

District-Level Skill Development Program – "World Youth Skills Day 2026 – State-Level PowerPoint Presentation Competition (31 July 2026)

On 31 July 2026, the Department of B.Com (AFI), in collaboration with the Department of Skill Development, Employment, Entrepreneurship & Innovation Government of Maharashtra, successfully organised a State-Level PowerPoint Presentation Competition on World Youth Skills Day 2026. The event was held at the Visanji Ravji Auditorium from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

The competition on the theme “The Importance of Skill Development in the Changing Technological Era” witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across Mumbai, with 19 entries.

The programme aimed to create awareness about the importance of skill development in today’s rapidly changing technological world and to encourage students to enhance their research, communication, presentation, and analytical skills.

The following Institutions participated in the competition

- Smt. Maniben M. P. Shah Women’s College of Arts & Commerce
- Dr. B. M. N. College of Home Science
- K. G. Shah Law College
- S.N.P.G. Nursing College
- Khalsa Guru Nanak College
- Jai Hind College
- Burhani College
- SASMIRA Institute

The programme commenced with welcome address of Dr. Rashmi Shetye-Tupe followed by the Maharashtra Rajya Geet and University Song. The 19 participants displayed innovative ideas, technological advancements, employability skills, and lifelong learning through their presentations. The Chief Guest and Guest of Honour were felicitated by Principal Dr. Archana Patki. She further highlighted the institution’s commitment to quality education, skill development, and empowerment. Mr. Dattatray Gawade expressed gratitude to all contributors, followed by the National Anthem.

The winners of the competition were

- First Place: Sukanya Hegishte – Jai Hind College
- Second Place: Sakshi Dubey – Khalsa College
- Third Place: Esha Gupta – Guru Nanak Khalsa College

The competition provided a dynamic platform for students to showcase their ideas and skills, while reinforcing the importance of continuous learning and adaptability in the technological era. The event was highly appreciated by participants and dignitaries, marking a successful celebration of World Youth Skills Day 2026.



