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## PILLAI HOC COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE

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### SITE VISIT

Academic year: 2022-23

<b>Subject</b>	Allied Design
<b>Sem</b>	Sem 6
<b>Organised by</b>	Pillai HOC College of Architecture, Rasayani
<b>Objectives</b>	To create awareness about environment through understanding about ecology and importance of preserving biodiversity for a sustainable future.
<b>Date and time</b>	13 Dec 2022 10 am – 5.30 pm
<b>Venue</b>	MNP-Dharavi, Sion fort
<b>Faculty coordinator</b>	Prof.Abhishek C.
<b>Supporting staff</b>	Prof.Aswathy R, Prof. Sanjana B, Prof.Akanksha, Prof.Gunjan, Prof.Rajnigandha
<b>No. of students present</b>	79
<b>Program approved by</b>	Prof. Suchita Sayaji, Principal, PHCOA
<b>Brief about the activity/event</b>	An educational guided walk was organized for students. Maharashtra Nature Park has trained expert volunteers who conduct educational walks for school and college students. The event started with a short briefing session where volunteers explained the importance of the park, the various floras and fauna species found in the park and its history. The students then split into groups, each group headed by a volunteer. During the walk, students explored the biodiversity of the park and learned about the importance and special features of various species found in the park. The session was interactive where volunteers constantly engaged students with quizzes which ensured a participatory approach towards teaching and learning.
<b>Remarks</b>	Students enjoyed the walk and were amazed to learn that such a biodiversity hotspot exists in the midst of hustle bustle of the city.

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Prof. Abhishek Chakraborty.  
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Photographs of students in MNP-Dharavi:

