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# ANNAI RAJESWARI AMMAL MEMORIAL [ARAM] TRUST



- The Sole Meaning of Life is to Serve Humanity -

# **Education Help to 1079 Poor Students**

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### About ARAM Education Help

ARAM Trust which is formed by **Mr. J.M.Karthikeyan** an employee of TATA Consultancy Services (TCS) has helped **1079** students in Valangaiman Taluk of Thiruvarur District, by giving all the necessities as schoolbag, notebooks, stationary, accessories, etc., to continue their education without any problem.

In those families in which one of the parents have passed away or if they are stricken by a major disease or are physically challenged then the eldest son or daughter ends up working (child labor) to financially support the family. More over, If the family is below the poverty line where they were struggling to get a square meal for a day, they cannot afford the education expenses for their children, such as notebooks, bag, Stationary, etc. ARAM Trust has identified 1079 students like above mentioned and sponsered their entire educational needs to continue their education with out any problems.



J.M.Karthikeyan, Co-Founder

## From the Desk of our VIP's



Mr. Sriram.K Group Leader, TCS

It is my pleasure and delight to be able to express through this medium my profound gratitude to ARAM for inviting me to participate in the function that reached out to the needy people. The idea of donating basic essential school amenities to students was really nice because the future generations are the people who will have to lead and make India a super power. I applaud the amount and standard of effort and commitment that went into organizing such a function. The diligence, excellence and integrity of the ARAM trustees and organizers are commendable. It delighted me to see our young ones coming in day and night to volunteer their time at the orphanage.

I hope that generations after ours will be more compassionate than we have been. They will not allow or tolerate the oppression and negligence of the needy that is prevalent in our society today. Along with providing monetary benefits it is my sincere wish that people should come forward and spend few hours of their quality time with the kids. May God continue to empower ARAM Trust Founder and Volunteers to prosper and be in good health so the good work can continue for ever.

Taking a break from the busy corporate life, I joined Karthik for this function at Valangaiman. But I never realized that this is going to be a remarkable trip in my life. We visited many schools on that day and got a chance to meet many of the students from those schools. It was heartbreaking to see that most of the kids did not have slippers, their shirts had one or two buttons or closed just by a safety pin. And that day was the Independence day and there were big celebrations all around the schools. With so many challenges before them, the students seem to never care about it. They were at high spirits organizing the events and celebrations.



Mr. S.Somasundaram Project Manager, TCS

Many people talk, few people act and one in a million succeeds with his Vision. Karthik and his ARAM trust's contribution towards the upliftment of this young India is a tremendous achievement. A BIG "HATS OFF" to his team!!!"Transformation" is a buzz word that we are talking in this IT industry. This word is very much applicable for this younger generation too. This young energetic students can be transformed into "Responsible" Citizens only through Education. I would like to take this opportunity to invite you all to join hands with Karthik & ARAM to build a better India. Jai Hind!!!

**Education Help Function** 



Mr. J.Manoharan (Founder) welcomes the cheif guests, students and public to the function.

Mr. J.M.Karthikeyan (Co-Founder) orates about the importance of this ARAM Education Help.



Mr. Sivagurunathan and Mrs. Revathy Rengasamy from "Jayasakthi" NGO being the part of this function with a massive public crowd of 3000 peoples



A part of the public and the students who are actively participated in this function in huge numbers.



Part of the students who got benifited in this ARAM Education Help Programme





Mr. K.Sriram (GL, TCS) and Mr. Mr. Thangarajan, IPS (ADGP) wishes ARAM Trust and Mr. J.M.Karthikeyan to get success in all their efforts and activities taken towards helping poor peoples.

#### Some Exclusive Picks



Mr.K.Sriram, GL, TCS hoists our National Flag in ARAM Trust Campus on Aug 15, 2009 and checks the school bags randomly which contains the notebooks and educational necessities.

#### **Distributing the School Bags**

Mr. J.Manoharan, father of Mr. J.M.Karthikeyan TCS, and Founder of ARAM Trust, distributed the School Bag which contains the note books, examination pad, geomentry box, Scale, Pencil, Pens, and accessories to all the **1079** single parent and poor students.

He visited school by school and village by village, and distributed the educational necessities, and make sure that the help reaches out all the 1079 single parent poor students, whom we listed in our website (<u>www.aramtrust.org</u>). Here we listed some of the pics taken during this distribution in various villages and schools.



Distribution of the School bags and necessities to the students in "Patharipuram" Village.

Distribution of the School bags and necessities in "Girls High School, Valangaiman".



Mr. J.Manoharan distributing the Educational necessities in "Boys High School, Valangaiman".



Mr. J.Manoharan distributing the Educational necessities in "Narthangudi" village school.



Students are happily entering into the school with the School Bags provided by ARAM Trust.



Educational necessities distributed in "Govt High School, Arithuvaramangalam".



Mr. J.Manoharan distributing the Educational necessities in "Chitanvalur" village school.



Educational necessities distributed in "Govt High School, Alangudi".



Poor Students in "Kovilpathu" village got the Educational necessities by ARAM Trust.



Educational necessities distributed in "Govt Middle School, Govindakudi".



Mr. J.Manoharan distributing the Educational necessities in "Inam kiliyur" village school.



Educational necessities distributed in "Thippirajapuram" village school.

#### **ARAM Success Stories**

- ARAM Trust is providing Free Evening Tuition classes for more than 4000 Poor students from 1st to 10th standard in 32 centers across Thiruvarur District, Tamilnadu.
- ARAM helped 1785 poor students so far (1079 this year, 706 last year), by giving all the necessary things (schoolbag, notebooks and accessories) for the students to continue their education without any problems.
- 91 orphans, 12 oldies, 4 physically challenged and 3 mentally challenged peoples are getting benefited by ARAM.
- » Everyday 300 poor students are benefited by the Free Evening food scheme of ARAM Trust.
- » ARAM Trust is providing free computer education for more than 350 students.

Please Visit ARAM Trust website (www.aramtrust.org) for more about the success stories and services of ARAM Trust.

#### **Final Verdict**



Each and every one of us should extend our support to help at least 1 poor child to continue their education. If each and every one of us is able to extend a helping hand, then our nation will become a "Developed Nation" by 2020.

Let us "STOP" Thinking, try to Join our hands together, and "START" doing something, to aid in the betterment of our Society and our Nation.

"A very small amount from your pocket every month will make a big difference to the life of one child."

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