

Newsletter

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Highlights for the Month

Free English Class (FEC)

FEC is growing up gradually with continuous training, opening of new centres and introduction of new activities.

Orientation program: This month four orientation programs were organized from 6 to 8, 12 to 15, 26 to 28 and 30 Nov. to 1 Dec. 2012.

Training program for Facilitators: Training program for existing facilitators are organized periodically. Training for level 3 and level 2 was organized on 8 - 9

New Centers:

AAMF opened three new Centres in this month at Uttam Nagar, Sultanpuri, and Govindpuri on 7, 12 and 20 November 2012, respectively.

Introducing Jeopardy game: Jeopardy game was introduced on 3 November 2012 at Vasant Gaon center and continued at the Chattarpur center. Jeopardy game is indeed a very wonderful teaching tool and helps having interactive sessions.

Non Formal Education (NFE)

Annual Children's Literature Festival:

Twenty three children and five teachers of AAMF (Vasant Gaon center, Ambedkar Centre, Ekta Vihar, J.J.Bandhu camp, and Sanjay Gandhi Camp) attended the fifth Annual Children's Literature Festival 'Bookaroo' on 24 November 2012 at Sanskriti Anand Gram.

Visit to Rastrapati Bhawan: On 24 November 2012 the students from Sangam Vihar # 1 and 2 visited Rastrapati Bhawan

and saw the Durbar Hall, the place where all major official Government ceremonies like taking oath by ministers, presentation of national awards, etc. are held.

Heritage Walk: On 24 November 2012, twenty students, 5 teachers from five NFE locations (Sultanpuri # 1, 2, 3 and New Seemapuri) participated in the Heritage Walk to the Fort of Feroz Shah Kotla.

Meal A Day Program:

AAMF has 10 feeding centers at different parts of Delhi. Our feeding centers feed poor, old people, and children and provides hot and nutritious mid-day meals to children and the elderly.



Key Statistics:

of Centers: 25

of Students: 2215

New Centers opened: 3

Enrollment at new centers: 315

Free English Classes (FEC)

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Orientation program: This month four orientation programs were organized from 6 to 8, 12 to 15, 26 to 28 and 30 Nov. to 1 Dec. 2012. Twenty six new facilitators attended this program, of which 10 were selected to take up their positions. The programmes were administered by Mr. Sandeep Mahajan and Ms. Payal Mahajan of the Art of Learning Foundation.

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Nov and 10- 12 November respectively.

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New joining:

Following are the new facilitators who have joined during the month of November 2012:

1. Haital Permer
2. Shilpa Kumar
3. Divya Gupta
4. Gaganprit Kaur
5. Rajani Sharma

6. Soni Kumari
7. Khusboo Kumari
8. Naseem Ahmed
9. Amit Tiwari

Introducing Jeopardy game: Jeopardy game was introduced on 3 November 2012 at Vasant Gaon center and continued at the Chattar pur center. Jeopardy game is indeed a very wonderful teaching tool and helps having interactive sessions. Students who otherwise, prefer to keep quiet, happily take part in the game with full competitive spirit since it develops a sense of interest and motivate them to participate. It helps building their confidence in speaking up and getting out of their shells.





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National Science Center:

On 18 November 2012, sixty students from Gautampuri and Molar Band Centers visited National Science Center. The children engaged themselves in science demonstration show and learnt progress and achievements in various fields of science and technology.

Visit to Zoo: Students from Kakrola Gaon Center visited National Zoological Park, New Delhi on 17 Nov 2012. They enjoyed the mini bird sanctuary, watching animals and also plants from different countries. The teachers held discussion with the students regarding zoo animals and migration of birds in their respective centers before their field trip.

Visit to Rastrapati Bhawan: On 24 November 2012 the students from Sangam Vihar # 1 and 2 visited Rastrapati Bhawan and saw the Durbar Hall, the place where all major official Government ceremonies like taking oath by ministers, presentation of national awards, etc. are held. They also saw the state drawing room, library, dining room and the museum inside the Rashtrapati Bhawan. They could not visit the Mughal Garden because restoration work was in progress.

Heritage Walk: On 24 November 2012, twenty students, 5 teachers from five NFE locations (Sultanpuri # 1, 2, 3 and New Seemapuri) participated in the Heritage Walk to the Fort of Feroz Shah Kotla. The Walk was organised by Shahjahanabad Redevelopment Corporation (SRDC). Dr.Navina Jafa, Heritage Consultant SRDC explained about the architecture, sociological and political perspectives behind the structure.

Meeting of Teachers: A meeting of the teachers was held on 3 November 2012. All the teaching staff and education advisors attended the meeting. Ms. Nandi discussed the syllabus for the month of January 2012. Ms. Shashi, the teacher of J.J. Bandhu Camp gave a presentation on different forms of land- Island, Delta, Table land, Peninsula, desert and hill.

We also discussed the following topics-

- * Leave application for teachers
- * Minimizing dropout
- * Enhancing enrolment

Activities organised in the Centres:

Besides activities based on the syllabus (of English, Hindi and Math) the children also wrote about the water, air and land transport.

The children celebrated Diwali- the festival of light. They made diyas, lantern, rangoli and decorated their classrooms.

Craft: The children made paper folding items themselves out of waste paper.

Meal a Day Program

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Around 900 people take food from these centers.



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