

RECENT NEWS OF THE VEERNI PROJECT

According to the new guidelines, the date of the reopening of the schools has been extended by the Indian government and the reopening date has not yet been announced. However, the Veerni Project is ready to reopen both the program at the Veerni Institute and Veerni Balika when the time comes.

The following are the measures taken by the Veerni project and the Veerni team.

Meeting with School Administration

On 24th August, the Director of the Veerni project, Mahendra Sharma, called a meeting with the administration of the Modern Senior Secondary School. The future planning of online education was discussed with the management of Modern School. The emphasis was made to provide easy and interactive lesson to the girls so they would take more interest in digital education. At the same time, Veerni needs to provide quality education contents to the students. The school management has set up a digital studio in the school to provide quality study material to the girls, which is appreciated as very few schools in Jodhpur have set up this kind of amenity.



New Admissions at the Veerni Institute:

For the academic year 2020-2021, seven new girls have been selected in classes 6 and 7. The academic documents of girls have gathered from the parents of the girls. All the new girls have been enrolled in the modern senior secondary school. It is worth mentioning that this year, there were 191 applications received for the seven vacant places at the Veerni institute. The school kit contained, books, school bags, notebooks, stationery, and subject wise study material prepared by the school, have been distributed to the newly enrolled girls.

The Veerni program in the time of Coronavirus: How will Covid impact the education of the Veerni girls.

The Veerni initiative: Veerni has started online education.

This was carried out in two phases:

Phase one: In the month of July, Veerni started online education. The Veerni team along with a teacher have distributed study material to all the girls and have been monitoring the girls' progress on a regular basis as well as collecting their homework and issuing new lessons. All the girls are participating well in this program.

Phase two: the second phase of distance learning will be started this month. Veerni will distribute tablets. In these tablets, all the study material will be installed. Classes 10 to 12 will be covered in this phase. Classes 8 and 12 are "board" exams, crucial to their graduation.

Currently, all arrangements have been confirmed and within the next two weeks the tablets will be ready for the girls.

The above programs are only made possible by the introduction in 2018 of computer training and a well-equipped computer lab in the Veerni Institute. This program was introduced thanks to a generous grant from one of our long time Veerni donors. As a result, the girls are tech trained and this will allow them to follow their studies through distance learning. This training is key to their future.



Veerni Initiative for Distance Learning

School at Doorsteps



No girls left behind is the motive of the Veerni Project

It is vital for Veerni to keep all the girls engaged with education during this challenging time of a pandemic



Veerni project has started an initiative called School at Doorsteps for the Veerni Girls



Study materials have been developed and distributed to all the Veerni girls for all the Veerni

The Veerni team have been visiting the girls in the villages along with a teacher to monitor their progress. Veerni staff have been solving the girls problems, collecting homework and distributing new lessons to them



Visiting deep rural villages with no proper roads is challenging but the Veerni team has been doing it with lots of dedication



Mahendra Sharma
(Director Veerni Sansthan)

