

SUNSHINE COMPLETION REPORT





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Introduction

PROJECT SUNSHINE An initiative of White Desert Mahamaya Trust (www.whitedesertmahamaya.org) and supported by SRF Foundation (<https://www.srf-foundation.org/>) Since 2014 , White Desert Mahamaya Trust (Founded by and an initiative led by Ms Kuheli Bhattacharya) has been working out of Padhar village (Mahamaya Kutir), Bhuj, Kutch District , Gujarat providing academic support to children in Padhar and adjoining villages including to the children of migrant workers in Mamuara Village.

Our major focus has been the girl child and our mission to create a bank of empathetic, qualified and committed teachers, who in turn will become agents of transformation/change and we have been making steady progress in our journey

“History will judge us by the difference we make in the everyday lives of children.” — Nelson Mandela. There are a few ways to view poverty , growing inequalities and the consequent suffering of children

- Blame it on the poor parents for bringing a child in to this world without having the means to provide them with a reasonable life and future
- Criticize the system & authorities for failure to resolve the issue
- Exhibit general apathy
- Or take a giant leap of faith We @ White Desert Mahamaya supported by SRF Foundation took a plunge and launched Project Sunshine in November 2023 @ Bhuj City, Kutch District , Gujarat.

With the mantra of “**जहा कम, वहाँ हम**”, this initiative is designed for kids of migrant workers, unorganised labourers and those belonging to the socially and economically backward classes . The idea was to provide comprehensive support including but not limited to clothes and accessories , nutritional supplements, medication, continued academic support including admission to government run institutions and progressives thereof. The guiding principle would be to create responsible citizens of the future by imparting education and inculcating discipline and values



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5. What are the highlights of the project?

Daily two hours education with nutritious food, Transport Facilities to kids, stationary and outreach events.

III ACHIEVEMENT

- CHILDREN STARTED BELIEVING THAT EDUCATION IS HELPFUL.
- ALL CHILDREN STOPPED BEGGING.
- MIGRATION TO DIFFERENT PLACES OF FAMILIES DECREASED. STARTED BRUSHING AND BATHING DAILY WHEN WATER IS AVAILABLE.
- GAINING GLOW AND WEIGHT.
- STARTED EXPECTING MORE FROM US FOR THEIR HEALTH AND EDUCATION ISSUES.
- ALL THE CHILDREN HAVE LEARNED READING, WRITING AND COUNTING. 9 CHILDREN ARE GOING SCHOOL REGULAR. WHO WERE ADMITTED IN SCHOOL LAST YEAR WITH OUT PROJECT.

IV OTHER INSIGHTS/RECOMMEDATIONS

- IT MUST BE SMALL HOSTEL FOR THEM INCASE OF THEIR PARENTS MIGRATE FOR FEW DAYS.
- HOSTEL WILL HELP THEM FOR BETTER FOOD AND EDUCATIONAL ENVIRONMENT.
- PROVIDING SMALL SOLAR PANEL WILL HELP FAMILIES AND STUDENTS TOO FOR BETTER LIFE.
- PROVIDING WATER THROUGH TANEKERS MAY HELP THEM FOR BETTER HYGIENE.



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I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

Project Title	:	SUNSHINE
Type of Project	:	CSR PROJECT
Sponsored by	:	SRF LTD, DELHI
Number of Beneficiaries	:	230
Location of Beneficiaries	:	BHUJ, GUJARAT
Number of Teachers	:	07
Number of Co-ordinator	:	01
Number of Kitchen Support Staff	:	01
Number of Cleaning Staff	:	01
Area of Project Implementation		BHUJ TALUKA
Total Expenditures		12,00,000
Amount of Grant Received		12,00,000

II. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. What is the Significance of the project?

Its mission to create platform for academic education to children of homeless and migrant labourers.

2. What happened in the implementation of the project?

We reach to their location and convince them to come our coaching canters and be part of main stream life and create hopes in their mind that life can better and beautiful with education.

3. When and where was the project implementation?

During May-25 to March-26 it was implemented in , bhuj , Kachchh , Gujarat

4. Who are the beneficiaries?

Children of migrant workers and homeless people and schools



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Since its inception, in two locations in Bhanushali area, near MMPJ Hospital, Bhuj, 370001, we have reached out to 45-50 odd children belonging (75 being the peak number) to 25 families. The journey has been difficult as these children had no benchmark in terms of discipline, being cared for, feeling loved and life beyond the daily struggles. With time, the enthusiasm has grown and participation has been more consistent. We also had a child operated upon for multiple kidney stones and the child is now disease free, his usual self and actively participating in our initiative. Closer to the monsoons, we also plan to host a medical camp for the children. Additionally, we are working on multiple fronts including basic minimum solar power for their temporary shelters, possibility of permanent shelters, etc. The current monthly expense is approximately INR 200000/= (audited accounts being provided).

This includes

- One time clothes, accessories, education accessories
- Project coordinator, teachers, support staff (not more than 10 students per teacher as they require personalized attention and care)
- One meal per day plus milk/nutritional supplements
- Recurring academic accessories plus cost of transportation of children already admitted to government schools.
- Cost of two teachers employed to provide academic support to (50-55 in number) @ senior students of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidhyalay, Kachchh Bhuj Kodaki Gujarat India
- Cost of higher education, academic support, teachers for some of the existing students of White Desert Mahamaya Trust

Currently, due to limitations in fund availability, one of our Trustees is cooking the food herself @ her residence, using support from a domestic help for the cleaning of utensils, etc. At some point of time, sooner than later, subject to availability of funds, we will have to shift to a rented space for housing provisions and a kitchen.

The budgeted projected cost of "Project Sunshine" reaching out to 75 street children (from Pavements to Schools) as well as 45-50 odd senior students of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidhyalay, Kachchh Bhuj Kodaki- Gujarat India, is approximately INR 36 lacs per annum. To the extent, SRF Foundation continues to support our initiative, we shall stay indebted.



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2. Activities

(1). Academic

Since November 2023 to March 2024, We have total 65 sulm children of migrant workers(some of them are used to beg on streets and sell balloons etc ...) included in shunshine for their basic learning and for progress of their academics and life style. it includes children of 4 to 14 years of age group. Student-Teacher ration is kept low i.e 6:1 as making them sit for 2 hours in itself is a challenge.

Teachers are using different TLM for effective and tangible output.

Class schedule:

4 to 5:30 p.m : Academics (equal weightage to oral and written part)

5:30 to 06:00 p.m : Hands on activities and play time

06:00 to 06:30 p.m : prayer follwed by nutritious meal, provided by us.

This year 22 children have learnt basic alphabets and numerics and ready to join primary school in coming session.



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Learning the numbers

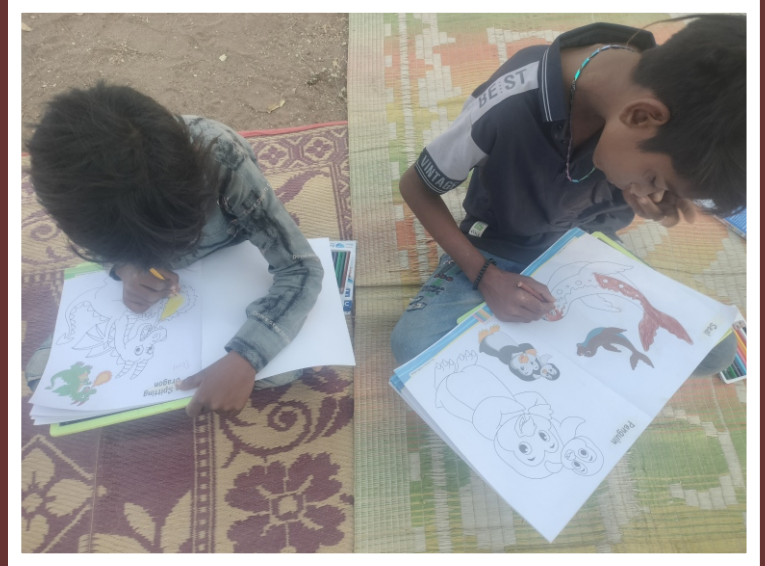




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Learning with Art



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Group Activities





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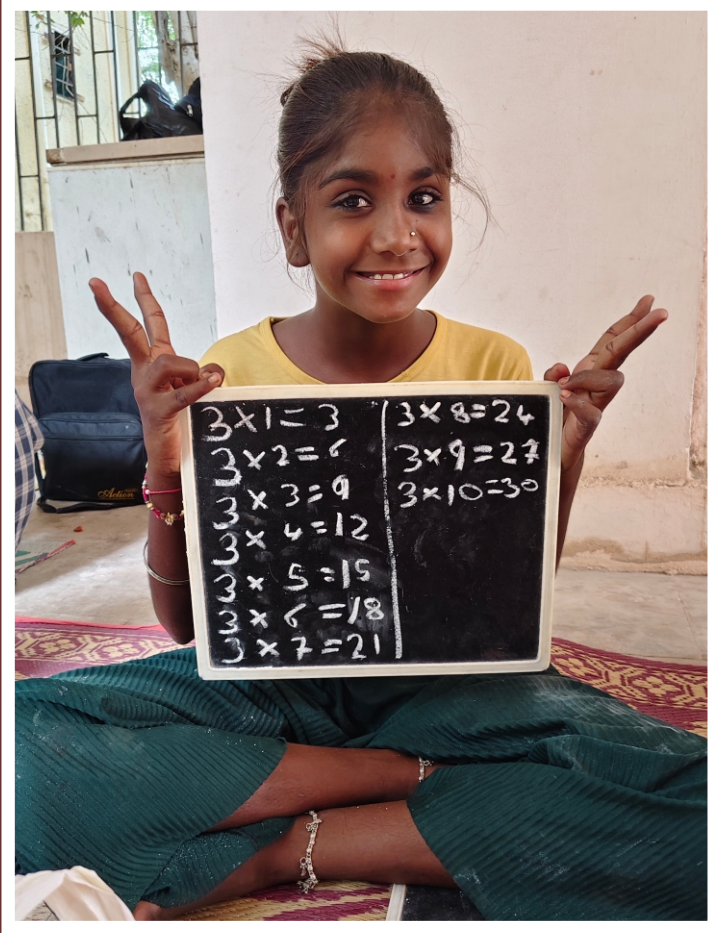


Group Activities





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**Student Name
Radhika**

**Age
12**



**Learning
Maths**



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(2). Nutritious Food

Nutrition plays a pivotal role in promoting physical development of these homeless children. It plays a key role for developing their immunity.

A meal at 6:00 p.m is well blended source of protein and nutrition as the weekly timetable includes fruits, vegetables, whole beans, milk, curd or buttermilk except on sundays

Sundays are special days as it's a day to get in touch with the parents of these children by carrying out various drives like atta distribution, milk distribution, rice distribution or buttermilk distribution.

These drives are purposefully planned to get in touch and talk with the parents to understand their routine struggles and extending emotional support and guidance wherever required for enriching their lifestyles though in passive manner.





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Evening Meal





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Evening Meal



South Indian Meal At Restaurant



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Evening Meal





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(3). Out Reach

Various outreach activities are organised for giving them the essence of basic civic life and entertainment...purpose here is also to raise their confidence, give them change from their dull routines and to give them hopes for better lifestyle.

Through a mix of civic education and joyful entertainment, we aim to break the monotony of daily struggles, building the confidence our participants need to reach for a brighter, more stable future





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Shopping Mall Visit





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Experiencing Grocery Shopping





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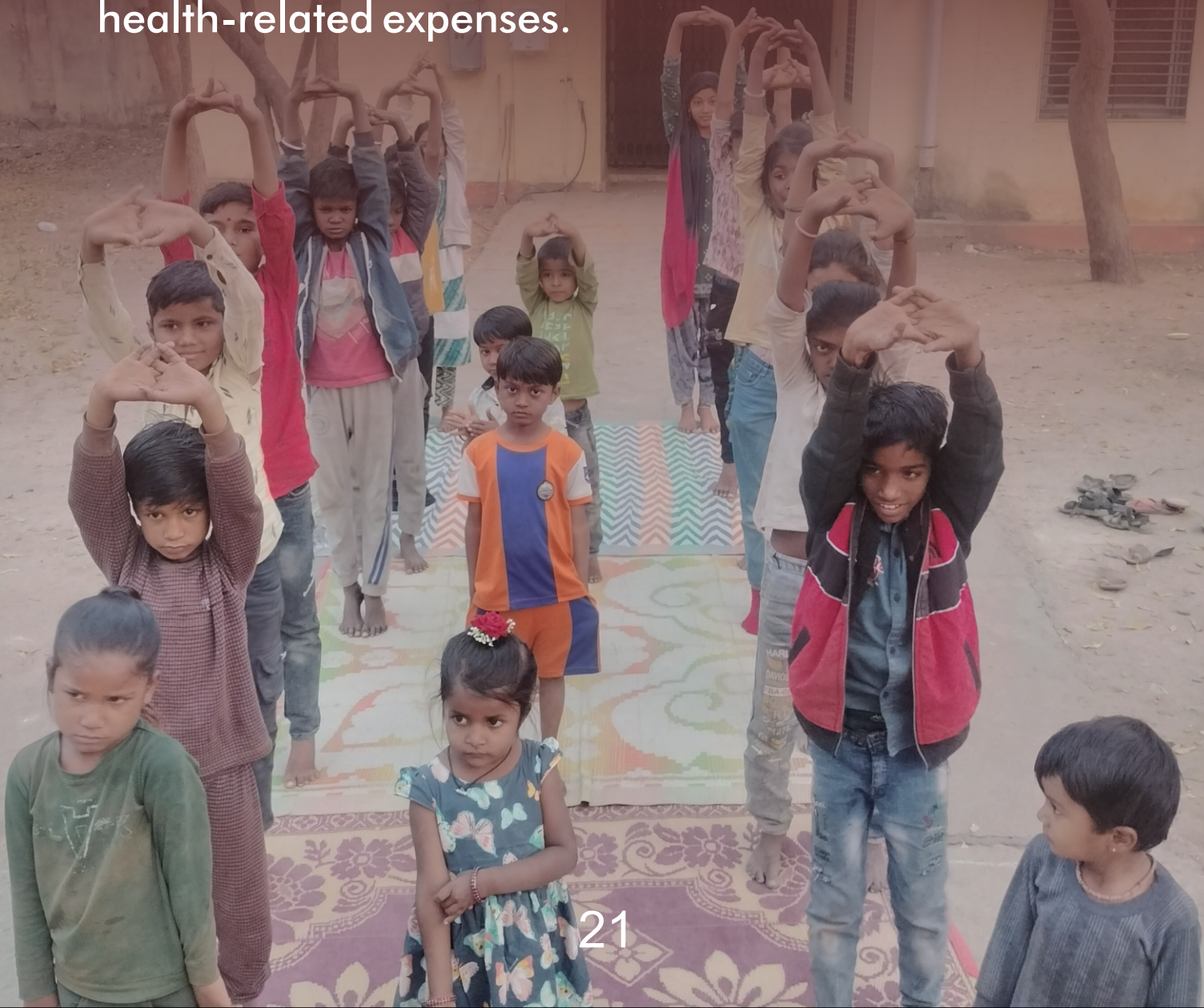
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(4). Health

We take a multi-dimensional approach to student welfare by providing:

- Routine Essentials: Comprehensive kits containing educational materials (bags, uniforms) and personal care items (sanitary products, hygiene kits).
- Healthcare Services: Preventative care via onsite medical camps and financial grants for critical health-related expenses.





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Doing Yoga





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Distribution of Sweets and Snacks @Diwali





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Bag Distribution





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Book and Pen Distribution





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3. Achievement



Student Name
Usha

Age
11

Student Name
Sonu

Age
07





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Playing Holi with Students





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Dance Practice for Cultural Event





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Group Photo





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Republic Day Celebration





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**Student Name
Vinod**

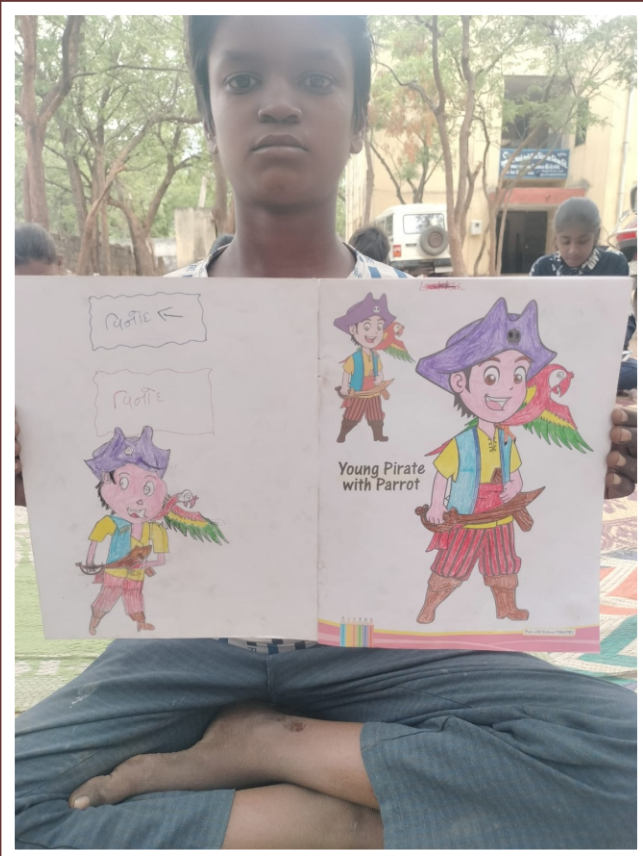
**Age
13**



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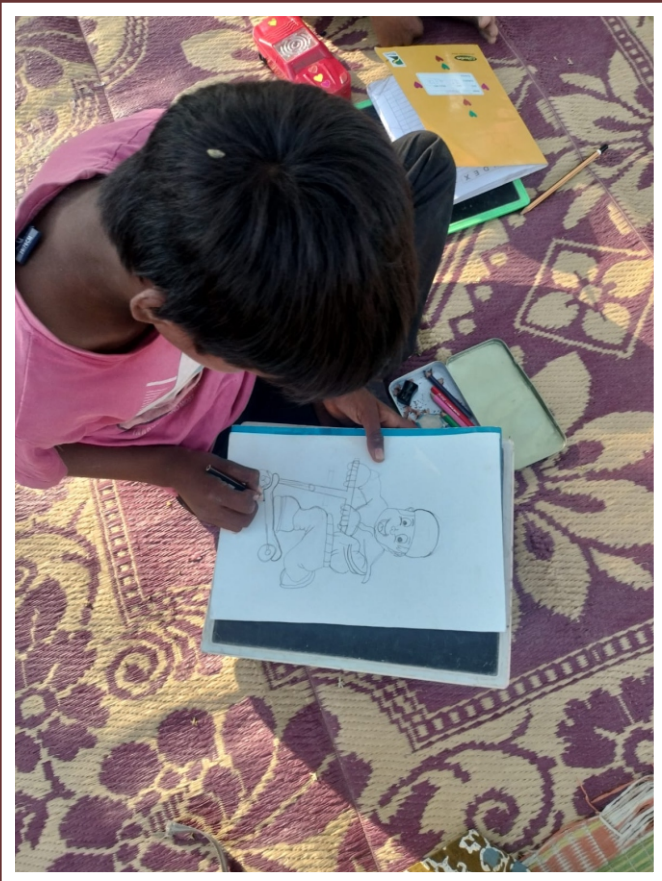
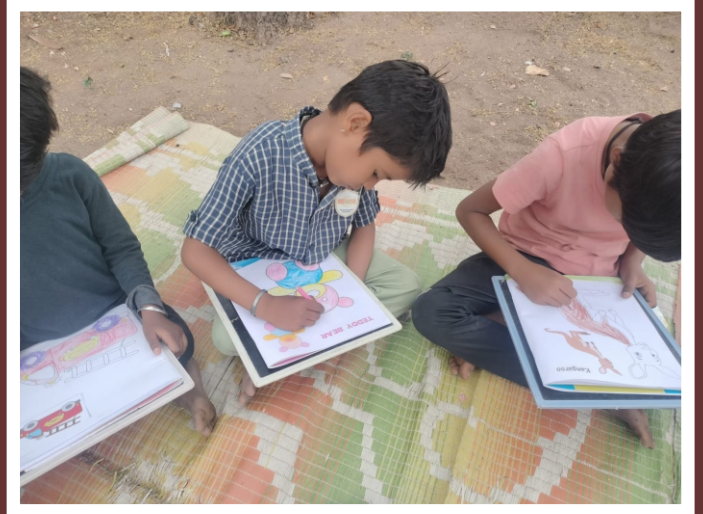


Weekly Drawing Class, Giving Wings to Imagination





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Activities, Snacks and Games





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Drawing Class





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