



ORGANIZATION'S INFORMATION:

Pratigya is an independent youth initiative to ensure Right to Choose School with Right to Education for each and every child and mobilize youth to action.

It was started in June, 2007 by a group of committed youth who strongly believe that change is possible and it is only possible through Education. This group has been inspired by the appeal made by the former President of India Dr A P J Abdul Kalam to come forward and take the pledge to spread the light of education to every child in country.

Legal Status

- Pratigya is a registered organization under the Indian Trusts Act, 1882, at Ranchi, Jharkhand.
- We have been granted 12 A and 80 G certificate from Income Tax Department, Govt. of India.
- We have been granted FCRA registration by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India.

GOAL OF THE ORGANISATION:

Vision

To help each child open her/his mind towards the light of learning

Mission

Our mission is to mobilize the youth, to act towards ensuring the right to quality education for every child in India. We believe in moving beyond the traditional approaches and providing parents and children with choice. We aim at freeing children and India from the shackles of ignorance and poverty.

ASHISH KUJARA

PRATIGYA PUBLIC SCHOOL



What was the objective behind establishing this school?

To establish a proper English medium co-ed school for children from disadvantaged tribal & other communities in the backward rural region, imparting best quality education, at par with the best English Medium Schools of the cities in India, through best innovative and scientific pedagogical methodologies, teaching tools and practices.

Rational for opening the school in the particular village

Pratigya has been working in the identified village since last 6 years and its intervention has brought positive sensitization in the said village. Pratigya has been supporting the education of over 80 children of this village, by providing scholarship to them for studying in their chosen private schools. Earlier a large number of children of the village were out of school. However, after intervention of Pratigya there is hardly any child left out of the school in the village. Community which was not so sensible about the education of their children is now so much concerned about it. In their Gram Sabha meeting, issues related to the education are now discussed on a regularly basis, and now, in this small village, hardly any child is left out of school. Seeing this big change, there had been a demand from the community for the need of an English medium school, as the nearest proper English medium school is about 18 kms away from the village and that too is very expensive. Therefore making access to an English Medium School education was extremely difficult and beyond the affordability of the communities in the village. Hence, Pratigya decided to open an English Medium School with the support of community in the village.

Programme Goals

The main goal is to create a centre of excellence in school education system easily accessible and affordable to the children from tribal and backward region.

This larger goal engulfs following sub-goals:

- To provide access to best quality school education to the children from the deprived section of the society at a nominal contribution from parents/ guardians.
- To adopt best innovative and scientific pedagogical methodologies, teaching tools and practices.
- To equip the classrooms as per the required standards of the central government.

- To employ qualified, skilled teachers and self motivated teachers who can not only teach but think outside the box about the process of teaching and ensure learning of each of and every child in the class.
- To provide best school education system to each child in the school as per his/ her unique needs.
- To instill scientific temperament and rational thinking among children from the very beginning of their age and socialization.
- To provide life skill education and livelihood training to children along with school education to instill confidence among them and the aspiration of self dependence and entrepreneurship
- To encourage sports, variety of extracurricular activities, closeness to nature among children, so as to develop team spirit and maintain good health.
- To build a child with the best possible human values and characters who can become aware, active, fearless, self dependent and honest citizens of this country embedded with love and compassion for fellow beings.
- To meet national education standards etc.

Establishment of a Computer Laboratory

Technology plays a major role in twenty-first century education. The new model of integrating technology into the curriculum means that computers are on demand throughout the school day. Technology teachers and administrators face the task of developing a technology plan that makes the most effective and efficient use of the computer hardware available to them.

Pratigya, being working in the field of quality education to underprivileged children since 11 years, felt the need of computers in delivering such type of education in the school. The computer lab has been established in the school with the help of Gyanada Foundation & DHL, who have supported this objective by donating 9 pre-used computers for the computer laboratory. Children from Std 3 are doing the extensive use of the computers and are nowhere less in computer knowledge than the children from privileged class. Inspite of using the computers only for computer practicals, the school has arranged a projector for delivering digital education to the children. Academic videos, songs, poems, etc along with animated and children movies are also shown here in this laboratory to the children. The school is also planning to use this laboratory for delivering computer knowledge to the senior children of village who are not a part of the school but are eager to know about the computers.



Reflection of previous year's experience

- In spite of being the first generation learners, the school has been able to impart a good level of confidence inside the children regarding English medium learning.
- The performance of the children in various school programmes has always been an attraction for the guests.
- 99% children have passed their final exams successfully achieving almost 60% marks on an average.
- Apart from regular academics, the children have shown some tremendous examples of human values within them.

Glimpses of activities in our school from previous year

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रांची। आशीष कुजारा प्रतिज्ञा पब्लिक स्कूल में रविवार को पहला स्थापना दिवस मनाया गया। मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में झारखंड बाल संरक्षण आयोग की अध्यक्ष आरती कुजूर ने बेहतर परिणाम करने वाले विद्यार्थियों को सम्मानित किया। सैक पर बच्चों फिल्मी गानों पर रंगारंग कार्यक्रम पेश किए। जिसमें ऑल इज बेल, गलती से मिस्टेक गाने पर बच्चों द्वारा गेज किए गए, कार्यक्रम पर खूब तारियाँ बरसीं। इस दौरान स्कूल के प्रिंसिपल अजय कुमार ने एक साल की उपलब्धि बताते हुए कहा कि पूरे सत्र में बच्चों का अटेंडेंस 99 फीसदी रहा और सभी बच्चे बेहतर अंकों के साथ पास हुए।



1st Annual Day celebration



रांची सिटी हिन्दुस्तान 23



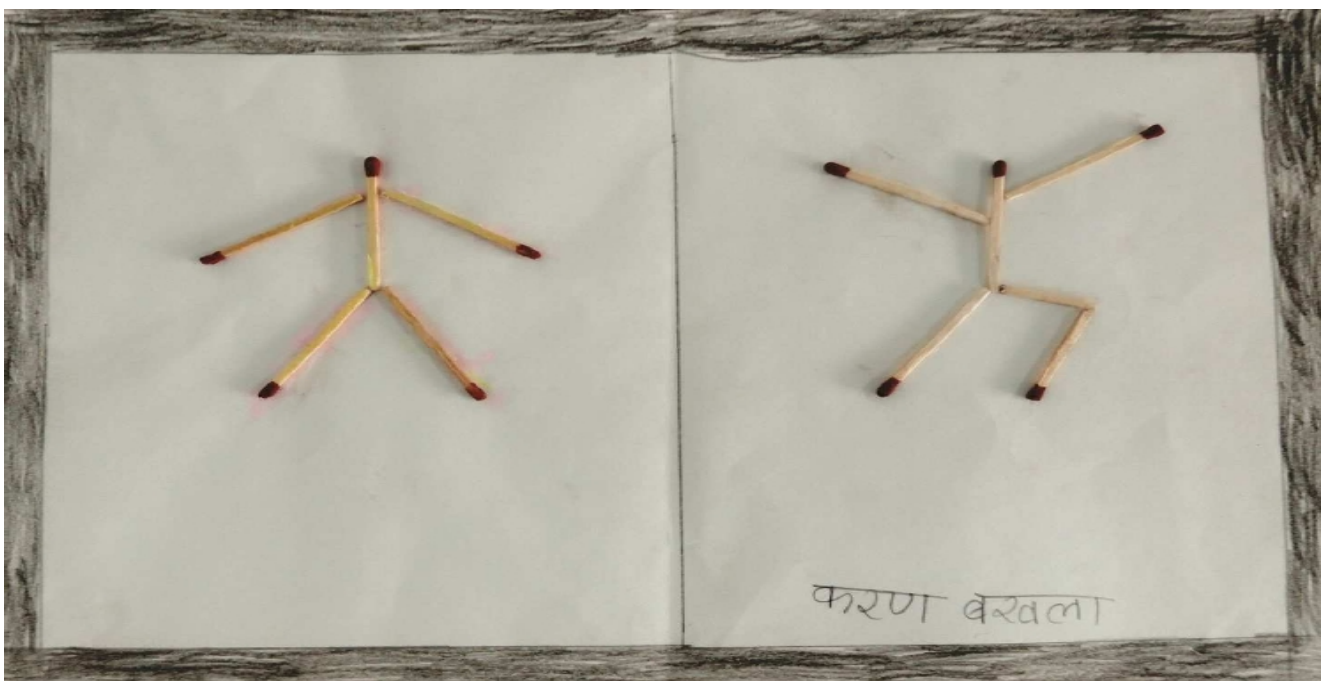
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Republic Day celebration



Annual Sports Day

Art & Craft made by children using leaves, match sticks, used papers, etc



Name of the School	Ashish Kujara Pratigya Public School
Name of place	Chandapara, Khunti, Jharkhand
Classes	KG to V

Proposed Budget					
Category	Item(s)	Number	Honorarium / Amount	No. of term	Total
Teachers		7	7000	12	588000
Principal		1	25000	12	300000
Guard		1	4000	12	48000
Aaya		2	2500	12	60000
School van + Driver		1	18000	12	216000
Transportation of students		1	5000	12	60000
Stationaries		1	5000	12	60000
Premises Rent		1	8000	12	96000
Miscellaneous activities		1	25000	1	25000
Marketing and Publicity		1	50000	1	50000
Total Running expenses					1503000
Fixed Assets (one time) expenses	Benches	50	1600	1	80000
	Tables	10	1200	1	12000
	Blackboard	1	3000	1	3000
	Room	1	120000	1	120000
	Play materials	1	30000	1	30000
	Infrastructure	1	200000	1	200000
Total Fixed expenses					445000
Curriculum Development for rural students	Co-ordinator	1	35000	12	420000
	Assistant Co-ordinator	1	15000	12	180000
	Conveyance	2	4000	12	96000
	Telephone & Internet	2	1000	12	24000
Total expenses for Curriculum Development					720000
Total Proposed Expenses					2668000