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OF THE CHALLENGED



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At SEC, we embrace the values of inclusion, diversity, and responsibility. However, the members who work behind the scene usually do not receive as much attention and appreciation as they deserve, be it the Principals, Administrator, Office staff, Teachers or Helpers.

In this issue of the Newsletter, SEC recognizes the invaluable service given by all of them. We thank each and every member who has toiled to alleviate the hardships faced by our physically challenged students.



Thrity Medhora
Administrator
8 years with SEC



Manju Utamchandani
Program Director
Integration and Inclusion program
13 years with SEC



Surekha Chafe
Principal, Agripada
31 years with SEC



Ravinderjit Kaur Sekhon
Acting Principal, Antop Hill
35 years with SEC



Akshata Kubal
Acting Principal, Santacruz
32 years with SEC



Ashok Jadhav
Assistant Administrator
25 years with SEC



Purnima D'souza
Vice-Principal, Agripada
29 years with SEC



THANK YOU



Vaidehi Parab
Accountant, HO
8 years with SEC



Nisha Patel
Teacher,
27 years with SEC



Gangadhar Kodam
Teacher
23 years with SEC



Shweta Padwal
Teacher
18 years with SEC



Sonali Bane
Teacher
18 years with SEC



Rashmi Baraskar
Accountant
6 years with SEC



Priyamvada Shastri
Social Worker
32 years with SEC



Manisha Kalkute
Craft Teacher
25 years with SEC



Vanita Jadhav
Craft Teacher
26 years with SEC



Digambar Tarde
Craft Teacher
17 years with SEC



Sujit Panchal
Music Teacher
16 years with SEC



Shivprasad Kakulte
P. T. Teacher
25 years with SEC



Grace D'cruz
Clerk
25 years with SEC



Savita Vhatkar
Clerk
25 years with SEC



Bhagwan Nikam
Bus Driver
28 years with SEC



Pramod Ghadi
Bus Attendent
28 years with SEC



Prakash Sawant
Peon
33 years with SEC



Chandrakant Yerunkar
Peon
23 years with SEC

Agripada Unit



Antop Hill Unit



Sulbha Kamble
Care-Taker cum- Attendant
25 years with SEC



Rajeshri Achrekar
Care-Taker cum- Attendant
17 years with SEC



Sanjana Naik
Care-Taker cum- Attendant
17 years with SEC



Nirmala Shirole
Care-Taker cum- Attendant
13 years with SEC



Vandana Khade
Accountant
25 years with SEC



Manisha Karad
Teacher
18 years with SEC



Pradnya More
Occupational Therapist
22 years with SEC



Sanchita Narbekar
Craft Teacher
25 years with SEC



Shashikala Dhindale
Caretacker-cum-Attendant
31 years with SEC



Lata Waghmare
Teacher
26 years with SEC



Usha Jagdale
Teacher
4 years with SEC



Smita Garud
Remedial Educator
12 years with SEC



Sunetra Chalke
P T Teacher
25 years with SEC



Sudhir Darade
Peon
17 years with SEC



Shahida Shaikh
Teacher
21 years with SEC



Chandusing Gavit
Social Worker
16 years with SEC



Jayprabha Davne
Craft Teacher
26 years with SEC



Manoj Rane
Clerk
32 years with SEC



Ravindra Gaikwad
Bus Driver
29 years with SEC





Yasmin Almel
Supervisor
30 years with SEC



Yashwant Walhekar
Craft Teacher (Acting Principal)
30 years with SEC



Shamal Lalgude
Accountant
8 years with SEC



Manisha Dhaware
Teacher
16 years with SEC



Ganesh Rohmare
Teacher
24 years with SEC



Balasaheb Walunj
Music Teacher
15 years with SEC



Vishnu Bhosale
Caretaker
24 years with SEC



Ganesh Devade
Caretaker
11 years with SEC



Rajkumar Savale
Technician
25 years with SEC



Sunil Chandanshive
Driver
29 years with SEC



Shashikala Ranpise
Warden cum Cook
27 years with SEC



Vijay Waghmare
Peon
29 years with SEC



Tanaji Marathe
Rakhandar
24 years with SEC



Ganesh Gurung
Paharekari
24 years with SEC



Sunita Yadav
Helper
24 years with SEC



Anusuya Londhe
Helper
18 years with SEC



Sangeeta Chandanshive
Helper
9 years with SEC



Asha Kadu
Helper
9 years with SEC



Kalpana Yewale
Helper
7 years with SEC



Ranjana Kakade
Teacher
31 years with SEC



Shobha Irkar
Teacher
18 years with SEC



Hemlata Kamble
Teacher
15 years with SEC



Anita Tate
Accountant
26 years with SEC



Sabia Quereshi
Art Teacher
26 years with SEC



Ajita Lanjekar
Art Teacher
26 years with SEC



Ganesh Sathe
Program Co-ordinator
9 years with SEC



Vaibhavi Mayekar
Art Teacher
19 years with SEC



Anil Shirsath
Art Teacher
16 years with SEC



Vinod Gupta
Social Worker
24 years with SEC



Narulhook Siddique
Vocational Trainer
15 years with SEC



Narendra Nanaware
Clerk
28 years with SEC



Ranjana Mhatre
Caretaker
19 years with SEC



Sahebrao Thube
Bus Driver
29 years with SEC



Deepali Kasale
Caretaker
2 years with SEC



Nitin Narkar
Peon
25 years with SEC



Milind Panjri
Paharekari
25 years with SEC



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We regret that due to shortage of space we have not been able to acknowledge each of you individually by name

We are today where we are because of you

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Activities Of The School During The Lockdown Period

1. To the parents of our students who had nowhere else to turn to for protection of their children, we have provided corona virus protective equipment (face masks) / rations (nutrition) / medicines / diapers / hygiene kits with essential supplies such as detergents, sanitizers, disinfectants, sanitary pads, thereby limiting the impact of corona virus and keeping the most vulnerable children safe and protected.
2. The fathers of our children are mostly daily wage earners, while their mothers are domestic help. From 22nd March, 2020 their earnings stopped suddenly, and they were in a precarious financial state. The school arranged for the day to day needs of the families. The family of each and every child, in all the 4 units, was provided with financial aid of Rs. 6,000/ each.
3. From June 2020, the teachers and staff have resumed their duties in the school. Online teaching and online therapy sessions (Physio / Speech) are being conducted.

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Overall Sponsorship Of A Child

Rs. 15,000/ annually in Mumbai Day Schools;
Rs. 25,000/ in Naigaon Residential School

Transport

Rs. 1,400/ per child per month
Rs. 15,400/ p.a. (11 months)

Nutrition

Rs. 3,500/ per day per unit (Vegetarian meal);
Rs. 5,000/ per day per unit (Non-vegetarian meal);
Rs. 5,000/ per day per unit (Vegetarian meal + dessert)

Appliances

Rs. 5,000/ per Light Weight Appliance;
Rs. 6,000/ per Wheelchair;
Rs. 10,000/ per Customized Special Wheelchair

Merit Scholarship For Integrated Students

Rs. 3,000/ per student each year

Educational Outings

Rs. 20,000/ per trip per unit

Annual Day Celebrations

Rs. 1 lakh per event Sports Day Rs. 50,000/
per event

Hydrotherapy

Rs. 40,000/ annually

DD /Cheques in favour of 'Society for the Education of the Challenged (Child & Adult)'.