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Dhwani Audio Library



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An audio library named Dhwani was set up with the support of the college management. Dhwani Audio Library is a free audio book library service for students with temporary or permanent low vision, blindness, or a physical, perceptual, or reading disability that prevents them from using regular print materials. Using the Audacity software printed books is being converted to audio format, enabling students to listen to them using MP3 players on their devices like mobile phones and laptops. Books converted will be from the prescribed syllabus of SB College and MG University. To avoid copyright issues, permission from the owner of the literary works will be sought before converting it into audio format. Dhwani audio Library will be a solution to the blind or visually impaired students of the college and the university as they will get their study materials in audio books. A group of student volunteers will be trained to convert the syllabus prescribed textbooks into audio books by using Audacity software. Audio books on its completion will be made available to the needy students in the college and the university.

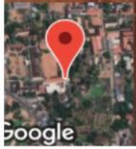


In the first phase 2 books of the UG syllabus were converted into the audio format and it is available through the SB college website. Its links are provided below:

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wqc2S3Aulbs>
- <https://youtu.be/AYhX2ZOUTT8>

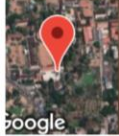
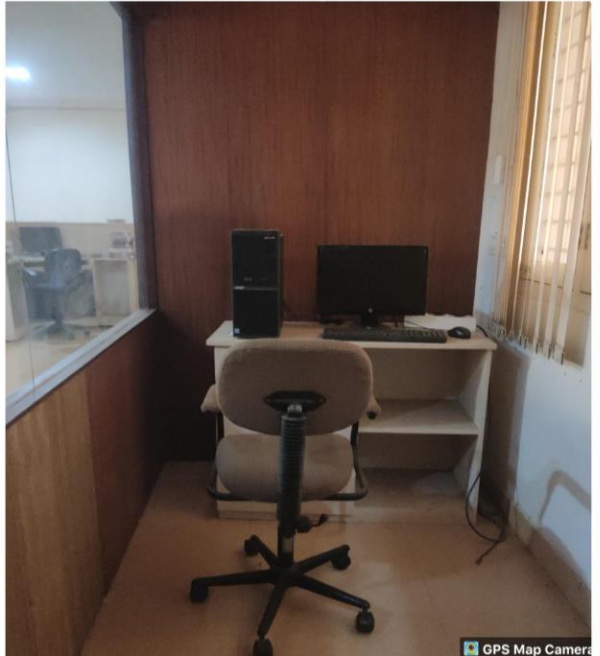


In the second phase Dhwani Audio Library is converting the library books in the audio format for the students of GOVT SCHOOL FOR BLIND OLASSA. 12 books are converted into audio format and the rest of the work is in progress.



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