

# SANJH PREET ORGANIZATION

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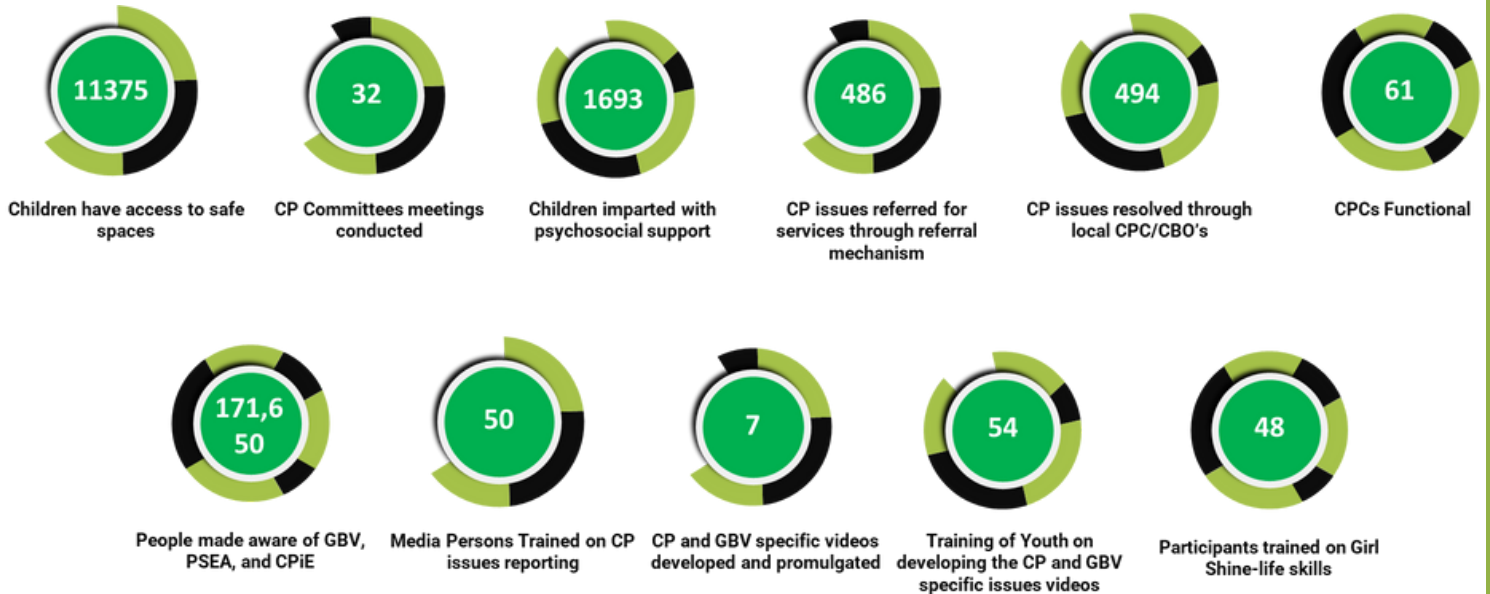


## PROGRAM UPDATE AS OF OCTOBER 15, 2023

Sanjh Preet Organization is a distinguished nonprofit known for its prompt response to the urgent needs of communities in need. Using a holistic approach, the organization provides both formal and informal education, child protection, healthcare, WASH, youth empowerment, livelihood and shelter services. With its significant and positive influence on numerous lives, the organization has earned recognition as a trusted partner for well-known entities such as UNICEF, Solidar Suisse, JICA, Ehsas Trust, Muslim Charity, and Penny Appeal in these critical sectors.



# CHILD PROTECTION EMERGENCY RESPONSE IN DG KHAN AND RAJANPUR, DISTRICTS OF PUNJAB



## SAFE SPACES: NURTURING HAVENS FOR CHILDREN'S WELL BEING

Thirteen-year-old Muhammad Aslam, who once aspired to join the army, had his dreams shattered by the 2022 floods, which led to his family's home and livelihood being severely affected. To support his family, Aslam had to quit school and engage in labor, which had a negative impact on his mental and emotional development, making him aggressive and difficult to learn with. However, his life took a positive turn when he discovered a Child Friendly Space (CFS) in his village, established by Sanjh Preet Organization. The CFS provided a recreation nurturing and supportive environment, where Aslam found love, care, and respect. He began participating in various activities and emerged as a leader among the children. His interest in education was rekindled, and he expressed a desire to become a soldier in the future.



The Child Protection team intervened by involving the Child Protection Committee (CPC) to talk with Aslam's parents. The CPC, with the technical support of the Child Protection team, successfully convinced his parents to withdraw him from labor and enroll him in the sixth grade. They also provided him with books and school supplies. Aslam now has a promising future ahead of him, and he is grateful to Saanj Preet and UNICEF for helping him pursue his dreams and providing a better life.

# EDUCATION RESPONSE AND RESTORATION OF FLOOD AFFECTED SCHOOLS IN DG KHAN AND RAJANPUR, DISTRICTS OF PUNJAB

**1.125  
Million**

People reached with awareness messages on Education

**425**

Schools participated in enrollment campaigns and awareness activities on OOSC

**03**

School enrollment Campaign Seminars organized

**1259**

Attended 23 sessions with Children, School councils, and parents on PSEA, Health & Hygiene

Students received learning kits, stationary and bags

**7066**

Teachers and students trained by Rescue 1122 on Safe evacuation and First Aid at 13 Schools

**1359**

Trainers trained on class room management, pedagogy, MHPSS, multi grade teaching, and class room decor

**27**

Reactivation of Wash Clubs in Schools

**07**





## ALP MIDDLE PROGRAM IS TRANSFORMING LIVES

Anila Bibi, a 15-year-old girl from Basti Sapal, Rajanpur district . After completing her primary education at GGPS Basti Sapal, She couldn't pursue further studies due to a lack of middle-class schools and financial constraints. However, in July 2023, the Sanjh Preet Organization with support of UNICEF initiated an Accelerated Learning Program (ALP)- Middle at GGPS Basti Sapal, where Anila Bibi also enrolled.

She demonstrated exceptional intelligence and dedication to her studies, but abruptly dropped out after two months. Her teachers discovered that her family had decided to arrange her marriage, and both her brother and grandmother pressured her to discontinue her education. Anila Bibi, determined to continue her studies instead of getting married, reached out to her teachers through her classmates.

The teachers visited her home and spoke to her grandmother, highlighting the negative consequences of early marriages and the advantages of education. While her grandmother agreed, her brother remained unsatisfied and rejected the teachers' request to postpone her marriage. Subsequently, the matter was brought before the school council, and its members, along with the teachers, met with Anila's family.

They emphasized the detrimental effects of early child marriage, the significance of education, and the opportunities provided by the ALP center for girls who had to discontinue their education due to financial constraints. The ALP center offered tuition-free education, as well as books and learning materials at no cost.

After a series of discussions and the involvement of the school council, Anila's family finally agreed to let her continue her education and postponed her marriage until she completed her Middle education . She now attends school regularly with the consent of her grandmother and brother, and she is dedicated to her studies. Anila Bibi aspires to make the most of her education and is interested in pursuing a teaching profession in the future.



## STRENGTHENING OF LEARNING AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN LIVING IN SLUM AREAS OF ISLAMABAD

104

Teachers Trained  
for ALP Assessment  
methods & tools

650

Students  
appeared in Mid  
term assessment

44

SMC members  
participated in 05  
CP-awareness  
sessions



## ALP MIDDLE TEACH PROJECT (JICA)

We are delighted to present that Sanjh Preet Organization with assistance of Japan International Cooperation Agency's Accelerated Learning Program (JICA ALP) centers continue to thrive and have made remarkable progress in their mission. These centers have evolved into examples of educational excellence and skill development, significantly enhancing the lives of numerous individuals. Our ALP centers are equipping students to unlock their full potential. Graduates from the ALP program will actively be contributing to their communities and beyond, and we take immense pride in their achievements and the pivotal role JICA plays in nurturing their growth. As we look ahead, our commitment to expanding the reach of the ALP centers remains unwavering. We aim to ensure that an even larger number of individuals have access to high-quality education and training opportunities. Together, we are collectively building a brighter future. Presently, our organization operates two centers with a total enrollment of 65 students. Notably, we have also initiated the inclusion of soft skills as a subject in our curriculum, providing students with essential technical learning across various skill sets.

## REHABILITATION AND REFURBISHMENT OF SCIENCE LABS, GHSS MORE KHUNDA

The organization has upgraded and renovating the Science labs block of Government Higher Secondary School More Khunda, District Nankana Sahib with the assistance of Muslim Charity UK. The project will address the core need of GHSS More Khunda that will benefit more than 2500 students directly and at some extent, the people of the town indirectly. The science labs will equip the students with practical scientific skills and knowledge that will not only benefit them to secure better educational and work opportunities, but also help the country to progress in the field of scientific research and development.



## SUPPORTING COMMUNITY WITH SMALL START UPS



Under the livelihood thematic area, Sanjh Preet with the support of Muslim Charity, provided three rickshaws to the identified family heads of poorest families of district Nankana Sahib. Through these rickshaws now these families have dignified and respectful source of income.



## OUR CURRENT PARTNERS



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