
A University in the Making: A Visit to PCU at Sate

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On June 14th, 2023, as their field trip, the students of Grade XII visited the site of the upcoming Pimpri Chinchwad University (PCU) at Sate. The idea was to give them an understanding of the efforts the Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust undertakes in order to ensure world-class education reaches every strata and every citizen who yearns for knowledge.

Students were taken on a tour on the site wherein they witnessed the vastness of the campus, saw the numerous classrooms, labs and other facilities in the making. This helped them understand the efforts the PCET undertakes to ensure the pathway to students' career is paved well.

Students and faculty even has the chance to meet Vice Chancellor of PCU, Dr. Manimala Puri.



The Pimpri Chinchwad University (PCU) is the PCET's latest crowning glory. It is a State private university situated at Sate, Mawal, Pune. The university will cater to academic facilities and other amenities for both students and faculty so that students are provided a technologically advanced, research-oriented, practically-driven education foundation.



We thank Dr. Manimala Puri, Vice Chancellor; and Mr. A.G. Patil, the Campus Incharge of the PCU for granting us permission to visit the campus. We also owe our gratitude to our principal, Dr. Bindu Saini; vice principal, Ms. Padmavati Banda; the accompanying teachers, Ms. Praveena More, Ms. Shaileja Mestry, Ms. Richa Sharma and Ms. Gauri Utture for organising and being part of this insightful tour.

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Before we bring this article to a close, we would like to share the experiences of the students themselves in their own words:

"We, the students of S.B. Patil Public School, would like to express our gratitude for the educational trip offered to us by Pimpri Chinchwad University. The campus is located in a beautiful green environment with a great view in Sate near Talegaon. We were properly guided by the representative of the university who shared with us fascinating insights of the university including the advanced technological rooms like the digital library and classrooms on all the floors. They even answered all our questions with enthusiasm.

The infrastructure and facilities made for the students aside from academics made everything equally balanced and attractive. At last we would like to say that we enjoyed the trip and are looking forward to visit the university again once construction is completed." - Ermina Khan (XII-A)

"A student visit was arranged at Pimpri Chinchwad University (PCU). As the students of Grade XII who are always looking forward to future opportunities, we were glad to visit the university which helped us get precise information about the future academic life of students and particular courses after graduating Grade XII.

PCU is creating a campus for the betterment of all students. Just like the library we often dream of; "the world of words that made our world", we were enlightened when given the insights of the wide range of courses available. It was a great experience with gaining knowledge about several courses that will help us shape our future careers. We felt honoured with a feeling of immense gratitude for S.B. Patil Public School for arranging our visit to the prestigious PCU." - Aditi Ranjan (XII-B)