

TRAINING OF INSTRUCTORS AT BDVS

Some reports reflect the status of bad quality education in Bihar. Children are losing an opportunity of a great career. There are only 44% children in Std IV who can read at least Std I level text and only 45% Children are in Std V who can read Std II level text. This is the status of education in Bihar. We had tried a lot to improve the quality of education of Dalit students through establishing non formal education centers in different parts of Bihar. Normally, children study their school books but we have prepared one book consisting of Maths, English, Hindi, Grammar, Rhymes etc. Last month we had organized one training program for the 26 instructors from 30/03/15 to 31/03/15 at our administrative office, Patna. All the centers are under the supervision of local VEC along with our animators who were assigned to monitor the classes. Use of sticks during teaching is strictly prohibited. Last year we had introduced one new strategy that every student must appear the monthly exam and the toppers will be honored with small prizes. The performance of each student will be recorded and exam papers also stored for further documentation. The first training was focused on orientation, preparing syllabus, action plan, preparing monthly exam papers (questionnaires for whole year), teaching style and process, etc. Apart from this we had tried to strengthen all the instructors in relation to RTE, RTI and CHILD RIGHTS by two resource persons. We had used the participation and the lecture method. We had presentations, demonstrations, group discussions, and practice as the tools.



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