



**MAHATMA EDUCATION SOCIETY'S**  
**MAHATMA NIGHT DEGREE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND COMMERCE**  
Chembur Naka, Mumbai - 400 071. Tel : 2522 4856 / 8414 Fax: 2522 9587  
**NAAC ACCREDITED**

**Statutory Declaration under Section 4 (1) (b) of the (RTI) Act, 2005**



**Particulars of the Organization**

Sr.no.	Title	Details
1.	Name of the Organization	Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts and Commerce, Chembur
2.	Postal Address	Mahatma Education Society's Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts & Commerce Chembur Naka, Mumbai - 400 071
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5.	Contact Number	022-2522 4856 / 2522 8414
6.	Affiliation	University of Mumbai
7.	Name of the Principal	Dr. Eknath K Zhrekar

**Working Hours:** 10:00 am to 07:00 pm

**Holidays:** The institution shall remain closed on Sundays and Public Holidays  
as declared by the Central/State Government



## **Programmes Offered:**

### **UG Programmes:**

Bachelor of Commerce (B.Com.)

### **PG Programmes:**

Master of Commerce (M.Com.)

## **About the Institution**

**Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts & Commerce is permanently affiliated to the University of Mumbai. The college was established in 1986** with the primary objective of providing facilities for higher education for less privileged youth who cannot become full time students at day colleges. The college is located at Chembur, a central suburb of Mumbai. With a very modest beginning of merely 60 students, today the college has a large student fraternity exceeding 1400 ambitious learners and a galaxy of committed and dedicated teachers of high caliber.

**The college runs the three-year integrated B.Com. (Regular) Degree Course of the University of Mumbai.** Catering to the need of the economically underprivileged students of the local area, who are part time learners, employed during the day, the college has been contributing to the upliftment of the academically and economically challenged section of society by empowering and equipping the first generation learners to become better citizens.\

**Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts and Commerce has been Accredited by NAAC with a CGPA of 2.89 on a seven-point scale at B++ Grade valid for a period of five years from 30th October, 2017.** The college is one of the oldest institutions among the 48 institutions under the umbrella of Mahatma Education Society. With the able guidance and leadership of our visionaries Dr. K. M. Vasudevan Pillai, Managing Director – Mahatma Education Society and Dr. Daphne Pillai, Chairperson Management Board of MES, the college has made great strides in their social responsibility contributing to society at large.



## **Vision, Mission and Objectives**

### **Vision**

The Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts & Commerce shares the vision with all other institutions of Mahatma Education Society – **“Education for all”**.

### **Mission**

The mission of our college is “percolation of education to the economically and academically underprivileged and to empower, enlighten and thus equip them to become responsible citizens.” We therefore provide higher education to the students who are unable to attend full time classes being either employed or coming from weaker sections of the society.

### **Objectives**

To elaborate on the governance and leadership in our institution, it is appropriate to quote Prof. W. Edwards Demming, a renowned educationist who has observed, “to create a quality institution and quality climate, we must remember that we work hard for those we care for, and for those whom we respect and whom trust us, those with whom we laugh, those who allow us to think and act for ourself, and those who help make our lives more secure”. This is precisely how the students of any progressive institution should view their teachers and how, the teachers in turn should view the management. Our teachers work with empathy and vision to create better citizens of the future. Strategy developed and deployed is broadly divided into two parts. Firstly, where the teacher constantly reminds the student that the real purpose of gathering information is to apply it and secondly, that the students are made to feel what they are learning is relevant to them and that they should be in a position to apply that knowledge productively and judiciously. We take an interdisciplinary approach, where teachers collaborate amongst themselves, in each other’s subject, and try to draw a correlation between them. The mobilization of resources to maintain and run such an institution of high quality is done partly through salary grant, central assistance from the UGC and donations from the management.

**Statutory declaration under the RTI act 2005 Section 4 (1) (b) of ACT 2005 covers the statutory declaration of Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts and Commerce, Chembur.**

**Website: [www.mahatmandc.ac.in](http://www.mahatmandc.ac.in)**




Our College is affiliated to University of Mumbai, which has a Governing Council and College Development Cell as per the provisions of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act 2016. It functions as per the rules and regulations stipulated by Government of Maharashtra. University of Mumbai, University Grants Commission (UGC) and other government bodies concerned from time to time. The college comes under "Grant in Aid" category is audited by the private auditors. The College has various bodies to maintain all types of discipline in the campus. All the cells or committees of the institution are under statutory bodies. The application under the RTI act along with postal order/demand draft for Rs. 10.00 obtained in favor of the principal, Mahatma Night Degree College of Arts and Commerce, Chembur.

This application may be sent to the Public Information Officers (PIO) or handed over in his/her office, for any information required. All the information about the college is open for the public and it can be obtained by any citizen of India.

#### Names, Designations and other particulars of Public Information Officers

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1.	Dr. Eknath K Zhrekar	Appellate Information Officer	Tel: 022-2522 4856 / 022-2522 8414 <a href="mailto:eknathzhrekar@mes.ac.in">eknathzhrekar@mes.ac.in</a> <a href="mailto:mahatmandc@mes.ac.in">mahatmandc@mes.ac.in</a>
2.	Mr. Dharmendra Sonawane	Public Information Officer	Tel: 022-2522 4856 / 022- 2522 8414 <a href="mailto:dharmendras@mes.ac.in">dharmendras@mes.ac.in</a> <a href="mailto:mahatmandc@mes.ac.in">mahatmandc@mes.ac.in</a>

  
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