

# Activity report 2025-26

**Name of Activity-** Wall poster presentation

**Date and Time of activity conducted-** 21-02-2026, 11.00 am Onwards

**Target Group-** B. Sc. I, II, III Students

**Number of participants:** 14

**Name of Organizer-** Department of Zoology,

Shri Vijaysinha Yadav College, Peth Vadgaon

## Objectives:

1. To develop stage daring in the students.
2. To inspire students, develop interest and curiosity about the subject

## Detailed Report-


Department of Zoology, Shri Vijaysinha Yadav College, Peth Vadgaon organized “Wall poster presentation” dated Saturday, 21<sup>th</sup> February 2024. The event was organized in the laboratory. Total 14 students participated in the event. The students prepared wall-posters on different endangered animals – their location, appearance, habitat, causes of population decline, and different ways for protection. They presented the posters in front of evaluator. The winners were felicitated with prizes in the valedictory function.

## Outcomes-

1. Students confidently presented the posters
2. Students were enlightened with the protection measures of wildlife and endangered animals.



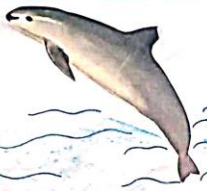
# Vaquita





**Vaquita diet :-**

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- 1) fish: They consume various small fish species with diverse fish such as gudge and croakers forming a significant portion of their diet.
- 2) Crustaceans: shrimps and other crustaceans are also prey for vaquitas.
- 3) mollusks: said one another importance part of their diet.







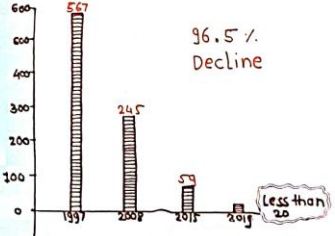
**feeding**

**habits and**

**habitat :-**

kingdom	==	Animalia
Phylum	==	Chordata
class	==	Mammalia
order	==	Cetacea (Whales, dolphins)
family	==	Phocoenidae
genus	==	Phocoena
species	==	Phocoena sinu

**HELP US SAVE VAQUITA**



Year	Population
1997	567
2007	245
2017	10
2018	Less than 10


96.5% Decline

## ENDANGERED HORNS OF HOPE

### RHINOCEROS - The Armed Giant

They are large thick-skinned mammals with one or two horns on their heads.

- # Type - In India - One-horned Rhinoceros (Kaziranga National Park)
- # Threats - Poaching for horns, habitat loss, illegal wildlife trade.
- # Conservation - Protected under the Wildlife Protection Act (1972), Project Rhino in India is saving them.
- # Status - Endangered (IUCN Red List)
- # Fact - Rhinoceros are made of keratin, the same material as our nails. "Have Rhinos, Don't let the Horns go, they ENDS!"




## ECHOS OF NATURE

### DINOSAURS - Lords of Past

They were the rulers of Mesozoic Era (250-65 million years ago), ruling earth for 160 million years.

- # Types - Dinosauria - Theropods, Ornithomimiformes, Ornithomimidae, Ornithomimids.
- # Feeding - Herbivorous.
- # They were found about 65 meters giant, some had long necks, horns, on body armor. These disappeared 65 million yrs ago due to asteroid impact, volcanic and climate change.
- # Fact - Over 700 species discovered birds and their modern relatives.




## RARE - NATURE'S MYSTERY OKAPI

### DODO - The last bird

They were flightless bird, found in the island of Mauritius. They were about 1.2 meter tall, 15-20kg weight, having grey feathers and strong beak.


- # Extinction - Became extinct by the late 1600s due to hunting, habitat destruction, and invasive animals brought by humans.
- # Importance - Symbol of human-driven extinction.
- # Fact - The Dodo is often called "The Pouter bird of extinction".



### Okapi - The forest giraffe

They are closest relative of the Giraffe.

- # A rare animal found only in the mountains of Congo Africa.
- # Features - Body like giraffe but with zebra-like stripes, long blue tongue, big and muscular.
- # Habitat - Dense forest (Congo).
- # Conservation Status - Rare and considered as Endangered due to the habitat loss and hunting.
- # Fact - Okapi is the closest living relative of the giraffe.



"From Roars to Wings. History speaks - Don't let Nature fade"

Department of Zoology  
organized.

Wall-poster presentation event.

Saturday, 21-02-2026.

Attendance of Participants.

1. Riya Vaibhav Lale B.Sc I Rhinoceros Pale
2. Megha Vishal Patil B.Sc II Indian Bustard. Patil
3. Shweta Ramesh Yadav B.Sc I Marine life Syale
4. Sailee Jaykar Kumbhar B.Sc II Vaquita (fish) Achale
5. Amrapali Sunil Shinde B.Sc II Giant Panda. Chhinde
6. Omprakash Ratanlal Ben B.Sc I Tiger. Sampal
7. Shruti Sachin Patil B.Sc-II SP
8. Aditya Shamrao Jadhav B.Sc-I AST
9. Mrdula Manoj Pavaskar B.Sc-I Rhinoceros OMP
10. Gayatri Anil Katkar B.Sc-I Marine Life Akatkar
11. Pornima Sunil Katkar B.Sc-II
12. Prasad Suresh Mane B.Sc-I Pmane
13. Abhiraj Jivandhar Patil B.Sc-I A.J.P
14. Om Prakash Gosavi B.Sc-I OGosavi

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