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## Report on Orientation and Awareness Session with Women from Marginal Families

**Date:** 31st August 2024

**Venue:** TV Room-Geeta Bhawan

**Time:** 10:30 AM - 11:15 AM

### Introduction

On 31st August 2024, the Koshish Club organised a meeting with the families of students who are part of the club. This meeting was aimed at understanding the challenges faced by the families and addressing any concerns related to their children's education. We extend our sincere thanks to our faculty coordinator, Prof. Dr. Hemant Sood, for her continued support in guiding us through this initiative. The meeting focused on identifying obstacles that hinder the students' education and discussing potential solutions to ensure better support for their academic journey.

### Meeting Overview

The meeting began with a brief introduction to the purpose of the session and the mission of the Koshish Club. Our faculty coordinator, Dr. Hemant Sood, led the discussion by interacting with family members to assess whether their children are regularly attending school. Several concerns regarding school attendance, transportation, and homework were raised during the meeting.

### Key Insights

The parents highlighted several critical issues affecting their children's education:

- **Lack of Transportation:** The major issue discussed was the unavailability of proper transportation facilities for the students to commute to school. Many families from marginal backgrounds do not have access to reliable transportation, which affects their children's school attendance.
- **Homework Pressure:** Some parents raised concerns about the heavy homework load given by the schools, which is becoming difficult for the children to manage alongside their additional classes at Koshish Club.
- **Special Learning Requests:** One of the students, who has completed his schooling, expressed a desire to learn computer skills. The family sought assistance in arranging classes for him.
- **Medical Concerns:** Mrs. Sumitra, the mother of two daughters aged 14 and 16, shared that her daughters were previously medically unfit to attend school. Now that they are recovering, she wishes to send them to our classes. Our faculty coordinator assured her that she would check with the doctor to ensure the girls are fit to join the classes.

### Actions Taken



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To address the concerns raised during the meeting, the following steps were discussed and planned:

- **Data Collection for Transportation Issues:** The club will collect data on all students who face transportation difficulties in attending school. Dr. Hemant Sood will present this issue to the Vice Chancellor of the university in an effort to find a solution.
- **Class Structure Adjustments:** It was decided to divide the class duration into two parts. The first half will be dedicated to helping students with their school homework, and the second half will focus on the club's educational support. This approach aims to ease the homework burden on the students.
- **Health Check for New Students:** In response to Mrs. Sumitra's request, our faculty coordinator will consult with a doctor to confirm that her daughters are healthy enough to attend our classes. Once cleared, they will be enrolled in our program.

## Conclusion

The meeting provided crucial insights into the various challenges faced by our students and their families. The Koshish Club is committed to addressing these concerns by working closely with the parents to ensure that every child has access to quality education and the necessary support to succeed. Moving forward, we will continue to monitor progress and make necessary adjustments to better serve the needs of our students and their families.

## Event Highlights



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