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# Project NAMASTE

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The compilation of Project Namaste's impact on the schools that our teams have worked with from the beginning in 2006.

Project Namaste // A social initiative borne out of a vision to make a difference is now being turned into a continuation of sustainable efforts contributed to the society in Nepal.



# JANATAR Primary School

School of Project Namaste I

## Impact of Project Namaste

Students use the library built by Project Namaste I once a week according to a library schedule where each class is allocated a specific timing in the week to visit the library. The painting done by Project Namaste I is still in good condition. The laptop given by Project Namaste VIII is used for official purposes (data collection) and kept by the Headmaster at home because the school is unsafe. Additionally, the interest generated from the fund started by Project Namaste I goes towards funding uniforms and furniture for the students.

## Room for improvement

They want to increase security of the school by having more fences as there been theft cases and wild animals. They need more English books in the library for their students, new furniture as the current tables and chairs are worn out. The headmaster requested for printer and laptops.



Teachers in the library the Project Namaste I painted



Some books that Project Namaste I donated



Exterior of the school building that Project Namaste painted is still in good condition

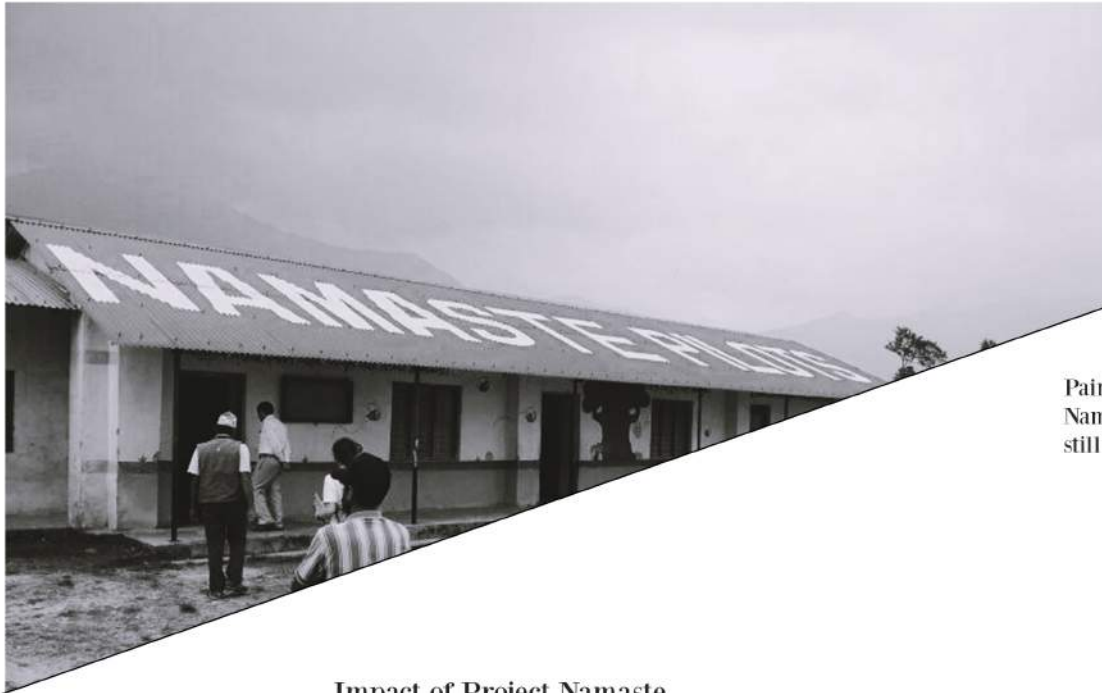


Students using the furniture that Project Namaste I donated



# HARISSIDHI Primary School

School of Project Namaste II



Painting that Project Namaste II did is still in good condition



## Impact of Project Namaste

The library constructed by Project Namaste II is no longer in use because the roof was blown off by the strong winds. However, they have converted another classroom into a library and the books and games donated by Project Namaste II are still there. The painting done by Project Namaste II is still in good condition. Teachers and Headmaster use the laptop given by Project Namaste VIII. Students have learnt how to on and off the laptop and the school intends to introduce computer classes for Grade 4. The increased visibility of the school has allowed the school to gain funding from Karmal Flights, which goes towards a snacking programme for students.

## Room for improvement

The roof of the former library that has been blown off needs to be replaced. They want to build a computer lab for the students and fences around the school because of the wild animals entering the school grounds. The English teacher also requested for an upgrade of textbooks.



The old library is now converted into a classroom that students use when it is not raining



The new library is well furnished with furnitures, books and games

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# SHREE SITA Primary School

School of Project Namaste III



## Impact of Project Namaste

Paintings done by Project Namaste III are still intact. The skylights installed by Project Namaste III are still in use and they brighten up each classroom significantly. The laptop given by Project Namaste VIII is not in use.

## Room for improvement

Windows and flooring inside the classroom are in very poor condition. The Headmaster has requested funding from the government but they have been rejected. The nursery lacks game materials. Teachers want computer training and computers.



The painting that Project Namaste III did is still in good condition

The skylight installations do help brighten up the classrooms significantly



The classroom grounds are uneven, with patches of holes in between the stones that are not filled



Toilets built by Project Namaste VI is still in good condition



The new library and science lab building



Furnitures donated by Project Namaste IV is still in good condition



Pathway to new buildings after extension of the school

# LOWER ANNAPURNA Secondary School

School of Project Namaste IV

## Impact of Project Namaste

The library built by Project Namaste IV has been converted into a computer lab and the library is now situated at a new building recently constructed. The library is in excellent condition, with carpeted floors, categorized books, a library-visiting schedule and a library management committee consisting of parents, teachers and student leaders. Paintings done by Project Namaste IV on the main building are still in good condition and the furniture donated by Project Namaste IV is used in the staff room. However, the staircase built by Project Namaste IV has been taken down for expansion of the school. Science lab equipment given by Namaste IV is still there but there are no chemicals so equipment is not in use. The laptop given by Project Namaste VIII is kept in the computer lab along with 5 computers for the Grade 6-8 students' computer lessons.

## Room for improvement

Headmaster wants to construct a new science lab and hostel rooms for Grade 10 students taking their SLC Exams.



# SHREE NIRMAL Primary School

School of Project Namaste V



Roofs that Project Namaste V replaced



## Room for improvement

Headmaster intends to launch a computer course and snacking programme for students. Part of the roofing, which wasn't replaced by Project Namaste V, is old and worn. Teachers lack computer training.

Library that is well-furnished, with a row of dictionaries that the school uses for their lessons



## Impact of Project Namaste

The roofs installed by Project Namaste V are still in good condition. All subjects are taught in English medium and they do this using the dictionaries that Project Namaste V donated and taught them how to use. The painting done by Project Namaste V is still in good condition. The laptop given by Project Namaste VIII is used by Headmaster for data collection.



Well-furnished Library

# SHREE PRAGATISHIL Primary School

School of Project Namaste VI

## Impact of Project Namaste

The reading programme implemented by Project Namaste VI is running. There is a library schedule for each class to have weekly visits to the library and books are properly categorized. The toilet funded by project Namaste VI is clean and working. The toilet is used by the students. The radio donated by Project Namaste VI is used every Friday for an educational programme that the students tune in to.

## Room for improvement

There is a lack of English books in the library and no computers for the school to complement their computer science classes. No electricity reaches the school and clean water is unavailable as the source has dried up.

Toilet funded by Project Namaste VI still in use



Library Book Register that the school uses





Painting that Project Namaste VIII did is still in good condition



Painting that Project Namaste VII did is still in good condition



# JATESWOR Secondary School

School of Project Namaste VII & VIII

## Impact of Project Namaste

The painting on the nursery done by Project Namaste VII and the paintings on the main building done by Project Namaste VIII are still in good condition. The IT training for the teachers during Project Namaste VIII is being passed down to the students. Headmaster and the teachers who received the IT training use 3 of the laptops Project Namaste VIII donated to teach the Grade 1-7 students how to use the computer. He personally teaches Grade 6-7. Because there is no curriculum for Grade 1-5, Headmaster has bought private textbooks to teach the Grade 1-5 computer lessons. The other 3 laptops are used in the office for administrative purposes. The chairs donated by Project Namaste VIII are used in the staff room and for events. The increased visibility has brought about government funding for a computer lab and a new library as the current library is too cramped for students to enter as they wish. The school has also brought in 4 new English teachers to aid in helping the school achieve their goal of teaching all subjects in English medium.

## Room for improvement

Headmaster wants to buy new whiteboards for each classroom and he has requested for a photocopier to print worksheets and teaching materials.

