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### **Internship Opportunity: Notice**

## Shraddhey Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Botanical Garden, Visapur

The office of Deputy Conservator of Forest, Central Chanda Forest Division invites applications for a 3-month Junior Naturalist Internship purely on contractual at the Shraddhey Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Botanical Garden, Visapur. This internship is designed to provide practical exposure in nature education, biodiversity interpretation, and public engagement to students from science backgrounds. The internship is open to graduate and postgraduate students from science backgrounds (e.g., Botany, Zoology, Environmental Science, Forestry, Life Sciences) residing within Chandrapur district. Selected interns will work closely with the Botanical Garden's education and conservation teams, contributing to guided tours, awareness programs, biodiversity documentation, and interactive nature-based learning modules.

The internship offers a valuable opportunity for hands-on experience in the field of biodiversity conservation and nature education. Find attached the internship details and application link.

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# Shraddhey Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Botanical Garden, Visapur

## 3-Month Internship Opportunity

P Open to Colleges in Chandrapur District Only

#### Purpose of Internship

This internship aims to empower and engage youth in Chandrapur district through nature education, environmental conservation, and sustainability-based innovation. Set across a 108-hectare green expanse, the Botanical Garden is a living lab for students to gain field-based experience under expert mentorship in biodiversity, nature outreach, and ecological stewardship.

#### Internship Details

Duration: 3 Months

Streams: Wildlife, Zoology, Botany, Forestry, Life Sciences, or Allied Fields

#### Why Apply?

- Practical training in Nature Education
- Mentorship from Nature Education & Project Officers
- Live field exposure in a functioning Botanical Garden
- Enhance Communication & Outreach abilities
- Certificate of Completion + Letter of Appreciation
- Monthly Stipend

#### Stipend Details

• Bachelor's Students: ₹5,000/month

Number of Vacancy: 05

· Master's Students: ₹8,000/month

Number of Vacancy: 05

Subject to successful completion and report submission.

Month-wise Internship Plan

Month	Focus Area	Responsibilities	Expected Outcome
1	Know the Garden &	Create content; report	Understand Nature
	Nature Education	writing	Education
			methodology
2	Assist with Group	Support school tours;	Build communication
	Tours	collect feedback	& engagement skills
3	Lead School	Conduct 6 guided	Lead outreach &
-	Outreach	tours; submit final	event management
		report	

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#### **Contact Information**

- 1) Ms. Bhairavi Bhopardikar Nature Education Officer: +91 90115 29174
- 2) Mr. Sachin Umare Project Officer: +91 97651 90682

#### Certifications & Recognition

- Internship Certificate of Completion
- Letter of Appreciation for excellent performance
- Hands-on program delivery experience

#### Terms and Conditions

- Last Date of Submission of Application is 26/06/2025.
- No TA/DA will be provided for attending the interview.
- Only students from Chandrapur District colleges are eligible.
- The internship is contractual for 3 months.
- No stay/food allowance only stipend is paid.
- Minimum 90% attendance required.
- · Punctuality, professionalism, and respectful conduct are mandatory.
- No external publication/use of internal data without written permission.
- · Interns cannot be accompanied by unauthorized people during official work.
- DYCF Central Chanda reserves the right to terminate with 1-week notice.

#### How to Apply



Fill out the form with your CV & Statement of Purpose at:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd7jU4Nrtnihmvw8FGjcxH86F7\_58WJJ6dUJbHax5jtSp8sKw/viewform?usp=header

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