

VISIT TO BARANG VILLAGE BY PROJECT VIKAAS

DATE:29-09-2018

DURATION:3 HOURS

NSS VIKAAS visited Barang village on 29th of September,2018. The entire visit was attended by twenty nine members including Vikaas, Roshni and Pragati. We left the university premises at 9:30 AM and reached our location, Barang village(at old Cuttack Road) by 10 AM

Our team had previously planned about the things that needed to be covered for the visit, keeping the following ideas in mind which were **a.)** Origami **b.)** Art and Craft **c.)**Fun activity like connect the dots **d.)**Teaching basic english

All of the ideas were properly outlined and well implemented on the day of visit.

Before heading to execute the above mentioned ideas the entire team was divided into 5 groups each consisting around 6 members. Starting off with calming and setting the crowd it took around 15 to 20 minutes for the volunteers to get the children in place. Respective scheduled groups with particular ideas were allotted with around 10 children approximately and were taught with full engrossment and affection. Starting with the origami part the children were demonstrated, how to make fish using paper which was excellently done by the allotted origami group. Coming next to art and craft the exact idea was to make *best out of waste* in which our volunteers had previously planned to create a piggy bank using plastic bottles, very well demonstrated and was the most interactive activity of the day. Almost every children ran to their houses in search of waste plastic bottles and brought it to recreate their own piggy customized bank with their names written on it. It was exciting to see the little kids showing their interest in the activity and the significant patience of the volunteers to help those little kids create their own piggy bank. Moving forward to teaching basic English children were first asked to recognize the English alphabets those who couldn't recognize were again handled by few volunteers and were taught the English alphabets followed by writing their names in English in their notebooks. They were also taught basic and regular developing phrases such as *Good Morning, Good Evening, Thank You, Welcome* etc. Last but not the least another fun activity which was joining the dots and creating shapes was taken place, children were doing the activity with enthusiasm in order to see the final shape that was created at the end after joining all the dots, the faith and relaxation was thoroughly observed.

All of these activities were swapped among the volunteers and the approximate bunch of children within 30 minutes to reach our aspect i.e. each of those children should come across

and participate in the ideas that were held that day .Time was fantastically managed by the team. Towards the end of the session we all really had a great time interacting with those kids from sharing smiles to playing some outdoor games it was indeed a moment of exorbitance. Overall the entire visit was a win-win and gathered good reciprocal action from the kids as well.

