

Swachh Bharat Swachh Vidyalaya

Govt. Primary School, Kohkaboda in Khairagadh Block of District Rajnandgaon was amongst those school which lacked the basic facilities of WASH and WASH infrastructure. This particular school was capacitated by Centre for Advance Research and Development (CARD, Raipur) in the year 2016-2017 under their Capacity Buliding Programme on Swachh Bharat Swachh Vidyalaya and Swachh Vidyalaya Purashkar, under which the school was capacitated and trained on 6 essentials of WASH i.e. Water, Toilet, Group Hand wash, Operation and Maintenance, Capacity building, Behavioral change. The school were also capacitated to register their school for Swachh Vidyalaya Purashkar, 2017 through Swachh Vidyalaya mobile App. Child Cabinet was also formed in the school under the supervision of CARD and students were designated their roles and responsibilities for proper functioning.

The positive impact of this capacity building programme can be seen in the form of improved WASH-Infrastructure, operation and maintenance, behavior change amongst the students and teachers moreover the school **now ranks in the 4 star category** of Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar, 2017. Being motivated the school organized a Swachta Pakhwada in their school premises under the supervision of the BAL SANSAD from 4th – 15th September 2018 to generate awareness and sensitize the community on Swachta. Various competition along with a pledge taking ceremony was organized where the community members pledged to practice cleanliness and hygiene in their daily habits and also to contribute and maintain cleanliness in their surrounding and neighborhood.

The following were the activities organized day wise schedule:

1. 4th September 2018 – Swachta Rally – To sensitize the community on Swachta
2. 5th September 2018 – Plantation – To promote greenery
3. 6th September 2018 – Drawing and Painting Competition – To promote various aspects of Swachta through paintings and pictorial demonstration.
4. 7th September 2018 – Hand wash Day – To demonstrate various steps of Hand wash and generate awareness on hand wash (hand wash before and after meal and also while usage of toilets)
5. 10th September 2018 – Distribution of Abalandazole Tablets and pamphlets etc. on Swachta
6. 12th September 2018- Awareness on Safe Drinking Water and proper drainage and discharge of water to avoid water logging especially around water resource such as hand pumps, well etc.
7. 13th September 2018 – Awareness on Water Storage and harvesting
8. 14th September 2018 – Essay Completion of Swachh
9. 15th September 2018 – Awareness Disposal of Waste (i.e. usage of (i).Red Dustbin for products that cannot be recycled, (ii). Blue Dustbin for products that can be recycled, (iii). Green Dustbin for degradable products.



Monthly Meeting of Child Cabinet

Clean and well maintained toilet



It has always been a challenge to ensure hand washing with soap during the limited time before MDM. After the intervention, a group hand washing platform, has been constructed by school staff.



Before Intervention

After Capacity Building

