# Annual Report of St. Francis Dilkhush Special School For the Intellectually Challenged for the year 2022-2023

The organization St.Francis Seva Samaj Educational Society Seoni Madhya Pradesh working in the field of disabled sections since 2004 for rehabilitation and education of all types of disabled and their empowerment and justice. Our congregation is well established in disability field and having years of experience and working for disabled. This organization has its own suitable land and building in Seoni district. It gives us a lot of joy and satisfaction as we present our annual report. Over the past 18 years our Education Society has been engaged in the procedure of awakening and empowering the weak and marginalized people of Seoni. Every year more than 10 disabled children and adults are corresponding to our society. We are trying to do new methods and learn and understand their current needs. The curriculum focuses the educational program for them in their various disabilities. The students with disabilities need many functional activities based on the curriculum which will enable them for independent living. Thus Functional Academics become the core area of curriculum for their total development.

Our aim is to develop the students to their full potential, so that they may grow and attain independent living and enjoy coming to the school is a happy and pleasant experience. Each student has individual education program and given care encouragement, support, as their need. We seek to create secure and joyful event for their best.

# **Programs & Activities**

- School has various activities like morning assembly followed by physical exercises.
- We do take more efforts to make this special children feel that they are also valuable in the society by special training in the class as well as individual training.
- To improve the Expressive and Receptive Language we do give them daily Speech Therapy to the students who deserve it.
- School celebrates all the festivals like Rakhshabandan, Diwali, Christmas etc..
- School also gives more importance to Teachers Day, Children's Day, and Women's Day
- To bring patriotic spirit in students we do celebrate the national days like Independence Day, Republic Day and Gandhi Jayanti.
- We do arrange seminars for the parents to accept the uniqueness of their children so that they may understand them well.
- To keep their physical and mental health fit we keep health camp, dental check up blood test etc.
- To make them happy, energized and competitive we keep sports day, rangoly competition drawing competition etc...

# Prayer, Assembly & Physical exercise

St.Francis Dilkhush Special School begins with prayer. To keep up the physical fitness of each student school takes extra efforts by giving them physical exercises everyday, which help the students to maintain their proper health.





Different activities of the school



Self Help Skill



Indoor &Out door games. Group Teaching

**Puzzle Play** 

#### Music & Dance

# Theraputic & counseling

Miss.Sonam Vinodiya the Speech therapist and Mrs.Maneesha Shrivastav the Psychologist come to our school twice in a week to give Speech therapy and counseling for parents and students respectively as per the order of district collector.

Ever year Diwali being celebrated in different way. This year on this day, our students came in colorful dress. We make them feel happy through different activities such as putting rangoli, in different shapes and flavor. They do enjoy the day by lighting diyas and arranging, sharing sweets among themselves and teachers, cracking crackers along with their teachers and friends.





### **Teachers Day Celebration**

Teachers are like candle which consumes itself to give light to the world. This year too teachers Day was celebrated on 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022.Students were very enthusisasitic to celebrate Teachers Day to show love and gratitude to their teachers.They wish their class teacher with flower and small gifts. The management appreciate and value the service of the teachers on this special day by giving them gifts. Students perfomed few cultural events to make their teachers happy,to add the beauty of the day many of the games were conducted for the teachers.





# Children's Day celebration

"To empower the powerless is the basic spirit behind all our endeavours".We do celebrate the childrens day to make them happyand accepted. We cut the cake, play games and make the day a memorable one.

### **Independence Day**

Independence Day celebrated every year with great pomp and vigor. This year too our students celebrated it very meaningful way. On this day principal of the school, Sr.Vineetha Francis hoisted the National Flag and she talked about the sacrifice rendered by the freedom fighters. On this day, the staff and students made a vow to keep up "Unity in diversity"







#### **Birthday Celebration**

To make them happy and valuable we keep birthday celebration along with their parents and family members in our school.



#### Seminars & Awareness program

Having an Intellectually Challenged in the family is a mental stress and burden for a family. Many of them are sad, disappointed and depressed in their life due to this special child in their family. To know and understand the child, to reduce their stress we keep awareness programs and seminar occasionally. Mrs. Manisha Srivastav Psychologist, Miss. Sonam Vinodiya the Speech therapist were the resource person for the seminar conducted for the parents. They beautifully narrated the ways and means to handle the children and most of the parents went away happy and satisfied. Few parents shared their experience and helped others to reduce their stress.

# **Achievements**

The world Disability day December 3<sup>rd</sup> was celebrated with great happiness and vigor. Our special kids and youngsters participated in many events and achieved many prizes. District MLA Shri Dinesh Mun Mun Rai, Deputy Director of the disabled section Shri Biresh Singh Bagel along with many other dignitaries gave away the prize



# Health Camp

Dr.Vipin &his team from Ayush Department District Hospital Seoni did free checkup and distribution of medicine. Almost all the parents came along with their children and took benefits.



# Vaccination, DPT & TT Injection

Children who are of different age group were given the DPT & TT injection. Those children who were 15 to 18 age group were given the vaccination.





# Visit by Dignitaries

The District Collector,Shree Kshitij Singhal visited our school had interaction with parents and students. The management and parents requested the collector sir to provide speech therapist and physiotherapist as there are many students who really deserve it. Sir immediately called the Deputy Director of Social justice & disabled section to the school and made necessary arrangements. He also ordered the Municipality officer to repair the road to our school.



# Visit by Mother General

Our Beloved Mother General Rev.Sr.Celestine Francis visited our school. She was happy to interact with the teachers and students.

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#### Conclusion

I thank Almighty God for the past year, which was a year of blessing. We could experience the power of God through different people. Once again thanks to one and all.

Sr.Vineetha Francis

Principal