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## EDUCATION

NEXT School, Mulund  
MYP3-2024-2025  
(8th Grade, IB Board)

## SKILLS & COMPETENCIES

### Digital Tools

- PowerPoint
- Canva
- Figma Basics
- Thunkable Basics
- GDevelo Basics

### Content Creation

- YouTube scripting & editing
- Research-based storytelling

### LANGUAGES

- English (Fluent)
- Marathi (Fluent)
- Hindi (Fluent)
- Spanish (Basic)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- Hole-in-One Golf Trophy – Bombay Presidency Golf Club (2023)
- State-Level Spell Bee – 19th Rank (2016), 16th Rank (2015)

## HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- Yoga & Meditation
- Reading ( Mythology, Fiction)
- Exploring National Parks and Archaeological Sites & Museums
- Sustainability & Social Work
- Golf

# NILAX SHIRKE

## INTERNSHIP PROFILE

Curious, creative, and passionate about learning, I thrive at the intersection of research and storytelling. As the creator of the YouTube channel Prehistoric History by Palaeontologist Nilax, I explore ancient life and scientific discoveries. I am also working on an accessible commentary on the Bhagavad Gita, aiming to connect its teachings to the context of life in the modern day.

My projects reflect my diverse interests—ranging from writing case studies on sustainable startups to designing CookPort, an app that connects people with skilled home cooks. With a strong foundation in 3D modeling, digital art, and content creation, I am always eager to innovate and make a meaningful impact.

### PASSION PROJECTS:

### CONTENT CREATOR & RESEARCHER

#### • WRITER

##### A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE BHAGAVAD GITA

Over the past year, I have read various versions of the Bhagavad Gita and noticed that many interpretations can be complex and difficult to relate to. I believe the Gita is more than just an ancient text—it is a guide for everyday life. With this in mind, I am writing my own commentary that explains its teachings, provides clear context, and connects Arjun’s dilemma and Lord Krishna’s wisdom to modern experiences. My goal is to make the Gita more accessible and meaningful for a wider audience.

#### • YOUTUBE JOURNEY

##### PREHISTORIC HISTORY – BY PALEONTOLOGIST NILAX 2021– Present

My YouTube channel, “Prehistoric History-By Palaeontologist Nilax” covers a wide range of topics about prehistory, ranging from debunking common misconceptions about prehistoric lifeforms and new and fascinating palaeontological discoveries to discussions about particular prehistoric creatures and the evolution of life on earth. The information in my videos is sourced from reliable websites’ reports on authentic research papers.

#### • CASE STUDIES ON SUCCESSFULL START-UPS

##### START UP STORIES

One of my previous projects was writing case studies on various successful sustainability-based start-ups. Researching successful start-ups, I was able to gain a deeper knowledge of innovation and strategies in business and about how ideas turn into successful ventures. It also helped me gain insights into entrepreneurship, problem-solving, and market trends.

### CREATIVITY & INNOVATION

#### • VISUAL ARTS

##### CREATED ORIGINAL ART PIECES

I’m also passionate about 3D modeling—from art that makes you think and reflect to art that expresses my own passions and interests. I’m always looking for ways to learn, grow, and make a difference.

#### • APP DESIGNER & DEVELOPER

##### FOUNDER OF CookPort

I have created a prototype of an app called CookPort, designing the interface on Figma and programming in on Thunkable. CookPort connects households with skilled home cooks of their choice, using creativity and technology to solve a real-world issue. Soon, I plan to turn CookPort into a full-fledged app and business.

### VISION & GOALS

I value purposeful growth and wish to continuously develop myself and keep learning and consistently improving my skills throughout my academic and professional journey. I am looking forward to an opportunity where I can use my skills and knowledge.