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THE ROLE OF SCHOOL LEADERSHIP IN DOCUMENTING THE BEST PERFORMING SCHOOL IN THE ARUNACHAL PRADESH (2020-2022)

Introduction

The present paper is an attempt to draft the video documentation process that intricate in documenting the best performing schools in the Arunachal Pradesh from the year 2020 to 2022 under the School Leadership Academy programme under the guidance of NCL, NIEPA, New Delhi. The best efforts had been done to documents the said schools status where the team of expert videographers and video editors were higher for the the same programme. However, before going in details about the same topic it is important to know the status of School Leadership Academy programme that started in the SCERT Itanagar. The SCERT Itanagr was designated as School Leadership Academy (SLA) of the State in 2019 and the activities under SLA begun to be implemented henceforth.

However, Leadership activities approved in the PAB of erstwhile Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) and Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) were continuously implemented in the State by SSA & RMSA with collaboration with SCERT whenever required. After, the SCERT was designated as SLA, the Video documentaries showcasing the Leadership of School Heads have been developed. Thus, with such motive the SLA under the guidance of NCL, NIEPA, New

Delhi started documenting the videography of the some of the best performing schools in the state with the following objective.

Objectives:

This paper will be based on the following objectives:

- I. to make video documentary on the best performing schools of the state.
- II. to provide first hand information on the infrastructure facilities of the schools.
- III. to assess the issues of the schools.
- IV. to acquired the feedback of the students.

In 2020-21, 04 video documentaries have been **developed by SLA with grant received from NCSL, NIEPA, New Delhi** which are as under; Government Higher Secondary School, Ruksin, East Siang District; Government Higher Secondary School, Sille, East Siang District; Government Secondary School, Changliang, Lohit District and Government Secondary School, Lhou, Tawang District.

Sl. No.	Name of Schools & Award winners	Categories	Distance from SCERT Itanagar	No. of Girls	No. of Boys	Total
1.	Govt. Higher Secondary School, Ruksin, East Siang District	Best State Level performing school' Award.	229.9 km	130	139	269
2.	Govt. Higher Secondary School, Sille, East Siang District	Best Performance School' at District level	241 km	184	197	381
3.	Govt. Secondary School, Changliang, Lohit District	Best Performance School' at District level	340 km	71	70	141
4.	Govt. Secondary School, Lhou, Tawang District	Best Performance School' at District level	446 km	61	44	105

Table: 1 (Details of the schools)

Now lets discuss all of them in one by one in the below:

1) Government Higher Secondary School, Ruksin, East Siang District



The Government Higher Secondary School, Ruksin of East Siang District was established in the year 1966. It took 229.9 km to reach the Government Higher Secondary School, Ruksin. The journey is continuous for 6 hours and 22 minutes. The total enrollment rate of the school was 269 out of which 130 are girls and 139 are boys.

The same school was selected for the video documentary as because the Government Higher Secondary School, Ruksin, East Siang District was conferred as '**Best State Level performing school**' Award. So, to know the status of such award receiving school the member of SLA, SCERT, Itanagar along with the team of expert video developers and editors took spare head to make video documentation to know the status of same school at the ground level so to show cast the achievement and community participation initiatives of the said locality to develop the school's infrastructure and enhance its better performances. Also, one can see the video documentary of the same school via the NCL, NIEPA website (<http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>). The attendance percentage of the school was quite satisfactory and the health and hygiene condition of the school was also satisfactory to a certain extent.



2) Government Higher Secondary School, Sille, East Siang District

The Government Higher Secondary School, Sille of East Siang District was established in the year 1953. The same school has been selected as the same school has awarded with the '**Best Performance School**' at **District level**. The long distance of total 241.5 km has been travelled to reach the same school and near about 5 hours and 35 minutes took to cover up the same distance. Further, it took 4 days to document the video on same school so to showcase the availing facilities and infrastructure of the same school. The said school like other school that mentioned has also significantly running its school at very efficient manner at its very limited resources. Further, the video documentary of the same can be seen via link under NCL, NIEPA website link that is: <http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>. The total number of students enrollment is 381 out of which girls consist of 184 and boys comprised of 197 respectively.

A photograph of a large board displaying a list of donors for the renovation of the Government Higher Secondary School in Sille, East Siang District. The board is titled "LIST OF DONORS FOR RENOVATION OF GOVT. HR. SEC. SCHOOL UNDER THE AEGIS OF PMJAY". It lists the names of donors, the amount donated, and the date of donation. The board is divided into columns for these details.

3) Government Secondary School, Changliang, Lohit District



The Government Secondary School, Changliang was established in the year 1970 as primary school which later upgraded as Secondary school on 2016. A total 340 km has been travelled to reached the Government Secondary School, Changliang, Lohit District and long journey of around 9 hours and 24 minutes has been spent for the same. The Government Secondary School, Changliang of Lohit District has been selected as the same school has received the '**Chief Minister's Best Performance School**' at state level on 2020. The total enrollment rate of the students are 141 pout of which 71 are girls and 70 are boys respectively.



Further, it took 5 days to document the same video on the same school. Here also a team of expert video developer were hired to make documentary on the same school for academic purpose under SLA, NCL, NIEPA initiative. The same documentary can seen via link: <http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>. The attendance rate of the students were also satisfactory to certain extent. The school management authorities run the school best with minimum support.



4) Government Secondary School, Lhou, Tawang District



This school was initially started on 1964 and later upgrades as Government Secondary School on 1986. The long journey of 446 km was travelled to reach the Government Secondary School, Lhou, Tawang District and its took almost 12 hours and 32 minutes times to reached the same school. The Government Secondary School, Lhou, Tawang was selected for the video documentation because the same school has conferred with the **‘State level Best Performing School’** by the Government of Arunachal Pradesh, India. The total students enrollment are 105 out of which 44 are boys and 61 are girls respectively.

As the said school has significantly witnessed the potential changes that brought due the volunteered Community participation initiative. As if one goes through the video documentary which is given at NCL, NIEPA website (<http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>) one can have the clear understanding that how the same school has remarkably changes its infrastructural features. The community participation initiatives can be clearly seen from the excellent functioning and the condition of the same school. The attendance ratio and the hygiene conditions of the students of the same school was quit satisfactory.



In 2021-22, 03 more video documentaries have been developed by SLA in the Government Higher Secondary School, Longding District; Government Upper Primary School, APP Complex, Aalo, West Siang and Government Upper Primary School Ngupok, East Siang district. The reason for the selection of the video documentary of the same schools are explain one by one in the below:

Sl. No.	Name of Award winners & Schools	Award categories	Distance from SCERT Itanagar	No. of Girls	No. of Boys	Total
1.	Shri Lutni Perme, Govt. Higher Secondary School, Longding District	Presidential-Best Teacher at National level	288 km	160	148	308
2.	Shri Duda Sora, Govt. Upper Primary School, APP Complex, Aalo, West Siang	Presidential - National Awards winner on 2021	346 km	151	123	274
3.	Govt. Upper Primary School Ngupok, East Siang	State level Best Performing Schoo	262 km	73	62	135

Table: 2 (Details of the schools)

Now let's discuss all of them again in the below:

1) Government Upper Primary School, APP Complex, Aalo, West Siang

The same school was first started in the year 1964 and later upgrades as Upper Primary School in the year 2014. It took 9 hours 22 minutes to covered up 346 km to reached the Government Upper Primary School, APP Complex, Aalo, West Siang. further, it took total four days times to develop video documentation of the same school. The journey for the video documentation of the same school was carried out by the members of SLA with the team of expert photographer and video developer. The video documentation and final editing was done in consultation with expert video editor and developer team to produce quality video documentary.

The reason behind the selection of the same school for the video documentary was that one of the teachers of same school namely Mr. Duda Sora (56) who is currently serving as a Head Teacher at APP Complex government Upper Primary School in Aalo, West Siang District, Arunachal Pradesh has been selected for the prestigious '**National Awards to Teachers' on 2021** on Teacher's Day on September 5, 2021 which was award by Shri Ram Nath Kovind, the President of India under the recommendation done by the Union Ministry of Education, Government of India. The video documentary of the same can also seen from the link: <http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>. Further, the enrolment ratio of boys and girls are 151 and 123 respectively with total enrolment of 174 students. The health and hygiene condition of the school seems to be average and the attendance status of the students absentees rate was almost nil.



2) Government Higher Secondary School, Longding District

The Government Higher Secondary School, Longding District was established in the year 1962. The total distance of 288 km was travelled to reach the Govt. Higher Secondary School, Longding District which almost took 7 hours 13 minutes. The Govt. Higher Secondary School, Longding District was selected for the video documentation as the same school has received the 'State level Best Performing School' by the Government of Arunachal Pradesh, India. Further, Shri Lutni Perme a teacher of the same school has been awarded as the **Best Teacher at National level by Shri M Venkaiah Naidu the Vice President of India on 2019.**

The total number of students took admission in the school are 308 out of which 160 are girls and 148 are boys. The school has remarkably exemplified the Community's Participation to raise the standard or the infrastructure development of the same school under the community's volunteered initiatives. Thus, due to the mentioned best reason the school has been selected for the video documentary purpose to remark its wonderful achievement at such state level at <http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>. Further, it took 5 days to carry out the video documentation of the same school. The school imparts impressive vocational training to the students and also significantly encouraged its students to take part in other arts and culture activities along with its academic curriculum.



3) Government Upper Primary School Ngupok, East Siang

The Government Upper Primary School Ngupok, East Siang district was established in the year 1964 and the same schools has been selected as the same school has been awardee as the ‘State level Best Performing School’ where the principal of the same school was conferred with the silver medal by the Government of Arunachal Pradesh, India in the year 2019. The same school was also awarded as “Best School Award by the concern district’s Deputy Commissioner. the total distance of 262 km was travelled to reached the said school. It took 7 hours 10 minutes to reached the Government Upper Primary School Ngupok, East Siang. The school in true sense reflect its best performing position in its provided limited resources which later was efficiently developed by the community’s active participatory initiative. One can see the video documentary of the same via online website: <http://ncsl.niepa.ac.in/sla.php>. The school significantly practiced its kitchen garden as a part of extra curriculum activities along with its other vocational training.



The total enrolment of student is 135 out of which girls and boys strength comprised of 73 and 62 respectively. However, it is also to be noted that other face-to-face activities would not be initiated due to Covid Pandemic. And since the situation has improved as of now, it is planned that all activities of SLA shall be pursued as soon as the funds are received from NCSL, NIEPA, New Delhi.



Reflective question:

1. Please introduce yourself.
2. What are the major achievement of you and your school?
3. Did your school provide mid-day meal to the students?
4. Is there any drinking water facilities is available in your school?
5. What are the major issues that the schools are being facing?
6. How do you improve attendance issue?
7. What are your strategies to improve academic performance?
8. Is there any community participation initiatives that involved in your school's welfare?
9. Are you satisfied with the infrastructural facilities provided to your school?
10. Is the result performance of your school improved?
11. Whom did you give credit for the better performance of academic result?
12. Did your school provide any vocational or skill training to the students?
13. What are your mantras to overcome the shortage of teaching and non-teaching staffs in your school?
14. Do you have computer and smart class facilities in your school?
15. Did your school follow the Swatch Bharat Abhiyan to maintain cleanliness in your school?
16. Did your school follow the plastic free campaign?
17. How did you maintain the rules and regulations of the school?
18. Did your school maintain Guru-Shiksha Parampara?
19. Did your school impart 3rd language in your school?
20. Did your school maintain proper health and hygiene practices?
21. Did your school conduct tree plantation drive?
22. Do you have library in your school?
23. Did you provide gender sensitize to your school's students?
24. Do the students of your school actively participate in the games and sports events?

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