

COLLABORATION

This Letter of Collaboration has been entered on this month of September, 2021

BETWEEN

Rizvi College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Bandra (west), Mumbai 400050

and

Akshara, a women's resource centre, having its registered office at Neelambari 501, Gokhale Road, Dadar West, Mumbai 400028. (Akshara works with women and youth in the prevention of violence and for the empowerment of girls.)

Partnership Context

Akshara and Rizvi College will collaborate to support students/volunteers to join a process of self-education, gender trainings and organizing small actions within or out of college. Both believe that it is important for youth to be exposed to gender equal concepts and undertake trainings which will impact personal behaviour and encourage public social actions. This is important as youth can in future change gender inequality in the families and in society and work towards a just and equal society.

At Akshara we believe that in current times students need to have 21st century values and skills and extra-curricular involvement brings out huge learning amongst students which stays for life. Our effort is to give initiative to students to plan and execute small actions/events through establishment of a college level gender equality club which is run by students under our joint guidance.

Partner Roles in the Collaboration:

Akshara's Role will be to:

1. Organize 3-5 workshops on issues of gender equality, violence against women and leadership. These workshops will include students from all colleges which are part of Akshara program.
2. Organize training workshops for the students for small virtual events and actions on gender equality
3. "Akshara" will help establish 'Gender Equality club' in the college and help student take up small virtual events and actions
4. A joint certificate will be given to all the students who have consistently participated at the end of the year
5. The person of contact from "Akshara Centre" will be a 'Programme Officer' for 'Youth for Change' who will be introduced to you soon.

College's Role will be to:

1. The College will ensure that 20 interested and committed students are assigned to the Akshara program which will include student's other colleges as well.
2. The College will ensure that, there is a Program Officer or Lecturer in charge of coordination with Akshara Centre and the College.
3. The College will provide support to Volunteers to form a **Gender Equality Club** to conduct small events/actions, competitions on gender equality within the college or virtually
4. The College and the Program Officer will encourage the 20 volunteers who will be required to participate consistently throughout the year with Akshara Centre
5. Share college logos for the certificate and joint events.

Duration of the Collaboration

The collaboration will be effective for the year 2021-22. There is no financial cost to it except time and infrastructural support if and when required.


Signature



Dr. Nandita Shah
Co-Director
Akshara Centre



Signature



I/c PRINCIPAL
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STUDENTS NOTICE DEGREE COLLEGE

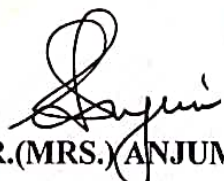
College Women Development Cell (CWDC) of Rizvi College of Arts, Science and Commerce invites you to "ART PANDEMONIUM" a platform where you show through Posters and Slogans 'Gender Equality' to create awareness in campus, on Thursday, 23rd December, 2021 at 10.00 a.m. in auditorium.

Students can submit their unique and imaginative works latest by 22nd December, 2021 to CWDC student representatives : 1. Ms. Anjana Ajimon – SYBA
2. Mr. Ankit Kumar Jha – SYBA (Room No.206). Best three posters and slogans would be awarded.

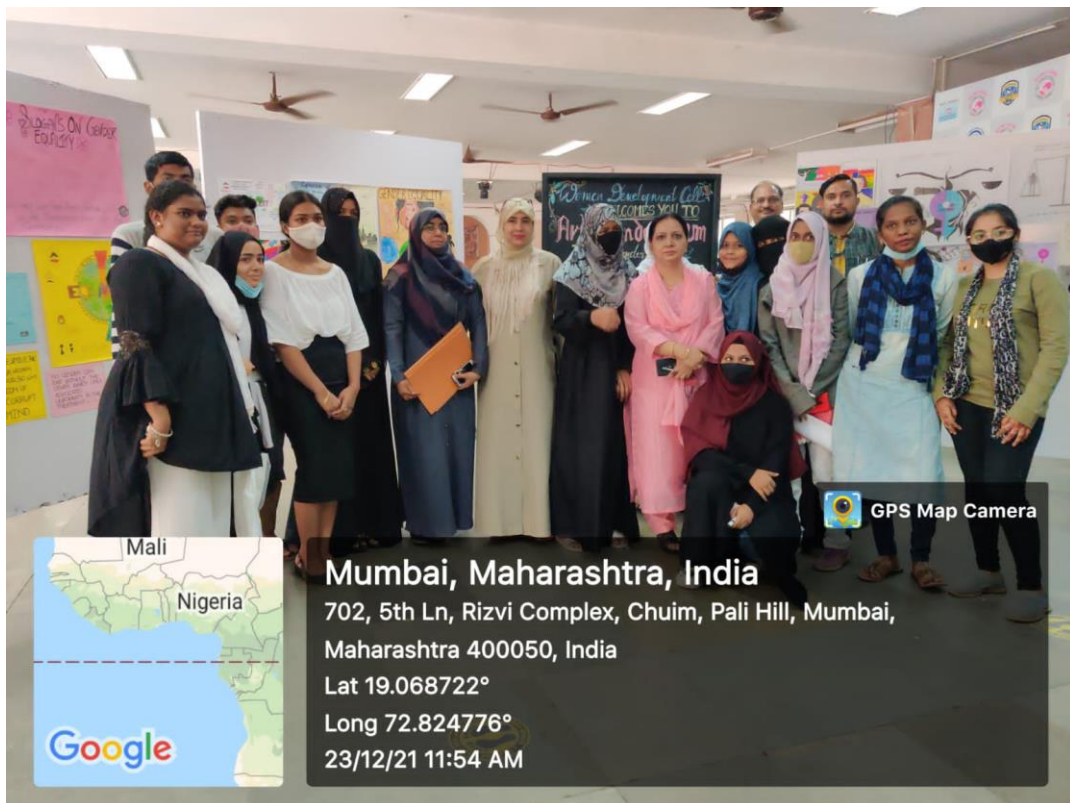
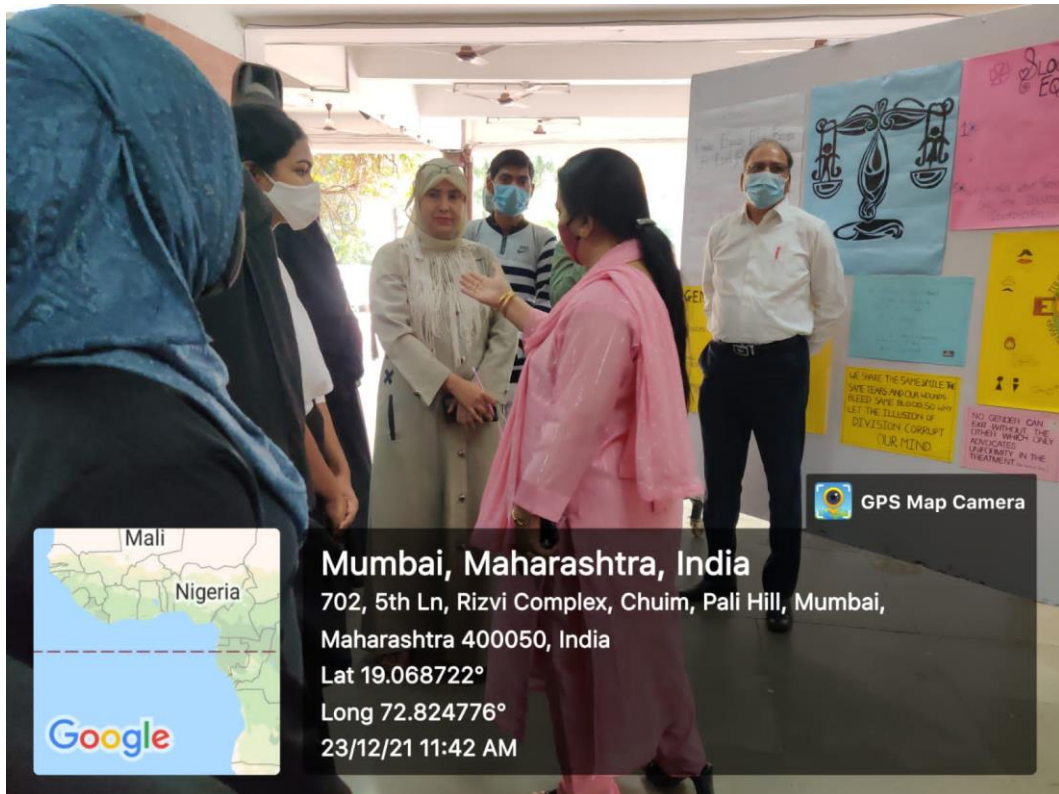
Topic : **Gender Equality**

- Rules
1. The art work must be on the underline topic of the event.
 2. Art work should be participants own unique work
 3. Art work should be submitted on minimum A3 size chart paper


MRS. SHAHIDA SHAIKH
Convenor, CWDC


DR.(MRS.) ANJUM ARA AHMAD
PRINCIPAL I/C

Art Pendamonium



Nirbhaya, Women's Safety Awareness in Changing Digital & Social Media World'





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NOTICE DEGREE COLLEGE

NSS, WDC and ICC of Rizvi College of Arts, Science and Commerce jointly with Khar Police Station, Khar (West) organize an Awareness Program on 'NIRBHAYA' a Street Play, at Carter Road, Bandra (W) on Friday, 8th October, 2021 at 05.30 p.m.

All are invited to make it a huge success.

Ms. Shehnaz Khan
NSS Program Officer

Mrs. Shahida Shaikh
Convener, WDC

Mrs. Shailaja Shetty
Convener, ICC

Dr. (Mrs.) Anjum Ara Ahmad
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NIRBHAYA Street Play





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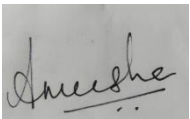
Sub: Appreciation for participation of students from Rizvi College in Akshara's Gender Rewrite Competition

Greetings from AksharaCentre, a not-for-profit women's organization working for the empowerment of women and girls. At Akshara, all of us want to create – and participate in – a society where all women can live a violent-free, dignified life with no discrimination. We dream of a society in which we can all be creative and productive members. One of our projects is Youth for Change Program (YCP) under which we work with young girls and boys from 25 colleges under Mumbai University. Our objective is to build their capacity on issues like Gender and Citizenship.

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Dear Madam,

15th February 2022

Greetings from Akshara!

Firstly, thank you so much for accepting our request and to collaborate with us to conduct Women's Safety Audit in and around the public places of Rizvi College of Arts, Science and Commerce.

We were thankful that on a very short notice, few of Rizvi staff including professors and students attended an orientation session on the 'relevance and how to conduct women's safety walk in neighborhoods. This was immediately followed by conducting women's safety walks.

We are also happy to inform you that, as we collaborated with Rizvi College for this assignment, there were other two distinct partner organizations who have joined hands with us. Habitat and Livelihood Welfare Association and FICCI Flo, Mumbai.

Once again, thank you for collaborating with us. We are now in the process of compiling the women's safety walk findings and soon will submit the report to the concern authorities.

Will keep you posted with further development.

Thank you

Sincerely,



Snehal Velkar
Program Coordinator
Safe City Program



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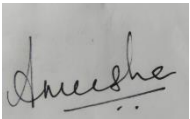
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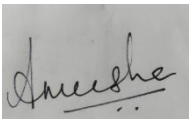
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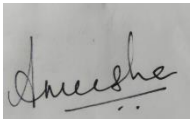
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