

# Visamo Kids student cracks the test

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**Ahmedabad:** Vijay Makwana set a precedent on Monday for students like him to follow when he qualified for admission to the IITs in the JEE (Advanced) exam.

He is the first student from Visamo Kids Foundation to have cracked the entrance test for entry to

the top engineering institutes of the country.

Visamo Kids is a shelter home at Bopal, housing around a hundred less-fortunate children from as young as 5 years, enabling them access to quality education in partnership with English medi-



Vijay Makwana with his parents

um schools in the city. These children stay at Visamo Kids and complete their schooling from Class I to Class XII, at-

tending schools under the CBSE, ICSE and GSHSEB.

Makwana, who is from Tarapur town, is an now in-

spiration to the other children at Visamo, enabling them to dream to achieve similar feats, said Ami Shah, the boarding in-charge at Visamo Kids. Makwana is deeply interested in science and wants to study computer science at IIT Kharagpur or IIT Rourkee. He wants to do something meaningful for children like him.

Makwana ranked 1,849 rank in the SC category. He was very good at mathematics and used to teach students at Visamo. He was offered a 50% scholarship at coaching classes where he went to prepare for the IIT entrance test. His father is a farm labourer and his mother is a housewife.

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