Ahmedabad is a rich multicultural mosaic, showcasing its diversity through the creative explorations of its society. Over centuries, the timeless quality eminence of craft forms in Ahmedabad has created the architectural as well as the living heritage of the city. Crafts in Ahmedabad have added beauty, colour and aesthetical variations to the way of living in the region. They represent the ceaseless flow of creativity of the people and the ample diversity of natural resources.

Crafts in Ahmedabad are like images in a kaleidoscope reflecting regional, socio-cultural, historical, traditional, anthropological, behavioural, philosophical, religious, aesthetical, technological aspects of communities residing in the region.

Crafts have been a significant aspect in creating the glorious heritage of Ahmedabad and its ubiquitous presence is witnessed in the built forms, material culture, way of living and history of the city. Art and craft forms of the city represent products of daily need, manifestation of cultural and ritualistic evolvement, innovation of new forms, influence of other cultures, technical evolution and a magnificent display of the creator’s self-expression. With the growth of urban settlements, the inherited intellectual wealth of culture and traditions is constantly undergoing change and adapting to its new settings, dovetailing tradition and modernity for continued sustainability of the art and craft forms.

The Craft Heritage Walk of Ahmedabad is a tribute to the creative dexterity of artisans and generous contribution of patrons who contributed in creating the glorious living heritage of the city through its diverse art and craft forms.

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