

2 April 2013

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**Sub: 'Science Express – Biodiversity Special' Exhibition Train**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Science Express - Biodiversity Special (SEBS), is a collaborative initiative of Dept. of Science & Technology (DST) and Ministry of Environment & Forests (MoEF), Govt. of India, coordinated by Vikram A Sarabhai Community Science Centre (VASCSC). It is a unique science exhibition focusing on biodiversity and climate change, mounted on a customized 16 coach AC train.

With over 87 lakh visitors at its 270 halts since its launch in October 2007, Science Express is now the largest, longest and most visited mobile science exhibition in India. In its next phase from 9 April to 28 October 2013, SEBS 2013 will travel to 62 locations across India. The state-of-the-art exhibition aboard the SEBS aims to create awareness about the biodiversity of India, climate change and similar issues among students, teachers and the general public. The SEBS 2013 schedule over the next few days is as follows:

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| <b>Pragati Maidan (Delhi)</b> | : | <b>10 - 13 April 2013</b> |
| <b>Patiala</b>                | : | <b>14 - 16 April 2013</b> |
| <b>Jalandhar City</b>         | : | <b>17 - 20 April 2013</b> |
| <b>Verka</b>                  | : | <b>21 - 24 April 2013</b> |
| <b>Pathankot</b>              | : | <b>25 - 27 April 2013</b> |

**Exhibition Timings: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm**

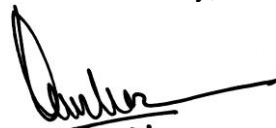
**Venue: Respective Railway Station**

We invite all, especially students and teachers, to visit the SEBS 2013. There is no entry fee for the exhibition. More details are available on [www.scienceexpress.in](http://www.scienceexpress.in).

For visit, you may send an email to [scienceexpress@gmail.com](mailto:scienceexpress@gmail.com) or contact the team members aboard the train on mobile nos. 09428405407. A brief note with schedule and a poster (for display on notice board) are enclosed herewith.

We seek cooperation of all in giving wider publicity to this prestigious exhibition-on-wheels so that a large number of people are benefited.

Yours sincerely,



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Executive Director