KONKAN EDUCATION SOCIETY, ALIBAG

Konkan Education Society Alibag, Raigad is a leading and one of the oldest education institution in Konkan region and in Maharashtra, which has been received Adarsha Shikshan Sanstha Award by Government of Maharashtra for remarkable work in education and social field in the Year 2002-2003.

Many educational institutes were started in our country as an option to missionary school the contemporary enthusiast in education from colaba district started Colaba Students Association on 1st January 1917 with the objective to avail the facility of education in the rural area. The Association started the first school at Roha on 14th November 1917. This association was named as Konkan Education Society on 26th May, 1718. The Society lighted the lamp of education at the places like Panvel, Alibag, Poynad, Revdanda, etc.

In continuation of the march of the spreading the education, the society celebrated “Silver Jubilee” Year on 18th December 1944 in the auspicious presence of the great educationist Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan.

In 1977, Advocate Datta Patil became the Chairman of Konkan Education Society.

Keeping in the mind the objectives of society to spread the light of education in three Districts in the Konkan region, i. e. Raigad, Sindhudurg and Thane society has established three colleges of Arts science & commerce, two colleges of Homeopathic medicine, one college of education, thirty-three secondary grantable schools, ten Jr. colleges, fifty-four non-grantable schools. In these 102 educational institutions 51,253 students are taking education and 2,029 employees are employed in Konkan Education Society.

Konkan Education Society is getting into 98th anniversary this year.