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# Juvenile crime on rise in city

Manjiri Damle & Soniya Tripathi | TNN

Pune: Even as the incident of two school students shooting their classmate in Gurgaon on Tuesday sent shock waves through the country, the juvenile crime profile of the city showed increasing involvement of minors in crimes like mobile phone and motorcycle thefts.

However minors from slum pockets were also found to be involved in more serious crimes like rape and murder.

Rajendra Bhamre, police inspector at the special security cell of Pune police said that from March to December 2006 the city police registered 230 crimes committed by minors in which 270 minors were booked.

This year, the number has increased significantly with the police recording 362 crimes and booking 470 minors between January and November 2007. "The majority of the crimes were petty theft and vehicle theft. Many of the minors were from the alums areas," Bhamre stated. He said that minors from



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Following the incident at Gurgaon, where two Std VIII students shot their classmate, TOI takes a close look at the juvenile crime scene in Pune

the upper middle class were found to be involved in offences like driving without licences.

It may be noted that last month the city crime branch exposed a case where two youths, Ishwar Dandoli (25) and Sagar Pujari (35) confessed that they had used minor children to steal mobile phones worth Rs 16.50 lakh. The children were hired from areas like Hadapsar, Mahatma Phule market, Laxmi road, Market yard and Nigdi and were given Rs 100 per mobile stolen by them.

In May this year five students who had just given their higher secondary certificate (HSC, std XII) exam were arrested by the Kothrud police for stealing motorcycles because "they wanted to do something different in their vacation". The police recovered six motorcycles worth Rs 1.80 lakh from them. According to juvenile justice board (JJB) officials juvenile crime is rising. The JJB, which has a case pendency of over 3,000, organised a Lok Adalat in April

this year when about 171 compoundable cases registered during 1991 to 2006 were settled.

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## Parent neglect behind juvenile crime

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Pune: According to juvenile justice board (JJB) officials, juvenile crime is rising in the city. Crime statistics too show increasing involvement of minors in crimes like mobile phone and motorcycle thefts.

Anuradha Sahasrabuddhe, leading activist and member of the JJB, stated that even from rural pockets, there were cases of minors being involved in multiple rape and dowry-related killings. "However, in most cases, the minors became involved because they felt it was their duty to 'help' other members of the family in the act of crime," she explained.

Another disturbing possibility Sahasrabuddhe mentioned was of criminals using minors to commit crimes.

"Criminals have realised that minors involved even in serious crimes were 'rehabilitated' and not given the serious punishments that are usually given to adults.

The reasons why minors get involved in crime are growing, says Sahasrabuddhe. Among them is the lack of good role models, neglect by parents and the inability to control aggression and anger.

Neglect by parents was rampant across the board, she said even in high-income and educated brackets. In so-called 'good families' too, parents did not have time to spend with the children. "Parents have to be told that besides earning money to satisfy the children's needs it is important to give them time and guide them so that they do not go astray," she said.

Sahasrabuddhe confirmed that children from good families were involved in offences of driving without licences which was an indication of parents not paying enough attention. "As for children in slums, they have the local 'dada' as their role model," she elaborated.

### NUMBERS UP

Juvenile crime between March and December 2006

230

From January to November 2007

362

Juveniles involved in crimes like rape, murder, vehicle and mobile phone theft besides petty theft

Criminals use minors to commit crimes

Lack of good role models, neglect by parents, inability to control anger also lead them to crimes

The tendency is to use children for the acts of crimes while the actual perpetrators remain free," she remarked.

# Std 8 students kill classmate

Gun Belonged To One Boy's Dad;  
Accused Say Deceased Was A Bully

## Kids' violence no longer alien

Sonia Sarkar | TNN

For most people in the country, children shooting dead classmates in schools was as unreal as a Hollywood potboiler, something which happened only in the US, or in Finland. Tuesday's shooting at a public school in Gurgaon brought the horror to our own doorsteps.

It underlined the growing aggression among children, a menace which schools and parents are finding to come to terms with. Counsellors and psychiatrists admit that children today tend to react violently at the slightest provocation, and the first recipient of the aggression is the classmate. Teachers, too, are concerned, appear helpless. "Aggression is rampant among adolescents in the form of language, physical and often, physical violence. And this has been fuelled by violent pictures in comic books, video games and movies, all these which have become a part of their thinking and growth," said Dr. Anand Kumar, principal Amrita Mulla



Relatives console Ravinder Tyagi (third from left) whose son Abhishek was shot dead by his schoolmates in Gurgaon's E-10 International School on Tuesday.

psychiatrists believe that violent children should be sent out warning signals before they take the extreme step, like killing, in Tuesday's incident.

two Class VIII children killed a 14-year-old to take revenge for the victim's bullying. "The victims of bullying will start with little negative acts like hitting or kicking, teasing or taunting—or they may involve indirect actions such as manipulating friendship or purposely excluding other children from activities. This act of homicidal violence must have developed over a span of time as reactive victims often provoke a bully into action, fight back, and then claim self-defence," said Dr. Jitendra Nagpal, consultant psychiatrist, VIMHANS.

A trend which is common in the West, Nagpal fears that this may soon become a norm here. "It is shocking to see the level of danger children are getting exposed to. Use of firearms was common in the West but timely intervention by parents and schools is needed in India too to stop any further incidents in future. This incident reflects poor disciplining and lack of monitoring by parents; that a tool which is used as defence by family is used as offence by the child," he added.

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भाग पहिला  
सामाजीक अर्थिक परिस्थिती

१. वय : \_\_\_\_\_
२. धर्म :  
अ) हिंदू                      ब) मुस्लिम                      क) ख्रिश्चन  
ड) जैन                      इ) इतर
३. जात : \_\_\_\_\_
४. वैवाहिक दर्जा :  
अ) विवाहित                      ब) अविवाहित                      क) इतर
५. शैक्षणिक दर्जा :  
अ) अशिक्षित                      ब) इ. ७ वी पर्यंत/प्राथमिक                      क) एस.एस.सी. पर्यंत  
ड) एच.एच.सी. पर्यंत                      इ) पदवीधर                      ई) पदव्युत्तर  
फ) व्यवसाय शिक्षण

६. कुटुंबाचा प्रकार  
अ) संयुक्त कुटुंब पध्दती  
ब) विभक्त कुटुंब पध्दती
७. निवासाचा प्रकार  
अ) कच्चे घर  
ब) पक्के घर  
क) झोपडी  
इ) इतर
८. कुटुंब प्रमुखाचा व्यवसाय  
अ) शेती  
ब) नोकरी  
क) व्यापार व उद्योगधंदा  
ड) इतर
९. मुलाखत दाराचा व्यवसाय
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१०. मासिक उत्पन्न  
अ) १००० ते १०,००० पर्यंत  
ब) १०,००० ते २०,००० पर्यंत  
क) २०,००० ते ३०,००० पर्यंत  
ड) याहीपेक्षा जास्त
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भाग दुसरा  
माध्यम आणि युवक

१. तुम्ही टेलिव्हिजन पाहता का ?  
अ) होय  
ब) नाही  
क) क्वचित  
ड) प्रसंगाने
२. आपल्या घरात टी.व्ही. आहे का ?  
अ) होय  
ब) नाही  
क) पूर्वी होता पण सध्या नाही  
ड) घेण्याचा विचार आहे.
३. आपण टी.व्ही. घेण्यापूर्वी कार्यक्रम पाहण्यासाठी बाहेर जात होता का ?  
अ) होय  
ब) नाही

४. टी.व्ही. येण्यापूर्वीचे आपले करमणुकीचे साधन कोणते होते ?  
अ) रेडिओ  
ब) चित्रपट  
क) पारंपारिक पध्दतीने कार्यक्रम  
ड) यात्रा किंवा सणाच्या वेळी होणारे सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम
५. आपला टी.व्ही. कोणत्या कंपनीचा आहे ?  
अ) रंगीत  
ब) कृष्णधवल
६. टी.व्ही. कोणत्या कंपनीचा आहे ?  
अ) बी.पी.एल.  
ब) सोनी  
क) ओनिडा  
ड) एल.जी.  
इ) अन्य
७. आपल्याकडे दूरदर्शन आहे की केबल नेटवर्क  
अ) डी.डी.  
ब) केबल  
क) डी.टी.एच.  
ड) व्हि.सी.आर.  
इ) सी.डी. प्लेअर
८. टी.व्ही. घेण्यापूर्वी करमणुकीसाठी किती वेळ देत होता ?  
अ) पाहतच नव्हतो  
ब) कधीतरी पाहत होतो  
क) नेहमी पाहत होतो
९. टेलिव्हिजन पाहण्यासाठी सध्या किती वेळ देता ?  
अ) अर्धा ते एक तास  
ब) एक ते दोन तास  
क) दोन ते तीन तास
१०. सुट्टीच्या दिवशी कोणकोणते कार्यक्रम पाहता ?  
अ) चित्रपट  
ब) हिंसात्मक चित्रपट किंवा मालिका  
क) सामाजिक व शैक्षणिक कार्यक्रम  
ड) कौटुंबिक कार्यक्रम

११. टेलिव्हिजन कोणत्या कारणासाठी पाहता ?

अ) प्रतिष्ठा म्हणून

ब) आवड म्हणून

क) बातम्या व दैनंदिन घडामोडी पाहण्यासाठी

ड) इतर घडामोडी पाहण्यासाठी

१२. टेलिव्हिडन वरील आपणास कोणत्या प्रकारचे कार्यक्रम पाहण्यास आवडतात ?

अ) सामाजिक व राजकीय स्वरूपाचे

ब) शैक्षणिक व विज्ञान विषयक

क) हिंसात्मक स्वरूपाचे / गुन्हेगारी (सी.आय.डी., क्राईम डायरी)

ड) इतर

१३. टेलिव्हिजन वरील कार्यक्रमाविषयी आपले काय मत आहे ?

अ) उपयोगी

ब) वास्तववादी

क) निरूपयोगी

ड) समाज बदलास उपयुक्त ठरणारे कार्यक्रम

इ) हिंसेस प्रवृत्त करणारी

१४. चित्रपट, छायागीत, चित्रमाला किंवा चित्रगीत या कार्यक्रमांविषयी आपणास काय वाटते ?

अ) चांगले

ब) वाईट

क) करमणुकीसाठी उपयुक्त

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भाग तिसरा

माध्यम व गुन्हेगारी

१. चित्रपट व दूरदर्शनपट किंवा मालिका यांचा युवकांच्या मनावरती वाईट परिमाण होऊन गुन्हेगारीचे प्रमाण वाढते आहे का ?

अ) थोड्या प्रमाणात

ब) अधिक प्रमाणात

क) किंचित प्रमाणात

ड) होतच नाही

२. केबल नेटवर्कमुळे टेलिव्हिजन वरती अनेक कार्यक्रम प्रसारित केले जातात त्यापैकी आपणास कोणते कार्यक्रम अधिक आवडतात.

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३. टेलिव्हिजनवरील कोणते कार्यक्रम जास्त वेळ पाहता ?

- अ) शैक्षणिक कार्यक्रम                      ब) सामाजिक व सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रम  
क) हिंसात्मक स्वरूपाचे कार्यक्रम        ड) इतर

४. टेलिव्हिजनवरील रहस्यमय चित्रपट किंवा मालिका आपणास आवडतात का ? त्याचा आपल्या मनावरती काय परिणाम होतो ?

५. आपणास कोणते व्यसन आहे का ?

- अ) तंबाखू खाणे                      ब) दारू पिणे  
क) गुटखा खाणे                     ड) इतर

६. प्रत्यक्ष व अप्रत्यक्ष तुम्हचा कोणत्या गुण्यामध्ये सहभाग होतो का ?

७. जर एखादा गुन्हा तीव्र स्वरूपाचा असेल तर किंवा एखाद्या तीव्र स्वरूपाच्या गुन्ह्यामध्ये आपला सहभाग होणत्या कारणामुळे होतो ?

- अ) मित्राच्या बरोबर                      ब) कौटुंबिक वाद  
क) देणे-घेण्यावरून                  ड) लैंगिक अत्याचार  
इ) इतर

८. तुम्ही गुन्हा करण्यास प्रवृत्त झाला की आपणास प्रवृत्त केले गेले ?

- अ) होय    ब) नाही

૧. ઉત્તર હોય અસલ્યાસ કોણામુઢે .....

१०. प्रसारमाध्यमामुळे गुन्ह्याची तीव्रता कमी होण्यास मदत होते का ?

- अ) होय                      ब) नाही



११. उत्तर होय / नाही असल्यास कशाप्रकारे

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१२. तुम्ही दुसरा गुन्हा करण्यासाठी प्रवृत्त होताना तुमची मानसीक स्थिती काय असेल ?

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१३. तुम्ही दुरदर्शन वरील गुन्हे विषयक कार्यक्रम पाहत असाल तर ते कोणते ?

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१४. केबल नेटवर्कवरील गुन्हेविषयक कार्यक्रम पाहत असाल तर ते कोणते.

	होय	नाही	कमी	अधिक	जास्त
अ) सी.आय.डी					
ब) क्राईम डायरी					
क) क्राईम न्युज					
ड) इतर					

१५. केबल नेटवर्कवरील व दुरदर्शनवरील गुन्हेविषयक कार्यक्रम पाहिल्यामुळे तुमच्या मनावरती काय परिणाम होतो ?

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१६. केबल नेटवर्कवरील किंवा दुरदर्शनवरील गुन्हेविषयक कार्यक्रम किंवा चित्रपट पाहून त्याचा उपयोग तुम्ही गुन्हा करताना केला आहे का ? किंवा होतो का ?

अ) होय

ब) नाही

क) कमी प्रमाणात

ड) अधिक प्रमाणात

१७. उत्तर होय असल्यास कशाप्रकारे ....

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१८. केबल नेटवर्कवरती किंवा दुरदर्शनवरती जे गुन्हे घडण्यास कारणीभूत असणारे कार्यक्रम किंवा चित्रपट दाखविले जातात ते दाखवावे कि दाखविले जाऊ नयेत या विषयी आपले काय मत आहे ?

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१९. उत्तर दाखविले जाऊ नयेत असे असल्यास का दाखविले जाऊ नयेच...

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२०. उत्तर दाखवावे असल्यास का ?

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२१. केबल नेटवर्कवरील कोणते कार्यक्रम पाहता

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२२. तुमच्या हातातून गुन्हा घडल्यास तुम्हाला त्याचा पश्चाताप किंवा मनस्ताप होतो का ?

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**Interview Schedule**  
**Sociology Department,**  
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**M.Phil. Dissertation**

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**Subject** : 'Crime, Youth and Media : A Sociological Study of Yelur Village of Sangli District".

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**Interview Schedule**  
**PART - I**  
**Socio-Economic Background**

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1. Age :
2. Religion :  
A) Hindu  
B) Muslim  
C) Christian  
D) Jain  
D) Other
3. Caste : \_\_\_\_\_
4. Marital Status :  
A) Married  
B) Unmarried  
C) Other
5. Educational Status :  
A) Uneducated  
B) 7th Standard / Primary  
C) S.S.C.  
D) H.S.C.  
E) Graduate  
F) Post-Graduate  
G) Professional Education
6. Type of family  
A) Unique Family  
B) Ununique Family
7. Type of House  
A) Simple House  
B) Building  
C) Hut  
D) Other

8. Occupation of the family head :  
A) Farm  
B) Service  
C) Business  
D) Other
9. Interviewer's Occupation :  
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10. Monthly Income  
A) 1000 to 10,000  
B) 10,000 to 20,000  
C) 20,000 to 30,000  
D) Above 30,000
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**PART - II**  
**Media and Youth**

1. Do you see Television ?  
A) Yes  
B) No  
C) Sometime  
D) Accidentally
2. Do you have Television in your House ?  
A) Yes  
B) No  
C) Presently not but before available  
D) Thinking about taking
3. Do you to neighbours house to watch T.V. ?  
A) Yes  
B) No
4. Which was your entertainment field before T.V.  
A) Radio  
B) Film  
C) Festival Program  
D) Cultural Programs during village festivals
5. Which type of T.V. do you have in your house ?  
A) Color  
B) Black and White
6. Of which company is you T.V. ?  
A) BPL  
B) Sony  
C) Onida  
D) LG  
E) Other (Philips, Samsung)

7. Which media network is available in your T.V. ?  
 A) Doordarshan  
 B) Cable  
 C) D.T.H.  
 D) V.C.R.  
 E) C. D. Player
8. Before taking T.V. how much time you were giving for entertainment ?  
 A) Never  
 B) Sometime  
 C) Regularly
9. How many hours do you spent watching T.V.  
 A) Half to One Hour  
 B) One to Two Hours  
 C) Two to Three Hours
10. Which program do you see during Holiday ?  
 A) Film  
 B) Criminal Film / Program  
 C) Social and Educational Program  
 D) Family Program
11. For what reason do you see T.V. ?  
 A) Prestige  
 B) For Entertainment  
 C) News  
 D) Other
12. Which type of program do you like to see on T.V. ?  
 A) Social and Political  
 B) Education and Science  
 C) Violence type / Criminal (C.I.D. Criminal Diary)  
 D) Other
13. What is your opinion about the programs shown on T.V. ?  
 A) Useful  
 B) Realistic  
 C) Uneffective Program  
 D) To change the view of people  
 E) Encourage to grow crime
14. What is your opinion about Film, Chayageet, Chitramala and Chitrageet ?  
 A) Good  
 B) Bad  
 C) For entertainment purpose

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### PART - III

#### Media and Crime

1. What is your opinion about the film or serials on T.V. ? Do you think they create bad impression or encourage them to do crime ?  
 A) Less Effect  
 B) High Effect  
 C) Small Effect  
 D) No Effect

2. On Cable network there are so many programs shown. From it which program do you like most ?

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3. Which program do you see mostly on T.V. ?  
A) Educational B) Social  
C) Criminal D) Other

4. Do you see Suspense Film and Serials on T.V. ? What effect do they do non your mind?

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5. Do you have any bad habits ?  
A) Tobacco Chewing B) Liquor Drinking  
C) Ghutkha D) No

6. Are you directly or indirectly involved in any crime ?  
A) Yes B) No

7. Which is the reason for your involvement in Crime ?  
A) Friends B) Family Clashes  
C) Financial Reasons D) Sexual Harassment

8. You were inspired to do crime yourself or by others ?  
A) Yes B) No

9. If Yes, what reason

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10. Do you think that due to Media the intensity of crime is lowered ?  
A) Yes B) No

11. If Yes / No, What reason ...

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12. What is your mental position while doing second crime ?

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13. Which Criminal type programs do you see on T.V. ?

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14. Which Criminal type program do you see on Cable Network ?

	Name of Program	Yes	No.	Less	Medium	High
A)	C.I.D.					
B)	Crime Diary					
C)	Crime News					
D)	Other					

15. What is effect of Criminal type programs on your mind ?  
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16. Do you have used the crime method shown on the Criminal Program of Film or it may be used ?  
A) Yes B) No  
C) Sometimes D) Regularly
17. If yes, Reason ..  
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18. Do you think that, criminal type programs or films shown on T.V. shown for encouraging crime should be shown or no ?  
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19. If answer is No, Why ?  
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20. If answer is Yes, Why ?  
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21. Which program do you see on Cable Network ?  
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22. If any crime has been done by you, do you feel guilty of no ?  
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