



Deepam Annual Report 2013-14

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Deepam – Model



Less privileged Children

- - **Deepam Centre**

- Less Privileged Children
- Students in class 4 to 10
- Children attending Govt. Schools

- •Govt School / Govt supported school
- •Children from less-privileged background
- •Volunteers teach children with help of laptops / desktops

- Volunteers
- Mentors
- Corporate Partners

Deepam Resource

- Volunteers Young and 'ever-young', from all walks of life
- Organised online group / forum
- Teams for Teaching / Curriculum / Fund Raising etc

Deepam Program



- > Deepam class spans over 40 weeks / year, with planned curriculum
- Class every weekend, for 2 hours





Deepam - Curriculum



At Deepam, we aim to **light the spark** in the child's mind, by focussing on 4 pillars :



English Skills









Personality Development

General Awareness



Deepam – Learning Concepts





Listening and Observingideal learning mode



Activity based learning



Collaborative learning



Make learning fun

Deepam VRS Center





25

Trip to the Madras Day

Exhibition

No. of Volunteers

Trip to the planetarium

Deepam Annual Day Scholarship

Events Organized

Jun Aug

Vist from KCG College

Oct

Dec

Feb

Apr

Jun







Scholarship provided

6 Children

Rs.18,000

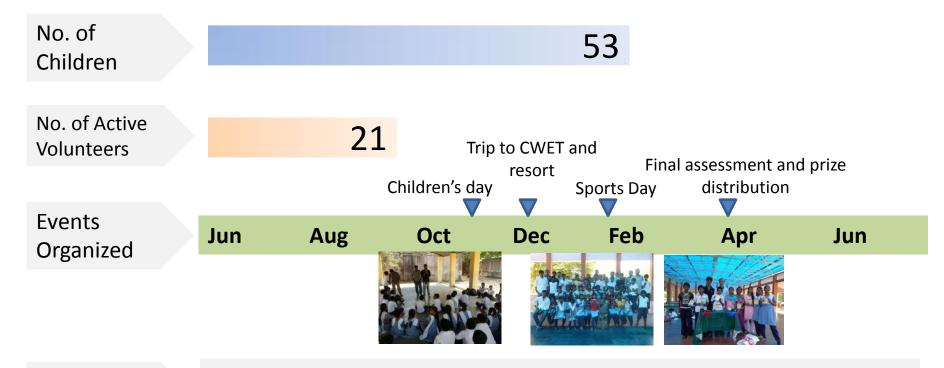
Assessment results

Initial assessment helped categorize kids into Basic(8), Intermediate(10) and Advanced(7) groups. Mid year and Year end results reflected positive impact of our sessions.

Highlights of the year

Deepam Olcott Center





Scholarship provided

None

Assessment results

46 out of 53 students passed in the last academic year

Highlights of the year



Assessment







Women Champ

Best Coach

Deepam PV Rao Center





Scholarship provided

None

Assessment results

After the initial assessment, the kids were grouped into level 1 and level 2. The year end assessment showed a marked improvement amongst all of them.

Highlights of the year

Deepam WM Center



No. of Children

39

No. of Active Volunteers

Events Organized Independence

Teacher's Day Children's Day Birla Planetarium Visit Annual Day

Jun Aug Sep Nov Jan March Apr











Scholarship provided

7 Children

Rs.26,000 (includes Rs 10,000 given as uniform subsidy)

Assessment results

All 39 students fared well, with 15 students graduating from V Std. 5 students from Red group promoted to Blue group. 3 students promoted from Blue to Green group.

Highlights of the year



Teacher's Day







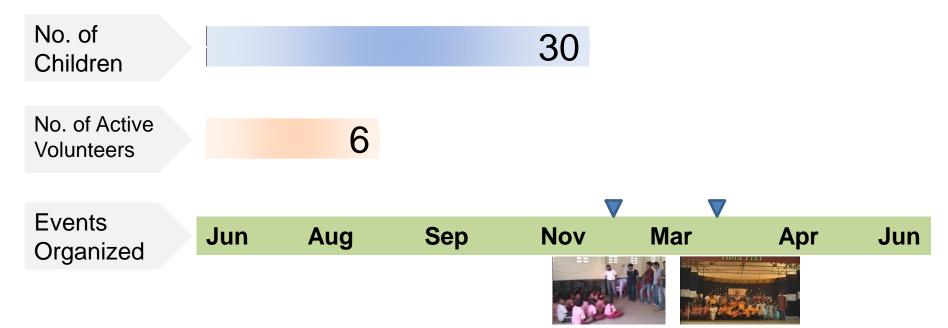


Planetarium trip

Republic Day Stars Program

Deepam KBM Center





Scholarship provided

Students to be identified

Assessment results

Assessment done at beginning of the year. 70% of the students cleared it

Highlights of the year







Annual Day

Student Feedback



Student Feedback

- Over 80 % attendance / participation in all centres
- Visible increase in Confidence / Enthusiasm
- Eagerness to return to Deepam class' every week

Assessment

- There is remarkable improvement in both English and Computer skills streams
 - English Students have fared better in forming small sentences with correct grammar
 - Computer skills Students are handling the laptops with ease and able to perform simple syntaxes correctly

School Feedback



School / Community Feedback

- "Students are keen on attending classes, especially because of the enthusiastic volunteers. English reading ability has remarkably improved"
- Nirmala, Headmistress- Vizhudhumangalam Primary School, Kodambakkam
- "Exposure to computer skills and e-learning experience is a key addition to the students' repertoire"
- Lakshmi, Headmistress- Olcott Memorial School, Besant Nagar

Volunteer Involvement



Volunteer Commitment

- 60+ Active volunteers, in a completely volunteer driven organisation
- 4 Volunteer induction sessions and 2 allvolunteer meet organised in 2013-14
- Organised 180+ class' in 5 centres in 2013-14
- Organised 16 events/ Field trips in 5 centres last year

Volunteer Recognition

- 7 featured volunteers of the month: Balaji, Anand, Mahalakshmi, Sudharshan, Gopal, Sindhuja and Sri Vidya
- 2 Outstanding volunteer of the year : Rohit and V Praveen,

Financial Report 2013-14 (figs in Rs.)



Cash Position at the start of the year	4,43,888
Cash Position at the end of the year	2,03,614
Funds Raised during the year	3,08,678
Expenditure Details	
Scholarships to children	1,28,000
Children's Events (Annual Day, field visits, educational tours)	1,99,831
Centre Operations (worksheets, books, capital purchases etc)	81,196
Administration (Auditor Fee, Coordinator Stipend, Volunteer gift cards, etc)	93,000
Note: Above figures are near-accurate and cannot be treated as balance shee	

Deepam Story So far...



Deepam

- Deepam is a registered NGO
- Founded in January 2008, with the 1st class in April 2008

- Over 200 less-privileged children taught every week, currently
- **Students** ➤ 1000+ students have graduated from the program in 2008/2009/2010/2011/2012/2013
 - 800+ Members registered with Deepam
 - 60 Active volunteers (informally mentored / trained)

- **Resources** > Structured Curriculum English + Computers.
 - > 30 Laptops, 10 OLPCs
 - Deepam-Nalanda Library Launched at 2 Centres in 2009

Teaching Centres

5 centres in Chennai in 2013-14

Deepam Plans: 2013-14



Centres Add 1 more Deepam Centre in 2013-14. Total of 6 centres. Stronger volunteer base – more corporate reachout & engagement **Volunteers** Better Volunteer Engagement **Formal** Implement a structured fundraising program at Deepam **Fundraising**

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