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**SABEBRAOJI BUTTEPATIL MAHAVIDYALAYA**  
**RAJGURUNAGAR, TAL. KHED, DIST. PUNE**  
**Department of Zoology A.Y. 2023-2024**

**REPORT ON VISIT TO Dhumya Hills**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Particulars</b>
<b>1</b>	Date	29/02/ 2024
<b>2</b>	Name of Event	Field Visit
<b>3</b>	Venue	Dhumya Hills, Chandoli.
<b>4</b>	Time	7.30:am to 1:00pm
<b>5</b>	Duration of the programme	One Day
<b>6</b>	Number of Participants	21students S.Y.B. Sc.+ 3Teacher

A Field Visit was organized for S.Y. B. Sc students on 29<sup>th</sup> Feb 2024 by the Department of Zoology, Sabebraoji Buttepatil Mahavidyalaya, Rajgurunagar. A total of 21 students, 3 teacher staff participated in the field visit. As part of the syllabus of Savitribai Phule Pune University, the field visit was organized and through this, the students were exposed to rich faunal diversity of Dhumya hills. The field visit programme was planned for one day under the leadership of HOD, Prof.S.S.Naikare , Dr. S.M.Jagatap, Prof. M.P.Kolhe.

The journey started from Sabebraoji Buttepatil Mahavidyalaya, Rajgurunagar. After around an hour, the journey continued towards Chandoli village and reach at Dhumya hills.

A detailed survey of the fauna was done later. The area of hills very rich in diversity of insects like beetles, aphids, bugs, moths, butterflies and various Arthropods like crustacean, scorpion, spiders, millipedes, centipedes. There Are No Of Common birds found around to us. Like Kingfisher, Sparrow, parrot, pigeon etc. There we also observe the colony of *Apis dorsata* and different Type of Wasp Also. Prof. S.S.Naikare gave information about nesting behavior and colony organization in honey bees.

The field visit was very knowledgeable and gave great experience.





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