# BEACH CLEAN DRIVE 2026-27

| **Organized by :** | **Venue:** | **Date:** |
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| Vivekanand Education Society in collaboration with Vabashakti NGO | Dadar Beach | 28th September 2026 |

## About the Drive

Vivekanand Education Society, in collaboration with Vabashakti NGO, successfully organized a Beach Clean Drive at Dadar Beach on 28th September 2026. The initiative witnessed active participation from the various sister concern institutions of VES, including VES SAC, VES Engineering, VES Architecture, VES Polytechnic, VES Junior College and VES School, along with the VES Law Green Club. The drive was conducted from 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM with the objective of promoting environmental awareness, responsible waste management and community participation. During the two-hour drive, approximately 2,000 kg of garbage was collected from the beach area. The collected waste included plastic and other discarded materials, including Ganpati idols.

## Timeline

- **7:00 AM** – Participants assembled at Dadar Beach and the activity commenced.
- A brief orientation was given regarding the purpose of the drive, safety precautions and proper handling of collected waste.
- Gloves, masks and dustbin bags were distributed to the participants.
- Participants from the different VES institutions worked in coordinated groups to collect garbage from the beach.
- Plastic and other waste materials were collected, including discarded Ganpati idols found at the beach.
- The collected waste was gathered systematically for appropriate handling and disposal.
    - **9:00 AM** – The beach clean drive concluded after completion of the designated cleaning activity, followed by a concluding interaction and group photographs.

## Logistics

- Reusable gloves
- Trash bags
- Some scrap collector tool
- First-aid kit
- Reusable water bottles and light snacks for volunteers

## Participating Institutions

- VES ASC
- VES Engineering
- VES Architecture
- VES Polytechnic
- VES Junior College
- VES School
- VES Law College / VES Law Green Club

**A pre-event briefing covered:**

1. Safety precautions
2. Waste segregation into categories
3. Importance of environmental concern and well-being

## Objectives

- To contribute towards the cleanliness of Dadar Beach.
- To remove accumulated garbage and discarded materials from the beach.
- To promote awareness regarding plastic pollution and responsible waste disposal.
- To encourage students to participate in environmental and community-oriented activities.
- To promote teamwork and cooperation among students and faculty of different VES institutions.

## Role and Responsibilities.

- **VES Education Institution:** The faculty and student coordinators assisted in organizing the participating students, coordinating the cleaning activity
- **Vabashakti NGO:** Supplied gloves, trash bags, litter pickers, first-aid kits, and waste segregation guidelines. Also trained team leaders on.
- **Faculty Coordinators:** Mrs. Rohini G. Shinde and Mr. Aumkar Sane.

- **Student Coordinators:** Mr. Sumeet Shetty, Mr. Rajvardhan Singh and Mr. Vishnu Pant.

## Waste Data and Analysis

The Beach Clean Drive resulted in the collection of approximately 2,000 kg of garbage from Dadar Beach. Beyond the physical removal of waste, the programme successfully brought together multiple institutions under the VES umbrella and created a shared sense of responsibility towards the environment.

The collaboration with Vabashakti NGO further supported the systematic conduct of the activity and provided the participants with necessary protective and cleaning materials, including gloves, masks and dustbin bags.

## Educational and Community Impact

- Created awareness about plastic pollution and beach cleanliness.
- Provided students with practical exposure to waste collection and environmental service.
- Encouraged cooperation among students and faculty from different VES institutions.
- Promoted the values of social responsibility, teamwork and community participation.
- Highlighted the need for responsible disposal of waste and religious materials such as discarded Ganpati idols.
- Reinforced the importance of sustainable practices and regular environmental initiatives.

# Glimpses


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