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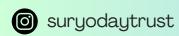
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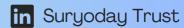
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The only true disability is the inability to accept & respect the difference







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#### **Trustees Note**



It has been a remarkable 2023 at Suryoday School! Our incredible students have embraced life with boundless enthusiasm, immersing themselves in a myriad of activities. This year our students have excelled in various arenas, bringing home a multitude of medals and awards, a testament to their hard work and dedication.

Throughout the year, our days have been bustling with activity, from implementing cutting-edge technological upgrades to organizing unforgettable field trips and celebrations. Our focus on nurturing the talents and skills of our students has been unwavering, preparing them to thrive in the ever-evolving landscape of the future.

None of this would have been possible without the generous support of our donors and corporate partners. Your unwavering commitment to our cause has enabled us to create a brighter future for our students, and for that, we are profoundly grateful.

Once again, thank you for your continued support and belief in the transformative power of education.

Heartfelt Gratitude, Sachin Raje Managing Trustee Suryoday Trust.



#### **Celebrating Milestones**



This quarter has been exceptionally dynamic with numerous festivals, volunteer opportunities, and sports events. Notably, Suryoday Trust has been honored with an award. These achievements have energized the entire team and students, providing added motivation as we embark on the new year, aiming to achieve our future goals.



#### Festival Frenzy!



Our students were in the mood for good times this season, with festivals galore! Kicking things off with "Navratri," a festival that celebrates the victory of good over evil, our students remarkably nailed the vibe and brought the joy!



Before the Diwali festival, our team of special educators went all-out with innovative teaching methods that were tailor-made to each student's unique learning style. And the efforts resulted in our special kids aced their 1st term exams and blew past the academic milestones we set for them! Woohoo! But that's not all.

#### **Volunteering Event**



We also carried a volunteering program where our prevocational vocational and students showed off their creative skills by making some top-notch items. And, not just that...most of their parents joined in too! Suryoday school team's diligence paid off when we got a round of applause from corporate donors and our products sold like hotcakes we're talking a 200% increase in sales, people! Our students are over the moon and we're still riding high on this wave of gratitude well into Christmas.





## Exploring Extracurricular Activities

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Get ready to cheer, folks! Sports are more than just a fun way to pass the time. They're an essential part of a student's growth and development, both physically and mentally. That's why we're over joyed to hear about the incredible district-level sports event organized by Samaj Kalyan (Zilla Parishad – Palghar). Our Suryoday School students totally rocked the competition, leaving the audience dazzled with their amazing skills and sportsmanship. The event was a vibrant gathering of multiple schools from all over the district. It was a day to remember!







At Suryoday School, we believe in giving our students the full package! We're all about going beyond the books and inspiring our kids to shine in life. Our little champs are busy bees with a ton of exciting activities, therapeutic sessions, and job training programs.

Our students Boom! went on to grab 5 gold medals, 6 silvers and 5 making bronzes, the school beam with pride! show-stopping Their skills left everyone happy and even received good press coverage. What a winwin!



With your help, we can keep creating a powerful environment that uplifts and encourages every child with special needs.

#### Celebratory Acknowledgments



We are delighted to announce that the Suryoday Trust has been bestowed with two prestigious awards: the Top 20 Most Trusted NGO of the Year 2023 and the CEGR Rashtriya Shiksha Gaurav Puraskar for the Best Special School for ICT in Maharashtra 2023.

These accolades are a testament to our unrelenting commitment and dedication towards our cause. The recognition further validates the tireless efforts and hard work of our team, who have demonstrated a consistent drive for excellence in our field. These awards symbolize the significant impact we have made through our innovative solutions, impactful initiatives, and positive contributions to our community and beyond.







#### **Triumph Tales!**



Our students redefine success on their terms, and we celebrate each victory, big or small, with unrestrained joy. These success stories are not just about academic accomplishments; they're about personal growth, self-discovery, and the profound impact of unconditional support and belief.

In our special school, success isn't measured by conventional standards; it's measured by the smiles, the laughter, and the profound sense of fulfillment that radiates from each and every member of our extraordinary team.



#### Aniruddha Rokade Batch: Vocational Training

Joined Suryoday school this academic year, he was diagnosed with Mild ID. Aniruddha has done his schooling from a normal school till 7th

Grade during this phase his diagnosis were discovered. Aniruddha's parents have accepted his diagnosis and have supported him since then. He has been trained in computers, that includes basic of coral draw & graphic designing.



In the past few months, Aniruddha has been learning functional academics (money & time management etc.), basic life & job skills i.e. dressing up, social interactions & communications because of which now he is more confident, assertive & expresses his thoughts clearly. Suryoday school special educators have been successful in making Aniruddha ready for employment on basis of which we are reaching out to corporates.

### Atifa Kumbhar Batch: Early Intervention

Atifa was enrolled at Suryoday School a year back, she is diagnosed with Down Syndrome apart from that she also has hearing loss of upto



25% & no speech. Though she was a happy lively child she was slow to take any action and would not follow instructions. Eventually as time passed Atifa showed a huge improvement in communication & interactions. She started interacting with her peers, improved her comprehensive skills and is very particular in completing her work with perfection.

#### **Generous Givers**



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