Bhavan's College Library

Bhavan's College Library was established in 1946. Initially it has a collection of around 10,000 books mostly in the field of Arts. There was no separate building for the library. In the year 1948, Shri. B.G.Kher the then Chief Minister of Mumbai inaugurated the New Library Building and Mulraj Khatau Hall (Reading Room). In view of increased students' strength of the college the library building was expanded at a total cost of more than Rs. 3, 00,000/- with the substantial grant from the University Grants Commission (UGC). The extension of library building was inaugurated by Dr. P.B.Gajendragadkar the Vice-Chancellor of University of Mumbai on 22nd July, 1971.

Library Collection at Present

Bhavan's College Library has more than 55,000 books pertain to Arts, Commerce, Science, Management and IT. Our Valuable Collection includes

- Kulpati Munshiji's Collection
- Collection on Gandhism
- Collection of Gujarati Books
- Collection of French Books
- Valuable Books on Marathi, Hindi and English Literature
- Publications of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan

Periodicals and Bound Volumes of Journals

The Library is subscribing more than 80 periodicals including national and international journals from reputed publications. The old issues of the journals are preserved in the form of Bound Volumes. The library is holding around 1400 bound volumes.

Audio-Visual Materials

To make teaching and learning more effective, library has started adding Audio-Visual materials like CDs and DVDs. These materials are used for classroom teaching and students can also browse them in the library. At present library has around 355 CDs / DVDs.

Working Hours

Office Hours : 9.30 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.

Reading Room : 7.00 a. m. to 7.00 p.m.

(During Exam Period it will be extended to 9.00 p.m.)

Library Services

- Reference Service
- Circulation of Books
- Display of New Arrivals
- Access to Syllabus and Old Question Paper Sets
- Book Bank Facility
- Inter Library Loan Facility
- OPAC (On-Line Public Access Catalogue)

- Internet Facility

- Access to E-Resources from INFLIBNET'S N-List Consortium