



Anugraha Foundation for Employment Opportunities

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Activities 2017-18

1. Rehabilitation Activities for Challenged Young Adults

- a. We do a social awareness programme for students of Vikhe Patil Memorial School, where the students of Std 9th work with our challenged youth to understand their needs and develop an empathy towards the needy section of the society
- b. We have engaged students from St. Mary's Junior College to work with our challenged adults and also to spread awareness about Autism
- c. Ashirvadam Trust Bangalore has been kind enough to extend their support to our activities this year too.
- d. Organizations like Excelloid, Swarovski, Tata Finance have extended their support by purchasing the articles made by our members

2. Vocational Training to Challenged Young Adults

- a. Corporate Gifting
- b. Making Teaching Aids for pre school
- c. Computer Operations
- d. Art and Craft
- e. Chocolate Making
- f. Candle Making

3. Employment for Challenged Youth

- a. Corporate Gifting
- b. Housekeeping and Kitchen Assistant
- c. Facility Upkeep

We generate employment opportunities for Challenged Youth. We were able to provide employment in above services in this year.

Two more of our trained autistic adults have started receiving a monthly stipend.

4. Training Programmes and Workshops

a. Early Childhood Education for Anganwadi Supervisors in association with ICDS and UNICEF

We have partnered with UNICEF to conduct vocational trainings for Anganwaadi workers and supervisors across the state of Maharashtra. Anugraha has assisted the state in capacity building and creating Master Trainer Cadre in ECE. Representatives from 16 districts were trained and are mentored on an ongoing basis. The curriculum was based on Aakar a state curriculum for ECE. We prepared a handbook for the helper in the Anganwaadis to conduct activities for children in the age group of 3 to 6 years

Prepared curriculum with emphasis on inclusive education and imparted training to participants from various districts in the state.

5. Significant Highlights

- a. Mr Sagar Kirpekar has joined us as a Director