

3 Years of Udaan: Building Tomorrow's Leaders through Literacy

The Udaan Education Program, launched in 2022, proudly completed three impactful years of empowering young minds. On May 4th, 2025, we celebrated its 3rd Annual Day.

This year, recognizing the transformative power of reading, we embraced the theme: "Readers to Leaders." The celebration reflected how reading cultivates critical thinking, nurtures imagination, and lays the foundation for strong, visionary leadership.



The event brought together students from both our centers, who performed with passion and conviction. It was heartening to see the hall filled with parents, family members of our students, teachers from the schools we are associated with, and well-wishers who came to encourage and celebrate the achievements of our Udaan students.



Our Udaan students enthusiastically explored the importance of reading through skits, poems, and a panel discussion, creatively highlighting both traditional and modern reading methods—their advantages, limitations, and the vital role reading plays in shaping future leaders. They beautifully demonstrated how reading opens up new perspectives, fosters introspection, and helps analyze even the smallest details—skills essential for any leader.



The day was graced by our esteemed trustees Mr. Joginder Singh Oberoi and Mr. K.P. Singh, along with our Special Guest, Ms. Meghna Pant, a renowned author. Ms. Pant shared insights from her life and held an engaging book reading session that inspired our students to embrace the habit of reading.



The celebration began with a vibrant opening dance by our students, followed by an introduction to DBM India by Mr. K.P. Singh. DBM Trustee Ms. Farheen then gave a detailed account of three years of Udaan journey and its impact.

She pointed out that :-

1. Our Udaan Scholars have shown remarkable progress—in academics, communication, English proficiency, etiquette, and overall confidence
2. Academically their understanding and clarity of subjects has increased vastly.
3. The Tinkering Lab has introduced them to concepts like Robotics, AI and coding and it is heartening to see that they have taken to them like a fish takes to water. They have already started winning competitions!



Our founder, Mr. Paramjeet Singh, then addressed the gathering on the theme, emphasizing how reading shapes leaders and builds empowered communities.

The day continued with captivating skits and discussions, culminating in a glamorous dance performance by our students. We also had the joy of welcoming a new batch of 40 students into the Udaan Education Program, setting the stage for another year of growth and transformation.



It was a heartwarming, fun-filled, and inspiring day—one that reaffirmed our belief in the power of education and imagination.

“ a reader, tomorrow a leader.” – Margaret Fuller



Help a child take flight – your support gives wings to dreams."
Donate today and be the wind beneath a future's wings.

Flying Colours for Udaan's 10th Batch

Our Udaan Scholars Shine Again!
DBM India is proud to share that our Udaan scholars from the underserved communities of M-Ward and Bandra have once again excelled in their Class 10 board exams!

- 10 out of 40 students scored above 90%
- 19 scored above 80%
- 10 scored above 70%

This outstanding academic achievement adds to their already impressive accomplishments in sports, coding & AI, and co-curricular activities, reaffirming our commitment to nurturing them holistically.

Our heartfelt congratulations to these shining stars, their families, and their schools for their belief in our mission and for making us proud. We are also deeply grateful to our supporters, friends, and well-wishers for walking this journey with us.

- Mrunal Sakore- 95%
- Venkatesh Kashipuram- 94.20%
- Prem Bauge- 94%
- Zyaan Shaikh- 93.60%
- Nandini Choudhary- 93%

- Devansh Rao- 92%
- Adarsh Pal- 92.60%
- Katyayini Mishra- 91.20%
- Supriya Yadav- 91%
- Arzoo Alam - 90%



Udaan Begins a New Chapter in Reading

We proudly launched the Udaan Book Club—a vibrant new chapter in our mission to nurture the holistic development of underserved children.

In our inaugural session, we introduced timeless short stories by literary giants Rabindranath Tagore, Anton Chekhov, and O. Henry. The children received the stories in advance and came prepared to engage in a lively discussion. For many, it was their very first encounter with literature beyond their school textbooks—and the sense of discovery was electric.

Guided by the inspiring **Prof. Charanjeet Kaur Ji**, a distinguished educationist and author, the children of Udaan Deonar explored the art of reading: learning to identify characters, interpret dialogues, appreciate the role of nature, and delve deeper into the storytelling craft. Divided into small groups, they conducted mini-research projects on the authors, their works, and the context of the stories—an exercise that sparked curiosity and built confidence. Similar sessions and projects were conducted at Udaan Bandra Centre by **Mr. Paramjeet Singh**, Managing Trustee.

The energy and enthusiasm at both the centres was truly heartening. For us at DBM, this was more than just a book club launch—it was the beginning of a journey to create lifelong readers and critical thinkers.

We are committed to continuing this initiative on the last Saturday of every month. A heartfelt thanks to our DBM friends, Supriya Saxena and Rashmi Hartwal, for their enthusiastic participation and encouragement.



Empowering Futures: New Batches Inaugurated at DBM India

GDA 2ND BATCH IN THANE

Supported by: CMS Foundation



DBM India inaugurated the second GDA (General Duty Assistant) batch in Thane, marking another meaningful step in its mission to empower youth through skill-based education.

The inauguration ceremony was graced by **Mr. Shriraj, Mr. Paramjeet Singh**, and our esteemed partners **Dr. Ankita Gaikwad and Mr. Sudesh Bhalerao**, who shared words of encouragement and inspired students to seize this opportunity for personal and professional growth.

As the new batch embarks on their journey, DBM continues to stand by its vision of building brighter, self-reliant futures.

1ST CRM BATCH IN CHEMBUR

DBM India proudly inaugurated its first-ever CRM (Customer Relationship Management) batch at our Chembur Centre.

This milestone marks the beginning of a new journey in preparing youth for careers in customer service and sales – combining communication skills, technology, and industry-aligned training.

The initiative reinforces DBM India's mission to bridge the skills gap and empower students with job-ready expertise.



GDA BATCH INAUGURATION AT TROMBAY

DBM India proudly inaugurated its 13th GDA (General Duty Assistant) batch at the Trombay Centre, continuing its commitment to building skilled healthcare professionals.

The ceremony was graced by Chief Guest **Mr. Devendra Verma and DBM Trustee Ms. Farheen Peshimam**, who inaugurated the batch and motivated the students to pursue the course with dedication and purpose.

This milestone reflects DBM India's ongoing efforts to empower communities through vocational training and sustainable career opportunities in the healthcare sector.



Knowledge Series: Guest Sessions at Our Centres

DBM India organised a guest lecture on Interview Readiness at the Trombay Centre for our ECCE and GDA students. The session was led by **Advocate Dilshad Chunara**, who shared valuable insights and practical tips to help students build confidence and improve their interview skills. The interactive session equipped students with real-world guidance, boosting their readiness for future career opportunities.

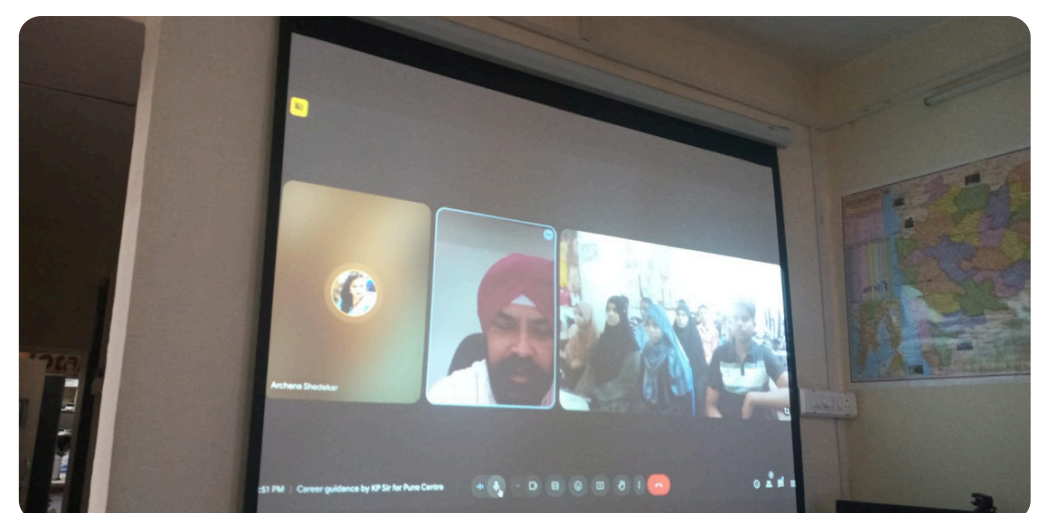


A highly informative session on Financial Literacy was conducted at the Trombay Centre by **Mr. Ritesh Lal from Bandhan Bank**, for DBM India staff. The workshop aimed to enhance the team's understanding of essential financial concepts, covering topics such as saving habits, budgeting, banking basics, interest calculation, and the importance of long-term financial planning.

The session helped staff members feel more confident and informed about managing their personal finances—an essential skill for personal well-being and financial security. We extend our sincere thanks to Bandhan Bank and Mr. Ritesh Lal for this empowering and insightful initiative.

Vision. Guidance. Growth.

DBM India organized a valuable online Career Guidance session for students of our Pune Centre. The session was conducted by our esteemed guest speaker, **Mr. K.P. Singh**, who shared insightful guidance on career planning, skill development, and future opportunities. He encouraged students to stay focused, set clear goals, and continuously upgrade their skills to remain relevant in today's competitive world. The session proved to be highly enriching and motivating, leaving students inspired and better informed to shape their career paths.





Seeds of Education, Ready to Bloom

The ECCE (Early Childhood Care & Education) online batch certificate distribution event was successfully conducted at our Trombay Centre. The event celebrated the dedication and achievements of students committed to shaping young minds. We were honored to have **Mr. Devendra Verma** from MAFFFL and **Ms. Farheen Peshimam**, Trustee of DBM India, as our esteemed Chief Guests. Their presence and words of encouragement added great value and inspiration to the ceremony, making it a truly memorable occasion.

Warehouse Stars Shine Bright

DBM India, in collaboration with Vashi Parivaar, proudly organized a certificate distribution ceremony for the students of the Warehouse Associate course at our Bhiwandi Centre. The students successfully completed the 2-month training program and are now placed in reputed warehouses nearby, taking confident steps toward a stable and skilled career.

The event was graced by **Mr. Madan Dodeja** and **Ms. Shweta Dodeja** from Vashi Parivaar, along with **Mr. Paramjeet Singh**, Managing Trustee of DBM India. The distinguished guests encouraged the students with their empowering words, inspiring them to stay committed, work hard, and continue striving for excellence in their careers.



Career Restart, Powered by DBM

DBM India is proud to share the inspiring journey of Shobhatai, a 29-year-old mother of two from Satara district. After completing her BPharma, Shobhatai took a break to focus on her family. However, with a strong desire to re-enter the workforce, she enrolled in DBM India's BFSI training program.

Coming from a rural background, Shobhatai initially felt uncertain about her skills, especially in English communication. But through DBM's structured training and consistent support, she not only improved her language skills but also gained confidence.

Shobhatai is successfully employed at ICICI Lombard and is thriving in her role. She is grateful to DBM India for helping her restart her career and strike a balance between professional growth and family responsibilities.



Next Stop: Leadership!

We are proud to celebrate the remarkable journey of Ms. Nehal Khan, one of our dedicated ECCE students. Nehal, who began her career as a teacher, has now been promoted to the role of Coordinator at Mount Litera School International, Radiant Mind Happy Hub Daycare. Starting April, she has also received a well-deserved salary increment and now earns ₹15,000 per month.

Her growth reflects not only her hard work and determination but also the impact of quality training and guidance. We extend our heartfelt congratulations and wish her continued success as she nurtures young minds and leads with passion.



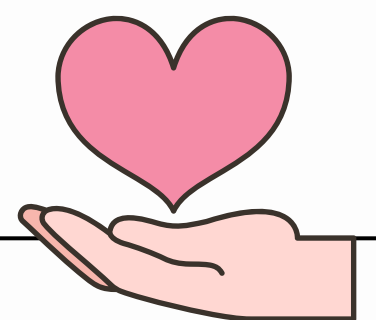
Nourishing Hearts: DBM Feeds 1,000 at Community Event

On 4th May 2025, DBM India extended its support to the Sneh Samelan and Sanskrutik Program organized by Janjagruti Vidyarthi Sangh by providing meals for 1,000 attendees.

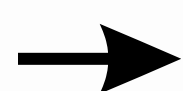
The food was greatly appreciated by all participants, adding joy and comfort to the day's cultural celebrations. The organizers expressed heartfelt thanks, especially to Mr. Paramjeet Singh, for his generous and thoughtful contribution.



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