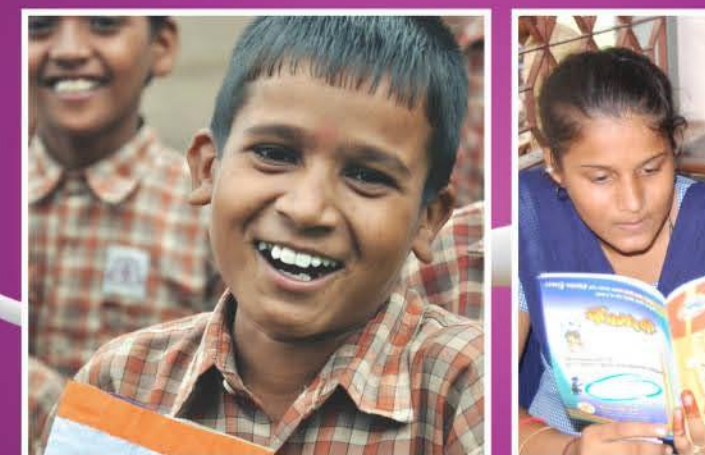




ANNUAL REPORT 2013



Cosmo Foundation

Vemardi Road, Off. N.H.No. 8, Near Inox
Village : Navi Jithardi, Taluka : Karjan
Dist. Vadodara - 391240, Gujarat, INDIA
Ph. : + 91 - 2666 232960, 320707
Fax : + 91 - 2666 232961
Mobile : 09377679370
E-mail : cosmo_foundation@yahoo.in

Regd. Office:
1008, DLF Tower-A, Jasola District Centre
New Delhi - 110 025, INDIA.
Ph.: +91 11 49494949, 49494901
Fax: +91 11 49494950

info@networkcommunication.co.in



Cosmo Foundation

A Noble Initiative of
Cosmo Films Limited

Prestigious Awards to Cosmo Foundation

Commitment to Philanthropy and Spirit of Product Innovation Awards to Cosmo Films

Singapore, 15th March 2013

The Asia-Pacific Enterprise Leadership Awards (APELA) 2013 – International recognizes and honors the achievements of Enterprise Leaders who are “Doing Good” by bringing together some of Asia-Pacific’s best leadership examples in the areas of sustainable development, corporate responsibility, and CSR.

Organized by the non-profit organization, Asia-Pacific Enterprise Cooperation Limited (or AP-EC in short), the Awards were opened to Asia-Pacific territories. The Interim Chairman for AP-EC, Mr. Alex Wong was quoted “APELA award winners present today

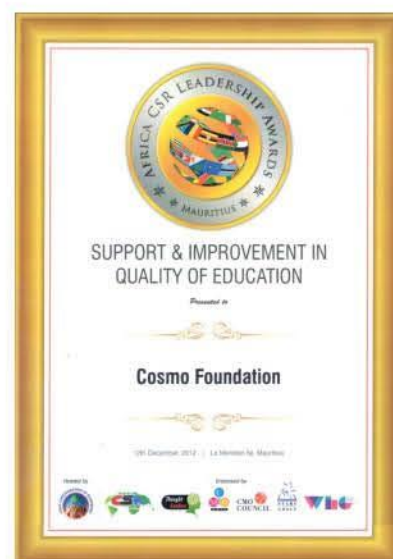
represent some of the most responsible companies, and they have come a long way, as with their sustainability journey”.

Over 155 nominations from across the regions were received, that was evaluated by the AP-EC International Judging Panel. Total of 48 recipients awarded, and spread across 9 categories from across 14 Asia-Pacific countries.

Mr. Ashok Jaipuria, Chairman & Managing Director, Cosmo Films Limited is the recipients of this prestigious award in two categories: Commitment to Philanthropy and Spirit of Product Innovation.

Africa CSR Leadership Awards To Cosmo Foundation For Support & Improvement in Quality of Education

Mauritius, 12th December 2012



Contents

Message from
the Managing
Trustee's Desk

02

Cosmo
Foundation:
Board of
Trustees

03

Acknowledgements

04

Computer Literacy
Program

05

Cosmo Gyan
Vihar Kendra

07

Basic English
Learning
Program

13

Educational
Events

15

Talent
Creation

18

Community Perceptions

19

Financial Overview

20

Program
Outreach

21

Partners and
Supporters

22

Profile:
Cosmo
Foundation

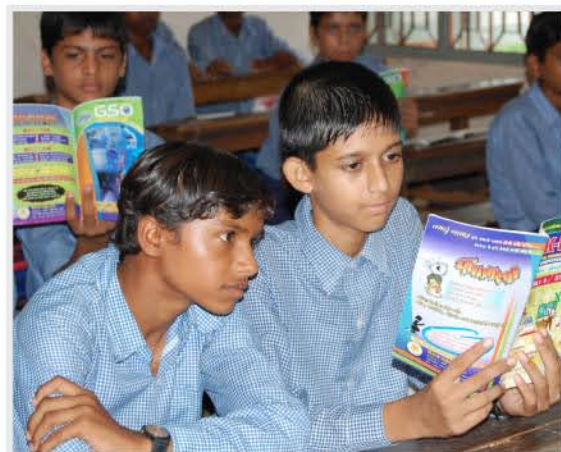
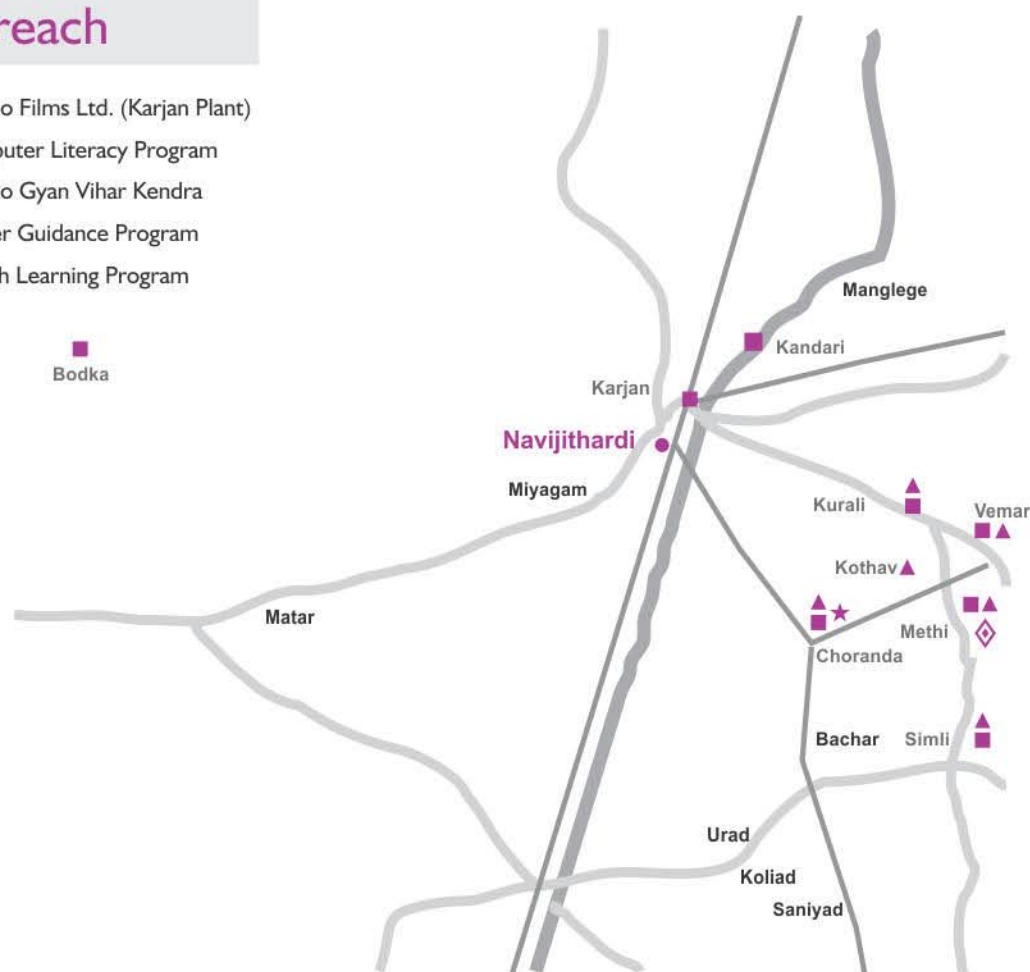
23

Profile:
Cosmo Films
Limited

24

Program Outreach

- Cosmo Films Ltd. (Karjan Plant)
- Computer Literacy Program
- ▲ Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra
- ◆ Career Guidance Program
- ★ English Learning Program



From the Managing Trustee's Desk



Dear Friends,

Education transforms lives. Institutions which ensure quality education can exert powerful socio economic transformations and it empowers people. It is about human dignity, peace and sustainable development.

Since the inception, we, at Cosmo Foundation have been of the firm belief to consistently make effort to add value to mainstream education system with a passion, optimum utilization of local resources and building partnerships at grassroots which will have a life changing impact.

Today, our Programs are spread across 16 Government Schools in the Karjan District of Gujarat covering around 2500 students, who are receiving quality education, which will have a strong foundation for higher education and whose empowerment will have a very positive impact to the society.

This year has been very special for us as our Programs have got recognition by the International Organizations and other Local Bodies at large due to the quality parameters set in imparting quality education to the children of the marginalized communities in rural areas and the impact it creates in the lives of its intended beneficiaries.

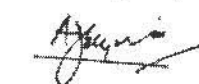
We would like to take this opportunity to share with you that Cosmo Foundation had received two prestigious Awards - Africa CSR Leadership Award for Support and Improvement in Quality of Education 2012 and Asia Pacific Enterprise Leadership Awards (APELA) for Commitment to Philanthropy 2013.

My compliments to the team for their dedication and passion combined with an incredible support and faith in us by the local Schools and Communities which had made it possible.

On our ongoing journey, we would like to seek more involvement of the parent community, develop partnership models with various NGOs, Private and Semi-Government Organizations to expand the reach of quality education that can have a wider impact to the Society as a whole.

I look forward to another successful year ahead.

With regards,



Ashok Jaipuria

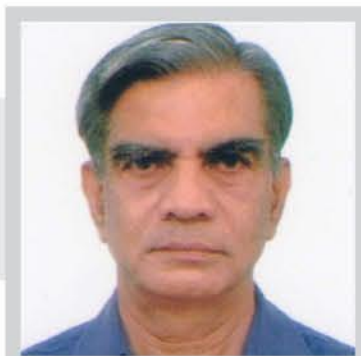
Board of Trustees



Ashok Jaipuria
Chairman & Managing Director
Cosmo Films Limited

Hasmukh Shah

Former Non Executive Director
Cosmo Films Limited



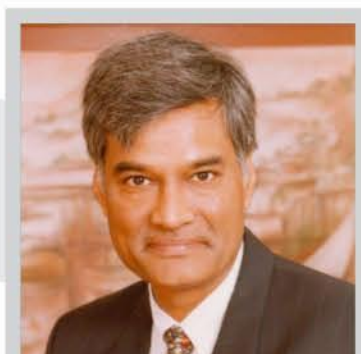
Ambrish Jaipuria

Executive Director & CEO
Cosmo Ferrites Limited



Badri Agarwal

Non Executive Director
Cosmo Films Limited



Acknowledgements

The present report focuses on the journey that has been traveled in the year that passed by. Undoubtedly, it is the untiring commitment, passion and compassionate zeal focused for disadvantaged communities that belong to every quarter in its entirety – teachers to trustees were the key pillars who have helped us to arrive at this stage.

Round the year we have made numerous experiments to promote quality education with our major three programs viz. Computer Literacy, Basic Literacy and Basic English Learning program. Various events viz. Children's Fair, Book Fair, Celebrations, Industrial Visits, Career Counseling have given us the impetus for value addition to these programs. Cosmo Computer Awards are major inspiration for young students enrolled in computer education.

Apart from skills and subject knowledge, we have focused on how these programs become instrumental to promote holistic learning, right values, confidence and facilitate overall development of the children.

The enormous amount of efforts and intellectual investment has been made to crystallize assessment system in each program and attentively paying attention to measure learning

outcomes. Training, Exposure and Assessment of teachers were of prime importance as committed and qualified teachers are the spinal column of education system.

These programs have been implemented with building partnerships with local Government schools, making optimum use of local resources, creating pool of subject experts, educationists, learning lessons from best practices and building linkages with like minded compatible nonprofit groups.

We have also built network with reputed universities, take post graduate students as interns. These young university students bring new energy to the program and also gain valuable experience for their future professional career.

On behalf of Cosmo Foundation, I take this opportunity to thank all our partners and stakeholders for marvelous incredible faith, unconditional support and encouragement.

Regards,

Mamta Baxi

Program Coordinator
Cosmo Foundation

Computer Literacy Program

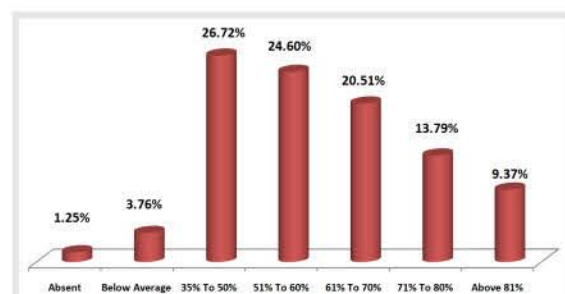
Cosmo Foundation began its voyage in Karjan block with Computer Education. This program was an entry point in rural schools and build rapport with local community. The aim is to bridge digital divide, make the students techno savvy, strengthen their information and knowledge base with the use of technology, sustain interest and improve performance in mainstream subjects, enhance future higher education and explore career opportunities in their future endeavor.

The computer education has been integrated as part of mainstream curriculum as an optional subject. The classes are conducted during and outside school timings. The space, furniture, electricity, computer hardware are being provided by local schools and Government of Gujarat. CF provides trained teachers, curriculum, Teaching- Learning Method, Concurrent Planning, monitoring and inputs.

The curriculum includes Computer Fundamentals, Writer, Calc, Presentation, IT concepts, internet. The Computer Education is imparted in two schools on Window based operating system and in 8 schools on Ubuntu Linux operating system.

During the academic year 2012-13 this program was in implementation in ten schools covering 1652

students from class 1st to 12th. CF conducted assessment of 1516 students under CLP through written and practical tests in April 2013. The result has been depicted in the following chart.



Computer Literacy Program has proved to be of high utility value to the students in their studies, broadened their outlook of the environment around them and has led to a dynamic change in their aspirations. It has significantly helped to augment self esteem among students and a feeling of self-importance amongst parents too. There have been instances where the students after obtaining computer education from Cosmo Foundation, have pursued further studies in computer and have taken it up as their ultimate means and source of livelihood.



Basic Certificate Course in Computer for Youth

Every year CF organizes certificate course in computer during summer holidays at Government grant in aid schools in 8 villages. High school students, college students, home makers, retired personnel, farmers from nearby villages join this course. There

was also a provision of special batch for young children to get familiar with computer application. 202 participants completed the course during the year 2012-13 and they are awarded certificate by Cosmo Foundation.



An Anecdote of the Winner

Mihir Rohit a resident of Chanchva village was studying in class 9 at Shree Kanam Vidyamandir, Village: Choranda. His father is a cashier in Post office. His mother is an Aanganwadi worker. He got an opportunity to learn computer subject from 6th to 9th standard in the foretold school. Here he developed expertise in Micro Soft word and writer, spread sheet, Presentation, internet, Gujarati and English typing. He was passionate about computer operation. With a view to succeeding in computer award assessment organized by CF, he used to read General Knowledge books, practiced computer operation in summer holidays at CF centers. He is proud to be one of the winners. After receiving award, he has developed immense interest he teaching computer to his younger brother and parents. He now regularly uses internet for his assignments in science and social studies. When the computer teacher is on leave, he also guides students in computer in school. His dream is to become a doctor. He feels that Computer and English Education provided by CF has played decisive role in pursuing education.

Cosmo Computer Award



This award is introduced by Cosmo Foundation for the best performer students in Computer Education in 2010. The aim is to promote competitive strength, spirit and motivation for education. Initial two years this meritorious award was given to the best performer in computer subject in each school. These students were awarded desktop. In the year 2011 - 12 the detailed parameters for selection were designed. Total 1801 students were enrolled in Computer Literacy Program. Out of these 1045 students represent from 8th to 12th class. 15 students shortlisted on basis of their performance in Computer subject assessment. Inter school competitive test was organized for these 15 students in february 2013. It covered written test covering Maths, English, Computer and General Knowledge questions, practical test and interviews. On the basis of the results, three student were awarded laptop and internet connectivity.

Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra

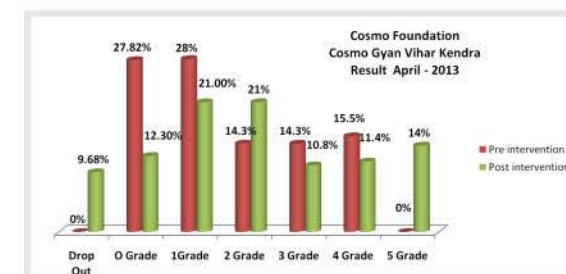
The Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra was initiated with an aim to improve school readiness, reading, writing and arithmetic skills among Government Primary School Students. The emphasis was given to inculcate appropriate values, habits, discipline and opportunities for exposure which facilitates overall learning.

The curriculum includes Concepts learning, physical, mental readiness skills for pre schools, Gujarati language and mathematics up to grade III (Govt. of Gujarat Curriculum), and familiarity to English and Hindi.

During the academic year 2012-13 this program was under execution in seven schools covering 496 students from class 1st to 8th. CF conducted assessment of all the students in April 2013. The result reveals an apparent picture as given in the following chart.

Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra has introduced positive change in etiquettes and manner, behavioral traits, personal hygiene, communication skills, understanding on village resources, services and occupations and awareness on superstition. There were instances where students overcame alcoholism and tobacco addiction.

It has generated lot of interest among students towards learning, which in itself is a major achievement taking into consideration the trend of dropping out early from education. The implementation of student friendly and interest generating pedagogy has been very successful.



Basic English Learning Program

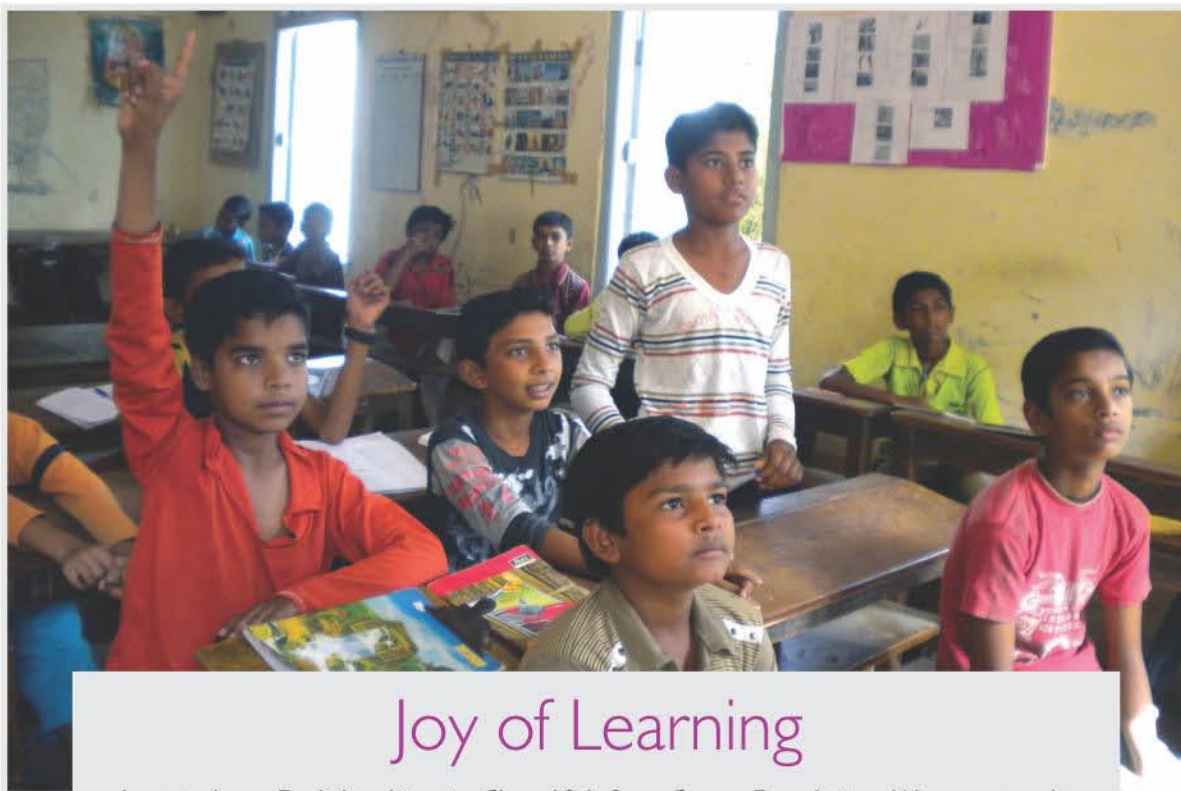
In the year 2012-13 the first attempt was made by CF to teach English subject to 5th, 6th and 7th class students with a view to catch them young. In this regard, selecting one school on experimental basis, a coaching arrangement has been made to conduct the classes twice a week.

The curriculum includes development of vocabulary, phonetics approach, Pedagogic Grammar and composition based on communicative approach,

simple conversation, sessions on etiquettes, manners & personality development.

An assessment was conducted by CF in April 2013 of all 122 students. 16% students scored first class and were able to perform as per the level of their academic standard. 31% students have performed up to second level and are able to construct sentences and simple question answers. 39% students are well versed with alphabets, rhythmic words, day to day vocabulary based on their textual curriculum. 15% students still need improvement even for basic level.

80% students from primary section can give their introduction in English, compose simple sentences.



Joy of Learning

I got to learn English subject in Class 10th from Cosmo Foundation. We were taught English with fun and love by the CF English Teacher. He taught us letter writing, essay, message writing, notice writing, direct and indirect speech, Active and Passive Voice, Articles and entire pedagogic grammar and composition.

It has improved my academic performance and enhanced my confidence. The CF Teacher was fully committed and had care and concern for each student.

I do not have words to express my gratefulness and what gift we should offer to him. My only disappointment was that we got CF's English Teacher in 10th Class only and not from 5th Class to learn English subject. Learning English was the life time experience.

– Farzana Malek, 10th class student, Kanam Vidyamandir, Choranda.

Basic English Course



English is the official language of 54 countries. It is the leading language of Science, Computer, Technology, Commerce and Global Market.

It is valuable to learn English as it creates infinite opportunities for higher education and employability.

- Eastbourne School of English, England.

CF organized a tailor made structured course for two months especially for summer holidays in Vemar and Choranda village. 58 participants attended the course. The focus was on graded vocabulary, day to day conversation comprising three to four words sentences, comprehension, communication viz. Emails, SMS, sounds and pronunciation utilizing fully YouTube videos. Value education with thoughts and moral stories, office etiquettes and interview

preparations with personality development were crucial part of this course. Majority of the participants in this course are the students appeared for 10th and 12th class exam. To our utter surprise, it has miraculously enhanced their confidence and helped them scoring fair performance in their academics. Students were awarded the Certificate on completion of the course.

Educational Events

Educational events were organized for students to widen their exposure and make the learning joyful. These events support to strengthen three major programs viz. Computer Literacy, Basic Literacy and English Learning.

Book Fair

In the year 2011, the first book fair was organized in partnership with Vidyabharti Shikshah Sankul at Karjan. Various mainstream publishers as well as organizations who promote educational books for nonprofit purposes were invited. It has received overwhelming response from school and college students, teachers and citizens of Karjan.



In February 2013, a book fair was organized in collaboration with Pitara Gujarat in Kurai school. 3000 books having more than 800 titles in Gujarati, Hindi and English Languages were on display. Varieties of educational games were displayed for exhibition and sale. 450 students and 40 teachers participated from 11 Government schools in this exhibition. Village

leaders and parents too visited. Demonstration of Fun Science Experiments, Math Learning Activities, Planetarium, Readers Corner and Story Telling were the major attraction. Range of Publications from well known publishing houses viz. Katha, Eklavya, Tulika, Pratham, Vidya Bharti, Children's Book Trust and National Book Trust were displayed.



Windows to the World

"It is indeed an excellent fair of children friendly books. I am glad such qualitative book fair was organized in our interior village. Such kind of book exhibition inculcates interest in reading among young children. It expands their world beyond text books. It helps to mould life of students in a positive way"

- Ashok Shrimali, Panchayat Member, Village : Choranda.

Children's Fair

A children's fair was organized on the eve of commemorating Children's Day in Government primary school in Vemar village. The aim was to promote joyful learning and enhance creativity for children and teachers. 500 students from primary schools of nearby villages participated. The major attractions were children's rally, Magic Show, puppet show, Computer Games, Indoor Games, Science Experiments, Mathematical Magic, Art and Craft, Book corner. The event was largely supported by Village Panchayat leaders, parents and local citizens.



Visit to Baal Mela

"All the primary school children were participating in different activities with great energy and happiness. It is the life time memory to witness the exemplary work undertaken by CF team to promote cognitive development of students through action based joyful activities. I am glad I got this rare opportunity to visit this event during my visit to my home town village Vemar."

- Haresh Patel, New Jersey.

Industrial Visit of Students

With a view to keep the aim of orientation to students and teachers about functioning of production unit, how personnel from different disciplines work together, role of technology and to motivate students to understand and pursue higher education, the regular visit at intermittent interval to the Cosmo Films manufacturing unit is being organized for selected students. 60 students and 10 teachers visited the plant. These visits were the great inspiration for students.



Building Dreams

"First time in my life I visited production unit. I got an opportunity to see Crane, grinding machine, huge imported machines from Germany, production process of packaging plastic, how all the machines are operated through computers, role of engineers, entire management of the company. I felt privileged to attend a session in conference room and first time ever to have lunch in beautiful industrial canteen of such prestigious company."

- David Makwana, Std. - 9, Harikrupa Ashramshala, Karjan.

Career Guidance Program

It has been generally observed that there was limited awareness on career oriented courses amongst students' community. Limited options are available in the local area and majority of the students are pursuing graduation in Hindi and Gujarati. In this context from 2009 onwards, CF started organizing career guidance program primarily and principally for 10th to 12th class students.

With these programs, it is observed that students

need inputs for preparation of their exams. Hence sessions on study plan and goal setting were organized for 8th to 10th class students for two years in one school. It has helped to build importance of education and enhanced cognitive skills.

Last year, CF supported career guidance programs being organized in 12 villages by Thakore community. CF provided books, facilitated planning and the career guidance sessions with village based youths and parents.



CF teachers facilitated career guidance session. They emphasized on importance of basic education for future career, how to fill up online form for admission, methods of merit calculations. Their excellent rapport in the villages has helped to make this program success."

- Jagdish Dabhiya, Convenor, Thakore Samaj.

Educational Aid to needy Students

Bhartiya Samaj Seva Kendra, (BSSK) Aurangabad helps deserving students pursue their education for improving their future prospects, preventing school drop outs, destitution, child labor, institutionalization and delinquency. BSSK select 6 needy students from slum area and each student gets Rs. 3500/- per year as education aid. Cosmo Provides financial support to this project.

Academic training to University Students

Six students from Masters in Human Resource Management Course, M. S. University and Vadodara were placed for three months at Cosmo Foundation for their academic training in the rural area. All of them were very active to learn and share. A conceptual understanding was built on issues of rural

society, status of education in the area and the role of CSR in changing this scenario through practical training. They contributed in developing area profile, organizing parents meeting, picnic, nutrition day and various celebrations. They made colorful innovative teaching aids and added joy to the program.



Intern's Voice

"I enjoyed theme based sessions with Audio Visual teaching with young children of Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra. I got an opportunity to learn from teachers trainings, got exposure to rural set up, learnt methods of rapport building with community and mobilization of local resources."

- Zarmar Patel, Intern, Masters of Human Resource Management, M.S. University, Vadodara.

Philanthropic Initiatives

Apart from educational initiatives, CFL has taken responsibility to support in its various endeavors which contributes to the overall well being.



Cricket Tournament

Cosmo Films sponsors a leading Industrial Cricket Tournament of Aurangabad in the name "Shaheed Bhagat Singh Cricket Tournament". This is organized by Trade Union i.e. CITU. The teams of Industrial workers as well as local city players take part in this tournament. It has helped to develop team spirit, team building and leadership qualities among employees, as well as maintaining Industrial Relations.

Public Gardens

Aurangabad is a historical place and having a distinctive importance in Tourism. A large number of foreign visitors come to Aurangabad to have a peep into historical world famous caves of Ajanta and Ellora. To create a remarkable atmosphere of this historical city for overseas tourists and visitors, Cosmo Films has developed and has been maintaining three stunning gorgeous gardens in front of Aurangabad Old and new Airport and in cantonment area. For the visitors it is the eye catching testimony of green house of flora and fauna.

Talent Creation

Building a critical team of young individuals with vision, competence and profound motivation and engage them in transforming educational processes in rural area is a time tested challenging task. Cosmo Foundation has over and over again engaged in selecting local youths and has trained them as Balmitras, Computer Teachers and Cluster Coordinators.



Selection

Local zealous youths are engaged in different capacities to impart education to rural children belonging to the needy communities. CF engages

those youths, who have got basic abilities to teach and learn new concepts, zeal and commitment. The applications are invited through wider publicity in local area. The applicants have to undergo written test and interviews.

Roles

- ▶ Balmitras are engaged to run Cosmo Gyan vihar Kendra- a program to improve reading, writing, arithmetic skills, appropriate habits and values in Government primary school children.
- ▶ Computer teachers are placed in Government grant in aid schools to teach Basic window based and Linux based computer operation as well as to train them as future teachers with external faculties for English Program.
- ▶ Cluster coordinators give inputs and keep liaison with CF Balmitras, Computer Teachers, Consultants, school authorities and parents.
- ▶ All of them are key pillars of Cosmo Foundation. They are the mentors, guide and role models for rural students. Hence to build them as talented quality teachers is a crucial task. They are the single most important factor to improve learning levels among students.

Major training, review and reflection sessions conducted during the year 2012-13

Category	Computer Teachers & Cluster Coordinators	Balmitras & Cluster Coordinators
No. of Sessions	23 Days	15 Days
Contents	▶ Periodic review and planning of school based computer program and summer vacation batches. ▶ Brainstorming session on vision, Mission, Objectives of the organization. ▶ Diversity in Mainstream Education and Cosmo Foundation Education philosophy and system. ▶ Orientation to activities to strengthen cognitive abilities of children. ▶ Methods of formative assessment and role of evaluators. ▶ Designing & adapting Teaching- Learning Material. ▶ Exposure visit to ICT centre Anupam Mission, Mogri, Anand.	▶ Periodic review and planning in Maths and language for each grade of students. ▶ Orientation to Assessment and grading systems in CGVK. ▶ Children's songs, paper folding, science experiments. ▶ Role of Balmitras in managing students with different learning levels. ▶ Alphabets, word vocabulary, counting in Hindi and English. ▶ Comprehension and Essay Writing.

Category	Orientation to English Program to Balmitras Computer Teachers, Cluster Coordinators
No. of Sessions	4 Days
Contents	▶ Importance of learning English ▶ Overview of CF's efforts to teach English in last three years ▶ Development of Vocabulary ▶ Word Game, Listening, Speaking, Reading and writing simple sentences. Phonetic approach towards each letter of alphabet in forming different words, Articles, Parts of Speech.

Thus developing and retaining well-organized efficient personnel to work with children of greater educational needs is of paramount importance. Our system helps them to improve their class room effectiveness and creates opportunities for professional development.

System

For the success of any educational program, an all-inclusive and integrated talent development system is essential. The major aim is to enhance pedagogical and class room interaction skills and to improve learning outcomes.

The talent development system includes

- ▶ Classroom Training
- ▶ Demo Lectures By Experts
- ▶ Mock Sessions
- ▶ Peer Learning
- ▶ Periodic Assessment
- ▶ Exposure Visits
- ▶ Class Observations

The major components of talent creation system

- ▶ Conceptual understanding of education
- ▶ Subject knowledge and delivery skills
- ▶ Methods of preparing and using appropriate teaching learning material
- ▶ Building class room environment, session planning, class management
- ▶ Methods of pre and post assessment
- ▶ Networking with Government school teachers, parents and village leaders.
- ▶ Communication and participatory processes.



A journey of a Computer Teacher

Jignesh Vasava was a student in Puja Shree Jasuba Swami Vidya Mandir, Village: Methi in the year 2008-09 when CF started its first batch. He was in class 9 at that time. He got an opportunity to learn computer. He had never happened to see computer prior to his learning computer.

He had the passion and was keenly fascinated with computer operation. Hence he joined CF computer classes for two consecutive years in summer holidays after completion of his 9th and 10th class examinations..He also did assignment of data entry with Block Magistrate, Karjan. He could not join diploma engineering courses as he is a single parent child. He was eldest son in the family. There is lot of family responsibilities and as also financial constraints was the major block towards his progress.

Hence to pursue his passion he joined the Computer operator cum programming assistant course in local Industrial technical institute. As he had learnt computer basics in CF he could learn faster the various subjects as Visual Basics, HTML, and Programming. After completing this course he joined CF as a trainee computer teacher six months back. It has given immense happiness as what I learnt in the computer, I happened to join as a Computer Teacher. It has built my positive self image in the mirror of my own area. I am also instrumental of inspiration for many young students. In CF he has been systematically groomed to become a teachers, imparted all fundamental trainings. I have got an opportunity to interact with CFL people, learnt office etiquettes. It has positive influence on my lifestyle and built identity of a Computer Teacher among teachers fraternity in Karjan.

Community Perceptions

Community in which Cosmo Foundation operates is the best judge for all our programs. A perception study was done to know how parents, village leaders, school principals perceive impact of CSR activities. Some key findings are mentioned below



- ▶ In Gyan Vihar Kendra, all the children enrolled are primarily belonging to farm laborers. Cosmo Foundation is the only organization in our village who cares for them and provides free of cost quality teaching apart from Government primary schools.
- ▶ Children attending Gyan Vihar Kendra takes bath regularly, learned to wear foot wares, comb their hair. They learned to wash their hands before eating, cut their nails. It has reduced boils, scabies and other skin disease during summer season.
- ▶ Children attending CF centre do not use abusive language. Improved their behavioral traits, etiquettes and manners.
- ▶ Many youths and women received employment as Balmitras and Computer Teachers. It is trained human resource assets for our village. They have improved education of their own children and

encouraged the surroundings.

- ▶ Cosmo means Computer. Because of Cosmo students from the marginalized caste & female got the opportunity to learn computer in Karjan.
- ▶ Many Students started opting computer subject in 11th and 12th class.
- ▶ Cosmo has recognized that 21st Century is the century of Knowledge, Information and Technology. Majority of the youths have become computer literate in our village. It has given them employment and boosted their confidence.
- ▶ Computer Award has created competition amongst the young children to acquire the computer in next academic year.
- ▶ There is no caste bias or discrimination in Computer Awards. In our village, a students from
- ▶ Vasava community received Computer Award and he has joined Diploma in Mechanical

Engineering. Cosmo Engineers imparts learning if they have got any problem.

- ▶ Teachers and children got incredible exposure through Children Fair, Book Fair and activity based teaching imparted by CF. It has improved learning level and confidence. Thus children have developed positive attitude towards attending the school regularly.
- ▶ Many young students have left the habit of tobacco consumption.
- ▶ The individual attention and care is being taken in Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra, which resulted into fair performance and interest towards learning by majority of students.
- ▶ Selfless service by CF has placed the village students at par with the urban students in their quality education.

- ▶ Emphasis on fundamental and basic literacy alongside English learning symbolizes long term vision by CF that will reflect bigger leap on arena of quality education in future.
- ▶ From Cosmo we received trained computer teachers. These teachers constantly update themselves with content and new methods. CF does regular assessment, evaluation and observation which have made difference to entire educational process.
- ▶ Young children enjoy colors and paintbrush. It has increased their concentration and interest in studies. It was astonished to see their understanding of computer parts and their functions.



Program Outreach

Computer
Literacy
Programme

1433

Cosmo Gyan
Vihar Kendra

394

Basic English
Learning Programme

68

Computer Literacy Programme +
Cosmo Gyan Vihar Kendra

37

Computer
Literacy
Programme +
Basic English
Learning
Programme

52

Computer
Literacy
Programme +
Cosmo Gyan
Vihar Kendra +
Basic English
Learning
Programme

65

Basic Certificates
Course in
Computer

128

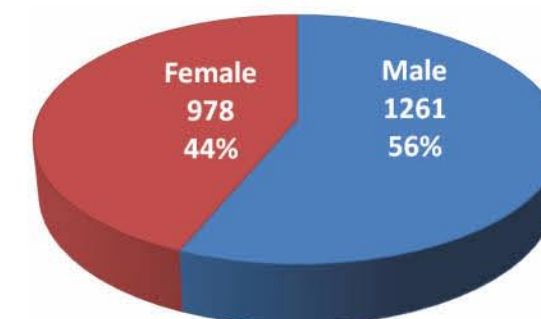
Basic English
Course
(Summer
Camp)

62

Total

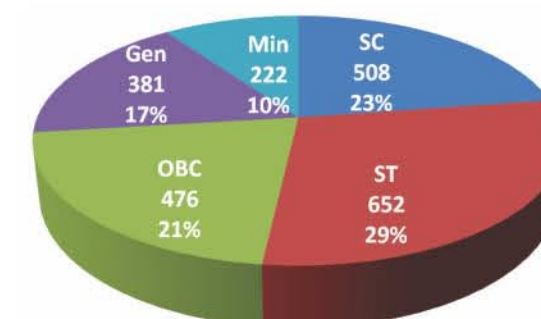
2239

Cosmo Foundation Gender Ratio 2012 - 13



Female
Male

Cosmo Foundation Diversity Chart 2012 - 13



SC
ST
OBC
Gen
Min



“ICT in education is
the key to unlocking
the skills and
knowledge
of future
generations.”

Financial Overview

- ▶ The total cash expenditure of Cosmo Foundation, Karjan during the year 2012-13 was of the order of Rs. 27,60,514/-.
- ▶ All the above mentioned cost was born adhering the cost effective practice towards arrangement of skilled teachers, curriculum, educational material and teaching aid, stationary, assessment, training, planning and monitoring of educational programs and organizing educational events.
- ▶ Apart from this Cosmo Films provides office premise with equipments, hospitality, Company takes care of accounts, fulfillment of all statutory requirements and need based computer systems which takes care of 15% expenditure.
- ▶ Local schools provide premise, electricity, set of computers, projector, security guard which takes care of the 55% of the total expenditure.
- ▶ Similarly in Aurangabad, the total expenditure of Philanthropic activities was of the order of Rs. 6,91,900/-. The expenditure was incurred for supporting education of needy students, sponsoring Industrial Cricket tournament and maintaining Public Gardens.
- ▶ MIS (Management Information System) is being maintained for expenditure and program outputs. There is an internal and external audit, concurrent monitoring by Board of director and trustees of the Cosmo Foundation.

Organization Profile

Name	Cosmo Foundation
Registered as trust under	Sub registrar, New Delhi.
Cosmo Foundation Registration Date	1st July 2008
Cosmo Foundation Registration number	3633
12- A Registration number	DIT(E)/12-A/2009-10/C-1115/364
80-G Registration number	DIT(E)2009-10/C-1115/816

Team Members

Program Coordinator	Mamta Baxi
Cluster Coordinators	Pravin Chenva, Bela Patel
Link Persons	Chandrakant Panchal
Computer Teachers	Hardik Patel, Imran Ghanchi, Kamini Patel, Mittal Gandhi, Priyanka Prajapati, Pravin Rohit, Sandhya Raj, Swati Patel.
Balmitras	Ankita Patel, Binal Patel, Bhumika Patanwadia, Jagruti Patel, Kajal Patel, Pragna Patel, Pratima Patel, Rekha Prajapati, Rekha Patel, Rukshana Ghanchi, Sangita Patel, Sudha Patel, Vaishali Bhatt.

Partners and Supporters

Technical Inputs

- ▶ Aruna Lakhani - Development Professional, Vadodara - Inputs for networking.
- ▶ ARCH, Dharampur - Teachers training and TLM for Maths subject.
- ▶ Child Development Trust, Vadodara - Organizing Balmela and Training of Balmitras.
- ▶ Jigar Patel - ICT @ school project, Karjan for the maintenance of computer systems.
- ▶ Mitali Baxi - Life Skill Trainer, Vadodara - Training of Balmitras and Computer Teachers on Activity Based Learning.
- ▶ Pravin Chauhan - Faculty for English Subject - English coaching to students and CF Functionaries.
- ▶ Vaibhav Puranik - Control-A solutions, Vadodara for development of curriculum and teaching aid for Computer literacy program.
- ▶ Bhartiya Samaj Sewa Kendra, Aurangabad- For education support program.

Educational Institutions As Partners

- ▶ Primary Schools - village: Choranda, Kurali, Kothav, Methi, Simali, Vemar – Karjan.
- ▶ Harikrupa Ashramshala - Karjan
- ▶ J. K. Patel Sarvajanic Highschool, Village: Kandari, Karjan
- ▶ K.T.Patel Highschool, Village: Kandari, Karjan
- ▶ Pujya Shri Jashuba Swami VidyaMandir, Village: Methi, Karjan
- ▶ Shri Kanam Vidya Mandir, Village: Choranda, Karjan
- ▶ Shivam Vidya Mandir, Village: Vemar, Karjan
- ▶ Simali Sarvajanic Highschool, Village: Simali, Karjan
- ▶ Vidya Vihar Nongranted Prathmik Shala, Village: Kandari, Karjan
- ▶ Z. J. Patel Nutan Highschool, Village: Kurali, Karjan

Service Providers

- ▶ ICICI Bank - New Delhi
- ▶ Network Communications – Vadodara
- ▶ State Bank of India – Karjan
- ▶ Tapas Travels - Vadodara
- ▶ Vijay Infotech Services - Vadodara
- ▶ Yugdharma Traders - Vadodara
- ▶ Sri Ram Stationary - Karjan

Profile: Cosmo Films



Cosmo Films Limited started its operations in the year 1981 as the pioneer in manufacturing Bi-axially Oriented Polypropylene Films (BOPP) in India. Right from the day of its commencement, Cosmo Films has been the market leader in India and the largest exporter of BOPP films. It has an installed production capacity of 1,36,000 TPA (Tonnes per annum) of BOPP films 38,000 TPA of Thermal Lamination Films, 4,000 TPA for coated films and 10,800 TPA for metalized films in 2013-14. The company operates plants at different locations viz. Maharashtra and Gujarat in India, Asan in South Korea and Hagerstown in U.S.A. CFL has started new Plant in SEZ with BOPP & thermal manufacturing facilities at Shendra, Maharashtra.