

ABOUT TRUST

While recognizing the growing needs of higher education in the Bardoli region which is inhabited mostly by the enlightened Patels, whose mettle was truly tested on the anvil of Freedom-movement and 'Satyagrah' by Sardar Patel, and the dwelling den of the tribals sprawling over the neighboring talukas who were to open their eyes to socio-economic equality through education awakened by Gandhian ways of social upliftment—the Bardoli Pradesh Kelavni Mandal the Public Trust emerged as an umbrella organization in 1960.

Patel Raman Brothers Arts & Science College (1963) was its debut venture. As its seeds were well sown, it sprouted healthily and prospered progressively.

This could be possible, precisely because it is the very land where Mahatma Gandhi, the Father of the Nation and Sardar Patel, the Iron Man of India, had had their foot prints during the crucial phase of our freedom movement.

It was the spirit of such great souls that percolated in the germination and growth of social, educational, co-operative and industrial institutions in this blessed area.

In 1971, the college was rechristened with the addition of Commerce faculty as Patel Raman Bros. Arts & Patel Gopalbhai Ranchhodji Commerce College, Bardoli.

The college in near future in 2013 is going to celebrate the golden jubilee of its academic existence and fruitful presence in this region. Ours is a Grant-in-aid college affiliated to Veer Narmad South Gujarat University, Surat and recognized by the UGC under 2 (f) & 12 (B) schemes.

The college located opposite to historical Swaraj Ashram of Bardoli has a sprawling campus of 4.5 acres in the semi-urban town.

The college runs two faculties viz. Arts and Commerce to fulfill the educational needs of this area. Our B.A. course offers English, Gujarati, Hindi, Economics and History as Principal subjects along with Gujarati, Sanskrit, and Psychology as Minor subjects.

We also offer degree of M.A. with History and Gujarati. The college is a recognized center for M.Phil. in Gujarati. The website gives detailed information of subjects offered by the college.

The total strength of the college is around 3000 with 60% of female students. To build up moral, spiritual and physical character of students the college runs many extension activities like NSS, NCC and Sports.

The college library is a unique center of knowledge for learners with more than 25000 titles and 111 periodicals and internet facility.

To improve the standard of English in general and spoken English in particular the college has established computerized language laboratory which offers

certificate courses affiliated to Cambridge university under the state government scheme SCOPE.

The college also owns multimedia teaching aids to facilitate rigorous teaching-learning in the class-room.

In addition to this, the college is a recognized center of Baba Saheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad which offers various professional and creative courses to students.

The campus of the college remains vibrant with umpteen curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities throughout the year.

The college invites all stakeholders of education to improve the quality of education on the campus with positive intervention.