

# Report on Exposure Visit in Karnataka

Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, Government of Andhra Pradesh is going to set up 50 dream KGBVs in West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Prakasam districts in coordination with UNICEF during this academic year 2017-18 and visited Bangalore along with 49 members which include 5 Nodal officers, 38 Special officers from SSA and 6 subject teachers from BC Welfare on 15<sup>th</sup> July to 19<sup>th</sup> July 2017

The team has divided into five groups and visited the following KGBVs in Mysore

S.No	Name of KGBV	Date of visit
1	KGBV - KR Nagar	18 <sup>th</sup> July, 2017
2	KGBV - Bannur	
3	KGBV - Nanjanguda	
4	KGBV – Keragalli	

## Overall Observations in KGBVs in Mysore:

### 1) Admission and Management Structure:

- There were 71 KGBVs which includes 2 Urdu KGBVs in Karnataka state and 39 KGBVs have been working under SSA.
- All KGBVs have been running Class 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> under SSA as per MHRD norms.
- Separate hostel facility was provided to class 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> students under RMSA after completion of 8<sup>th</sup> class in KGBVs
- Maximum provision of enrolment was 100 students in each KGBV
- KGBVs have admitted a student belongs to orphans, single parents, disturbed families, SC, ST and backward children.

### 2) Teaching and Non Teaching Staff Pattern

- 4 (1HM+3) teachers are working on regular basis and they were recruited by government of Karnataka
- Head master was acted as special officer and she has recruited by government of Karnataka and other 3 regular teachers are dealing two subjects per each like Science & Maths, English and Social, Kannada and Social
- 3 part time teachers are working on outsourcing basis to teach Hindi, Computer Operator and PET for 10 months and got 5000 salary per month.

- Full time warden post has recruited in contractual base for 10 months with 25,000 salary to each KGBV. She was looking after student accommodation, hostel facilities, Remedial Teaching, Extra Classes to students during evening time in every day.
- One accountant has recruited on outsourcing basis to look after accountants and also assist to the head teacher for updating all the records in time
- 1 head cook and 2 assistant cooks are working. Head cook has taken Rs: 6000 and assistant cooks have taken 4500 rupees per month
- 1 scavenger and 1 watchman are working and they have received 15,00 rupees per month
- Vocational instructors have taken to teach for Craft, tailoring and beautician courses to students and they have worked only 3 months per year

### **3) Financial Management:**

- Procured all the material like vegetables, fruits and other items have supplied daily to each KGBV by contrived tender basis
- The Head teacher was paid bills in every month based on the student attendance
- Each KGBV would receive Rs. 15 lakhs per quarter. Totally they have received an amount of Rs. 45 lakhs for 100 children from class 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> per annum
- Joint account has been maintained on the name of Head Master and Chairman of SDMC.
- Internal and external audit was done to each KGBV in every month
- Providing Science labs and other infrastructure facilities to KGBVs under CSR activity

### **4) KGBV Premises & Infrastructure Facilities:**

- Provided Iron cots, beds, bed sheets and pillows to each student.
- Every dormitory has luggage racks, inverter, fans and good electricity
- Provided Trunk boxes and lockers also available to each student
- The premises of the every KGBV has full of greenery and with good compound wall
- The maintenance of kitchen garden was quite impressive

### **5) Menu, Drinking water:**

- Supplied food to the students as per Menu and it was monitored regularly by HM and warden
- Provided milk to each children regularly and also supplied eggs and fruits
- HM, teachers and warden are having food along with children during lunch
- Hand wash points are available at dining hall and it has maintained good
- Set up almira for keeping material in the kitchen room
- The facility of drinking water was quite good. Community members have donated RO system and they have maintained it very well

### **6) Toilets:**

- Set up geysers to every bathroom and they could supply power to geysers through solar power
- Inverter facility also provided in bathrooms and lavatories
- Slippers have provided to students
- The availability of Inclinator facility was good

### **7) Academic Aspects:**

- Every class room covered with full of teaching learning material which was prepared by students
- Classes were started from 9-15am and end with 4-30pm regularly
- Every teacher has taken 5 periods per day and each period contained 40 minutes
- The discipline of the students was impressive and they have actively participated in teaching learning process in the classrooms
- Child wise learning profile has maintained and it was available in each class room and also maintained child wise and subject wise performance record by subject teacher
- Head Master was reviewed the teachers performance, Completion of syllabus, implementation of lesson plans etc by every week
- The ability of the reading and writing in kannada and English is quite good but a little bit fear in subtraction
- Implemented 10 points programme for improving quality of education

## **8) Monitoring of KGBV:**

- The head master was reviewed on the performance of teachers and students by every weekly as well as reviewed student performance through SMC meetings in every month
- CRPs/BEO/BRPs/DEOs/DPOs visited frequently and action taken immediately if identified any gaps and issues
- Regular monitoring of HMs and Teachers by BRPs in each KGBVs
- Head Teachers have attended review meeting and share their best practices and innovative activities for enhancing academic performance which was conducted by DPOs.

## **9) Online Monitoring:**

- Collected data on KGBVs/Schools along with children information through Student Achievement Tracking System (SATS) which was designed by Government of Karnataka
- Each KGBV has unique ID and Password for uploading their data as well as generated ID to each student which was linked with Aadhar
- Student academic performance was updated into the website by monthly
- DIETs/DPOs has visited KGBVs regularly with prescribed formats

## **10) Innovative Methods:**

- Solar power energy
- Water Harvesting Methods
- Plantation
- Using purified water through RO water plant
- Incinerator setup
- Invertors
- Swachha Bharat
- Under Ground Drainage(UGD)
- Conducted Community awareness camps
- Collected Parents opinion on function of schools
- Composite pit and kitchen garden
- Post box and honest box
- Suggestion box/Complaint box

## **11) Academic Innovative Practice:**

- School Academic Programme
- 10 Points Programme
- Bridge Course Programme
- Remediation Programme
- 30 days Residential English Training Programme
- Teacher Training Modules
- Technology assisted learning
- Student Achievement Tracking System
- Results oriented teaching
- Student centered teaching
- Student Metric Melas
- Exhibition for TLM preparation
- Display KGBV achievements and children performance on the walls
- Experiments on Science and Maths
- Implementation of Nalli -kali and Kalli -Nalli methods (Reading and writing)
- Guru Chetana programme
- Spoken English programme
- Tele Education programme
- Conduct Action Research on performance of KGBVs
- Celebration of importance days(Yoga)
- Self defence has been implemented
- Prepared food items and craft items by students and sold it to people. They could collect money and used this money for celebrating students birthday in KGBVs

## **12) Vocational and Life Skills Education Programme:**

- Provided Vocational teaching for developing skills among students
- Conducted classes on vocational skills in twice per week and 3 tailoring machines were supplied to each KGBVs
- students have prepared wonderful items as well as making candles also
- Appointed one teacher for teaching life skills and clarification of student's doubts in subjects. The teacher is coming once per month and clarified students doubts and sharing her knowledge on various academic aspects with students

### **13) Role of Community and NGOs:**

#### **a) Swamy Vivekananda Youth Movement:**

- The involvement of NGO participation was quite impressive. 15 tabs have supplied to students by Vivekananda youth movement in KGBV in Bannur and appointed one teacher for teaching life skills and clarification of students doubts in subjects. The teacher is coming once in a month and clarified students doubts and sharing knowledge on various academic aspects.
- They maintained one suggestion box. Students write down their doubts on paper and put it down in this box and later the teacher would come and clarify their doubts

#### **b) RBI:**

It has provided the following facilities in KGBV-

- Solar water Heater
- Pigeon hole racks
- Inverter
- R.O System
- Electrical Incinerator
- Uniforms ( one set of Pink& white )
- Green Boards
- Kitchen Equipment

### **14) Student Incentives:**

**SSA has provided the following facilities:**

- One set of uniforms
- LCD Projector
- Teaching learning material
- Iron cot, bed and trunk boxes
- Provided Rs: 100 per student per month. The HM has transferred the amount directly into student bank account. The amount will be given to the students after completion of the eight class for further studies.

### **Government has provided for the following facilities:**

- One set of uniform
- Bag and shoes
- Note books and text books
- Bicycles for 8<sup>th</sup> class students
- Plate, glass, snack bowl, Bedding, brush, one pair of slippers , one pair of shoes and sanitary napkins
- Provided SC, ST scholarship from SC and ST corporation fund.

### **15) Health:**

- No ANM post sanctioned in the KGBVs
- PET and Warden have looked after the students health care
- Students health checks and medicine has supplied under Suvarna Arogya Chetana Scheme
- The local doctor has visited KGBVs by monthly @500 per visit

### **16) Role of School Development and Management Council (SDMCs):**

- KGBV has spent an amount on various developmental activities through SDMC approval and resolution. SDMC chairman and Head Mistress had common cheque power. Based on the resolutions, department has called for quotes as and when needed and the Quotes have finalized by State / District level

### **17) Library:**

- There is no separate room for library and kept books in corner of the room
- Each student must read in which he/she taken book from library and explain the theme of this book in morning assembly in every day

# **Action Plan for Developing KGBVs as Dream KGBVs in Andhra Pradesh**

The following initiatives have been proposed for setting up KGBVs as Dream KGBVs in Andhra Pradesh.

## **Strategies for developing KGBVs as dream KGBVs**

### **Academic Aspects:**

- Implementation of 10 Points Programme
- Conduct Student metric Melas
- Conduct Science and Maths experiments
- Improving communication skills in coordination with British Council
- Display student academic performance on the walls
- Implementation of Activity based method (Reading and writing)
- Conduct Workshops on preparation of TLM, using ICT in the class rooms and develop module on vocational skills
- Child wise learning profile should be maintained in each class room
- Suggestion/Complaint box should be maintained in each KGBV
- Identify subject RP for monitoring academic performance of the students and teachers in KGBVs
- Twinning of KGBVs for sharing of knowledge
- Conduct TLM exhibition at District level/State level
- Establishment of Science and Maths lab
- Conduct Action Research on functioning and academic performance of KGBVs

### **Administration Aspects:**

- Recruit warden post in each KGBV and divide work allotment between SO and Warden
- Provide drinking water facilities through RO system
- Provide doors to bathrooms and lavatories
- Maintenance of kitchen garden and herbal gardens
- Facility of Under Ground Drainage system
- Provide bags, shoes and bunker beds and pillows
- Incinerator facility to all KGBVs