

INTRODUCTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

AASTHA is a registered Organization under Society Registration Act 1860 (Reg.No. 1030/GOA/2010). Also we are registered under PWD Act (Sr.No. DSW/REN/CERT/01/2019). Recognizing the need of a special school in the city of Mapusa Goa, AASTHA founded Anand Niketan School for Differently Abled children in the year 2010-11. It has been 10 years journey that began with 4 students and now has risen to the strength of total 75 students.

AASTHA serves children with different disabilities such as Intellectual Disability, Autism & Multiple Disability with full- fledged Physiotherapy room and Acoustic sound treated Speech Therapy room along with well qualified therapists rendering their services to the needs of special children. AASTHA also runs a Day Care centre which was started in the year 2016-17 with the help of Art & Culture Dept. Govt. of Goa.

Tremendous progress and efforts of the NGO were appreciated by the society and in the year 2017 AASTHA was awarded as the best NGO in the sector of disability by Directorate of Social Welfare, Govt of Goa.

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- On 15th June 2019 Giant Group of Khorlim Visited Anand Niketan Premises to celebrate their founder's day by distributing snacks to our students.
- Workshop on the title "Mental Health & Problem in Adolescent Children & Solution" was held in the school premises on 29th June 2019. Dr. Rajendra BARve was the resource person.
- Guru Purnima celebrated on 16th July 2019.
- Tree Plantation drive organized in the school on 27th July 2019.
- On 1st and 2nd August 2019 our students of Vocational Section took an exhibition of Rakhis Made by our children at Saraswat School Mapusa.
- Nagpanchami celebrated on 3rd August 2019.
- Exhibition of vocational products was taken to DMC Higher Secondary MApusa on 9th August 2019.
- On 10th August Samrat Club of Mapusa organized a drawing competition for our children in which our students Mast Devesh and Mast Malay won the 3rd place, Mast NAsim and Mast Urvesh won the second place and Miss Prachi and Mast Shivam won the first place respectively.
- On 10th August Rotaract club of MApusa had organized a 'GANesh Idol' making workshop for our children.
- RAKsha BAndhan Celebrated on 14th August 2019.
- Independence day celebrated on 15th August 2019.
- Our Students participated in the All Goa Drama Competition for Special Schools organized by GSSA at Ravindra Bhavan Sanquelim
- Cookery Competition for parents was organized on the occasion of Gokul Ashtami on 24th August 2019
- Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration held on 31st August 2019
- Teachers' day celebration organized by PTA of Anand Niketan on 14th September 2019
- On 18th September 2019 MApusa Bhartiya Janata Party celebrated the birthday of the Hon. Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi ji.
- Our students participated in All Goa Drawing Competition organized by Disha School Panjim on 1st October 2019
- On 3rd October Forest Department of Goa organized a drawing competition on the title "Forest Landscape" in the school premises.
- Painting workshop organized by Serendipity on 5th October 2019.
- Saraswati pooja held on 7th October 2019.
- Our students won the 1st Consolation in All Goa Dance Competition organized by Gujrati Samaj Margao on 12th October 2019.
- Aastha organized a talk on Personality Development on 16th October 2019. Shri Dilip Betkikar was the resource person for the same.
- Exhibition of Vocational Products were taken at Sarawat Vidhyalaya MApusa on 18th October 2019.
- ADIP scheme camp held On 18th October 2019 at PNRC Bambolim Goa.
- 4 days Diwali exhibition of Vocational Products were taken at Mall de Goa Porvorim.
- Diwali Celebration held on 23rd October 2019 in the school premises.

- Children's Day celebration held on 18th November 2019.
- Two days craft and Painting workshop was organized by Serendipity Goa on 22nd and 23rd November 2019.
- Our children were taken at Sanjay Centre Porvorim for the celebration of International Day for Persons with Disabilities Organized by Social Welfare Department of Goa.
- Pediatric medical camp held at Sanjay Centre Porvorim on 7th December 2019.
- Rally for International Day of Persons with Disability were organized on 10th December 2019.
- Our student Mast Ayan participated in the 'Super Hero' Competition organized by Sanjay Centre Porvorim on 14th December 2019.
- Our children performed a Konkani dance at "PETUL" Event organized by Konkani Bhasha Mandal Goa at Hanuman Natyagruha Mapusa.
- Aastha's Founder's day was celebrated on 16th December 2019 by taking children on a cruise ride in Panjim.
- Goa Liberation Day celebrated on 19th December 2019.
- Christmas celebration held on 21st December 2019.
- Aastha organized a talk on "Early Intervention" on 10th January 2020. Dr. Gargi Sinha was the resource person.
- Our students visited Bodgegshwar Temple in Mapusa on 11th January 2020.
- Serendipity workshop on "Body Movement" held on 16th January 2020.
- Our students participated in the All Goa State Level Bocce Tournament held on 18th January 2020 at Bambolim Goa.
- Aastha organized All Goa Patriotic singing Competition on 25th January 2020 in which around 10 Special Schools across the state had participated.
- Republic day celebration held on 26th January 2020.
- Our students participated in ATCT camp in floor ball sports which was held for 5 days from 29th January 2020 to 2nd February 2020 at Youth Hostel Miramar.
- Annual school picnic was taken at Science centre Miramar and Children's Park Panjim on 7th February 2020.
- Our children participated in "MADACHE FEST" event organized by Sanjay Centre Porvorim on 8th February 2020.
- Serendipity workshop held on 10th February 2020.
- Annual Night Camp held on 14th and 15th February 2020 in the school premises.
- Rotract club of Mapusa had organized "BALOTSAV" programme in which our students had performed a Konkani dance on 29th February 2020.
- On 1st March Rotract Club of Bicholim had organized sports for special children in which our students had participated.
- Holi celebration held on 7th March 2020.

PHOTOS OF ACTIVITIES HAPPENED IN THE YEAR 2019-20

ART & CULTURE



FESTIVALS CELEBRATION



SPORTS ACTIVITIES



AWARENESS RALLY



PICNIC & NIGHT CAMP

