

EDUCATIONAL AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME FOR THE CHILDREN WITH AND WITHOUT DISABILITY



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Introduction:

The Kiran Grameen Educational and vocational training project has been going on since 2012 in Baniyawa-par, Ayar, Varanasi. Since inception, the organization has been working for the poor and deprived section of people in eight panchayats in Harahua development block, Varanasi. The project aims for the Education, empowerment and awareness creation, rehabilitation of person with disabilities, health and nutrition and skill development that enables everyone to have a place in society. With the above activities we want to bring a social change in favor of the poor and the marginalized in the targeted area. The details of activities in this regard are given below.



Vision:

Bringing social change in the lives of Destitute and Deprived class through Education, Empowerment and Employment.

Target Group:

The project targets the people with disabilities, destitute, women, youth, children and their family members. The organization takes effort to empower and bring self-dependency of themselves and their family members.

Food and Nutrition:

Food, shelter and clothing are the most essential thing for everyone to survive in life. Most of the children who come to Kiran Grameen School hail from very poor family. In such condition these children are easily prone to various illness.



Parents being uneducated and with less knowledge do not provided proper medication. To improve this situation of the child, the organization provided nutritious food to children who study in our school. We started to provide lunch to impart the quality education to these children.

Sports: -

Physical exercise keeps children healthy and happy. We felt the need of sports infrastructure in the campus. We succeed in installing some basic sports equipment like a swing, sleeper swing and other things. This helps our children to have a good exercise with and enjoy during their break hours.



With these facilities our students enjoy their lunch break and PT period.

Celebration of important days:

India is known for its rich tradition and culture. We do celebrate festivals according to deities on different occasion. These festivals are celebrated with specific purpose. During these festival people share happiness and joy with each other and seek blessings from God and goddesses. We



at Kiran Grameen School celebrated the common festivals, like Rakshabandhan, Deepawali, Vishwakarmapooja and Christmas etc. along with 70 children of Kiran Grameen Coaching Center project.

Transportation Service: -

Our school is providing free transport to its students. We receive these children from home and drop them home back. This affordable bus service helps the poor children to have a free access to school. The poor marginalized communities are happy to avail these helps to empower their children to ensure a secured future.

Health check-up:-

Every third month we conduct a general health checkup for the all the children who come to our school. We also conduct an eye test searching for the children. After the health checkup children are provided with medicines. If they are required to have more medicines they are referred to get free medicines.

Regular staff meeting:-

Every month we organize regular staff meeting to evaluate the activities of the month as well as to discuss plan of actions for the better performance of the program. All staff whole heartedly participates in it and provide suggestions during the meeting. They also share their problems they face while implementing the programmes. We jointing try to find solutions for those problems.

Independence Day celebration:-

On 15th August, we celebrate Independence Day of our country, which is marked as national festival. In schools the day celebrated with various programs. Besides the cultural events performed by the children themselves, Mr. Santosh Patel and various other eminent personalities of the area gave inspiring speeches before the children especially on the need to grow as responsible citizen in the country.

Women Empowerment:-

Training on Tailoring:- Since 2012 Kiran Grameen has been working for the empowerment of the poor and handicapped women from eight Panchayats in Harahua Development block, Varanasi. We have organized various training and workshops for the economic development of these target groups. Through this program we want to create awareness and bring a social change in favour of the poor and the marginalized communities. We have provided tailoring training for 15 women with disabilities and ensured their economic empowerment. These young girls are able to earn and support their family in their own way.



Group Activities: -

Self-Help Groups:-

Our school started Self-Help Groups for the empowerment of the handicapped and marginalized women of the nearby villagers. We have organized various training and workshops for the economic empowerment of these target groups. We were delicate to provide them many small works like manufacturing of pickles, Agarbatti, paper bags and many other things. From these activities we want to increase their economic status of their family.



Ortho Repair Workshop:-

Our school has started a small Ortho Repairing Workshop for the persons with disabilities. With this program we were able to repair Wheelchair, crutches, calipers, tricycle, walker and other things. It is very useful for the persons with disabilities and many pupils are benefited with our program as of now.



Bakery Unit:-

Our school started Bakery unit. Through this bakery we would like to provide some work to the disable persons within the community. They make bakery products here like bread, bun, slice bread, cream roll, patties and Cake etc. and some other disable person sale the bakery product in the market and earn additional income for themselves and for their families.



Conclusion: -

Thus through this short narrative report we have described all the activities we have conducted during the year under this project. These achievements would not have been possible without your encouragement and valuable support. We sincerely thank you for your generous contribution towards this cause. I hope that you will continue to encourage and support us to achieve our goal.

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