

## **TADOBA-ANDHARI TIGER RESERVE**

### **TRAINING REPORT**

#### **German Language Conversation Training for Nature Guides**

17 August to 27 August 2026

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| <b>Training Programme</b>       | German Language Conversation Training          |
| <b>Target Group</b>             | Women and Men Nature Guides                    |
| <b>Training Period</b>          | 17 August to 27 August                         |
| <b>Venues</b>                   | Moharli and Madnapur                           |
| <b>Participants</b>             | 42 Guides                                      |
| <b>Participant Distribution</b> | 25 guides at Moharli and 17 guides at Madnapur |
| <b>Trainer</b>                  | Mrs. Dipali Ambekar                            |

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## 1. Background

Considering the increasing presence of foreign tourists at Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, a German language conversation training programme was organised for women and men nature guides. The programme was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Prabhunath Shukla, Conservator of Forests and Field Director, Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve.

## 2. Purpose of the Training

The primary purpose of the programme was to provide nature guides with basic German communication skills that could be used during interactions with German-speaking foreign tourists. The training focused on practical expressions and conversations relevant to guiding and tourism situations.

## 3. Objectives

- Develop basic German conversation skills for tourist interaction.
- Enable guides to welcome German-speaking tourists appropriately.
- Develop the ability to introduce themselves and Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve in German.
- Provide basic German vocabulary and expressions related to jungle safaris.
- Enable guides to conduct basic conversations concerning wildlife and nature.
- Improve the ability to respond to common tourist questions in German.
- Develop everyday German conversation skills useful in different tourism situations.

## 4. Training Locations and Participation

The training was conducted at Moharli and Madnapur from 17 August to 27 August. A total of 42 guides participated. Of these, 25 guides participated at Moharli and 17 guides participated at Madnapur.

## 5. Training Content

- Welcoming tourists in German.
- Introducing oneself in German.
- Introducing Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve to tourists.
- Providing basic information related to jungle safari.
- Conducting basic conversations related to wildlife and nature.
- Answering common questions from tourists.
- Developing everyday German conversational skills useful during tourism activities.

## 6. Training Methodology

The programme focused on practical German conversation relevant to real tourism interactions. Participants were introduced to expressions and conversational situations that they may encounter while welcoming and guiding foreign tourists, including introductions, safari-related communication, wildlife and nature discussions, and responses to common questions.

## **7. Trainer and Programme Delivery**

The German language conversation training was conducted by Mrs. Dipali Ambekar. The programme was structured around practical communication needs of nature guides and focused on developing usable German language skills for tourism-related interactions.

## **8. Key Outcomes**

- Improved basic German communication capability among participating guides.
- Greater preparedness to welcome and interact with German-speaking foreign tourists.
- Improved ability to introduce themselves and Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve.
- Improved ability to communicate basic safari, wildlife and nature-related information.
- Better preparedness to respond to common tourist questions.
- Development of practical German conversation skills for tourism situations.

## **9. Importance for Foreign Tourist Interaction**

Language accessibility can significantly improve the visitor experience. Basic German communication enables guides to establish more comfortable interaction with German-speaking tourists and communicate essential information about the safari, wildlife and natural environment. It also helps guides present the biodiversity, wildlife tourism and local culture of Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve more effectively to international visitors.

## **10. Contribution to Professional Capacity Building**

The training strengthens the linguistic and professional capabilities of nature guides. Exposure to an additional foreign language can create new opportunities for interaction with international tourists and support the development of a more multilingual guiding workforce.

## **11. Future Scope**

The training initiative provides a foundation for further capacity-building programmes in foreign languages. Continued language training can progressively expand the ability of guides to interact with tourists from different countries and improve the quality of visitor services at Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve.

## **12. Conclusion**

The German language conversation training conducted from 17 August to 27 August at Moharli and Madnapur involved 42 nature guides, comprising 25 guides at Moharli and 17 at Madnapur. Conducted by Mrs. Dipali Ambekar, the programme focused on practical German communication, including tourist greetings, introductions, safari information, wildlife and nature-related conversations .

## ANNEXURE – GATE-WISE PARTICIPANT LIST

### German Language Conversation Training - August 2026

The following participant details are incorporated from the supplied August 2026 attendance records for the Moharli and Madnapur batches. The report records 42 participants in total, comprising 25 participants at Moharli and 17 participants at Madnapur.

#### A. Moharli Batch – 25 Participants

| Sr. No. | Name of Participant        | Gate            |
|---------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| 1       | Niranjana Ravindra Atram   | Khutwanda Core  |
| 2       | Divya Shankar Palangwar    | Junona Buffer   |
| 3       | Sangita Ananta Zade        | Khutwanda Core  |
| 4       | Aruna Ganesh Sonule        | Junona Buffer   |
| 5       | Sushma Govinda Dhok        | Moharli Core    |
| 6       | Gayatri Vinod Wadhai       | Moharli Core    |
| 7       | Priya Yashvant Wadhai      | Moharli Core    |
| 8       | Sushma Nitesh Sonule       | Junona Buffer   |
| 9       | Vaishali Dinesh Jumde      | Moharli Core    |
| 10      | Tejaswini Mondhe           | Moharli Core    |
| 11      | Dilip Shende               | Moharli Core    |
| 12      | Maya Ankush Jengathe       | Moharli Core    |
| 13      | Niranjana Rajendra Meshram | Junona Buffer   |
| 14      | Vasant Shankar Sonule      | Moharli Core    |
| 15      | Manoj Ramuji Bhalvi        | Agarzari Buffer |
| 16      | Sahil Baig                 | Moharli Core    |
| 17      | Vishal Arun Sidam          | Khutwanda Core  |
| 18      | Sandeep Kavdu Nagpure      | Khutwanda Core  |
| 19      | Vikas Dipak Sherkure       | Khutwanda Core  |
| 20      | Diwakar Shalik Kulmethe    | Devada Buffer   |
| 21      | Ajay Kodape                | Moharli Core    |
| 22      | Ganraj Vinayak Mohurle     | Moharli Core    |
| 23      | Poonam Rajhans Sonule      | Moharli Core    |
| 24      | Shivkumar Madukar Lonbale  | Moharli Core    |
| 25      | Akshay Kavdu Lonbale       | Moharli Core    |

#### Gate-wise Summary

| Gate            | Number of Participants |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Khutwanda Core  | 5                      |
| Junona Buffer   | 4                      |
| Moharli Core    | 14                     |
| Agarzari Buffer | 1                      |
| Devada Buffer   | 1                      |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>25</b>              |

## B. Madnapur Batch – 17 Participants

| Sr. No. | Name of Participant      | Gate             |
|---------|--------------------------|------------------|
| 1       | Mohit Tarachand Meshram  | Navegaon Buffer  |
| 2       | Pradunya Arvind Kulsange | Sirkada Buffer   |
| 3       | Rohit Suresh Ade         | Palasgaon Buffer |
| 4       | Vaibhav Sahadev Pohinkar | Navegaon Buffer  |
| 5       | Sonam Ankush Dadmal      | Kolara Core      |
| 6       | Sarika Govardhan Sarate  | Kolara Core      |
| 7       | Karishma Mangesh Wakde   | Alizanja Bufer   |
| 8       | Gajanan Shankar Sidam    | Kolara Buffer    |
| 9       | Bhaiyaji Hemraj Madavi   | Sirkada Buffer   |
| 10      | Jagdish Bharat Pohinkar  | Alizanja Buffer  |
| 11      | Jiwan Maroti Shende      | Palasgaon Buffer |
| 12      | Sarang Ramesh Jumde      | Palasgaon Buffer |
| 13      | Pranay Shrawan Zode      | Palasgaon Buffer |
| 14      | Atul Gulab Chaudhari     | Palasgaon Buffer |
| 15      | Samir Ganesh Shende      | Palasgao Buffer  |
| 16      | Kajal Pradunya Kulsange  | Sirkada Buffer   |
| 17      | Baban Uddhav Madavi      | Kolara Buffer    |

## Gate-wise Summary

| Gate             | Number of Participants |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Navegaon Buffer  | 2                      |
| Sirkada Buffer   | 3                      |
| Palasgaon Buffer | 5                      |
| Kolara Core      | 2                      |
| Alizanja Bufer   | 1                      |
| Kolara Buffer    | 2                      |
| Alizanja Buffer  | 1                      |
| Palasgao Buffer  | 1                      |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>17</b>              |

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*‘German Language Conversation Training for Nature Guides’*

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For supporting the German Language Conversation Training Program  
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