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Dymphna Special School is the part of CTC province Charitable Trust, is a registered charitable society. Dymphna Special School is working together to achieve enabling the disabled children to develop the potential aspects and face the world on equal terms. (educational, rights and Health aspects) for all children.

#### Aims and objectives:

- Acceleration of rate of development in the child.
- Acquisition of new behavior/skills by the child.
- Increased independent functioning of the child.
- Early detection and prevention of secondary handicapped.
- Render assistance to parents and family members in coping skills and understanding their child better.

#### Vision

Our vision is to create a fair society. where all women and children have their rights respected and guaranteed and free access to education and health care.

#### Mission:

To improve the disability of differently abled persons by their involvement and participation in the development process, by promoting their Rights and Rehabilitation.

Dymphna Special School is to providing the special education to special children for developing their Loco motor skills, communication skills and training to Daily living activities with

physiotherapy and speech therapy with appropriate educational techniques .we conduct training and awareness education to parents , volunteers and teachers.

### **Objectives:**

- To identify, assess, diagnose and enroll the Mentally Retarded Children for Specialized training.
- To develop Physical, social and intellectual abilities.
- To create awareness among the parents, sibilings, guardians about the follow up invention programs available for their children.
- To create awareness in public about about the causes, prevention and Rehabilitation of Mentally Retarded Children.

Dymphna Special School is implementing special schools for intellectual challenged .there are 48 Mentally Retarded Children between the age group of 5 -18 years in Pre-Primary,Primary,Secondary -1,Secondary – 2,pre –Vocational.we trained the children with Trained Teachers to teach them and train them as per the guidelines given by the Government. The class room teachers including following:

- Basic Education
- Functional and Academic skills
- Physiotherapy
- Behavioural modification
- Yoga
- Music and dance Therapy
- Skill Training







Dymphna Special School is an apex body to undertake human resource development fore delivery of services to the persons with intellectual disability, to develop appropriate models of care for the intellectually disabled. Individuals to identity, conduct and coordinate research in assessment, education, training and rehabilitation of mentally retarded persons and to serve as a national resource center in the field of intellectual disabled.

Dymphna Special School is a grass root level organization working for the upliftment and creating awareness about the various types of mentally Retarded namely cerebral Palsy, mentally Retarded and multiple disabilities in the children for the last 11 years.

Dymphna Special School are running an institute for intellectual challenged children in the age from 5 to 18 years in kovilpillaivilai at Thoothukudi dist. At present the institute is having strength of 48 children with various types of disabilities like Autism, cerebral palsy,Down dyndrome, Mental Retardation and multiple Disabilities.

Dymphna Special School had programe for the Intellectually Challenged Children. The Institute has got required faculty and infrastructure for implementation of the program.

The children in the institute are from below poverty line, neglected by their parents, deserted and unable to brought up. The staff of the Institute have surveyed and brought the identified children with mentally Retardation for proper care and rehabilitation management. We are provided, Basic Education, medical Aid, Training in Self help skills for their day to day living.

The Dymphna Special School are glad to state that our institute for has been given an award by the Rotary Club of SEA SIDE in Thoothukudi for the dedicated service done to the children for the year 2019 at Tamil nadu state. The Dymphna Special School has been registered under section 52 of Persons with Disability(Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation )Act,1995 for providing services in Thoothukudi by Government of Tamil Nadu State. This wing of the special school consist of 5 classes with 5 Special teachers 2 teachers and 1 helper to take care of them in teaching the daily living activities and small easy lessons with the help of toys.models and charts depending upon their mental Ability and learning.

The intellectual challenged children are exposed to practical and demonstration classes like

- Bathing
- Brushing
- Toilet training
- Dressing

### **Physiotherapy:**

The disabled children specially the Mentally Retareded students with Multiple disabilities are subjected to physiotherapy classes for inducing mobility to their appendages and make them active and energetic to move from place to place initially with the help of the trainer and later independently. This Therapy also initiates an urge with them for undertaking small works in the vocational training classes while turning their brain and toning up their muscles to give necessary commends to the other parts of the body as per the need and the situational demand.

#### Games and Sports:

We motivated to take part in different types of games and sportsactivities to stimulate and activate the dull brain to take interest to move along with other children which ultimately initiates the mind and brain development and slowly creates interest in them to imitate other children in their different activities.



## Competition:

















#### Yoga:



### **Recreation Activities:**

The Dymphna Special School is providing Recreation activities like educational tour for the disabled children with their parents. Every child should participate all the program whether games, competitions and cultural activities. this helps to increase their confident level, make wish to participate and to develop their ability in physical activity as well as personal restructure.

Finally we trained the parents how to improve their child daily activities and advice them to help their child to do that activities at home by their own.Every effort is being made to achieve the Goal.A Holistic approach is adapted to each and every effort is being made to achieve the Goal. A holistic approach is adopted to each and trains a child catering not only, the needs of the disabled child but its entire family. We decide to go subject oriented places, it used to fresh up themselves to improve their knowledge about subject and to develop their concentration & observation power.

Here , parents come to know their child happiness and they were realized also a normal child. The main purpose of this system for disabled children is:

- It brings happiness
- To refresh themselves
- To improve their concentration & observation

- To face the originality related subjects and
- To develop their knowledge We conduct meet for disabled children through the schools every year

### Feeding Food:



### **Parents Meeting:**

Parents are conducted once in two months. Parents are encouraged to seek help from the special educators for any of their problem





## Parents Competition:





















Other important Activities:

Inspection:









### World Disabled day:

We celebrate the World Disabled day by distributing Program among various schools and conducting Cultural program .







# Independence day:











## **Teachers Day**





# Christmas









## Pongal celebration:



## **Birthday Celebration:**





# Annual day celebration:























## **Vocational training:**

Dymphna Special school is also providing Vocational Training for the parents with Disability Children.parents are very interested to participate in Vocational training .we give various Vocational training like

- Candle making
- Jewel making
- Flowers making
- Paper Bag
- Office Cover making
- Wire Basket making















### **Conclusion:**

Social progress cannot be possible in some mathematical formula, but by some social idea which may not be visible immediately .It requires time and patience to see the fruit of development efforts.we have timed our best with our entire mind, heart and hands extend possible. There is success as well as failure and we have encouraged by our success. keeping in view our limitations we shall continue to strive to built a society where the people in general, poor, and needy in particular can live happily with justice and peace and can realize the joy of a liberal life.