Way back in 1983, access to higher education was a dream to many residing in this backward suburb of Mumbai. In order to make this dream of locals a reality, the visionary management of National Education Society set up Ratnam College of Arts, Science and Commerce in 1983.

Within a short span of time, the Institution has carved a niche for itself. Strong emphasis on all facets of discipline and academic excellence which are the essence of higher education ensure that students contribute effectively towards national development. The graduates from the institution are empowered with appreciable academic degree and qualities of good citizen. Distinctly better performance of our students in comparison with average performance of students at the Final University Examinations strongly endorses the quality of our teaching-learning process. Ratnamites are endowed with all-round growth and well groomed personality through various enrichment activities to be reckoned as assets by the society.

A technology - driven Annual Theme announced by the management and the Institution working around the Annual Theme, amply reflect Management’s as well as Institution’s interest in promoting the use of technology in its functioning – academic as well as administrative. Emphasis is always on use of modern teaching methods. Office administrations as well as library are increasingly making use of upgraded techniques which have resulted into smooth and efficient functioning.

The Institution strongly believes in not only sustaining quality but also enhancing it in order to achieve its vision. It regularly goes through the checks/ audits to test the level of quality prevalent in all its activities. The urge to enhance quality is amply reflected through

- **3-Tier Training Programme – for Staff, Students and Parents, regularly arranged**
• Continual evaluation of students through tests/ re-tests, apart from mandatory examinations
• Involvement of Students, Faculty and Parents in Institution’s activities
• Utmost emphasis on Faculty Development
• Encouragement to Faculty to undertake research activities.
• Actions taken on feedbacks received from all stake-holders-formal and informal.
• Transparent, decentralized, and participatory administrative system.

All well wishers of the Institution are justifiably proud of the Institution’s achievements so far, namely

• It is the first educational institution in Maharashtra to receive ISO 9001:2000 certification in 2002.
• It was accredited with ‘A’ Grade by NAAC in 2004, reaffirmed its ‘A’ Grade status in 2011 & again in 2017.
• Bhattipada Road, the approach road to the Institution, has been renamed as NES Ratnam College Marg by Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai in 2006.
• It received the Best College award from the University of Mumbai for the year 2013-14
• The parent body, National Education Society, along with Ratnam College, received Ramkrishna Bajaj National Quality Award in Education from Indian Merchants’ Chamber, in 2006.
• It is the first educational institution in India to receive British Quality Mark and Corporate Membership from British Institute for Learning & Development, UK in 2009.

UNIQUE EVENTS CONDUCTED BY NES & SVB GROUP

• The Group has set up NES Space Exploration Centre at its Mulund Education Complex for the benefit of students of the country and this unique centre was inaugurated by Capt. Jon McBride, Astronaut from NASA, USA on 5th Dec, 2012.
- The Group hosted World Peace Congress by and for the students of schools in India and abroad on 11th & 12th of January, 2013, a first of its kind initiative at school students’ level, which is destined to ramify the world.

- To keep students abreast about the latest development & research in the fields of Science & Technology, the group celebrates National Science Day, on 28th February, with great fervor. Various competitions are conducted for students and eminent scientists are invited as judges & also as resource persons to conduct workshops.