

DALEEL

Monthly newsletter

"Daleel" means Story in Kashmiri

PICTURED: Children and enrolled under Child Development after receiving stationery and first aid kits



CHINAR BOARD MEETS BENEFICIARIES

CHINAR's board members, Dr. Khalid Ashai from US and Dr. Zahida Shah from India, conducted monitoring visit to two small business support (SBS) units, one Community Learning Center (CLC) and one skill center in Baramulla. At the skill center, they interacted with trainees and learnt about their training experience and future plans. The board members were impressed with the exceptional progress made by the two SBS unit holders - Abid Ali's sports garments and equipment unit and Adina Akhter's dairy farm.



SBS UNIT LAUNCHED IN BARAMULLA

Imran lives with his parents and three siblings at Bonichakul, Baramulla. Due to his father's health issues and unstable financial condition,

Imran had to drop out of high school to provide for his family. After working as a salesman in a readymade garment shop for two years, Imran developed a passion to start his own apparels store but lacked the funds. Recognizing Imran's passion and expertise in readymade garment industry, CHINAR identified him as a potential candidate for

Small Business project. He received comprehensive assistance to start his own business unit

Currently, 40 SBS units are functional.



Imran, along with CHINAR team at the launch of his readymade garments store

ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION AT SHOPIAN AND PULWAMA



CHINAR held annual distribution event for children enrolled under the Child Development Program in different villages of Shopian and Pulwama districts. As the new academic session began, CHINAR organized the event to ensure that children have the necessary school supplies to succeed as they promote to new grades. Over 200 children received these kits. Besides, first aid kits were given to 134 families.

The Child Development Program is aimed at improving access to education and promoting child development in underprivileged communities.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT (UNDER PARVAAZ)

CHINAR has successfully closed third skill center under PARVAAZ project in Gatipora, Shopian with 19 women graduating from a 5-month cutting and tailoring course. Three outstanding trainees were awarded with sewing machines to help them kickstart their business.

Additionally, CHINAR inaugurated a digital literacy center in Mundyari, Baramulla, where 20 youth registered to acquire basic computer skills.

Till date, 60 youth graduated in multiple skills from three centers under Parvaaz.



Aalima Bashir is a fifth-grade student from a low-income family in Yatipora, Palhallan. Her father runs a tea stall to make ends meet. Aalima joined the Community Learning Centre (CLC) in December 2021 and has made tremendous progress since then. Initially, Aalima had difficulties identifying letters and numbers and struggled with reading and writing. However, with the help of her teacher and parents, she now has a good command over foundational literacy and other essential concepts and is doing well in Socio-Emotional Learning. In recognition of her performance, she has been appointed as group leader for the Levels 1 and 2 at her center. Her parents are grateful to CHINAR team for the program's positive impact on their daughter.

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Our Mission

Empowerment of Vulnerable Children, Marginalized Youth and Distressed Communities through Quality Education and Socio-economic Programs using Scientific Approach



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