

7 days workshop on ASER 2017 Beyond Basics

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To,
The Principal
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Dear sir,

I am writing to express our gratitude and acknowledgement of the partnership between Pratham Education Foundation, ASER Centre (Assam) and the students and faculty of the Department of Education in your prestigious institution.

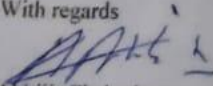
As you are aware, Pratham and ASER have been working in the field of education with the goal of improving children's learning outcomes. Since 2014, you along with the faculty and students of the Department of Education have helped us in this endeavour. Specifically, our teams have worked alongside students and faculty members in three important projects over the course of this partnership:

1. **Translating Policy into Practice, 2014:** In this workshop, students were introduced to the basic concepts of measurement of learning outcomes within the framework of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009. This workshop entailed a mix of theory and field sessions to offer participants greater learning through both theory and practice.
2. **Lakhon Mein Ek, 2015:** This campaign was Pratham's endeavour to go from assessment to action in communities and villages in India. With the help of students from your college, we were able to engage citizens and community members on a very large scale to enable them to bring a change in children's learning.
3. **ASER Beyond Basics, 2017:** From 2005-2015, ASER Centre has conducted the Annual Status of Education Report, a household survey in all rural districts of the India to collect information on basic reading and numeracy abilities of children age 5-16 years. In 2017, we are doing ASER Beyond Basics: A Survey of Youth (Age 14-18 years) in Rural India. With the help of your students, we will be able to understand the status of this very important demographic group in our state.

I would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to you, the faculty members and the many students of the Department of Education who have worked with so much dedication alongside us in these projects. Our special thanks to Smt. Bijaya Deka who has been extremely supportive and encouraging of our work and association.

We value our relationship with your institution and hope to continue to work in the field of education for the improvement of society around us.

With regards


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