

Special projects

Valley Transformation Project—Warwan

- A remote valley in the Kishtwar, Jammu (14 villages, population ~15,000) - cut off from the rest of the world for about 6 months during winters
 - Intervention started in November 2016.
 - Total villages covered - 5 (Mulwaran, Mingli, Margi, Basmina and Gumri)
 - 17 community learning centers - reaching out to 595 children.
 - 4 Skill development centers - 128 young women graduated in cutting/tailoring skills.
 - Community mobilization events—25
- Targets:** Community Learning centers—10, Skill Development centers—2 and Small Business Support—5

Community Transformation Project—Parvaaz

- Funded by Irfan Kathwari Foundation
 - Launched in December 2021
 - Focus - Rural and urban communities
 - Districts - Shopian, Srinagar, Baramullah and Kulgam.
 - Total stakeholder meetings held - 15
 - Surveys in progress - over 600 households covered so far
- First community intervention launched in Ramadan 2022 at Waltengu, Kulgam**
- One community learning center (Quality education)
 - Skill development center (Youth development)
 - 20 children enrolled in Child development



Community mobilization program at Waltengu, Kulgam

Rehabilitation Of Children With Special Needs

CHINAR, in partnership with a local disability center provides free rehabilitation services to 50 children with special needs - mental retardation, cerebral palsy, autism etc. belonging to low-income groups. Rehabilitation services includes

- Pick and drop from their home
- Speech therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Vocational training
- Special education

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Child Development

Districts covered

- Srinagar
- Budgam
- Shopian
- Pulwama
- Kupwara
- Doda

Total: 769 children and 66 livelihoods
Target: 1000 children and 100 livelihoods

Quality Education

- Srinagar: 60 students (1 school)
- Anantnag: 100 students (1 school)
- Shopian: 349 students (2 schools)
- Budgam: 130 students (1 school)
- Kishtwar: 595 students (3 tuition centers)
- Kulgam: 2587 students (19 schools)
- Kupwara: 119 students (1 school)
- Super 50 (1200 new students every year)

Total: 5140 students from 25 schools and remote Warwan valley.
Target: 50 schools

Community learning centers (CLC) - 30 centers operational across 9 districts of J&K with 1660 students enrolled.

Phase - 2 : 1055 students across six districts of Kashmir.

Phase 3 (CLC)-1295 students from 8 districts

Teach with CHINAR-x(TWCx) - 19 volunteers, 83 students

Youth Development

- Skill center graduates: 504 ;Target-1000
- Business incubation: 19; Target- 31
- Youth Livelihoods—4;Target-5
- Entrepreneurship labs (E-labs): 3(GHSS Nowhatta and Kothibagh); Target— 5

Studies

- A study on “Assessment of Conflict Related Issues” with Save the Children
- A study on “Impact of floods on education” with UNICEF
- “Education and Unrest in Kashmir”. A study in progress sponsored and conducted by CHINAR International.

Accreditations & Partners

- Chotay Taray Foundation
- HCL grant
- YES Foundation
- World Bank
- Teach for India
- Department of School Education Kashmir (DSEK)
- Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS)
- Kashmir based—Help Poor Voluntary Trust, Athrout, Kashmir life line

Locations

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Community learning center at Warwan Valley, Kishtwar

Quality Education



- Over 10,000 students covered under Quality Education across all districts of Kashmir region and one district of Jammu region.
- Comprehensive school transformation framework being implemented in 25 government schools
- 239 passed competitive entrance exams for premier colleges as part of Super 50 in 2019.
- Over 3000 children coming from low-income groups enrolled in community learning centers during unrest times and lockdowns.
- LMS should provide accountability covering all 10,000 schools and 10,00,000 children in Kashmir region. Starting soon in 15 schools of Srinagar, followed by all the schools in the district.

Child Development

Main goal here is to ensure nurturing environment and quality education for children in poverty.

Nurturing Environment & Education

- Overall development of child—cognitive, social, physical and organizational.
- Provide vulnerable children with a holistic solution without displacing them from their natural surroundings.
- Fulfill educational needs of a child including
 - ⇒ School/Tuition fee
 - ⇒ School uniforms, bags, books and stationery
 - ⇒ Hygiene kits and basic health care
 - ⇒ Nutrition and clothing
 - ⇒ Mentoring and counseling



Celebrating 12th class results at Zampathri, Shopian

Livelihood Support To Parents/ Guardians:

Provide livelihood support to guardians so as to make families self-reliant.

- Small business like hand carts, street vendors, provisional stores, livestock (sheep units), shikaras, etc.



Jehangir provided livelihood support in the form of roadside restaurant (dhaba)

Youth Development

The mission of this domain is to provide youth of Kashmir a path towards self-reliance and a hopeful future.

Skills Development

This program allows participants to acquire new skills or improve upon their current abilities to match industry standards and market demands. In order to maximize success, the programs are linked with employment and entrepreneurship.



Closing ceremony of tailoring center—Pattan, Baramulla

CHINAR Business Incubation

CHINAR provides potential youth entrepreneurs guidance and mentorship so to have the ability to grow and succeed in the business and become self-reliant.



Dilawer, a young and passionate man from Sumbal, Bandipora at his Desktop Publishing Unit (Business Incubation)

Entrepreneurship Labs (E-Labs)

E-labs provide a laboratory environment to students where they experience the entire entrepreneurial value chain, right from production to the marketing strategies and also experiment their business ideas.