



UMEED FOUNDATION
REACHING THE UNREACHED

Building Resilient Supporting Communities. Umeed Foundation's Aid to Empower NGOs.

Beyond establishing learning resource centers, Umeed Foundation extends its support to partner NGOs by addressing specific needs and requisitions that enhance their resources and operations. Recognizing the unique requirements of each organization, Umeed provides valuable tools that enrich the programs and daily activities of these NGOs, helping them achieve their missions more effectively.

For example, Umeed provided an electrical pottery wheel to **Kolotan** at Barasat, enabling skill development in pottery and promoting self-reliance through craftsmanship. This tool empowers community members by expanding their vocational skills and income-generating opportunities.



Similarly, F.M.R. - **Asha Niketan**, in Kolkata received a Public Address System from Umeed Foundation to enhance its audio-visual programs, creating a more engaging and accessible learning experience for the intellectually disabled orphans and other intellectually disabled individuals from underprivileged and BPL sections of society.



Umeed Foundation has further reached the unreached by extending a helping hand to **Mr. Kartick Kalindi** - a lone Social Worker for the Underprivileged Nabadiganta Leprosy and Adibasi Community, near Durgapur, by providing monetary help to initiate a project of organic mushroom cultivation and production.



The benefits that the colony people have received through this project are multifold – they are now provided with- enough ration, education centers, sanitary napkins for women in the leprosy colony.

Through these thoughtful contributions, Umeed Foundation shows its commitment to strengthening community organizations by providing them with essential resources. This support not only enriches the lives of individuals but also reinforces the capacity of each NGO to serve and uplift their communities more effectively.

Empowering Communities: Umeed Foundation's Learning Resource Center Initiative

Umeed Foundation has taken remarkable strides in promoting education and empowerment through the establishment of learning centers across 11 NGOs. Dedicated to fulfilling its mission of reaching the unreached, Umeed has created opportunities for individuals in underserved communities to access quality education, vocational training, and personal development. These centers are strategically placed to cater to children, youth, and adults alike, fostering an inclusive learning environment that caters to diverse needs.

Through its programs, Umeed Foundation provides resources and training that equip participants with valuable skills, encouraging them to pursue self-sufficiency. From foundational literacy to skill-building workshops, the curriculum emphasizes practical knowledge and self-reliance, ensuring that every learner is equipped to make meaningful strides toward a brighter future. The learning centers have become hubs of opportunity, bringing hope, guidance, and support to those who previously had limited access to educational resources.

Umeed Foundation's commitment to empowerment through education has already transformed countless lives, driving sustainable change by enabling individuals to break cycles of dependency and become active, confident contributors to society. Through these centers, Umeed is steadfastly building pathways to resilience, independence, and empowerment in communities that need it the most.



Amra Padatik (Kalighat Unit)



Amra Padatik (Sonagachi Unit)



Ankur - Amra Sabai Raja (Sonarpur)



Ashina Yubak Sangha (Falta)



Ferrywala (Bali Island, Sundarban)



**Howrah Vivekananda
Siksha Kendra (Dumda)**



Kolotan (Barasat, North 24 Pgnos)



**Purono Kolkatar Golpo
(Nayachar, East Midnapur)**



Sanlaap (Narendrapur)



Rokeya Shiksha Kendra (Baishnabhata)



Shreeja India (Birbhum & Bardhaman)



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12 NGOs moving forward with Umeed Foundation

On the 10th of February, Rotary Sadan was filled with hope, faith and belief as the Umeed Foundation created a platform, a memorable event.

Ms. Salony Priya, Mr. Rajesh Kumar Kabra, Mr. Deepak Dokania the moving force of Umeed Foundation showcased their dedication to education by awarding **20 scholarships** to deserving students and extending **support to 4 NGOs** in West Bengal, exemplifying their commitment to nurturing young talents and fostering community development.



20 students received financial support.

BARSHA PAUL

Kolotan, Barasat

LAKHMI SANTRA

Shreeja India, Kolkata

MOU DAS

Calcutta Rescue, Kolkata

MANISHA KUMARI SINGH

Calcutta Rescue, Kolkata

KALYANI SABAR

Paschim Banga Kheria Sabar Kalyan Samity, Purulia

SOMA SABAR

Paschim Banga Kheria Sabar Kalyan Samity, Purulia

BASUMATI SABAR

Paschim Banga Kheria Sabar Kalyan Samity, Purulia

SONALI MAHATO

Majjihira Ashram, Purulia

SUDIP MAHATO

Majjihira Ashram, Purulia

SAYANI MRIDHA

Mr. Soumitra Mondal, Sundarban

DEB KUMAR DAS

Mr. Soumitra Mondal, Sundarban

SWAGATA MANDAL

Mr. Soumitra Mondal, Sundarban

SUMANA GAIN

Rokeya Shiksha Kendra, Patuli (Kol)

RIYA MONDAL

BDG, Kolkata

SUDIPA KAR

Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda

TITLI PAL

Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda

RUPAM KAITI

Howrah Vivekananda Siksha Kendra, Dhumda

SADIYA KHATUN

ASHINA Yubak Sangha, Falta

ARPAN GHOSH

Unmish, Kolkata

BUNTY HALDER

SDG, Kolkata

SUPPORTING HOPE-UMEED

Umeed Utthan a heart-warming event dedicated to supporting 20 “brave hearts,” for their education and determination, each of them have their own dreams and aspirations in the realm of education.

Among these unsung heroes, to name a few, Arpan Ghosh, with challenges of autism spectrum disorder, showcased a remarkable eagerness for learning, support extended from Umeed. Similarly, Riya Mondal’s dream of becoming a dietician, Lakhhi Santra’s pursuit of a government service, and Basumati Sabar and Kalyani Sabar’s ambition to become teachers received crucial backing from Umeed Foundation. Mou Das’s entrepreneurial dreams, Sayani Mridhha’s goal of becoming a lawyer, and Deb Kumar Das’s ambition to join the Kolkata Police force were all fostered by Umeed’s scholarship program. Swagata Mandal’s

aspiration to become a nurse, Soma Sabar’s pursuit of a teaching career, and the ambitions of Sudipa Kar, Titli Paul, and Sadiya Khatoon to become engineers and doctors were all embraced and supported by Umeed Foundation. With each story, Umeed Foundation reaffirms its dedication to empowering dreams and transforming lives through education.

We took the opportunity to acknowledge and appreciate the efforts of eleven learning resource centers, supported by Umeed Foundation in esteemed NGOs all over West Bengal. Through this initiative, Umeed Foundation reaffirmed its commitment to fostering a culture of inclusivity and support, ensuring that every individual, regardless of their background or circumstances, has the opportunity to thrive and succeed.



The stage was graced by esteemed personalities, including **Mr. Subhramaniam**, whose presence as the chief guest elevated the occasion. His poignant speech left a lasting impression on the audience. Adding to the aura were dignitaries like **Mr. Rakesh Garg, Mrs. Nandini Sinha, Mr. Keshav Maheshwari, and Mrs. Meenakshi Atal**, whose contributions enriched the event and underscored its significance.



Service to humanity is service to god. Turning every human being to be satisfied and fulfilled with joy and happiness is the service provided by Mrs. Salony Priya and her Umeed team. We wish them best to continue their good work.”- **G. V. SUBRAMANIAN, Co-Ordinator for 12 Bhavan’s Gandhi institute of computer education in east and north east India.**



“Kudos to Umeed Foundation, on your commitment to reach out to serve the distressed & the depressed. May you continue to touch many more people, young & old making a difference to their lives.” - **Mrs Meenaksi Atal, Ex Vice Principal The Heritage School, Kolkata**

“It was an amazing experience to be with Umeed Foundation at their award/scholarship recognising the efforts of students who are struggling to fulfill their dreams. Congratulations to Salony Priya the Founder Umeed Foundation to be able to identify and reach out to the truly deserving people & give them wings to fly. It is indeed a privilege to be associated with Umeed Foundation.”- **Ms Mitra Sinha Roy Advisor Rice Foundation**