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# Thulir...



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# Thulir..

- "THULIR" is an Education Resource Centre for children and young adults at Sittilingi, a tribal village in Dharmapuri district of Tamilnadu, India.
  - It is a Tamil word meaning "a tender shoot", also "to sprout".
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# Founders

- Anu and Krishna
  - Architects
  - Setup resource centres in Gandhigram(1988), Gudalur(1993)
  - In June 2003, moved to Sittilingi, and set up Thulir.



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# Activities...

- Basic Technology Course:
    - For School dropouts..
    - Training include –
      - Basic Math, English, life skills
      - Bulding: Construction, plumbing, wiring
      - Electronics...
      - Organic Farming
      - Arts and Crafts
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# Activities...

- School students from neighboring villages.
  - Classes post school hours.
  - Emphasis on Academics in weekdays and Arts & crafts, workshop skills on weekends.



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# Story in pictures...



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# Electronics

- Whole school is solar powered.
- Almost all the LED lightings/wirings are done by the kids.



# LED Torch...





# Construction...



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# Running...



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# Arts and Crafts...



# Organic Farming



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Thanks

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Back up slides..

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# Goals

- ❑ To motivate children provide support for learning
  - ❑ Access to basic learning resources
  - ❑ Supplementary classes to prepare for exams
  - ❑ Interaction with visiting professionals to get exposure
  - ❑ As children grow into young adults, they can have access to vocational training courses and network with other such centers.
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