

# EMPOWERMENT ECHOES



## HWF Launches School Kit Distribution Program

Despite rising enrolment in North India, many children still miss out on education due to poverty and social exclusion. To bridge this gap, the Human Welfare Foundation (HWF) runs the School Kit Distribution Program, providing notebooks, pens, and school bags to underprivileged children.

Focusing on rural, slum, and tribal areas, the program encourages school attendance and reduces dropouts. In 2025, HWF plans to distribute 1,000 kits and extend financial aid for tuition, uniforms, and essentials.

In the June quarter more than 200 kits were distributed among economically weak students in slums of Delhi, villages in Mewat, Ghaziabad, Bijnor, Aligarh, and MP.

## Jamia Millia Islamia Partners with Human Welfare Foundation for National Writers' Clinic

The Department of Educational Studies, Faculty of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI), in collaboration with the Centre for Training and Academic Guidance (CTAG) under the Human Welfare Foundation, successfully organized a three-day National Intensive Writers' Clinic (NIWC). Held at the School of Education, the clinic aimed to equip early-career researchers with academic writing skills, with a particular focus on APA 7th Edition guidelines. The workshop, titled 'A Hands-on Experience on Writing APA 7th Style Manuscripts', combined theoretical

insights with practical engagement to promote scholarly writing and publication ethics.

The inaugural session featured remarks from Prof. Sara Begum, Dean, Faculty of Education; Prof. Kaushal Kishore, Head of Department; and Mr. Noufal PK, CEO of Human Welfare Foundation. Dr. Sameer Babu M, Associate Professor, provided the conceptual framing of the workshop. Expert-led sessions by scholars from IIT Delhi, University of Delhi, and JMI covered editing, citation, and ethical writing practices.





## Capacity Building Workshops for Educational Institutions

As part of its educational empowerment efforts, the Human Welfare Foundation organized a series of Capacity Building Workshops across multiple locations. These workshops were designed to strengthen school management by equipping school leaders—principals, administrators, and management teams—with up-to-date knowledge and practical skills in institutional leadership.

The sessions covered important topics such as building an inclusive school culture, achieving academic excellence, and effective student counselling. The workshops were held in various regions including Mewat (Haryana), Basta and Kanpur (Uttar Pradesh), and Patna (Bihar). In total, these sessions engaged over 160 schools and trained more than 320 participants.



Renowned education experts, including Mr. Devendra Sethi, Prof Dr. Asjad Ansari, Asst Professor Department of Education JMI and Prof. (Dr.) Saudul Hasan, contributed as resource persons. Dr. Hasan is an international educationist and advisor to several national and international educational councils and government bodies.

## CTAG West Bengal Empowers Aspirants to Crack WBCS Exams

CTAG (Centre for Training and Academic Guidance) is one of the most impactful initiatives of the Human Welfare Foundation, dedicated to transforming lives through career guidance and counseling.

The West Bengal Chapter of CTAG runs a residential coaching program in Kolkata to help students from economically weaker backgrounds prepare for the

West Bengal Civil Service (WBCS) examination.

Recently, 7 aspirants from the CTAG coaching centre in Kolkata cleared the WBCS 2022 Group C examination and are now qualified to appear for the personal interview round.

Out of 43 enrolled candidates, 13 have already secured government jobs in various departments.

## Scholar School and CTAG Unveil New Logos



In a move to reflect its evolving vision and commitment to innovation, the Human Welfare Foundation (HWF) has unveiled redesigned logos for two of its key initiatives — The Scholar School and the Centre for Training and Academic Guidance (CTAG).

The Scholar School, which provides quality education to underprivileged communities, operates across six locations: Jamia Nagar (Delhi), Guwahati (Assam), Howrah and Malda (West Bengal), Rargaon (Jharkhand), and Darbhanga (Bihar).

CTAG, the career and academic guidance wing of the



Human Welfare Foundation (HWF), is based in Delhi and also runs a State Civil Services Coaching Centre in Kolkata. The institution has been instrumental in mentoring hundreds of aspirants from marginalized backgrounds.

The unveiling ceremony was graced by the presence of Mr. T. Arif Ali, Chairman of Vision 2026; Mr. Mohd. Jafar, Vice Chairman of HWF; Mr. M. Sajid, General Secretary; Mr. Noufal P.K., CEO; and Mr. Md. Salahuddin Khan, Vice President of Sahulat Microfinance Society.



## CTAG Law Entrance Coaching concluded at AMU Centre, Murshidabad



The six-month free non-residential coaching program for the BA LLB Entrance Examination, conducted by the West Bengal Chapter of the Centre for Training and Academic Guidance (CTAG) in collaboration with the Aligarh Muslim University Centre, Murshidabad

(AMUCM), concluded in April 2025. The program had commenced in November 2024.

The classes were held at the AMU Murshidabad Campus. A total of 35 students participated and attended the coaching throughout the duration.

## Official Launch of Vision Annual Report 2024



The Vision Annual Report 2024 was officially launched during the Vision Well-wishers' Meet, held at The Scholar School, Jamia Nagar, New Delhi. The event brought together office bearers, supporters, and representatives from partner organizations of Vision 2026.

T Arif Ali, Chairman of Vision 2026, highlighted the importance of transparency, collaboration, and impact in driving sustainable social change. Syed Sadatullah Hussaini, former HWF Trustee, reflected on Vision's grassroots commitment.

M Sajid, General Secretary of HWF, introduced the report, which was formally released by key office bearers and representatives from nine partner NGOs. The report outlines achievements across sectors like education, healthcare, livelihood, women's empowerment, and community development—capturing the collective progress of the Vision 2026 network.

[Read the Report here](#)





## Community Health Outreach Programs



The Human Welfare Foundation conducted community health programs to promote awareness and provide essential medical support.

In Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh, an awareness program on National Dengue Day educated 100–150 participants on dengue prevention, hygiene practices, and early detection.

A free medical camp was organized in Badarpur, New Delhi, in collaboration with Al Shifa Hospital, benefiting 82 patients with free check-ups and medicines.

On World Blood Donor Day, a blood donation camp in Radhnalnayatpur, Meerut, held with Krishna Charitable Blood Centre and National Hospital, collected 80 units of blood.

## ISTC: Bridging Skills with Opportunities



The Innovation and Skill Training Centre (ISTC) is an initiative of the Human Welfare Foundation that offers job-oriented courses to empower youth with practical skills. ISTC provides a variety of skill development programs that include courses in ANM (Assistant Nursing and Midwifery), Computer Applications, Graphic Design, Digital Marketing, and vocational training in Electrician, Plumbing, and Carpentry.

Currently, 11 centres are operating in 8 states. Many

## Scholarship Distribution



As part of its efforts to promote education and support deserving students, the Human Welfare Foundation has been providing scholarships to bright students from underprivileged backgrounds. These scholarships are mainly given to students from North and Northeast India, including children who have lost one or both parents.

In a recent distribution, 25 students pursuing undergraduate and postgraduate courses received their scholarships to help them continue their higher education. In addition, 240 orphan students were also granted scholarships to support their schooling and basic educational needs.

This initiative aims to reduce financial barriers and encourage students to achieve their academic goals, contributing to a brighter and more educated future.

trainees who have completed their courses are now either well-placed in different sectors or successfully self-employed.

In the last quarter, 20 ANM trainees from the ISTC Centre at Jamia Nagar, New Delhi, were placed in various healthcare centres across Delhi NCR. The ANM course at this centre is being run in collaboration with Alshifa Multispeciality Hospital, Jamia Nagar, New Delhi.



## Chirag Middle School Receives Recognition from Haryana State Education Board

Chirag Middle School, operating under the Human Welfare Foundation at the HWF Mewat Campus in Marora village, Nuh district, Haryana, has been officially recognized by the Haryana State Education Board.

Established in 2023, the school currently offers

education up to the 8th standard in both Hindi and English mediums under the state syllabus. It serves students from diverse backgrounds in the region. The school is housed in a well-equipped three-storey building, providing a conducive learning environment with all essential amenities.



## Nurturing Nature: The Scholar Schools Observe Earth Day and Environment Day

The Scholar Schools in Jamia Nagar, New Delhi, and Guwahati, Assam, celebrated Earth Day and Environment Day with a range of activities to promote awareness about protecting nature and building a greener future.

On Earth Day, students at The Scholar School in Delhi organized an awareness rally and a community drive in nearby areas. The aim was to spread awareness

about conservation of nature. A special assembly was also held, featuring speeches, a mime act, poems, and an action song.

On Environment Day, students at The Scholar School in Guwahati planted saplings and seeds, taking a small but meaningful step towards a cleaner and greener environment.





## The Scholar Schools Elect New Student Council Members



The Scholar Schools in Jamia Nagar, New Delhi, and Guwahati, Assam, recently held elections to form the Student Council for the academic year 2025–26. Students actively participated in the democratic process by voting for their representatives.

Special ceremonies were held at both schools where the newly elected council members officially took charge of their responsibilities. The Student Council will play an important role in representing student voices and helping organize various school activities throughout the year.

Through this election process, students gained a practical understanding of leadership, teamwork, and the importance of democracy in real life.



## Driving Change: Girls Receive Scooters Through NVK 's Efforts in Rajasthan



In the June quarter, 2,780 direct applicants availed services through HWF Government Schemes Facilitation Centres or Nagrik Vikas Kendra (NVKs) across 12 states. With the support of 31 NVK centers, 1,222 documents of various types were issued to beneficiaries. Additionally, 1,321 individuals applied for various government welfare schemes through these centers. The total value of scheme applications facilitated exceeded Rs 12 crore.

As part of the Kalibai Bhil Meritorious Girl Student Scooter Distribution Scheme run by the Rajasthan government, four girl students from Sawai Madhopur received scooters with the assistance of the NVK. The NVK conducted awareness drives, guided applicants in filling out forms, helped prepare necessary documents, and ensured that eligible students received the intended benefits.





## SBF Extends Rapid Relief Across Fire and Disaster Zones

The Society for Bright Future (SBF) responded swiftly to multiple emergencies across Bihar, Delhi, and West Bengal, delivering urgent aid to affected families.

In Araria, ration kits were provided after a fire displaced several families, and volunteers helped evacuate patients during a hospital fire—earning praise from the District Magistrate. In Delhi's Rohini, SBF supported victims of a massive fire that destroyed 800+ shanties, offering food, counseling, and relief.

Aid was also extended to fire survivors in Kolkata and Kaliachak (Malda), while in Mustafabad (Delhi), SBF assisted victims of a building collapse with medical visits and continued support.



## SBF Responds to Assam Floods with Rescue and Medical Relief

In the wake of severe flash floods in May, Society for Bright Future's Assam chapter, in collaboration with Civil Defence and SDRF, rescued over 2,000 people and 500 animals from flood-hit areas in Guwahati, Karimganj, and Tukergram.

To tackle post-flood health issues, a Medical Relief Camp was held in Tukergram on 29 June, treating over 350 victims for waterborne diseases and distributing free medicines.



## Strengthening the Interest-Free Microfinance Movement

Sahulat Microfinance Society continued its mission this quarter to deepen financial inclusion through ethical, and interest-free microfinance models. The period of April to June 2025 was marked by impactful outreach, capacity building, and policy engagement.

Sahulat facilitated community mobilization, onboarding of new promoters and legal states of the formation of Interest-free cooperative societies. As a result, Sahulat got registration of 2 new cooperatives, in Murshidabad (West Bengal) and Veraval (Gujarat). These efforts reflect Sahulat's commitment to expanding its footprint in underserved regions.



## HWT Observes World Hunger Day under Project Ehsas



On May 28, 2025, HWT observed World Hunger Day in the most meaningful way—by continuing its daily mission of feeding the hungry through Project Ehsas. Rather than hosting a special event, the organization focused on delivering freshly prepared, nutritious meals to those most in need: daily-wage earners, ragpickers, slum dwellers, and attendants outside hospitals.

For many, these meals are more than food—they offer a moment of relief, dignity, and hope. As one volunteer noted, “A warm meal tells someone they haven’t been forgotten. Through Project Ehsas, HWT provides around 700 hot meals daily, ensuring that help reaches the most vulnerable, one plate at a time. On World Hunger Day, this quiet act of service was a powerful reminder that even small gestures can make a big difference.

## Roundtable on Women’s Empowerment Held at HWF Mewat Campus

On April 26, 2025, the HWF Campus in Mewat, Haryana, hosted a powerful roundtable discussion on ‘Mewat Women Empowerment: Opportunities and Challenges,’ organized by The Women Education & Empowerment Trust (TWEET). The event served as a vibrant platform for dialogue around the barriers and breakthroughs in women’s empowerment in the region.

The program was inaugurated by Dr. Aijaz Ahmed, Principal of YMD College. Eminent speakers included Madam Mohammadi, retired from the Mewat Development Agency, Ms. Meera from the Women and Child Development Department, Mr. Abdul Rab Asari of the Haryana State Rural Livelihood Mission, and A. Rahmathunnissa, Chairperson of TWEET, among others.

Also present were advocates, educators, doctors, government officials, and grassroots workers like



ASHA and Anganwadi staff, making for a rich and diverse exchange of perspectives. The session highlighted the urgent need for access to education, livelihoods, health services, and legal support for women in Mewat.

## Adhahi 2025: Nourishing Lives, Spreading Happiness

Through its Adhahi 2025 project, the Ideal Relief Trust (IRT) extended vital food support across 24 states of India, bringing relief and nourishment to more than 94,000 families from underserved communities. The initiative not only addressed immediate hunger but also restored hope and dignity among some of the most vulnerable sections of society.

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States

94,500+

Families

276

Districts

4,72,500+

Beneficiaries

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