


REPORT
ONE DAY EXCURSION AT
DEVMOGRA FOREST
DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY
GOVERNMENT SCIENCE COLLEGE, VANKAL

Under the direction and supervision of Dr. Meghna R. Adhvaryu, Head of the Department of Botany, and with the consent of Principal Dr. Parthiv K. Chaudhari, the Department of Botany arranged a trip to the Devmogra Forest on March 4, 2019, for B.Sc. Botany Students. The students collaborate with Dr. Rupesh Maurya, a taxonomist, to identify the various plant species.

At six o'clock in the morning, the trip began at the entrance of the college, where it was being transported by a traveling bus. The Devmogra forest is a dry deciduous forest, and the month of March was the beginning of the spring season, which is the reason why the forest had begun to bloom. It was observed that the forest of Devmogra included a wide variety of plant species. Trees, shrubs, herbs, and climbers were among the categories of plant species that were documented. Timber species stood out as the most prevalent species. At the same time, we came across *Viscum*, which is a completely parasitic plant. The students not only learned a great deal about diversity but also learned how to recognize the many species that can be found in nature.

We are grateful to Dr. Rupesh Maurya for joining us and educating our pupils about the classification of plant species as well as the identification of their taxonomic categories.


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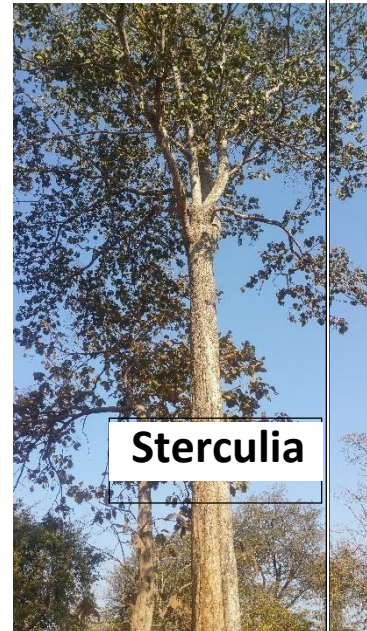
GLIMPSES OF OUR TOUR



VISCUM



Teak Trees



Sterculia

