

MUKTANGAN

IN THE SPOTLIGHT



APRIL-JUNE(2025)



Mumbai Education Dialogues:

(Reimagining Early Childhood Education)

On 11th April 2025, Muktangan launched the first edition of the Muktangan Education Dialogues- a space designed to spark open conversations and shared learning among educators, researchers, NGOs, policymakers, and community leaders.

Unlike formal conferences, these dialogues offer an informal, engaging forum that encourages honest reflections, collaborative thinking and co-created solutions. The inaugural session, held at the Muktangan Education Forum, focused on the theme **“Reimagining Early Childhood Education”** and brought together **42 participants** from **19 organizations**.

Key topics explored included:

- **Innovative curriculum design**
- **Enriched and inclusive learning environments**
- **Holistic assessment practices**
- **School transitions for young learners**

The dialogue created a rich environment for exchanging ideas and strengthening the collective vision for equity-driven, innovative early childhood education. It marked a meaningful step towards building a community committed to learning, sharing, and growing together.



TEACHER EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Teacher Training Certification Ceremony

In the month of April, Muktangan organized a heartwarming Certification Ceremony to mark the successful completion of its teacher training program. The event served as a dual celebration recognizing the commitment and perseverance of **37 teacher-trainees**, while also acknowledging the unwavering dedication of Muktangan's experienced educators who continue to support and mentor future changemakers.

The training program is central to Muktangan's mission of nurturing educators who are not only equipped with pedagogical knowledge, but also deeply aligned with values of inclusion, empathy, innovation, and community-based learning. Through intensive classroom internships, reflective practices, and hands-on facilitation, trainees immersed themselves in-

- ✓ English Language Proficiency
- ✓ Classroom Management
- ✓ Socioemotional Learning
- ✓ Holistic and Child-friendly Practices
- ✓ Beliefs about Learning



Preservice Teacher Education
Foundational Years Education Diploma Batch of 2024-25

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ALUMNI VOICES & ACHIEVEMENTS



Celebrating Academic Success 

Congratulations, Class of 2024-25!

277 Muktangan students appeared for the Maharashtra State Board Secondary School Certificate (SSC) examinations this year out of which 30 children have special needs.

 100% School pass percentage	 241 Children secured first class and above across our schools
 67.91% average percentage scored by children with special needs	 76.20 % Highest scorer among children with special needs

Highest Achievers Across Our Schools

94.40% Ketaki Gaonkar	93.00% Uday Silagani	92.40% Sharvari Dalvi	91.80% Arhan Shaikh	91.40% Arya Jathar
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Students Shine at the SSC Examinations 2025

We proudly celebrate the successful SSC results of our students this year. Their achievements are a reflection of their hard work, the unwavering support of their families, and the nurturing environment provided by Muktangan. These milestones not only mark academic success but also inspire the next generation of learners within our community.



"Being regular and staying consistent was the most important part of my journey. The environment at Muktangan made me feel heard and supported and that's what gave me the strength to keep going."

-Ketaki Gaonkar

Soaring to New Heights:

Shrusti Tambde, N.M Joshi Marg MPS alumna (2018-19), graduated as a Gold Medalist in BSc Medical Laboratory Technology from DY Patil University, Pune. She is currently interning at DY Patil Hospital, making her mark in clinical diagnostics.

As part of our Mukt Mind sessions, students engaged in interactive modules and explored diverse environments through visits to institutions such as Don Bosco Institute, Patuck Gala College, YMCA & YWCA, and the U.S. Consulate's Dosti House. Activities like a football match and weekly Robin Hood Army drives fostered teamwork and community spirit. These experiences collectively broadened their perspectives, skills, and aspirations.



ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT: VOICES & VICTORIES



Rising Leaders:

We proudly celebrate **Alphiya Qureshi**, who has been promoted as the Director at IIMUN (India's International Movement to Unite Nations). Her journey reflects the values of leadership and global citizenship rooted in Muktangan's philosophy.



Empowering Through Knowledge:

Our alumna Vineet Dusa led a teacher professional development session on **Financial Literacy**.

Currently pursuing CFA, Vineet's success and dedication inspire us to keep learning and growing.

Creating Career Pathways:

With support from Parle Agro's Prakash Foundation, our alumni explored new employment and internship opportunities during a special session at MEF. This initiative is paving the way for real-world training and career advancement.

