



EDGEWIZE

New perspective in the becoming



A New Chapter Begins: Welcome to the Academic Year 2025–26



Message from the Executive President Mrs. Seema Bakliwal

As we stand at the threshold of a brand-new academic year, I extend my warmest greetings to each and every member of our college family—students, faculty, staff, and well-wishers. The beginning of a new academic session always brings with it a sense of excitement, opportunity, and promise, and I am confident that the year ahead will be one of the meaningful growth and shared accomplishments.

To our dear students, I welcome you with open arms. Your presence on this campus breathes life into its corridors and purpose into our mission. This institution exists to shape not just academic excellence but individual of integrity, creativity, and compassion. As you embark on or continue your journey here, I encourage you to make the most of every opportunity, engage deeply, and always strive to grow—not just as learners but as responsible and thoughtful citizens of tomorrow.

To our dedicated faculty and administrative teams, your unwavering commitment to quality education, mentorship, and support plays a pivotal role in shaping the future of our students. Your passion and perseverance are the cornerstones of our college's reputation and growth. I am deeply grateful for your continued dedication.

This year, we aspire not only to continue our legacy of academic excellence but also to evolve in ways that are innovative and future-ready. With new initiatives, enhanced digital infrastructure, and greater student engagement, we look forward to creating a vibrant academic environment

that nurtures both learning and leadership.

May this academic year be filled with curiosity, courage, and countless moments of learning and joy.

Wishing you all a year of purpose, progress, and positivity.

Message from the Principal's Desk Dr. Sharadkumar Shah

It gives me immense pleasure to present to you the inaugural edition of EDGEWIZE, the official magazine of our college, for the academic year 2025-26. This magazine is not just a collection of words and images—it is a reflection of the vibrant intellectual spirit, creativity, and talent that our students and faculty bring to campus each day.

As we begin a new academic year, filled with fresh opportunities and renewed enthusiasm, EDGEWIZE serves as a platform for expression, innovation, and collaboration. I hope this magazine becomes a space where young voices are heard, ideas are celebrated, and achievements are proudly shared.

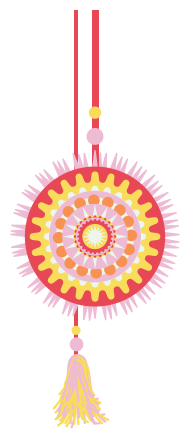
I encourage all students and staff to actively contribute, read, and engage with every edition. Let this magazine inspire healthy discussion, spark creativity, and in still pride in our academic community.

I have great expectations from EDGEWIZE—to grow into a publication that not only showcases excellence but also motivates us to reach beyond the ordinary. May this be the beginning of a new tradition of thought, expression, and growth.

Wishing the editorial team and contributors continued success!



Raksha Bandhan



The True Essence of Rakshabandhan-

We all know what Rakshabandhan is, but the significance of this day is not just limited to a sister tying a rakhi on her brother's wrist, but it is way more than that. The bonding between the two may be very great, but it also depends on how they both are behaving outside the house, individually with people around them.

“Raksha” means protecting, which includes respecting, understanding each other's point of view, valuing opinions and decisions.

Point to be noted:

this is a gender-neutral concept and one should have a basic understanding of it. They say a girl child is

more influenced by her father's thinking and a boy by his mother. But the relation between siblings is a little bit different. They may fight over little things, but in that fighting, care and love are involved. They forgive each other very easily after realizing their own mistakes. This is the reason why they maintain a good relation with each other.

So on this note, Happy Rakshabandhan to all my brothers and sisters. May our relations become stronger and he

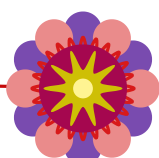


So on this note,

Happy Rakshabandhan to all my brothers and sisters.

May our relations become stronger and healthier day by day.

-ISHA TELI, T.Y. BACS



A Heartfelt Tribute to Teachers Guru Purnima Celebration at Bakliwal Foundation

The Bakliwal Foundation recently celebrated **Guru Purnima**, a day dedicated to honoring the revered role of teachers in our lives. The event, organized by the students, was a testament to the deep appreciation and respect they have for their mentors.

The celebration

began with the Principal Sir

and Samyak Sir

gifting the teachers

with handmade

greeting cards and

chocolates created

by the students

themselves,

showcasing their

thoughtfulness

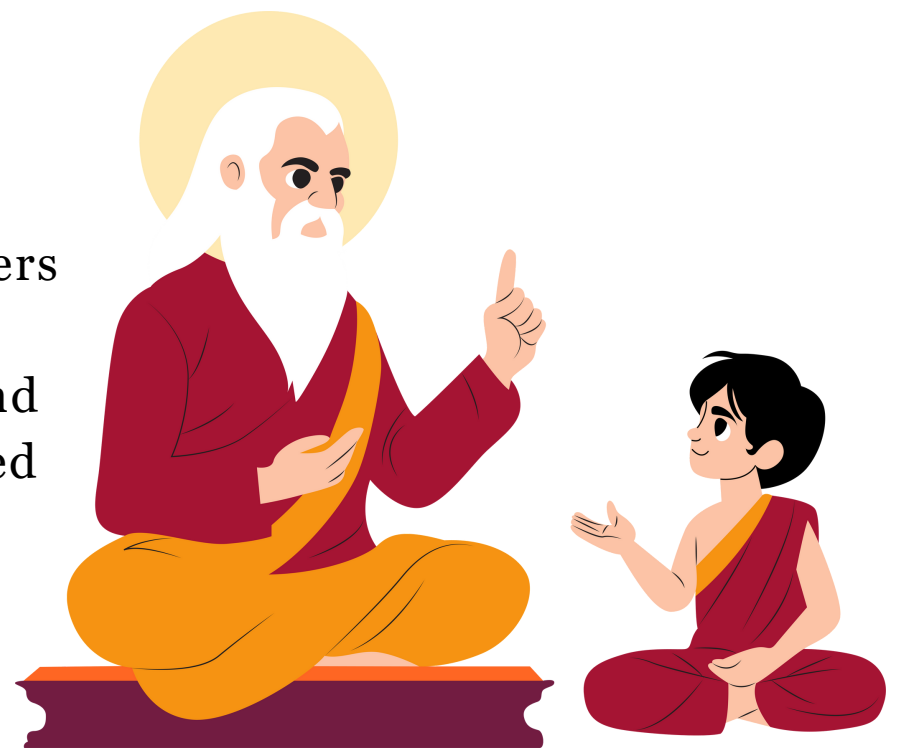
and creativity. The

highlight of the event was the games organized for the teachers, including "Dum Sharaj" and "Straw and Cup," which brought out the child in them and created a sense of camaraderie.

The event culminated with a beautiful poem recited by Vaishali Ghanate, which touched the hearts of everyone present. The staff was visibly happy and appreciated the efforts of the students in making the day special.

The Guru Purnima celebration at Bakliwal Foundation was a wonderful way to acknowledge the tireless efforts of teachers who shape the minds and futures of their students. It was a day filled with laughter, joy, and appreciation, and a reminder of the importance of the teacher-student bond. Kudos to the students and organizers for making this event a success!

-Vasanti Choudhary TYBACS



Guru purnima celebrated at Bakliwal Foundation College

KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS

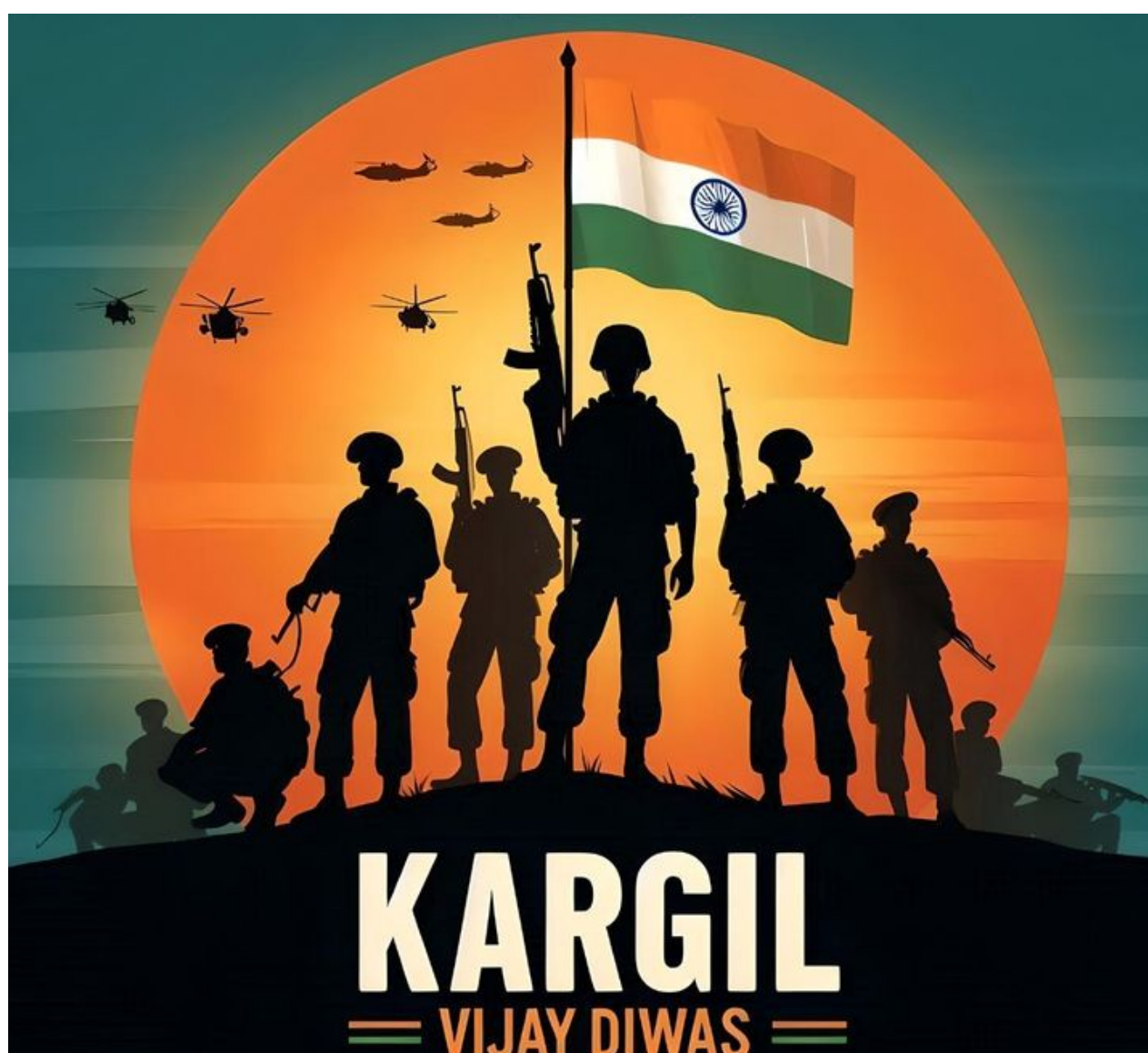
The Department of Arts at Bakliwal Foundation College, Vashi, proudly celebrated Kargil Vijay Diwas on 25th July to honour the courage and sacrifice of the **Indian Armed Forces**. The program was organized under the guidance of HOD Prof. Rani D'Souza and faculty member Prof. Rohit Vishwanath, and was held in Room No. 3 at 10:00 AM.

The event began with the screening of the inspiring Bollywood film "**Shershaah**", which beautifully portrayed the valour of Captain Vikram Batra and the bravery of our soldiers during the Kargil War. Alongside various informative videos were showcased to help students understand the geographical region of Kargil, its strategic importance and the challenges faced during the conflict.

After the movie session, engaging games and activities were conducted to involve the audience and keep the energy high. These interactive segments not only entertained but also tested the participants' knowledge about the Kargil War and India's military history.

The atmosphere was filled with patriotism and respect as students reflected on the sacrifices made by our soldiers. It was an amazing and memorable event that reminded everyone of the true meaning of courage, unity, and service to the nation.

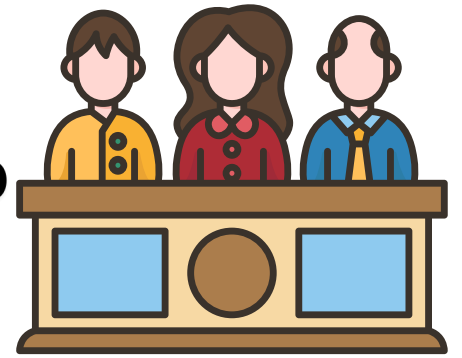
-Anjali Kandou , TYBACS



"Yeh Dil Maange More!"

PLACEMENT COMMITTEE 2025

**"Placement Committee
Kicks Off Year
with New Leadership
& Successful Drives"**



This academic year, the Placement Committee at Bakliwal Foundation College proudly announces its **new leadership**. Vihaan Khurana has been appointed as the Committee Head, with Shavez Khan and Prateek Sonawane joining as Co-heads. Under their capable guidance, the committee continues to **foster strong industry relations** and provide meaningful career pathways for students across streams.

July proved to be a productive month, with **two in-campus and three off-campus interviews conducted**. **Systenics Solutions Pvt. Ltd.**, a software and engineering firm from Vashi, interviewed 20 TY and SY BCA students on July 8th. **Hot Mugss Pvt. Ltd.**, based in Andheri, selected three students from the BBA alumni batch for B2B Sales. **Thomas Cook**, Virar, offered roles in Sales, Operations, and Ticketing. **NRB Bearings** (Vashi) shortlisted Neha Poojari, Shaunak Trimukhe, and Jay Nilesh Barbhaya. Next, **Praying Soul** conducted B2C Sales internships, shortlisting Rinka Vishal, Rishikesh Khandilwala, and Ankil Rathore.

The Placement Cell continues to bridge the gap between education and employment with purpose.

-Tahirunnisha Sayyed, TYBBA



Placement Committee 2025-26



CELEBRATING **FREEDOM** WITH AWARENESS

We celebrate **Independence Day** on 15th August to remember the day when India became free from British rule. It marks the start of a new journey for our country, where we could make our own decisions.

Since then, India has grown a lot in many areas—like society, politics and the economy. But even today, we must ask ourselves: **Are we truly independent?**

In today's world, especially on social media, many people follow what others say without checking the facts. We often believe what we see or hear without thinking deeply. **Real independence means not just being free as a country, but also being free in our minds.**

Are we thinking and acting on our own, or are we copying others? The answer can be different for each person depending on their background, family, or money situation.

To become truly independent, we must work on two things:

1. **Observe carefully** — Look at things around you with **attention**.
2. **Think wisely** — Don't believe everything blindly. Use your own understanding.

This Independence Day, let's not only remember our brave freedom fighters, but also promise to become smarter and more independent in our thinking.

Let's build a better future

together—**one where we are free not just on paper, but in our actions, thoughts, and choices too.**

-Isha teli ,TYBACS



LEAD THE GAME

A Unique Selection Drive by the Sports Committee of BFCACS

The Sports Committee of BFCACS hosted a dynamic event titled **"Lead the Game"** on 22nd July 2025 at 9:30 AM in the college foyer area, under the guidance of Prof. Pooja Gajra, Sports Coordinator and student heads of sports committee Shreya, Omkar and Danish . Designed as a platform to select new Co-heads for the committee, the event combined fun and strategy through indoor games that tested leadership, communication, and coordination skills.



Students from FY, SY, and TY participated with great enthusiasm, either by playing or managing games such **as Chess, Carrom, Table Tennis, and Billiards**. Each sport was overseen by fellow students who acted as referees, ensuring fair play and smooth organization. In Chess, managed by Darafsha and Amish, Yash Patil showcased his strategic brilliance and emerged as the winner. The Carrom round, coordinated by Krunal and Aasha, saw Danish claim victory with a sharp eye and steady hand. Table Tennis, led by Min Shah and Samiksha, was won by Ankit Rathod, who impressed with his quick reflexes. Meanwhile, Billiards, managed by Daksh and Saish, also crowned Danish as the winner for his consistency and control.

Lead the Game- proved to be more than a sports event—it was a celebration of student **leadership, teamwork, and initiative**, paving the way for future sports committee co-heads.

- Anjali Kandul, TYBACS



"Where strategy meets spirit, leaders are born."

Closing one chapter, Opening another

THE FINAL BELL FOR OUR BELOVED SENIORS

It was a day filled with emotions—smiles, laughter, and just a hint of tears—as the juniors came together to bid **farewell to the seniors of the 2022–2025 batch**. The college auditorium buzzed with excitement, every corner lit up with memories and love.

The celebration began with handmade gifts, carefully crafted by the juniors and presented by Ms. Seema Bakliwal, each one carrying a piece of gratitude and heartfelt wishes. The theme of the day made it even more special—girls graced in elegant sarees and boys looking sharp in blazers—a perfect backdrop for photographs that will be treasured forever.



From the grand cake cutting ceremony to lively songs, spontaneous dances, and a show-stealing performance by Payal Chavhan, the day was nothing short of magical. Games had everyone **laughing, teasing, and making the most of these last moments together**.

This farewell wasn't just about saying goodbye—it was about celebrating three years of friendship, growth, and shared dreams. And as the seniors step into their next chapter, these moments will remain in their hearts, just as they will in ours.

“Dear seniors, you may be leaving the college, but you'll never leave the family we built here.”

-Sakshi Choudhari, TYBBA

FAREWELL

ELECTORAL LITERACY CLUB

A STEP TOWARDS EMPOWERED CITIZENSHIP

**YOUR VOTE
HAS POWER**

The Induction Program of the Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) at Bakliwal Foundation

wasn't just about forming a new club—it was about igniting a movement. In a world where many youth remain detached from politics and civic responsibility, this initiative came as a breath of fresh air.

The event was meaningful in every way—not grand or over-the-top, but honest, impactful, and full of purpose. Mr. Rohit Viswanath's words on **Swaraj** did more than just inspire—they reminded us that real freedom comes from awareness, participation, and responsibility. Principal Sir's speech reinforced that being a student is not just about academics, but about becoming a well-informed citizen.

The logo unveiling felt symbolic—it wasn't just a design, but a vision for change. The leadership team, including Head, Co-Head Arhan Shaikh, and Core Member Darafsha Shaikh, showed great initiative in organizing a smooth-flowing event that balanced formality with fun.

The games—especially **Know Your Leader**, where students spoke spontaneously after picking a chit—proved that even simple ideas can spark big confidence and engagement. Law or Myth? made students think critically and bust false beliefs about the law.

What stood out the most was the energy in the room. Students were involved, teachers were supportive, and the environment felt charged with purpose.

This induction marks the beginning of something bigger. The ELC isn't just a club—it's a platform, a mindset, and a commitment. And in a democracy, such clubs are not optional—they are essential.

-Vasanti Choudhary, TYBACS



GRADUATION DAY 2024



On 13th July 2024, Bakliwal Foundation College, Vashi, hosted the **Graduation Certificate Distribution Ceremony** for the Batch of **2021–2024** (BBA, BACS and BCOM). Held from 3 PM to 6 PM. The event was a proud moment for students, faculty and leadership, honouring the academic journey of three transformative years.

The ceremony began with a formal procession from the foyer area to the auditorium, led by graduating students, faculty and dignitaries. The event was graced by Founder C.A. Sanjay Bakliwal, Executive President Mrs. Seema Bakliwal and Chief Strategic Officer C.A. Samyak Bakliwal. The college was privileged to welcome Mr. Pawan Jain, Chairman of the Ashika Group, as the Chief Guest. Also present was Principal Dr. Sharad Kumar Shah, along with teaching and non-teaching staff. The program commenced with the traditional lamp-lighting ceremony followed by inspiring speeches from the dignitaries, each reflecting on growth, discipline and future aspirations. After the addresses, the **Graduation Certificate Distribution** began, with students walking the stage and receiving their



certificates—an honor that marked their academic accomplishment.

Following the distribution, the college held its **first official Alumni Meet for this batch**. Led by Principal Dr. Sharad Kumar Shah, the session included discussions and the selection of core alumni members who will represent and lead alumni activities in the future this included students from **BACS, BBA and BCOM**. The day concluded with a group photo session, informal interactions, selfies and a shared evening meal—celebrating both achievement and togetherness.

The event was a moment of recognition, pride and the beginning of a new chapter as alumni of BFCACS.

– Anjali kandu, TYBACS.



Not a goodbye, but a see you again in success.



VICHAR SABHA

THE HOUSE OF IDEAS BEGINS



On 30th July 2025, the Arts Association of Bakliwal Foundation College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Vashi, organized **Vichaar Sabha** in Classroom No. 3, bringing together students for a unique blend of serious discussion and light-hearted bonding.

The event was structured in two parts. The formal session provided a platform for students to express their views on policy changes and initiatives they wished to see implemented. Discussions covered diverse topics such as **gender-inclusive campus policies**, environmental awareness drives, mental health support for students, digital skill development, and youth participation in governance. The exchange of ideas reflected the students' awareness of societal challenges and their willingness to contribute to solutions.

The informal session took a playful turn, engaging participants in an interactive game. Students connected beyond academic boundaries, strengthening bonds and fostering a sense of community.

The event's impact was multifaceted—it boosted confidence in public speaking, encouraged civic responsibility, and enhanced interpersonal connections. Students left with a renewed sense of purpose, motivated to turn their ideas into actionable initiatives.

By combining thoughtful discussion with engaging activities, Vichaar Sabha proved to be more than just an event—it was a step toward nurturing socially conscious, collaborative, and proactive young leaders.

– Darafsha Shaikh, TYBACS



LEADERSHIP IN ACTION: BFC'S INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2025

The auditorium of Bakliwal Foundation College, Vashi, buzzed with anticipation on July 30, 2025, as the institution held its **Annual Investiture Ceremony**. Starting promptly at 1:00 PM, the event marked the official appointment of the student council and heads for the academic year.

The **new leaders were presented with their badges**, symbolizing their responsibilities and authority. The ceremony was a proud moment for the students and faculty alike, with the newly appointed council members taking an oath to uphold the college's values and serve their peers with dedication.

The principal, in a heartfelt address, congratulated the new leaders and encouraged them to be role models. The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks, leaving everyone inspired and optimistic about the upcoming academic year.

The student council, a crucial link between the students and the administration, consists of:

Student Council

President : Anjali Kandu

Secretary : Niraj Darole

Lady Representative : Mariya Mala

Reserved Representative : Nayan Kamble

Cultural Secretary : Dhruv Mange

Sports Secretary : Shreya Singh

Sports Committee

Head: Shreya Singh

Indoor Aakrid Head: Omkar Khaire

Outdoor Aakrid Head: Nasib Danish

Co-Head: Aasha Rai

Cultural Committee

Heads: Dhruv Mange , Maitri Chavan

Co-Heads: Marya Prajapati, Harshita Singh

Digital Committee

Heads: Vishwa Patel, Srushti Mahire, Yash Bhat

Co-Heads: Malhar Sane, Ayaan Shaikh, Monish Padelkar

Computer Association

Head: Yash Patil

Co-Head: Simran Mishra

Green Club

Head: Sachin Dumbre

Co-Head: Tanvi Mendhe

Arts Association

Head: Darafsha Shaikh

Co-Head: Martina Lohara

Student Welfare

Head: Mahi Chauhan

Co-head: Aditi Shinde

Newspaper And Magazine Committee

Heads : Content Editor In Chief: Sainath Arote & Anjali Kandu

Design Editor In Chief : Toshnil Salam & Sakshi Choudhary

National Service Scheme

Head : Harshit Yadav



Placement Committee

Head: Vihaan Khurana

Co head : Shavez khan, Pratik Sonawane

Business Association

Heads : Girijaa Sarage, Dhiraj Dhal

Coheads: Sahil Pimparkar, Jhanvi Shetty

Language Luminaries Club

Head:- Vaishali Ghanate

Co head:- Raafia Siddiqui

Indian knowledge system

Head- Siddiqua Zehra

Coheads- Shubham Vibhute and Yash Sawant

Electoral Literacy Club

Head - Vasanti Choudhary

Co-head - Arhan Shaikh

