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AUTONOMOUS
NAAC 'A+' INSTITUTION

Metric No. 7.1.7

The institution has disabled-friendly, barrier free environment

1. Build Environment with Ramps/Lifts for easy access to classrooms
2. Disabled-friendly washrooms
3. Assistive Technology and facilities for persons with disabilities Assistive Technology and facilities for persons with disabilities (Divyangjan) accessible website, screen reading software, mechanized equipment
4. Provision For Enquiry and information: Human assistance, reader, scribe, soft copies of reading material, screen reading.

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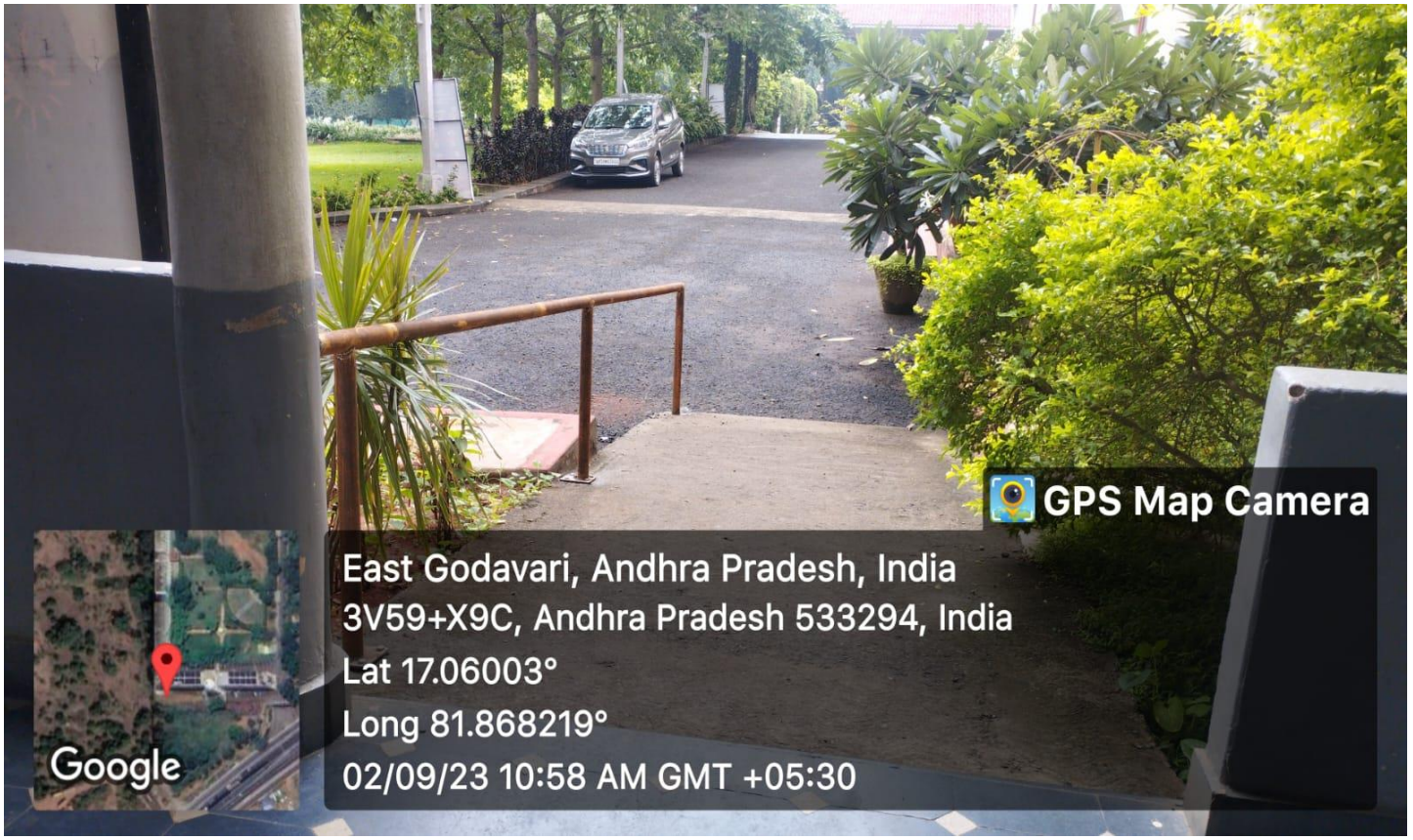
1. Build Environment with Ramps for easy access to classrooms



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2. Disabled-friendly washrooms

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3. Assistive Technology and facilities for persons with disabilities Assistive Technology and facilities for persons with disabilities (Divyangjan) accessible website, screen reading software, mechanized equipment.

Wheel Chair Facility for specially-abled persons

Battery Powered Vehicles for Assisting Divyangjan Persons

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LIST OF SCREEN-READING SOFTWARES (FREEWARE)

The Ministry of Human Resource Development website complies with Guidelines for Indian Government Websites and World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0 level A. This will enable people with visual impairments access the website using technologies, such as screen readers. The information of the website is accessible with different screen readers, such as JAWS, NVDA, SAFA, Supernova and Window-Eyes.

Following table lists the information about different screen readers:

Information related to the various screen readers

Scren Reader	Website	Free / Commercial
Non Visual Desktop Access (NVDA)	http://www.nvda-project.org/ (External website that opens in a new window)	Free
System Access To Go	http://www.satogo.com/ (External website that opens in a new window)	Free
Web Anywhere	http://webanywhere.cs.washington.edu/wa.php (External website that opens in a new window)	Free
Hal	http://www.yourdolphin.co.uk/productdetail.asp?id=5 (External website that opens in a new window)	Commercial
JAWS	http://www.freedomscientific.com/jaws-hq.asp (External website that opens in a new window)	Commercial
Supernova	http://www.yourdolphin.co.uk/productdetail.asp?id=1 (External website that opens in a new window)	Commercial
Window-Eyes	http://www.gwmicro.com/Window-Eyes/ (External website that opens in a new window)	Commercial

S.No.	Name of the Softwares	Links to Access
1	**AICTE Approved Screen Reading Softwares**	**https://www.aicte-india.org/screen-reader**
2	Non Visual Desktop Access (NVDA)	https://www.nvaccess.org/
3	System Access To Go	https://www.satogo.com/en/
4	Web Anywhere	http://webanywhere.cs.washington.edu/wa.php

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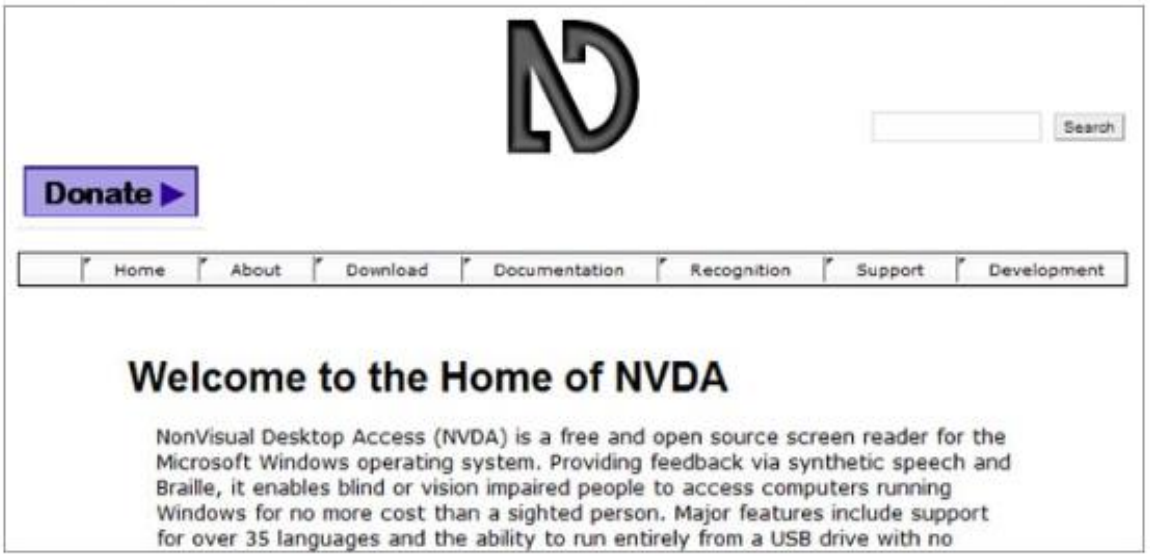
NVDA (Windows)



NVDA has been designed by a blind software engineering graduate, James Teh, for use with Windows computers. This free and open source screen reader has a synthetic voice that reads whatever the cursor hovers over, and can be used directly from a USB stick, making it ideal for students.

Serotek System Access (Windows)

This downloadable and complete screen reader can be used even outside your browser, thus making it one of the quickest ways of getting a screen reader up and running on your system. Serotek offers extended versions for a fee, although it is much cheaper than other screen readers.

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WebAnywhere (All OSs, Web browsers)

WebAnywhere is a web-based screen reader for the web. It requires no special software to be installed on the client machine and, therefore, enables blind people to access the web from any computer they happen to have access to that has a sound card

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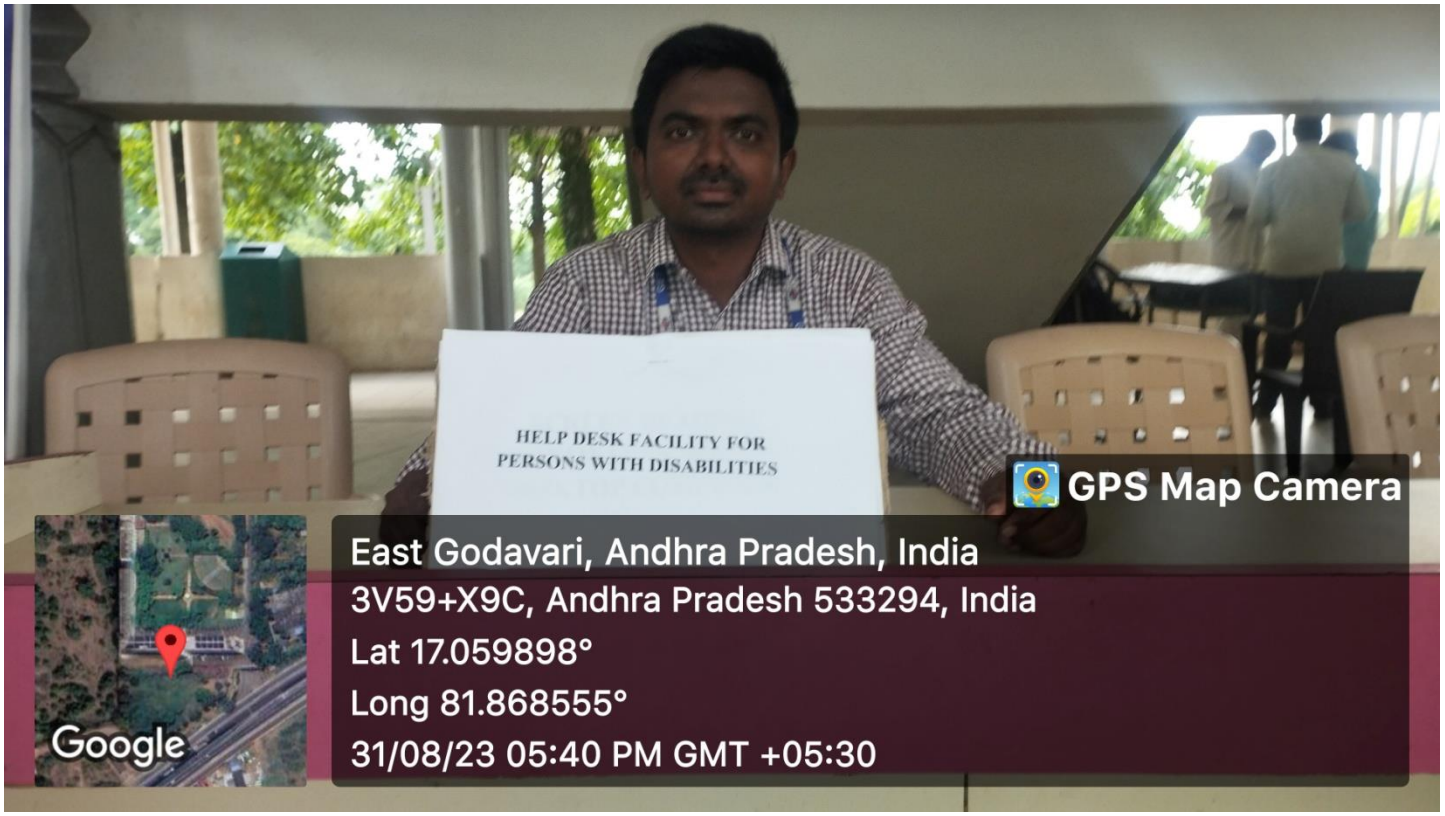

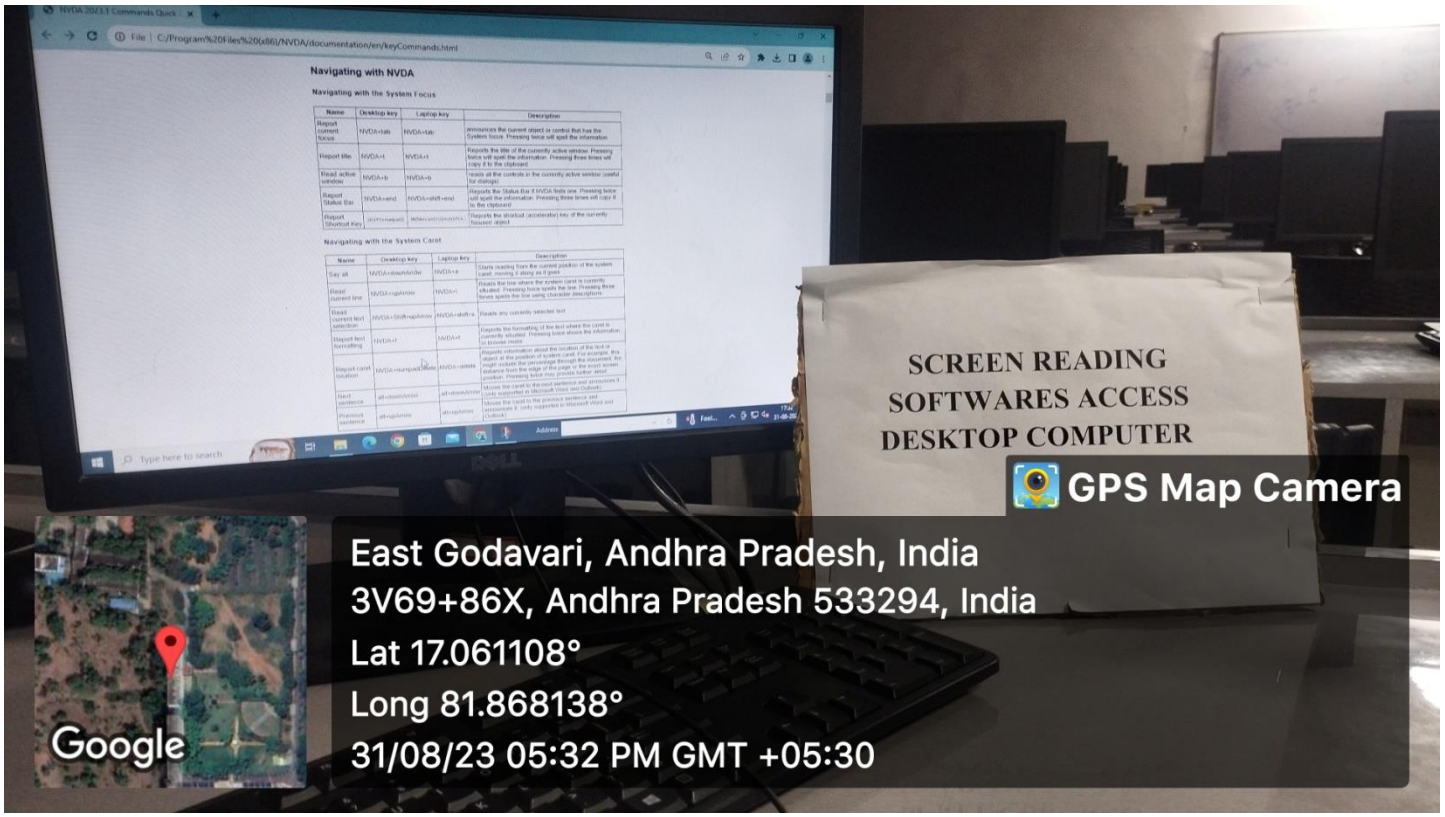

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