BSPES
EDUCATE MOTIVATE EMPOWER GIRLS IN RURAL INDIA

Bhagwati Sarla Paliwal Education Society
A Non-Profit Organization Promoting Women Education and Empowerment

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Mission
We educate, motivate and empower the young women of rural communities to grow into proud, contributing family members.

Principles
- Provide Value Based Education
- Promote Health and Hygiene
- Facilitate Wealth Creation through employment

Approach
Our work is about engaging and empowering the young women of our rural communities by providing them with life skills through education.

We believe this will build stronger, more vital communities, improve local economies, and expand the opportunities for young women to seek an independent livelihood.

We cultivate a healthy and hygiene-aware community through our collaboration with local leaders by conducting medical camps and community town meetings.
Location
Situated in Jattari town, an agriculture driven rural town along the Delhi-Aligarh national highway (N.H.) about 10 minutes from Noida – Agra Yamuna Expressway. This institute is approximately 70 kms. from Noida (NCR- New Delhi) the capital of India. School serves for town Jattari and the villages located within 10 km radius around the town Jattari.

Literacy Ratio
Prior to the functioning of this school the literacy ratio of boys and girls was nearly 95:5. Since then there is been continuous improvement to about 65:35. We believe every year this number is improving significantly.

Gender Bias
In this region, guardian’s attitude towards girl’s education is biased. They prefer to educate the sons instead of daughters. If girls were given the opportunity, they will be as successful as the sons.

Economy
Due to lack of infrastructure developments in the region, agriculture is the primary source of income for most residents. They prefer to send the girls to work in the fields rather than go to school.

School Infrastructure
Over 600 Students from 1st to 12th grade
30 Teachers with bachelor and master degrees
Over 2 ½ Acres of Land with 32 Classrooms
E-Learning Center with 12 computers
Library
Science Facility
Sports Facility
Fully Furnished Guest House for Visitors and Volunteers
Vocational Learning- Sewing Center
The Team

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Value Based Education

4E's Principle

• Engage
• Educate
• Empower
• Evaluate
Value Based Education

Teacher Training

- Primary teachers are trained on SatyaBharti based curriculum
- Work – Education based pedagogy training for 6\textsuperscript{th}-12\textsuperscript{th} Standard Teachers
- Activity based interactive training methods are implemented in Primary classes.
Kanak Rai Trivedi Library
A Fully Furnished Library with over 10000 text books
Books and reading material on competitive exams and current affairs
Sponsored by Rajiv Trivedi Chief Development Officer La Quinta Hotel
Started in September 2011

Angelique Library for Primary and Secondary Students
A Fully Furnished Library with over 2000 story books and text books
Sponsored by Angelique International
Started in November 2014

E- Learning Center
A Fully Furnished E-Learning Facility with 20 computers and a server
Fully Powered by 2 KW Solar Panel System with backup generator
High Speed Internet Connection, Sponsored by Ashit and Kirti Singh
Started in November 2012

Usha Silai School and Ganga Devi Sewing Center
A Sewing Center Facility provides a platform for the girls to learn stitching
Girls stitch the uniform for other students as part time employment. We have partnered with Usha International and developed program for training for the mothers. The machines were sponsored by Ashit Singh and Solar System was sponsored by Angelique International.
Started in June 2015
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**Science Center**

A Fully equipped Science Center with Physics, Chemistry and Biology

Sponsored by Mohan Venkatraman and Vijay Balasubramaniam

Started in July 2013

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**Fly Dubai Advance Learning Support**

Fly Dubai Airline is supporting BSPES students with Advance Learning Support by providing Laptops to the school. Students and Teachers use these laptops for using the internet for leaning.

Started in December 2014
NCC (National Cadet Corps)

National Cadet Corps is a Tri-Services Organization, comprising the Army, Navy and Air Force, engaged in grooming the youth of the country into disciplined and patriotic citizens.

The Cadets are given basic military training in small arms and parade and are given preferences in active military recruitment.

Cadet Nitin Chaudhary was selected for Republic Day (RD) Camp 2012 and Parade at National Level (January 26th 2012)

Cadet Sonia Sharma was selected for Inter Group Camp (IGC) 2012 at State Level (November 2012)

Cadet Madhuri Singh was selected for Inter Group Camp (IGC) 2012 at State Level (November 2012)

Scouts

Girls from 6th to 8th grades participate in Girls Scout and Guide Programs,

This enables and encourages them towards value based education and contribution towards the society.
Health Examination Initiative

The Health Examination Camp is conducted in partnership with Dr. Jugal Kishor and his team of doctors from New Delhi 2 times every year.

The Camps are conducted to perform the health checkup of about 200 students and 40-50 mothers. A dedicated team of gynecologists performed their health checkup on mothers.

We are looking for a regular doctor who can visit the school on a monthly basis to provide continuous and monitored healthcare to the students.

Medicine and Vitamin Supplement Distribution

Under the guidance of Dr. Jugal Kishore, BSPES distributes the Iron and Vitamin supplements.

This Program is supported by Mr. James and Linda Leahy, Chicago USA.

Eye Examination Initiative

The Eye Examination Camp was conducted in partnership with Carewell Charitable Society New Delhi (http://carewell.org/).

Eye examined for 261 girls, 120 Students were found with vision deficiencies. Carewell has provided the glasses for 120 students.
Health and Hygiene

Linda Leahy Sanitary Napkin Program
BSPES provides free sanitary napkins to all the students having 90% and over attendance. Remaining students get the napkins at a subsidized rate. This Program is supported by Mr. James and Linda Leahy, Chicago USA.

Yoga Program
BSPES has partnered with PPES and S-VYASA (http://svyasa.edu.in/) in Bangalore India to get Ms. Shivani Sharma (School Yoga Teacher) get training and implement that in the school. Girls has participated and won many awards in performing and teaching Yoga.

Sports Program
BSPES students participates in many sports have won championships District and Mandal (Regional) Level Kho-Kho competition Participated at State Level Kho-Kho competition Won district Level Chess competition Girls have participated in many badminton, long jump, high jump sports at inter school level.
Vimalaben Himmatlal Magia Breakfast for Kids

Essential calcium and irons needed for growth is key focus in the nutritional plan.

In our health checkups conducted last year, we have found more girls with severe and moderate cases of malnutrition. Our goal is to provide the food/breakfast to all the girls.

This program was started in 2013 by serving 145 students (4-10 years of age) by proding a glass of milk and a breakfast item (protein based) and was sponsored by Rodger Forni, Niraj Parekh and Abhay Dixit.

This program is now expanded to 500 students from 1st - 8th grade and now supported by Mr. Niraj Parekh from Harrisburg PA USA.
**Community Initiatives**

**Solar Lantern Initiative**
Solar Lantern initiative was started in 2013 with 80 lanterns and 1 KW Solar Panel System sponsored by Ashit Singh by donating Rs. 275000 ($5000).
Students bring the lanterns in the morning, we energize them at the school with solar panels and they will use it to study at night. Improved attendance is an outcome of this initiative. The next step is to create self-help groups in the villages to maintain the lanterns and provide to the villagers.

**Bicycle Bank Initiative**
Bicycle Bank initiative was started in 2013 with 87 Bicycles (Atlas Goldline) sponsored by Dipak Kapadia by donating Rs 200000 ($4000).
Students will get the cycles to come to school to avoid walking for 4-5 Kilometers each way. Improved Attendance is an outcome of this initiative.

**Tricycle for Kavita Sharma**
Kavita is a 11th grade student, who has maintained over 90% attendance inspite of her village being 4 Kms (2.5 miles) each way from the school.

**School Van and Bus Initiative**
School Van initiative was started in 2013 by procurement of Mahindra School Van sponsored by Dipak Kapadia and Niraj Parikh by donating Rs 100000 ($2000) each.
BSPES has procured a school bus to further increase the coverage and bring young kids from their villages. This project was funded by Vijay Balasubramaniam and the family by donating Rs 900000 ($13300 approx.).
Kalpanaben Naginbhai Patel Textbooks Program

Mr. Harish Patel of Fort Worth TX has sponsored this program on the name of her sister Kalpanaben daughter of Naginbhai and Urmilaben Patel by providing the textbooks to all students every year who have 90% and over attendance in previous academic year.

Disha N Parekh Uniforms, Shoes/Shocks, Caps and Woolen Sweaters Program

All the girls who are unable to afford are provided the uniforms, shoes/shocks, caps and woolen sweaters under Disha N. Parekh uniform program.

Scooty Learning Initiative

Scooty Learning initiative was started by procurement of Honda Scooty. This is to empower girls and boost their self confidence. This initiative is available to 11th and 12th grade students if they maintain 90% or more attendance.
Awareness and Opportunities

BSPES team conducts village meetings with parents, grand parents and students in several villages to increase their participation in programs like NTTF, Call Center, Nursing Program, Yoga Science and Engineering Courses.

Polio Drop Program
Girl Child Education Awareness
Save Environment
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Value Based Education

Sports, Music and Celebration

Special Projects and Classes

Science Projects
Leahy’s Build a Toilet Project

In 2015-16, BSPES have selected the girls to build 15 Toilets at their houses under “Leahy’s Build a Toilet” based on following criteria:

- Girl is maintaining 90% or over attendance.
- Girl is supported by a single parent (mostly mothers).
- Girl is committed to finish minimum college level education and parent agree not to marry her earlier than legal marriage age of 18 or older.

The total cost of the toilet project was Rs 19,560 (approximately 300$).

Additional 12-15 Toilets will be built in 2016-17.
**Toilet Project for Kavita Sharma**

We have built a handicapped accessible Toilet for Kavita Sharma at her house in the village Chajjupur.

Kavita is a 11th grade student who comes on a tricycle from her village everyday. Her village is about 4 KMS (2.5 miles) each way.

Kavita has maintained over 90% attendance.

The total cost of the toilet project was Rs 17,560 (approximately 350$).

**Toilet Project for Rajani**

Rajani is an 8th grade student at the school. Her village is about 3 KMS (1.5 miles) from the school. Rajani has lost both the parents at a very early age and currently living with 4 elder brothers in her 2 room house.

Rajani takes care of daily household chores including cleaning, cooking etc prior to coming to the school.

Despite of these challenges Rajani has maintained over 95% attendance.

The total cost of the toilet project was Rs 17,120 (approximately 290$). Rajani's brother has helped us in building the toilet.
Success Stories

Kisana Sharma and Khuma students of BSPES, got selected for a 3 year computer diploma at Nettur Technical Training Foundation (NTTF) Bangalore Campus (http://www.nttftrg.com) after passing the entrance exam. The have received 100% scholarship for the tuition fees.

Priyanka, Reena and Usha students of BSPES, got selected for 3 year Bachelor of Science (Yoga) Course at Vivekananda Yoga Anusandhana Samsthanha (http://vyasa.org) Bangalore Campus.
Bandana, Surabhi, Pooja, Niraj and Sanju were students of BSPES and now successfully working in different Multinational Companies in New Delhi Area and are earning salaries of 150k-200k per annum.
Success Story
Following Students have competed the training and have started the first job of their lives at

Call Center Department of Kingdom of Dreams Gurgaon India
(http://www.kingdomofdreams.in/about-us.html)

Krishna Kumari
Pooja Kumari
Neeraj Kumari
Bandana Kumari
Sanju

Next batch waiting for appointment letters
Sangeeta Sawariya
Surbhi Kumari
Wealth Creation by employment

**Community Collage Initiative (CCI) Program**
Sponsored by the bureau of educational & cultural affairs of the United States Department of States

We are training students to appear in English Test and Interview (conducted by US Embassy New Delhi)

Once Selected these girls will have an opportunity to come to USA for 1 year Hospitality Management Course on a cultural exchange program fully sponsored by US Department of States

**Personality Development (PD) Program**
By English Helper (wholly owned subsidiary of the Boston based English Helper Inc.)

This was 10 week summer training program for 10th and 11th grade students

**Call Center Training Program**
Sponsored by Kingdom of Dreams Gurgaon India (http://www.kingdomofdreams.in/about-us.html)

A fully sponsored training program -partnership of BSP&PPES (http://www.education4change.org/)

Following Students are completing training followed by employment by Kingdom of Dreams
2016-17 Initiatives

Primary School Uplift Program

We are the process of aligning the Primary Education with our partner organization PPES which is based on Satya Bharati.

We would like to improve the classroom environment by painting the classrooms with bright colors, providing charts and tables on walls and providing furniture for children to sit.

Community Health Initiatives

We would like to start Health Checkup, Eye Checkup to Girls, Mothers and Grandmothers and provide the basic iron, vitamin supplements and eye glasses.

This program will help the families especially mothers to understand basic health, feminine hygiene.

Vocational Training

We would like to start basic training of clay pot making, candle making, paper bag making to develop the entrepreneurial skills.

We would also like to automate the Sewing Center by providing power operated (solar power) machines for sewing, embroidery etc.

Hygiene – Build Toilets

We have already built 17 toilets at the homes of the students and now got a good understanding of local conditions, labor requirements, procurement of material etc.

We would like to build additional 15 toilets with water supply and septic system at the homes of the students.

Smoke Less cooking (chulha) Initiative

We would like to provide smokeless Chulha (stove) to the mothers whose daughters are maintaining 90% and over attendance.

English Learning and Speaking Initiative

We are working (started in December 2015) on developing English Learning and Speaking programs to make student compete for higher technical courses and jobs. We invite volunteers to participate in these programs.

Clean Water Initiative

We would like to install 3 commercial grade water filtration systems (non-mechanical) to provide clean water in the school.

We would like to start pilot programs by providing 50 water filter system for the students for their homes to provide clean water for the family.
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Sponsorship Program

Sponsor a girl with Rs. 6800 (100$) per Year

Standards Cost
1. Academic Cost per student - 475 RS per month x 12= 5700 Rs.
2. 300 Rs for shoes and 50 Rs for Shocks- Total- 350 Rs.
3. Uniform 1 Pair - 250 Rs
4. Text Books- 500 Rs (for 9th-12th standards, the text books cost is higher)
TOTAL- 6800 RS (Approx. 100$)

Additional/ Specific Cost
1. If the student's village is more than 3 Kms each way, bicycle is provided to her. The cost for buying the bicycle is 3600 Rs
2. If the student in young (primary) or comes from more than 7-8 Kms, the cost of school van is 380 Rs (average) per month, if the school van is running on this route.
3. Sweater for winter months- 250 Rs each
4. Breakfast per day per Student- 6 Rs (1800 Rs per year with Sundays/ holiday etc )

List of Sponsors

Rajiv Trivedi  Ashit Singh  Hemal Shah
Dipak Kapadia  James Leahy  Shankar Vivekananda
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Yes, you can help. No matter what you are good at (English teaching, computer training, arts and crafts, healthcare, sports, career counseling, accounting or program coordination), WE NEED YOUR HELP.
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