



Subject: Architectural Design I

Place visited - Dhakale, Baramati

Sr. No.	Reporting items	Details
1	Name of the Activity	Settlement Study Tour
2	Name of the College	Dr. Bhanuben Nanavati College of Architecture, Maharshi Karve Stree Skikshan Samstha (MKSSS)
3	District and State	Pune, Maharashtra
4	No. of students participated in the Activity	41
5	No. of Faculty Members Participated	4
		Resource Faculty – NA
6	Name of the Head of the Institution	Dr. Anurag Kashyap
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8	Date	27/ 03/ 2024 - 30/ 03/ 2024
9	Highlights of the program	 To study a location in rural context with emphasis on aspects like climate, social structure, culture, architectural typology, construction technology, etc. MOU with URVEE Public trust for documentation of vernacular building material and technologies and providing a live site with a design solution for the village. Interview and inventory filling for documenting socio – cultural aspects and craftsmen who explained all processes in detail. Interaction with villagers as students worked on a live project. Visit stone quarry and understand the process of dressing, carving etc and document techniques in stone masonry. Visit and study contemporary house Padvi House in Waghalwadi designed by PMA Madhushala to understand application of vernacular techniques in new buildings.





10 Event Outcome

- On returning the students put an exhibition of the settlement study area which included various typologies of residences in the village. The students also documented the village square and temples within.
- During the study students identified various building materials and techniques used in the village. They documented the process of construction and their methods by interviewing the craftsmen who work in these techniques.
- Students made models of various building techniques and various housing typologies to be displayed in the material museum.
- Worked on the Proposed Architectural Design of Women Empowerment centre for Dhakale in the ZP school campus.

1. Site Visit Photos









BNCA First Year – Studio A – Dhakale Settlement Study: Students and Faculty at the site visit in the village.



BNCA First Year – Studio A – Dhakale Settlement Study: Students thanking the owner and their family during a visit to contemporary structure designed by PMA Madhushala.