



VIDHIVAT

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sustainability

Project Report
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Introduction

In every Indian household, religious items hold deep emotional and spiritual significance. From idols and frames to scriptures and sacred accessories, these objects are not just materials—they are symbols of devotion, heritage, and reverence. But what happens when these items are no longer in use, damaged, or need to be respectfully retired?

At Vidhivat, we believe that even the final journey of a religious item should be marked by dignity, ritual, and responsibility. Here's how you can ensure that your sacred belongings are disposed of in a way that honors tradition and supports sustainability.

Why Ritual-Based Disposal Matters?

Disposing of religious items isn't just about decluttering—it's about closure. Many families feel unsure or guilty about throwing away idols, scriptures, or sacred objects. Improper disposal can feel disrespectful and may even cause emotional discomfort.

That's where Vidhivat steps in. We offer a structured, culturally sensitive process that includes:

- Ritualistic farewell (उत्तरपूजा) by qualified Guruji
- Environmentally conscious recycling or reuse
- Transparent collection and handling

What Can Be Disposed Through Vidhivat?

We accept a wide range of religious items, excluding those made of Plaster of Paris or synthetic fiber:

Accepted Items

- Idols & Frames made of clay, wood, metal, stone
- Sacred Texts like Bhagavad Gita, Ramayan, Pothis
- Ritual Objects like Rudraksha, Shaligram, Shankh, Kawdi
- Devotional Items like Mala, Gangajal, Devhare, Vastr

Each item is handled with utmost care, ensuring it receives a respectful farewell before being recycled or repurposed.

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What Happens After Collection?

Every item collected undergoes a ritual of उत्तरपूजा at the venue itself, performed by experienced Guruji. Only after this sacred farewell, the items sent for recycling or reuse, ensuring spiritual and environmental harmony

A Final Thought

Disposing of religious items is not a mundane task—it's a spiritual responsibility. With Vidhivat, you don't just let go; you let go with grace. Join us in preserving tradition while embracing sustainability.

Samarth Bharat Vyaspeeth (SBV) is a NGO registered under Indian companies act, in 2017. The organization has been conducting various social and environmental activities continuously in a very effective way. In order to find solutions to questions such as how to rejuvenate waste in Thane city and how to make proper use of that waste, the organization started a project. The name of that project is "Project Revitalization,". In endeavour to make Thane city free from pollution, created due to dry waste, SBV has tied up with Thane Municipal Corporation (TMC) and initiated a project for eco-friendly disposal. SBV has set up a unit at Kopari, Thane for disposal and recycle of waste material. The flower waste is converted into compost in an eco- friendly manner. Samarth Bharat has also successfully implemented project of converting garden waste into fuel and Dry Waste Management.

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Collection Process

Samarth Bharat Vyaspeeth and Vidhivat jointly visit the designated collection points as per the scheduled time. At these locations, the following faith-based items offered by citizens with devotion are collected:

- **Idols & Frames:** Clay, wood, metal, stone
- **Sacred Texts:** Bhagavad Gita, Ramayan, Pothis
- **Ritual Objects:** Rudraksha, Shaligram, Shankh, Kawdi
- **Devotional Items:** Mala, Gangajal, Devhare, Vastra

The collection process is carried out with complete transparency, reverence, and sanctity.

Every collected item undergoes a ritual of Uttarpuja at the venue itself. This ceremony is performed by an experienced Guruji, ensuring a respectful and traditional farewell to the sacred items used by the community.

Only after the **Uttarpuja** ritual is completed are the items sent for recycling or reuse, thereby maintaining a balance between spiritual respect and environmental responsibility

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Vile Parle Collection



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Dombivli Collection



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Puranik Builders – Kanchan Pushpa Thane



Bandra Collection



Borivali Collection



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Uttar Puja



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Collection Statistics

Under the joint initiative of Samarth Bharat Vyaspeeth and Parivarthan Bharti Pvt. Ltd., the “Vidhivat” project regularly undertakes the collection, segregation, and eco-friendly recycling of religious materials. This report presents the details of the material items received from the collection centers during the month of October & November, along with their categorization and the materials sent for recycling.

Date	Place	Total Boxes	Weight (kg)
17-08-2025	Ghantali Mandir	25	950
13-09-2025	Utkarsh Mandal Hall, Vile Parle	35	1350
14-09-2025	Shri Ganesh Mandir Sanstha Dombivli	30	900
27-09-2025	Kanchan Pushpa Thane	-	170
11-10-2025	Kamal Pushpa Bandra	12	360
12-10-2025	Govandi education Mumbai	30	1110
TOTAL			4830 Kg

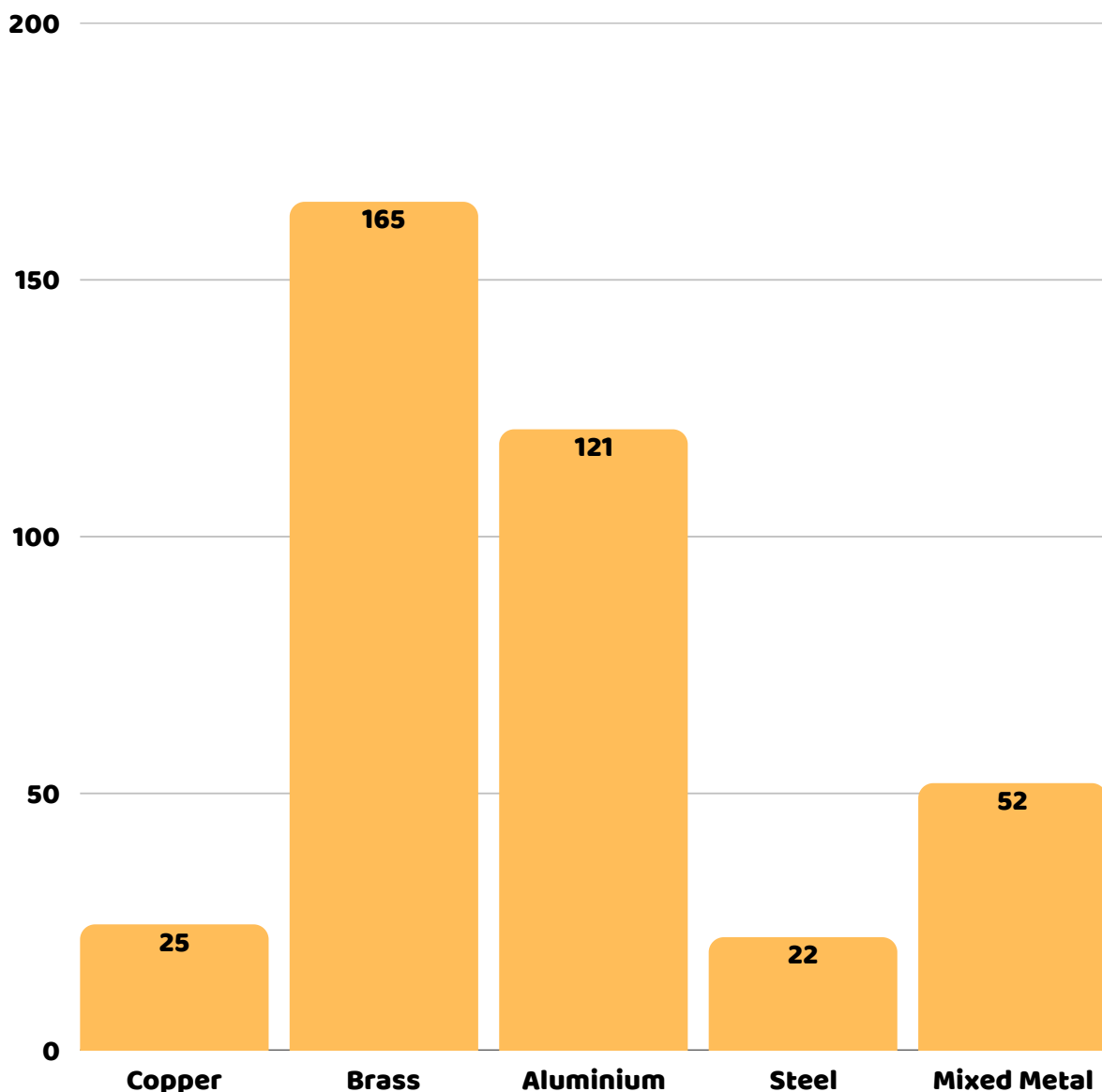
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Recycling Data – Monthly Summary

During this month, the collected religious materials were carefully segregated and sent for recycling. The total quantity of recyclable metals processed under the Vidhivat Project is as follows:



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Conclusion

This systematic recycling process helped divert a significant amount of metal waste from landfills, promoting resource recovery and supporting environmental sustainability.

First, we segregate the religious material, separating items like wood, glass, metal, and paper. Each type of material is then sent to specialized recycling centers. These centers recycle the materials to create new items.

