# The Assam Valley School Report from

# Social Service League Year-2021-23

## 1. 'Energy efficient Chula' Project:-

This project aims at providing easy, cost-effective and clean cooking environment. The project is ideated by the Science club of the Assam Valley School and implemented and expanded by the Social Service League of The Assam Valley School. We have successfully constructed 54 chulhas which are distributed to the Sessa community. The project will continue by spreading the idea to the nearby villages and making the people understand the importance of it.



We have contributed to expand the project to The Holy Kid's school, Phulbari during our visit and demonstrated the mechanism..



# 2. 'Anaemia Mukt Bharat' Abhiyaan:-

It is a government project for providing iron syrup/ capsules to women on a weekly basis. It began on the 8th of March, 2021 with the school girls' community. On a weekly basis, the girls are provided with Feronia XT iron syrup.



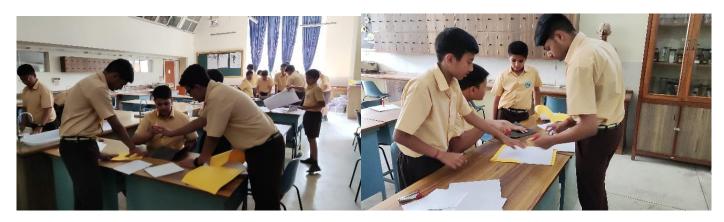


In collaboration with the government hospital we have collected iron tablets for the lady support staff and distributed the tablets among them. It is a long term project and SSL team will try to reach out to the women living in the nearby villages to educate them about the importance of a healthy life.



### 3. Use of old unused copies of students:-

After completion of the session- ending examination, the SSL volunteers have segregated the left-over pages of the unused copies as well as the unused copies in all the boarding houses. The main objective of this project is to make diaries by students from those unused pages and giving them to the teachers and students of nearby schools. The reason for this activity was to make the school community reflect on the importance of not wasting unused pages in order to create a sustainable environment.



#### 4. Plantation drive in Tezpur:-

The Social Service League took the initiative of a plantation drive in which 1500 saplings in different places of Tezpur were planted on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the school's establishment. It was an eight-day program where students from classes 5 to 8 took part along with teachers and student leaders from class 12 who oversaw that the drive goes on smoothly. The saplings were planted during this program in different places of Tezpur such as Joymoti Pathar, Polofield Children Park, Jahaj ghat, District Library, Cotton Road, Silver Jubilee school, etc. Various shade-bearing and flowering plants such as Kanchan, Krishnachura, Azar, and Xunaru were used for this plantation drive program.









#### 5. Literacy Programme:-

The Social service league volunteers visit The KGMT School (Kasturba Gandhi Memorial Trust) in Hurchurah and The Holy Kid's School Phulbari on a regular basis. The main objective of visiting these schools is to share thoughts and knowledge among the children.

#### The Holy Kid's school:-



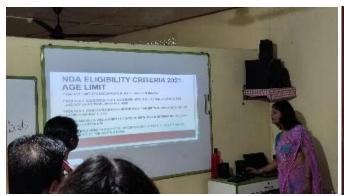


#### The KGMT school:-





Career counselling in The Holy Kid's school by career's department





#### 6. Visit to Missionaries of charity:-

The SSL members have visited the Missionaries of charity. The children play park and the wooden furniture of the children were painted by our volunteers. We regularly visit this Institute and spend time with the physically challenged children. That gives us motivation and inspiration to serve the society.



#### 7. Construction of Toilet in Chawk Bazar:-

On, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2021, over 300 shops were gutted after a major fire broke out at Chowk Baazar Tezpur of Assam. To help the shopkeepers of the Chowkbazaar, whose shops were erupted due to fire, Social Service League of AVS has taken the initiative to reconstruct the Chowkbazar toilet. The entire school community including students and staff have contributed to raise fund for this noble cause. Our school in collaboration with the Tezpur Municipal Board has constructed a toilet with 7 compartments for the shopkeepers.





#### 8. Service in the kitchen:-

The SSL volunteers visit the central kitchen of the school on a regular basis during activity days and provide their services. Students learn the basic skills of using knife, chopping vegetables, making dough etc.







# 9. Flood relief programme:-

The Social service league of The Assam valley school takes active part in the flood relief programme during the monsoon season whenever the flood affects the lives of the local people. The team visits the flood affected areas of nearby villages and provide them with food and other daily used materials such as phenyl, bleaching, detergent etc.





#### 10. Moran blind school visit:-

The team consists of 15 members comprising 13 students and 2 teachers. it was a three days service program. The program was truly enriching and splendid. The entire team offers heartfelt gratitude to the management for providing such an enthralling opportunity.

Activities during these three days--

- 1. Upgradation of a community hall in the nearby village.
- 2. Students have got the experience of Community lunch in a village.
- 3. serving all the meals for the MBS students.
- 4. Got a preliminary idea of the Braille system.
- 5. Visited the Kalyan Ashram (old Age home). Spent quality time with the people.
- 6. Spent a cultural evening where students from both schools participated and grabbed the attention of the audience with their thrilling performance.

A few learning takeaways are-

- i. Making a positive difference: Enlightening the students to make a positive difference and putting them in the right direction.
- ii. To appreciate diversity: The students got the opportunity to see how others live. Experience how similar or different we are and grow together as a community.
- iii. Boost self-confidence and bring personal gratification: helping others always makes a person happy and it increases their self-esteem and self-confidence.
- iv. Making new friends and connections.
- v. Students have got the opportunity to see the world from a different perspective.

