
20.	Purchase Committee	10-07-2017,24-11-2017,23-03-2018
21.	Internal Complaint Committee	23-11-2017
22.	SRC Advisory Committee	13-02-2018
23.	Quarter Allotment Committee	15-04-2017,08-07-2017,06-10-2017,09-01-2018
24.	Technical Committee	21-07-2017
25.	Health Committee	11-05-2017
26.	Mahadev Desai Award nomination Committee and Award Committee	04-08-201723-08-2017
28.	Higher Education Planning & Monitoring Board	14-03-2018
29.	Grievance Committee	-
30.	Bhartiya Bhasha Sanskruti Santhan Advisory Committee	15-02-2018

15. Summary of Accounts (Higher Education Section)

SUMMARY OF RECEIPT PAYMENT ACCOUNT (Rs. In Lakh)

Sr.No.	Particular	2017-18
A	Receipt	
1.	Opening Balance	203.77
2.	Grants Sanctioned by UGC	
	Recurring Grant 4814.14	
	Non-Recurring Grant 195.00	5009.14
3.	Internal Receipts	182.76

	Total Receipt	5395.67
B.	Payment	
1.	Salaries and Allowances	3643.88
2.	Other Salary components	114.26
3.	Pension and Pensionary Benefits	658.89
4.	Non-Salary Components	512.98
5.	Capital Expenditure	69.98
	Total Payment	4999.99
	Closing Balance	395.68
	Total Rs.	5395.67

SUMMARY OF THE BALANCE SHEET

(Rs. In Lakh)

Sr.No.	Particular	As on 31-03-2018
A	Sources of Funds	
1.	General Fund	395.68
2.	Designated/ Earmarked funds	21.46
3.	Loans/ borrowings	398.12
4.	Current Liabilities and Provisions	1141.84
	Total- A	1957.10
B.	Application of Funds	
1.	Fixed Assets Tangible Assets acquired through UGC/ Government grants shown at nominal value of Re.1/- as per AS-12	-
2.	Tangible Assets acquired from own funds	0.33
3.	Investments	297.00
4.	Current Assets	230.56
5.	Loans, Advances & Deposits	1429.21
	Total-B	1957.10