

SMARTGRAM PROJECT INITIATIVE BY RASHTRAPATI BHAVAN

Teacher's Training Program at Dumduma Village

The Workshop was held at Government Middle School at Dumduma Village on 30th August, 2017. It was attended by 10 teachers of Govt. Middle School as well as Govt. Primary School along with 70 students.

Sessions were interactive and the topics discussed were-

1. Helping teachers to understand the importance of Classroom Management
2. How expressed behaviors of children can aid identification of problematic behavior
3. Dealing sensitively with relationship issues amongst adolescence.
4. Identification of developmental disorders and learning disabilities
5. Developing a better understanding of peer influence and the role of family-school partnership in the psychosocial development of children.
6. Helping and assisting students to manage anger and overcome frustration.



Methodology used-

1. Audio visual presentation via **MOBILE CLASSROOM EDUCATIONAL VAN** on key childhood and adolescent development, developmental disorders and learning disabilities.
2. Brain storming on cultural norms and gender issues and child marriage.

Learning outcomes and the road ahead-

1. Teacher's were apprised and briefed on how on the basis of certain expressed behaviors by children an early identification could be done of the problem.
2. Interventions through clinical assessment and follow up can lead to a successful diagnosis
3. Focus also needs to come on psycho-social education of parents since issues of child marriage are still prevalent and girl child drop out happens due to this reason.
4. The teachers expressed their strong views that there should be psycho-social education of the parents to stop the social evil of child marriage. Currently the parents take absolutely no interest in this/ The system can best work when teachers and parents partner together.
5. Psychosocial and emotional wellbeing of the care givers along with the child is very important for better, progressive and enhanced facilitation of children.