

<u>Project 'Sadhan Siliguri'</u> <u>Report –April 2021 to June 2021</u>



Parents continue to follow up at home and transform into teachers.



During the period, the two Teachers along with the one CM were able to reach out to 53 deaf children and their families.

A 50% Face to face and 50% Virtual Sessions was taken forward since January 2021 till April 2021. But with the surge of the Pandemic in May'21, Individual Sessions were back on the Virtual Mode

Activity details:

<u>Individual Sessions</u> (Virtual & Face to Face):

During the period from April 2021 to June 2021. the following number of Individual Sessions (in two modes) were taken forward by continuous use of the virtual medium and also addressing the children and parents at the Centre.

Total no of children	No of parents with SMART phones	No of Parents without Smart Phones	Month	No of children with whom sessions were conducted through Whatsapp/Video	No of children with whom instructions/guidelines have been given through phone/SMS to parents	Total Virtual Sessions	Centre Sessions
			Apr '21	20	33	99	61
55	24	31	May'21	24	31	176	0
			Jun'21	23	31	112	0
TOTAL	24	31				387	61





Sessions at the Centre in April'21







Teachers take resort to the Virtual mode of teaching with the second surge of the pandemic since May'21. Parents continue to learn and adapt to the New Normal. They have become home teachers for their children. As support for parents to work with their children at home, worksheets and videos are shared by the teachers











Parents Workshop on CSA;

Keeping in mind the vulnerability of CWHI, especially during the lockdown environment, workshops on Child Sexual Abuse and Child Safety were taken forward to make parents and caregivers aware of the issue.















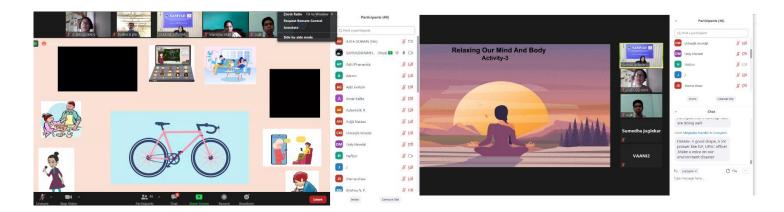




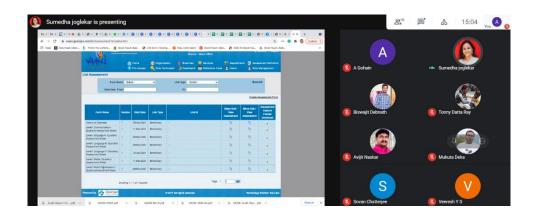
The topics included- Types of Abuse, Signs of Abuse, Tips for Parents to make their children aware and the Child Safety Rule – NO GO TELL

Staff Capacity Building:

A **Session on Mental Wellness** was conducted for 30 members of the VAANI Team which included the staff of Siliguri Sadhan Centre, to ensure that they all remain motivated to continue with their sessions on a Virtual Mode in spite of challenges .



The Team was also capacitated to workout the Assessments as required to **adopt the Goonjan Software** for better tracking of the Children's progress





50% Face to Face and 50% Virtual Sessions would be resumed when there is a phasing out of the Lockdown in the district of Siliguri in West Bengal.

We remain ever thankful to Rajni Nijhawan Charitable Trust for their continued support during the Challenging times which has kept the VAANI Team motivated to ensure that learning did not come to a standstill during the pandemic.