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**Subject: Opening of Amrit Udyan, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi during  
Udhyan Utsav- II from 16<sup>th</sup> August to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2023**

Respected Madam/Sir,

The Ministry of Education has informed that Amrit Udyan of Rashtrapati Bhawan is open for general public from 16th August to 17th September, 2023 during Udhyan Utsav-II. Timing for viewing would be from 1000 hrs to 1700 hrs (last entry time 1600hrs) on all working days except Monday.

The Higher Education Institutions are requested to widely disseminate the information and ensure maximum participation of number of college students and the faculties participating in the Udhyan Utsav-II 2023.

Further, a roster may be prepared to ensure streamlined entry of students and faculties to Amrit Udyan and it may be shared with Smt. Rubina Chauhan, Deputy Secretary, President Sectt. (Contact No. 9205855997).

A copy of the instructions for college visit is attached.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Manish Joshi)

To  
The Vice-Chancellors of all Universities  
The Principals of all Colleges/Institutes

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**F.No. M.11014/01/2023-CDN**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Education**  
**Department of Higher Education**  
**(CDN Section)**

229C-Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.  
Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2023.

To

The Secretary, UGC, New Delhi

The Member Secretary, AICTE, New Delhi

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Sir,

I am directed to inform that Amrit Udyan of Rashtrapati Bhawan is open for general public from 16<sup>th</sup> August to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 during Udhyan Utsav II, 2023. Timings for viewing would be from 1000 hrs to 1700 hrs (last entry time at 1600 hrs) on all working days except Monday.

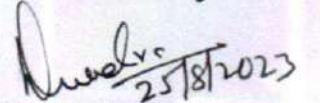
2. Hon'ble President of India has desired to invite the students of school and colleges to Udhyan Utsav-II, 2023 especially on 05<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 (Teachers' Day) which is dedicated to the Teachers. The Hon'ble President would be meeting the Teachers on that day in the Central Lawn of the Amrit Udyan.

3. In this respect, it is requested that UGC and AICTE each may please arrange participation of 1250 faculties / teachers separately (2500 teachers in total) from UGC/AICTE run institutions in the Udhyan Utsav-II, 2023 on 05<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 (Teachers' Day) as Hon'ble President of India would be meeting the Teachers on this Day in the Central Lawn of the Amrit Udyan.

4. In addition, it is requested that the information about opening of Amrit Udyan of Rashtrapati Bhawan during Udhyan Utsav-II, 2023 from 16<sup>th</sup> August 2023 to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 may be widely disseminated to all the educational institutions under your control so as to ensure maximum number of college students and the faculties participating in the Udhyan Utsav-II 2023.

5. A roaster may be prepared to ensure streamlined entry of students and faculties to Amrit Udyan and shared with Smt Rubina Chauhan, Deputy Secretary, Presidents Sectt. (contact no. 9205855997, email id: udyanutsav-rb.nic.in). A copy of the Instructions for School and College Visits received from President Sectt. is attached for reference.

Yours faithfully



(Devendra Kumar Sharma)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:-

DS(CU - CDN) – For similar action in respect of DU/JNU.

# Udyan Utsav - II

## Instructions for School and College Visits

### **1. OPENING AND SUGGESTED DAYS / TIMINGS**

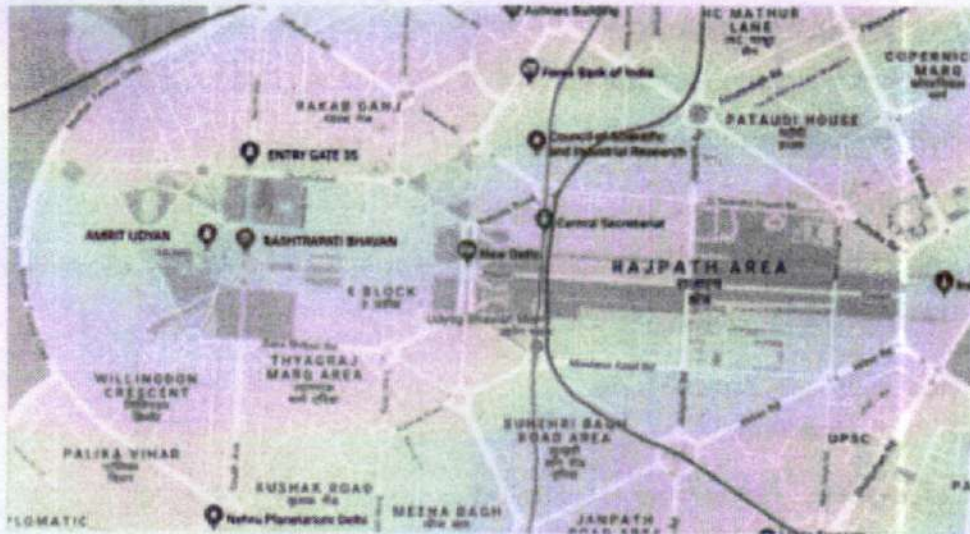
- The Gardens will remain open for the general public from 16th Aug to 17th Sep, 2023
- Recommended visiting days for schools and colleges are Tuesday - Friday
- Recommended entry time slots are 10AM - 11AM, 11AM - 12PM and 3PM - 4PM
- The Gardens will remain closed on Mondays
- The Gardens will be reserved specially for Teachers on account of Teachers Day on 5<sup>th</sup> Sep.  
Teachers from all educational institutions are welcome to visit on the special day.

### **2. BOOKINGS AND CONFIRMATION**

- Schools and colleges will have three options to book their visits:
  - Online bookings on Rashtrapati Bhavan website (<https://rashtrapatibhavan.gov.in>) and follow the "Amrit Udyan" link in the "Visit" tab.
  - Email at [udyanutsav-rb@rb.nic.in](mailto:udyanutsav-rb@rb.nic.in)
  - Call on +91-9205855997
- Schools and colleges will also have the option to opt for souvenirs and snacks at the time of booking, payment for which needs to be made by respective teacher representatives on the spot
- Schools and colleges interested in visiting Rashtrapati Bhavan Museum can additionally book their slots for the Museum as well. Ticket is free for students from government schools. Students can make the most of this learning opportunity.
- Post completion of booking, a confirmation will be shared with respective schools and colleges
- Confirmation will have a QR coded entry ticket that may be used during entry
- Maximum 50 students can be registered on a single booking. In case the number of students is more than 50, a separate booking needs to be done.
- Schools may ensure that students visit the Gardens in proper school uniform only

### 3. ENTRY PROCESS

- Entry to Gardens will be through Gate No. 35 of the Rashtrapati Bhavan on North Avenue Road (outlined in the map below)
- Schools and colleges are required to arrive at the entry gate as per time slot booked by them
- Each accompanying teacher shall carry the booking QR code on their phones to facilitate the entry of students



(Map with entry location at Gate 35 highlighted)

### 4. TOUR ITINERARY

Start Time	End Time	Duration	Activity
-	T		Arrival and Parking of Bus near Gate 35
T	T + 15 mins	15 mins	QR Code Scanning and Entry from Gate 35
T + 15 mins	T + 105 mins	90 mins	Tour of Gardens (Guides deputed in specific location will provide information about the flora)
T + 105 mins	T + 135 mins	30 mins	Eat and Collect Souvenirs at the Food Court (optional, chargeable: Quantity to be informed in advance while payment to be made on the spot)
T + 135 mins	T + 150 mins	15 mins	Walk towards Rashtrapati Bhavan Museum

T + 150 mins	T + 225 mins	75 mins	Tour of the Museum ( <i>optional, Entry is free for govt schools but tickets need be booked separately in advance</i> )
T + 225 mins	T + 240 mins	15 mins	Walk towards Gate 35 for departure
<b>Total</b>		<b>4 hours</b>	

## **5. ALLOWED/ RESTRICTED ITEMS**

### **5.1. Allowed Items**

- Mobile Phones
- Wallets, Purses or Hand-bags
- Water bottles an Umbrellas

### **5.2. Restricted Items**

- Eatables / Paan / Gutka / Cigarettes
- Backpacks / Cameras / Video Cameras
- Arms and Ammunition

All guidelines, including those related to security, displayed, or announced are applicable to all the schools.

# Udyan Utsav II - 2023

## Brief Primer for School and College Visits

### BACKGROUND

The Amrit Udyan will remain open for general public from 16th Aug to 17th Sep, 2023 during Udyan Utsav II.

This edition of the festival will especially focus on welcoming school and college students, and give them a glimpse of Amrit Udyan, the gardens of Rashtrapati Bhavan. This document is being shared with institutes to enable faculties to brief students about what they can expect to see on their visit to Udyan Utsav II.

We hope this primer will help build excitement among our young visitors about their trip to Udyan Utsav II.

### KEY ATTRACTIONS

**1. Bal Vatika**

*A dedicated garden specially for children which includes swings and slides, a Nature's trail, a babbling brook and a Treehouse.*

**2. Herbal Garden**

*Home to 33 medicinal & aromatic plants like Jatropa, Stevia, Isabgul, Ashwagandha, Brahmi, and Tulsi*

**3. Bonsai Garden**

*Set up in 2010 with around 250 Bonsai plants. Varieties include Ficus Infactoria, Ficus Panda, etc.*

**3. East Lawn & Central Lawn**

*Consists of flower beds, fountains, water channels, terraces.*

**4. Long Garden**

*Creepers along the side walls blossom with flowers in different colors. Complementing them are shrubs of Choti Narangi. A special feature will be artistic arches with hanging gardens.*

**5. Circular Garden**

*Consists of colourful varieties of flowers such Portulaca and Indian Shot. A bubble fountain in the middle enhances the grandeur of the garden.*

## **6. Vertical Garden**

*An interesting picture point with myriads of plants, artistically arranged vertically.*

## **7. Spiritual Garden**

*Consists of plants and trees which hold significant religious importance.*

### **HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS YEAR'S UDYAN UTSAV**

- Easy to access QR coded information for the floral species
- Guides to provide in-depth information about flora
- Food court and selfie points
- New special features: Cacti Garden, Fairy Garden, etc.
- Visit to Rashtrapati Bhavan Museum to explore the history of our nation – ticket is free for students from government schools. Students can make the most of this learning opportunity.