



**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND  
(NAB DELHI)**

# **ANNUAL REPORT 2024-25**



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## National Association for the Blind (NAB Delhi)

# OUR IMPACT IN NUMBERS

Lighting the Path to Independence



**Education & Training** - Over 400+ blind and multi-disabled children and youth trained annually across preparatory, CMD, computer, English, and skill development programs.

With over 10 lakh book plays and 45,000+ users nationwide, Shraavan Audiobook Library is transforming access to reading for the visually impaired.

**Assistive Technology** - 300+ individuals trained yearly; 1,200+ helpline users supported with accessibility solutions.

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# FOREWORD



**Mr. Prashant Ranjan  
Verma**  
General Secretary,  
NAB Delhi

**Dear Friends and Well-Wishers of NAB Delhi,**

On behalf of the National Association for the Blind (NAB Delhi), I am honoured to present our Annual Report for 2024-2025. This report reflects our journey over the past year, highlighting our achievements, challenges, and the tireless efforts of our community to advance the rights and well-being of visually impaired individuals across the nation. It also serves as a reminder of how collective action and compassion can bring meaningful change in society.

This year has been especially memorable as we achieved a significant milestone – the inauguration of the Dwarka campus of NAB Delhi on 3rd December 2024.

This had been a long-cherished dream, and its completion was possible only after years of hard work, perseverance, and overcoming many challenges. Raising funds for this project was not easy, and we also faced several regulatory hurdles along the way. However, with the immense support of the Sarojini Trilok Nath Trust and the generosity of many donors, we were able to turn this dream into a reality. Today, the new campus stands as a symbol of hope and progress. In just its first few months, it has already benefitted hundreds of people and has left a lasting impression on every visitor.

Another highlight of the year was the recognition we received at the national level. Several central government agencies signed MOUs with NAB Delhi, acknowledging our expertise and experience in delivering innovative services for the visually impaired. This trust strengthens our resolve to continue leading meaningful initiatives and setting higher standards of service.

As we look ahead, we remain committed to expanding our programs, empowering more individuals, and fostering greater awareness about visual impairment in society. None of this would be possible without the dedication of our staff, the selfless service of our volunteers, and the unwavering support of our donors and partners. Your faith in our mission inspires us every single day.

Together, we are building a brighter, more inclusive future for all. Thank you for your continued trust, encouragement, and support.

With warm regards,

Prashant Ranjan Verma  
General Secretary

# ABOUT US:

The National Association for the Blind (NAB), Delhi, has been a beacon of empowerment for over 45 years, transforming the lives of individuals with blindness, low vision, deafblindness, and multiple disabilities. Our work is rooted in a strong belief: everyone deserves equal access to education, opportunities, and a life of dignity.

We offer a wide spectrum of programs and services designed to support our beneficiaries at every stage of life – from early education to employment, from rehabilitation to full inclusion in society.



## Education

Education is at the heart of our mission. NAB Delhi provides tailored learning environments with support from trained Special Educators, assistive technologies, and adapted resources. We champion inclusive education, preparing students not just academically, but also socially and emotionally for integration into mainstream schools and society.

## Vocational Training

To foster independence and employability, we run cutting-edge training programs in computer literacy, assistive technology, digital accessibility, alternate formats, Braille transcription, and audio production. Our goal is to equip individuals with skills that lead to sustainable livelihoods.

## Rehabilitation Services

We provide holistic rehabilitation support – from mobility aids and assistive devices to counselling and psychological support – helping individuals overcome daily challenges and lead confident, independent lives.

## Inclusion & Advocacy

NAB Delhi works hand-in-hand with policymakers, government bodies, and civil society to advocate for the rights and full inclusion of persons with disabilities. Our sensitization drives, awareness campaigns, and partnerships aim to build an inclusive world – one that respects and celebrates diversity.

**45+ years of service**

**80G | FCRA | CSR Preferred Partner | Tax exemption in USA 501(c) (3)**

# Who We Are?



- Non-governmental organisation (NGO) registered as a Charitable Society in 1979.
- Working for the blind, low vision, deafblind and multi-disabled of all age groups.
- Focussed on empowerment of persons with disabilities.
- Received Best Institution National Award from The President of India in 2008.
- Certified by Credibility Alliance for good governance.
- Certified by Guide Star for transparency.
- Having certificate and flawless track record of implementing CSR projects with private and public sector companies.
- Having 80G approval, donors are eligible for income tax exemptions.
- Having valid FCRA certificate, eligible to receive funds from outside India.
- Presence in USA, donations made by USA citizens are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of USA through Angels for Angels (Fiscal Sponsor).
- Registered with Benevity and Give India.
- Has own building in R.K. Puram, Dwarka and Narela in Delhi .

## Vision

To see the persons who are with blindness, low vision, deafblind and multi-disabled in India as empowered and well-informed individuals working towards personal growth and development thereby leading life to its optimum potential.

## Mission

To empower persons who are with blindness, low vision, are deafblind and multi-disabled with education and training to attain self-sufficiency through employment self-employment thus, integrating them with dignity in mainstream society.

# AWARDS & RECOGNITION



**Jury Appreciation at the 15th NCPEDP-Mphasis Universal Design Awards - 2024**



**Best Assistive Technology NGO ATF Awards - 2024**



**National Award for Excellence - 2008**



**Divyangjan Swabhimaan Sammaan Award - 2017**



**International Excellence Award - 2023**



# FACILITIES AT NAB DELHI

## Our Services at a Glance

The National Association for the Blind, Delhi (NAB Delhi) offers a comprehensive range of services to empower visually impaired individuals through education, training, technology, and inclusion. Our key initiatives include:

### CHIRAG

#### Pre-Integration Unit

Foundational learning and adaptive skills for children aged 5–9 to enable smooth transition into mainstream education.

### MANOBAL

#### Centre for Multiple Disabilities

Offers early intervention services for visually impaired children with additional disabilities like deafblindness, cerebral palsy, etc.

### Helpline

Dedicated support to keep visually impaired individuals updated on new assistive technologies and provide guidance and assistance.

### SHRAVAN-IVR Library

India's first AI-powered audiobook library accessible via phone call, offering free access to a wide range of reading materials.

### SPARSH

#### Digital Library, Braille & Large Print Unit

Serves visually impaired users across India with DAISY Talking Books, eBooks, braille, and large print material

### JYOTI

#### Integrated Unit

Admits young visually impaired students into mainstream schools after completing the pre-integration system.

### Hostel Facilities

Residential facilities for 170+ blind children, primarily from underprivileged backgrounds across rural India.

### Beyond Eyes Experience

Immersive dark room experience for corporates, students, and institutions to build awareness, empathy, and inclusion.

### ADITI AI

(Access to SRHR Information)

An AI-powered WhatsApp chatbot offering accessible information on sexual and reproductive health and rights.

### UDAY

#### Technology Training Centre

Provides computer education and assistive tech training to blind persons of all ages for over 25 years.

# MEMBERS OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

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32	Mr. Yogesh Chhabra	Member
33	Ms. Pragya Mahajan	Member

# Our Team



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**Mrs. Veena Mehta  
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**Director**



**Mrs. Nandita Saran**  
**Principal Preparatory  
School for the Blind &  
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Beyond Eyes Foundation**



**Mrs. Sangeeta Joshi**  
**Principal Integrated  
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**Director Programs  
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**Administration**



**Mr. Deepak Kumar**  
**Manager Accounts**



**Mrs. Sangeetha Kannan**  
**Manager Technology**  
**Training Centre**



**Mr. Dharambir Singh**  
**Warden & Special Educator**

“Alone we can do so little; together we can achieve so much. Our team is the heart of every milestone we celebrate and every change we create.”

# Cafe Beyond Eyes



On April 12, 2025, NAB Delhi proudly inaugurated Café Beyond Eyes at the NAB Sarojini Trilok Nath Home for the Blind in Dwarka. Operated entirely by visually impaired youth, this inspiring café is a joint initiative of the National Association for the Blind, Delhi, and the Beyond Eyes Foundation. It was established with a mission to generate sustainable employment opportunities for blind individuals and demonstrate their immense capabilities in a real-world setting.

Set amidst greenery, Café Beyond Eyes offers a peaceful environment where customers can enjoy coffee, snacks, and light meals, all served with warmth and professionalism by a dedicated team of visually impaired individuals.

This initiative was first piloted at Purple Fest 2025 at Rashtrapati Bhawan, where Café Beyond Eyes operated a food stall and received immense appreciation from visitors and dignitaries, including Shri Rajesh Aggarwal, IAS, Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), GOI. It also participated in Udyam Utsav & Purple Fest, serving meals and beverages over six days, further reinforcing the team's capabilities and commitment.

Since its launch, the café has trained and employed 10 visually impaired youth, who now manage every aspect of the operation—from cooking and serving to customer engagement—showcasing exemplary professionalism, discipline, and hospitality.

#### Located at:

NAB Sarojini Trilok Nath Home for the Blind, Pocket A, Sector 11, Dwarka, New Delhi  
– 110075

Nearest Metro: Dwarka Sector 11 Metro Station (Opposite Gurudwara)

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# Activities During 2024- 2025

During the financial year 2024–25, NAB Delhi continued to champion the cause of inclusion and empowerment for the visually impaired and those with multiple disabilities through an array of impactful programs, educational interventions, technology innovations, capacity-building initiatives, cultural celebrations, and strategic partnerships.

## NAB Sarojini Triloknath Home for the Blind Dwarka



NAB Sarojini Trilok Nath Home for the Blind, inaugurated on 2nd December 2024, is a modern residential and training facility established by the National Association for the Blind, Delhi. Located in Sector 11, Dwarka, the Home provides a safe, inclusive, and empowering environment for visually impaired boys from across India. It serves as more than just a shelter—offering structured education support, life skills training, assistive technology access, and opportunities for holistic development. With a strong focus on dignity, independence, and digital inclusion, the centre is committed to helping every resident build a brighter and self-reliant future.

### Key Services Offered:

- Early intervention and therapy (0–6 years)
- Rehabilitation and school support (6+ years)
- Integration and IEP support for late starters (9+ years)
- Long-term residential care for senior citizens
- Braille, mobility, and computer training
- Daily living skills and personality development
- Recreational, cultural, and digital literacy activities

**Volunteers and donors are welcome to join this journey of empowerment.**

**Pocket A, Sector 11, Dwarka, Delhi – 110075**



### **45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration (Annual Day) :**

On April 30, 2024, NAB Delhi marked 45 years of impact with a vibrant Annual Day event, showcasing student performances and honouring supporters.

### **Shravan Innovations in Accessibility and Participation in Purple Talks:**

NAB Delhi participated in Purple Talks hosted by DEPwD, Government of India, where Prashant Ranjan Verma presented the Shravan IVR Audio Library and ADITI AI Chatbot for SRHR information access.

### **Capacity Building Workshop at IIT Delhi (April 4th):**

Participants explored innovative teaching methods and received hands-on training in creating tactile learning materials for visually impaired students

### **Engagements with Supporters (April 2024):**

- **S&P Global** participated in sensitivity training sessions and engagement programs with beneficiaries.
- **AON** distributed assistive devices, play equipment, furniture, and a braille embosser, and engaged children in a storytelling session.
- **Bansuri Charitable Trust and RCDP 3011** distributed 50 assistive devices to visually impaired children.

### **Launch of Beyond Eyes Experience - May 1**

The Beyond Eyes Experience, an immersive dark room simulation, was launched to sensitize visitors to the challenges faced by visually impaired individuals. This 45minute guided journey fosters empathy and inclusion.



### **Inauguration of New Hostel Room (Supported by NTPC) – May 13**

With generous support from NTPC Faridabad, a new hostel room was inaugurated for visually impaired students. The event was attended by Mr. Pankaj Kumar Arora and Mrs. Veena Mehta Verma.

### **Global Accessibility Awareness Day -- May 16**

To mark this global event, NAB Delhi promoted accessibility tools like the Shraavan IVR Audiobook Library and the ADITI AI health chatbot, highlighting digital inclusion.

### **UPSC Aspirant Empowerment**

#### **Session – May 25**

Mr. Rahul Gambhir, Honorary Joint Secretary of NAB Delhi, conducted a motivational session for visually impaired UPSC/MPSC aspirants at Deepstambh Foundation, Jalgaon, Maharashtra.



### **Inauguration of Smart Classrooms – May 28**

Two new smart classrooms were inaugurated by Ms. Alma Chopra, Disability Inclusion Activist, along with EXC Services representatives. These tech-enabled rooms will enhance interactive learning for students.

### **Awareness Session on Assistive Technology (Indore, MP) -- June 8**

NAB Delhi showcased modern assistive technology for the visually impaired during the 50th Anniversary of the Madhya Pradesh Welfare Association for the Blind, promoting accessible tools and solutions.

### **Sensitization for RRTS Employees -- June 10**

Our trainers Ms. Poonam and Mr. Vijaya conducted a disability sensitization session for employees of the Regional Rapid Transit System (RRTS), enhancing understanding of inclusion in transportation services



### **Yoga Workshop for Women (NAB Delhi & Silver Linings) – June 17**

A special yoga workshop led by certified trainers Swati Sinha and Saloni Khetan focused on women's physical and mental well-being through accessible yogic techniques.

### **Vocational Trades Training for Teachers and Parents – June 25**

A training session was conducted at NAB Delhi on task analysis and developing vocational skills curricula. Special educators and parents of children with disabilities actively participated.



### **Community Sensitization on Helen Keller Day – June 26**

In partnership with Astha Community Centre, NAB Delhi organized a session to sensitize parents about early training and economic independence of children with disabilities.

### **Capacity Building on ICT and STEM (CRE Approved) – June 27–29**

A 3-day RCI-approved training supported by Wipro Cares focused on ICT tools, STEM education, and assessment techniques for visually impaired and deafblind children. It was attended by teachers and professionals from across the region.

### **Global Recognition at the United Nations**

General Secretary Mr. Prashant Ranjan Verma represented NAB Delhi at the Global Dialogue on Technology at the United Nations, New York, showcasing Shravan IVR Library and ADITI AI, gaining global interest and recognition.



### **MoU with NIEPVD for SHRAVAN IVR Library – July 22**

NAB Delhi signed a Memorandum of Understanding with NIEPVD (Dehradun) under the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment to jointly operate the SHRAVAN IVR Audio Library, a key accessibility tool for the visually impaired.

### **Spark Carnival 2024: Inspiring Eyeway Conversations – July 27**

At the Spark Carnival 2024, Joint Secretary Mr. Rahul Gambhir and NAB alumna Ms. Monica Sharma (Amazon India Program Manager) were keynote speakers, sharing success stories and advocating for digital inclusion.

### **Support from ONGC Videsh & BPCL (Swachhta Pakhwada Initiatives) – July 20–30**



**ONGC Videsh Limited** donated ration for NAB Delhi's hostel kitchen.

**Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL)** organized a hygiene awareness and cleanliness campaign, distributing hygiene kits to hostel students.



### **Braille Quran Conference Participation (Banihal, J&K) – August 25**

We showcased our Shravan IVR Digital Library and ADITI AI Health Chatbot at the Braille Quran Conference in Banihal, J&K, promoting digital access to religious and health resources for persons with visual impairment.

### **Workshop for Special Educators – September 6**

A training session led by Prof. Dr. Anita Julka focused on Equitable and Inclusive Education Guidelines for special educators, enhancing their capacity to support diverse learners

### **Volunteer Engagements – September 20**

- Employees from S&P Global visited NAB Delhi for an interaction session that included music, dance, and hygiene awareness activities with the children.
- Team members from BN Group participated in storytelling, dancing, and finger painting activities with students, including those from the Centre for Multiple Disabilities.
- Volunteers experienced the Beyond Eyes Assistive Technology Zone and the Immersive Darkroom Experience, promoting corporate sensitization.

### **Accessibility Innovation: LG Braille Remote Launch**

NAB Delhi partnered with **LG Electronics** to co-launch the **AC Braille Remote**, an assistive device designed to support independent living for visually impaired individuals.



### **Launch of NAB Delhi's Musical Group 'SurKriti – September 21**

The musical group SurKriti, supported by the ESSEL Social Welfare Foundation, was launched with a Bollywood retro-themed performance showcasing the musical talent of visually impaired artists

### **STEM Kit distribution by Bristlecone – September 21**

Fifty STEM kits were distributed to visually impaired girl students from regular schools in Delhi. This initiative, supported by CSR partner Bristlecone, enhances accessibility to science and technology tools.

### **September – Launch of NAB Delhi Academy**

Two specialized online courses were introduced to help visually impaired individuals across India gain in-demand skills through digital learning. Details are available at [nabdelhi.in/academy](http://nabdelhi.in/academy).

### **Inauguration of new Hostel Room by AON – September 30**

A new fully furnished dormitory room was inaugurated, supported by AON under CSR, which will accommodate 8 visually impaired beneficiaries, contributing to expanded residential facilities



### **Swachhata Diwas Celebration under Project Jagriti– October 5**

As part of Project Jagriti, students celebrated Swachhata Diwas with cleanliness drives, awareness activities, and the WOW Room Competition, recognizing the neatest and most organized hostel rooms.

### **CARE Today distributes Tech Kits – October 18**

In a major support initiative, CARE Today distributed Technology Essential Kits (smartphones, headphones, and AI devices) to visually impaired students, significantly boosting their digital access and learning potential.

### **Workshop on Sports for the Visually Impaired – October 19**

An inspirational session was held by Ankur Dhama (Arjuna Awardee and Paralympian) and Dr. Nidhi Mishra, highlighting career paths in sports and personal success stories.

### **Empowerment Workshop in Lucknow – November 28**

In partnership with NCPEDP and Bajaj Finserv CSR, NAB Delhi conducted a capacity-building workshop under the Scholarship Program, empowering students with disabilities in Lucknow



### **The annual Divjyoti Diwali Mela lit up NAB Delhi with:**

Cultural performances by students.

Food stalls, handicraft exhibitions, and games.

Collective prayers and gift distributions, made possible by generous donations from supporters, bringing joy and smiles to over 250 children

## Children's Day Celebrations – November 14

- BN Group Foundation celebrated with students, organizing games, snacks, and cheerful interactions.
- Employees from Bristlecone celebrated Children's Day with our students through engaging activities and treats, filling the day with laughter and joy.



## 5-Day Workshop for Sight Savers India Educators – 25–29 November

NAB Delhi organized a training program on Visual Impairment and Preparation for Inclusion, equipping district-level educators with tools for promoting inclusive education.



## •Inauguration of NAB Sarojini Triloknath Home for the Blind, Dwarka – 2<sup>nd</sup> December

A new centre was inaugurated at Sector 11, Dwarka under NAB Delhi, offering various services and facilities to the beneficiaries under one big umbrella. The centre offers various services, including- computer course, hostel facilities etc.

**Regional Training on Deaf Blindness** – Focused on skill-building for educators and caregivers in collaboration with sense India

### **Louis Braille Day Celebrations – January 4**

NAB Delhi marked Louis Braille Day with:

- A special bulletin presented by alumnus Saroj on DD News.
- Celebrations with Taj Ambassador, who spent the day engaging with students.
- Activities reinforcing the legacy of Louis Braille in inclusive education.



### **January 11 – Kohler’s Project Chetna Event**

Under CSR project Chetna, supported by Kohler Co., hygiene kits were distributed to 100 visually impaired girls. Laura Kohler, Chief Sustainable Living Officer, visited the campus, which also benefited from refurbished sanitation infrastructure.

### **Road Safety & Mobility Trainers Workshop – January 17-18**

A two-day residential trainer training program on road safety and independent mobility for the visually impaired was conducted at the Dwarka center, supported by Bridgestone India

### **Ashirwad Ceremony (Class 12 Farewell) – 18 January 2025**

An emotional farewell was held for Class 12 students through the Ashirwad Ceremony, featuring blessings, cultural performances, and parting messages.



### **International Conference on Education (ICE3)**

On January 10, 2025, Mr. T.D. Dhariyal, President of NAB and Former State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Government of NCT Delhi, was invited as the Chief Guest at the 3rd International Conference on Education(ICE3).



### **75th Republic Day Celebrations – 26 January 2025**

Republic Day was celebrated with patriotic fervor at both R.K. Puram and Dwarka centers, featuring student-led performances and flag hoisting ceremonies.

### **VOSAP Camp Participation**

NAB Delhi showcased its Shravan IVR Library and Aditi AI Chatbot at the Voice of Specially Abled People (VOSAP) Program at Shri Satya Sai Auditorium, Lodhi Road.



### •Self-Defense Training for Girls

Sub-Inspector Kiran Sethi, widely known as Lady Singham, conducted empowering self-defense sessions for NAB's visually impaired girls.

### •Saraswati Puja Celebration 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2025

Students and staff celebrated Saraswati Puja with devotion, traditional rituals, and reverence for the Goddess of learning

### •Radio Udaan Convention (Panchkula, Haryana – 15-16 February 2025

General Secretary Mr. Prashant Ranjan Verma and Director Mrs. Veena Mehta Verma were speakers at Radio Udaan Convention 2025, sharing perspectives on Innovation, Accessibility & Global Empowerment.

NAB Delhi also showcased Shravan IVR Library and Aditi AI Chatbot.

### •TLM Development with MakeMyTrip 4-7 March, 2025

Special educators collaborated with the MakeMyTrip (MMT) CSR team to co-create Teaching-Learning Materials (TLMs) for children with visual impairment.

### •Residential Workshop “Cooking Without Looking” – 8-9 March 2025

Held at NAB Dwarka, this hands-on workshop trained employed visually impaired adults in independent cooking skills, led by Director Mrs. Veena Mehta Verma.

### •Purple Fest 2025 at Rashtrapati Bhawan – 27<sup>th</sup> March 2025

NAB Delhi operated a food and beverage stall for six days, showcasing culinary skills and products by blind youth, wrapping up successfully on March 27.

# CHIRAG - PRE INTEGRATION UNIT

Building a Bright Future for Young Blind Children



The CHIRAG Preparatory Program at NAB Delhi is a cornerstone initiative dedicated to empowering young blind children at the earliest stages of life. Through structured early intervention and holistic development, CHIRAG provides a warm, inclusive, and enriching environment where children begin their journey toward independence and lifelong learning.

Our dedicated team works closely with each child to build foundational skills—ranging from orientation and mobility to early literacy, communication, and self-care—tailored to their unique needs. We also actively engage families to create a strong support system that reinforces learning at home and prepares children for successful integration into mainstream or specialized education settings.

This year, CHIRAG continued to light the path for many young lives, nurturing their potential with care, compassion, and commitment.

# MANOBAL - Centre for Multiple Disabilities

Empowering Every Ability



At Manobal, NAB Delhi's specialized unit for children with visual impairments and multiple disabilities, we are committed to nurturing each child's unique potential through individualized care and comprehensive support. Our dedicated team of educators, therapists, and caregivers provides specialized education, therapy sessions, and life skills training in a structured and inclusive environment.

By addressing diverse developmental needs through a multidisciplinary approach, we aim to foster independence, confidence, and meaningful progress in every child. This year, Manobal continued to be a safe, joyful, and empowering space where children are encouraged to learn, grow, and thrive at their own pace.

## Highlights of Activities: Pre-integration and CMD Unit

### Independence Day Celebrations

The spirit of patriotism was celebrated with lively performances of songs, dances, poems, and speeches by the children, who showcased their confidence and talents with pride.

### Raksha Bandhan with Modern School, Vasant Vihar

A heartwarming celebration was held in collaboration with Modern School, encouraging inclusive interaction and the development of meaningful peer relationships.

### School and Employee Engagement Days

Through partnerships with corporates such as S&P Global, AON, and B.N. Group, the unit organized interactive sessions where children engaged in:

- Games and recreational activities
- Dance and music performances
- Storytelling and role-play

These engagements fostered joy, social bonding, and a broader awareness among corporate volunteers

### Stage Performances and Public Appreciation

The tiny tots of the Prep Unit were invited to participate in external events and stage performances, where their presentations were highly appreciated, affirming their talents and boosting self-esteem





## Parent Engagement and Support

- Regular meetings and counseling sessions were held with parents and caregivers to ensure continuity in learning and therapy at home.
- Awareness sessions on disability rights and inclusive education were also conducted.

## Seasonal and Cultural Celebrations

- Festivals such as Krishna Janmashtami, Sarswati Pooja, Rakha Bandhan, Diwali, and Christmas were celebrated with great enthusiasm, inclusive activities, and safe, sensory-friendly experiences.
- Monthly theme-based sessions and carnivals provided opportunities for creative learning and community bonding.



## Children's Day Celebrations:

NAB Delhi's young learners celebrated Children's Day with enthusiasm and creativity.



## Assessment of Preparatory Students

A comprehensive assessment was carried out for preparatory students to evaluate their academic preparedness and learning outcomes. The findings will guide us in tailoring individualized teaching strategies, ensuring that every child receives the support necessary to progress confidently in their educational journey.

## Handicraft Stalls by NAB Delhi's Centre for Multiple Disabilities:

The handicraft stalls were put across NCR. This initiative highlighted the extraordinary skills of differently-abled individuals, promoting their integration into mainstream society.



## Key Activities:

### JYOTI - Integrated Education Unit:



The Integrated Education Unit of NAB Delhi plays a pivotal role in advancing the organization's mission to empower children with visual impairment through inclusive education. This unit is committed to seamlessly integrating visually impaired students into mainstream schools, ensuring they are provided opportunities to learn and grow alongside their sighted peers

#### Key components of the Integrated Education Unit include:

- **Facilitation of Mainstream Education:** NAB Delhi collaborates with numerous public and government schools, arranging for the admission of visually impaired children and supporting these institutions as they embrace inclusive education.
- **Specialized Support and Training:** Highly trained special educators are engaged to work with both students and mainstream teachers, providing remedial sessions, additional support, and accessible teaching-learning materials. Emphasis is placed on maximizing each child's learning potential through personalized intervention.
- **Assistive Technology:** The unit maintains technology training centers equipped with modern assistive devices and computers, where students receive courses tailored to their needs. Technologies like screen readers and audio output tools are integrated into the curriculum, ensuring children are not left behind in the digital age.

- **Holistic Development:** Beyond academics, the unit supports students in developing independent living skills, orientation and mobility, and recreational interests, promoting well-rounded development.
- **Sustained Impact:** Through its Integrated Education Unit, NAB Delhi has enabled thousands of visually impaired children to access mainstream education, equipped hundreds with digital literacy, and provided learning materials in accessible formats like Braille, large print, and audio books.

The achievements of the Integrated Education Unit underscore NAB Delhi's leadership in fostering inclusive, equitable, and high-quality education for visually impaired children, helping them realize their potential and participate fully in society

From April 2024 to March 2025, NAB Delhi conducted a series of activities and initiatives aimed at empowering visually impaired individuals and fostering their integration into mainstream education and society. The newly enrolled students were incorporated into the system, and provided with accessible books and tactile diagram sets.



## Academic Performance (2024-2025 Results)

**Congratulatory to Our Toppers**  
**2024 - 2025**



**Gaurav Sheoran**  
93.8% - Class 10



**Heera Joshi**  
87% - Class 12

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TRANSFORMING LIVES      

The academic session for 2024-2025 concluded with exceptional performance from the students. The results are as follows:

**90% and above: 1 student**  
**80% and above: 35 students**  
**70% and above: 53 students**  
**60% and above: 71 students**  
**50% and above: 38 students**

### Commencement of the New Academic Session

The new academic session began with students being promoted to their respective classes. Major activities included:

- Distribution of class-appropriate books.
- Orientation and mobility training for newly integrated students.
- Provision of necessary reading/writing materials.



## Annual Day Celebrations

NAB Delhi celebrated its Annual Day with a cultural program where students showcased their talents through various performances. Students were also honoured for their academic achievements, fostering motivation and enthusiasm for future excellence.

## Participation in Competitions

NAB students actively participated in various competitions organized by the Sambhavna Trust, including:

- Braille reading
- Debating competitions

These events provided students an opportunity to develop skills beyond the classroom.



## Theatre Experience

Students attended a special theatre screening of the movie “Shrikant”, which depicted the journey of a visually impaired student, providing inspiration and real-life relevance to their own experiences.

## Summer Break and Crisis Training Intervention

- **Summer Break:** The break commenced in the last week of May, and students returned home to be with their families.
- **Crisis Training Intervention:** During the vacation period (May and June), NAB organized crisis intervention training for external applicant students, offering need-based support and education.



## Academic Preparation

During this period, regular classes were held to prepare students for their midterm exams. Teachers provided targeted support in core subjects, ensuring all students were well-equipped for academic success.



### STEM Education Program

A new STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) Education Program was launched to enhance students' learning in scientific and technical fields, empowering them to explore careers in science and technology.

### Celebrations and Extracurricular Activities

Students actively participated in national and cultural celebrations, including:

- Independence Day
- Janmashtami
- Raksha Bandhan
- Teachers' Day
- Yoga, sports and music

These events promoted a sense of community, patriotism, and cultural pride, while providing opportunities for students to display their creativity



### UNICEF Project Participation

Students from NAB's Integrated Education Unit contributed to the UNICEF Engagement Tool for the National Juvenile Justice Commission Consultation on the protection of children with disabilities. This allowed students to engage in critical discussions on disability rights and child protection.



### Swachhta Pakhwada Initiative

As part of the Swachhta Pakhwada campaign led by the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) conducted a cleanliness awareness event at NAB Delhi. Students were encouraged to promote cleanliness and contribute to a healthier environment.



### **Sessions on Mental Health**

NAB Delhi organized structured mental health sessions for students to address their emotional well-being. These sessions provided a safe space for children to express themselves, understand their feelings, and learn effective coping strategies, thereby strengthening their emotional resilience.

### **Self-Defense Training**

Recognizing the importance of safety and confidence, NAB Delhi organized a self-defense training program for students. The session was led by Ms. Kira Sethi, Sub-Inspector, Delhi Police, who equipped students with essential techniques and awareness to safeguard themselves. The training also boosted their confidence and instilled a strong sense of independence.



### **Motivational Session**

NAB Delhi conducted a motivational session, inspiring students to stay positive, be happy, and handle challenges with a constructive mindset. This session helped students build resilience and confidence.



The Integrated Education Unit's persistent efforts continue to bridge the gap between visually impaired and sighted students, nurturing an environment of inclusivity, enrichment, and growth.

### **Workshop for Teachers on New Education Policies**

To enhance the professional development of our educators, NAB Delhi facilitated a workshop on the new education policies, conducted by Dr. Anita Julka. The workshop enabled teachers to understand updated policy frameworks and adopt practical approaches to improve teaching and learning outcomes.

### **Cervical Cancer Vaccination Drive**

The girls of NAB Delhi received the HPV vaccine to protect against cervical cancer. The initiative, supported by RGCIRC, aimed at raising awareness and safeguarding the health of our students.

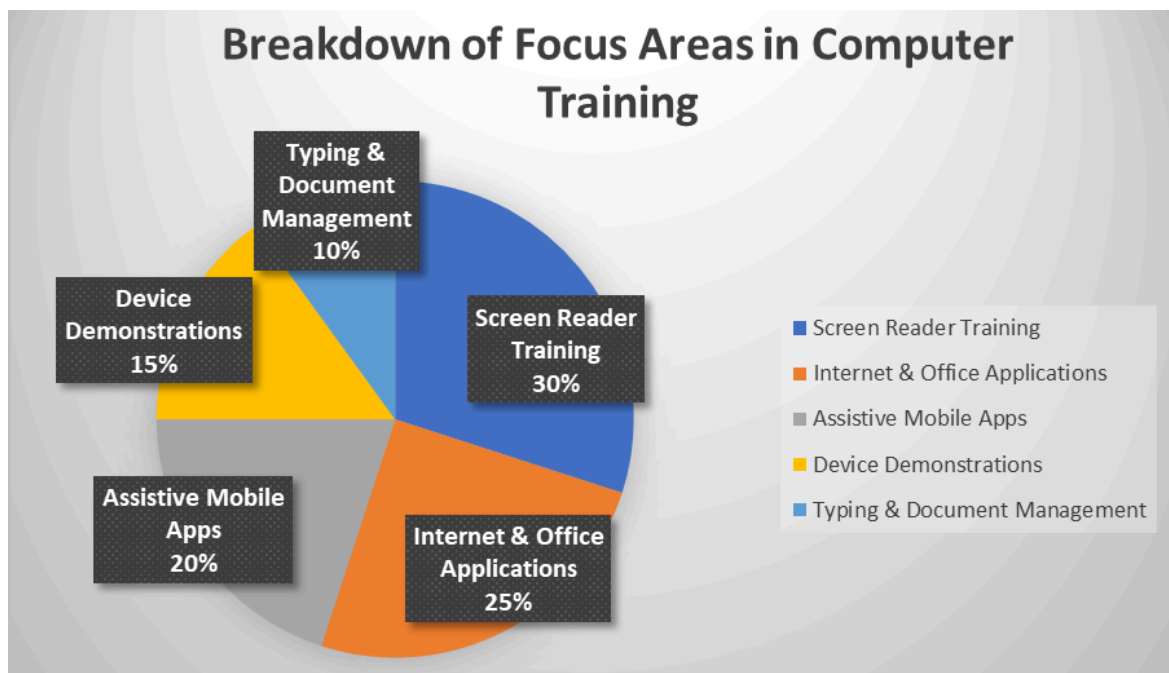


# Computer & Assistive Technology Unit



At NAB Delhi, we believe that disability should never be a barrier to growth, opportunity, or independence.

The Computer & Assistive Technology Unit stands at the forefront of this belief—transforming possibilities into realities for people with visual impairment. In a world driven by information and technology, we are committed to ensuring that our community is not just included but fully empowered.



This year has been a testament to innovation, resilience, and purpose. From helping a young student read her textbook through accessible formats to guiding an adult in using AI-based navigation tools, our work continues to create meaningful change. Whether it's through hands-on training, helpline support, or the production of accessible content, our approach is rooted in dignity, accessibility, and confidence-building.

Every device introduced, every workshop held, and every book produced is a step toward independence for someone who was once unsure if the digital world had a place for them. At the heart of our efforts are stories of transformation—of individuals who have moved from hesitation to self-reliance, from exclusion to empowerment.

## NAB Assistive Technology Helpline



Launched in 2006, the NAB Assistive Technology Helpline has become a lifeline for thousands of visually impaired individuals across India. This year, the helpline responded to over 2,600 queries, connecting people to solutions that make daily life more accessible, independent, and dignified.

Our mission is simple yet powerful: No one should be left behind in the digital age.

Our Core Offerings

### 1. Information & Guidance

- Support on choosing screen readers, magnifiers, braille displays, smart glasses, and more.
- Personalized device recommendations based on age, goals, and learning style.

### 1. Technical Support

- Remote troubleshooting for phones, laptops, smart devices, and apps.
- In-person referrals for complex tech needs.

### Training & Education

- Practical training sessions on using TalkBack, NVDA, JAWS, accessible mobile apps, and AI-based tools.
- Orientation for school students, job seekers, and elderly users alike.

### Accessibility Advocacy

- Promoting awareness of inclusive digital practices.
- Empowering users to demand and use accessible technology.

### Connecting to NAB Services

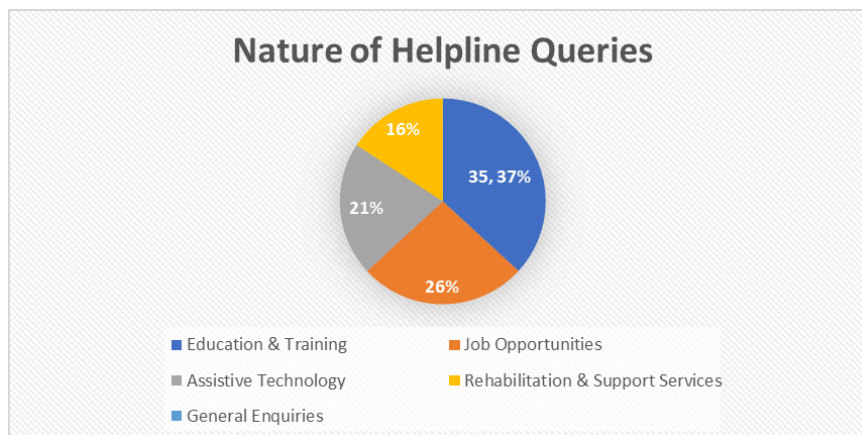
- Seamless links to NAB's training programs, audio library, braille unit, and hostel facilities.

## Impact at a Glance (April 2024 – March 2025)

Queries Answered: 2,618

Users Supported: 1,470 unique individuals

Top Query Types:



### Why It Matters

- ✓ Breaks tech barriers by making tools accessible and understandable
- ✓ Builds confidence among users to study, work, and live independently
  - ✓ Connects communities across states, ages, and backgrounds
  - ✓ Promotes self-reliance and awareness of rights and resources

The Helpline is staffed by a committed team that delivers tailored guidance to visually impaired individuals. It operates through multiple communication channels, including:

- Phone calls
- WhatsApp broadcast groups
- Email support

These platforms were used to share timely and relevant information on job vacancies, educational scholarships, assistive devices, government schemes, and technological updates.

## SPARSH - Digital Library, Braille and Large Print Unit



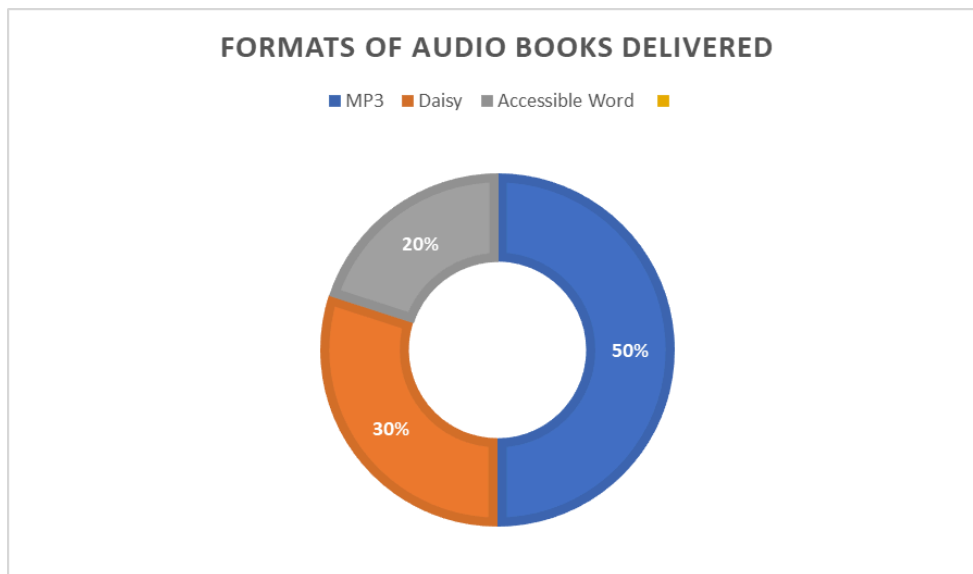
**SPARSH**—which means touch in Hindi—is more than just a name; it is a powerful expression of inclusion, access, and dignity in the world of education and literacy. As the accessible reading service of **NAB Delhi**, SPARSH bridges the gap between information and individuals with visual impairment by offering books and learning materials in **braille, large print, and digital formats**.

In a world where printed words often define opportunity, SPARSH ensures that the right to read is not restricted by disability. Whether it's a student preparing for board exams, a young adult pursuing higher education, or a senior citizen rediscovering the joy of literature, SPARSH makes it possible for every individual to learn, explore, and grow—**independently and confidently**.

With an unwavering focus on **educational equity and literary access**, SPARSH supports thousands of readers across the country. From tactile braille books to user-friendly DAISY audio formats and screen reader-compatible eBooks, the service adapts to the diverse needs of its users. By integrating with national platforms like Sugamya Pustakalaya, SPARSH also expands its reach beyond institutional boundaries, making knowledge accessible anytime, anywhere.

Through this initiative, NAB Delhi reaffirms its belief that accessibility is not a privilege—it is a right, and SPARSH is a step forward in creating a truly inclusive reading culture for all.

## Digital Library (DAISY Audio & Accessible Formats)



The Digital Library played a transformative role in promoting accessible education. During this reporting year, five popular books were recorded in DAISY format, with **888 hours and 35 minutes** of audio produced. A total of 250 school children accessed the audio books for their academic growth.

Formats produced included MP3, DAISY, and Accessible Word, with content spanning textbooks, novels, and assignments.

### Key Highlights

Feature	Detail
Best-seller Books Recorded	5 in DAISY format
Total Audio Duration	888 hours and 35 minutes
Beneficiaries	250 school children
Formats Produced	MP3, DAISY, Accessible Word
Types of Content	Textbooks, Novels, Assignments

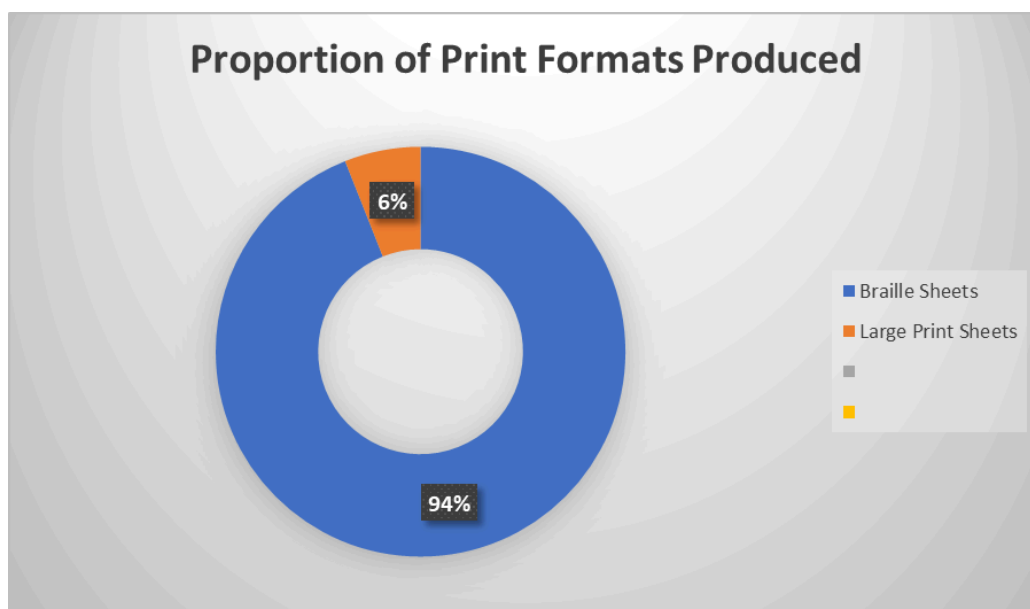
## Braille & Large Print Unit

The Braille and Large Print Unit lies at the core of NAB Delhi's mission to foster inclusive education. It plays a transformative role by ensuring that students with blindness or low vision are not left behind in academic or recreational learning. This unit enables visually impaired individuals to engage with printed content in formats that best match their reading abilities and preferences.

The purpose of this unit extends beyond just producing books—it empowers independence, boosts literacy, and fosters confidence among children and adults alike. By offering tactile (braille) and enhanced-visibility (large print) materials, the unit promotes meaningful learning and bridges the gap between traditional education and inclusive practices.

This year, the unit recorded substantial output, with thousands of braille and large print books produced and distributed across Delhi and other regions. The materials support school curricula, competitive exam preparation, and leisure reading, opening the doors to knowledge, opportunities, and a future with dignity.

The Braille and Large Print Unit ensures that students who prefer tactile or large-font reading are equally supported

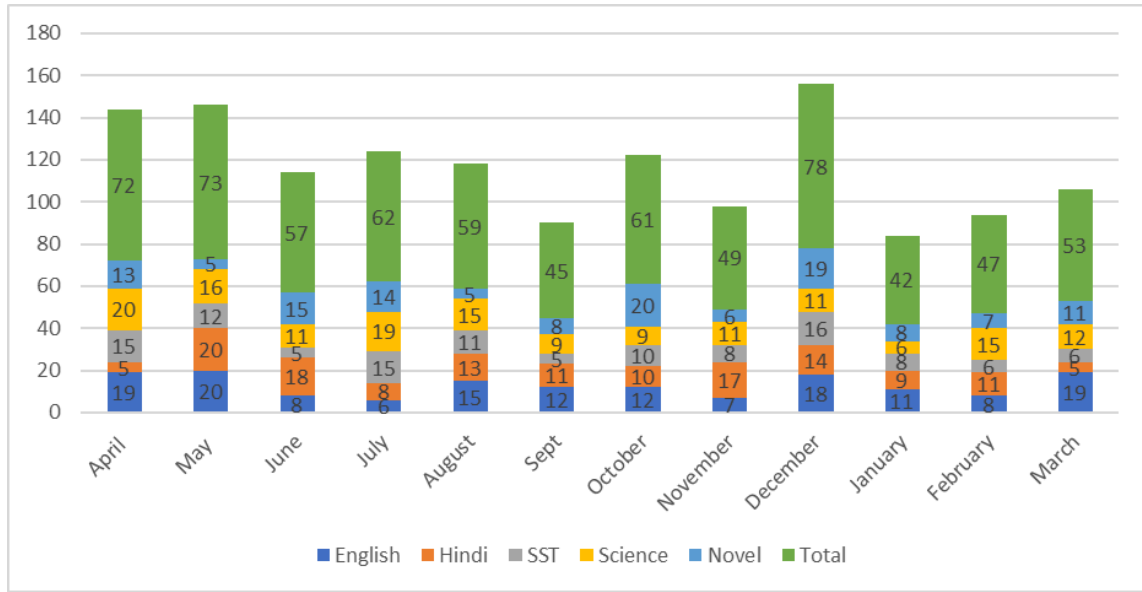


This unit catered to the educational needs of students with blindness and low vision by producing high-quality Braille and large print books. From April 2024 to March 2025,

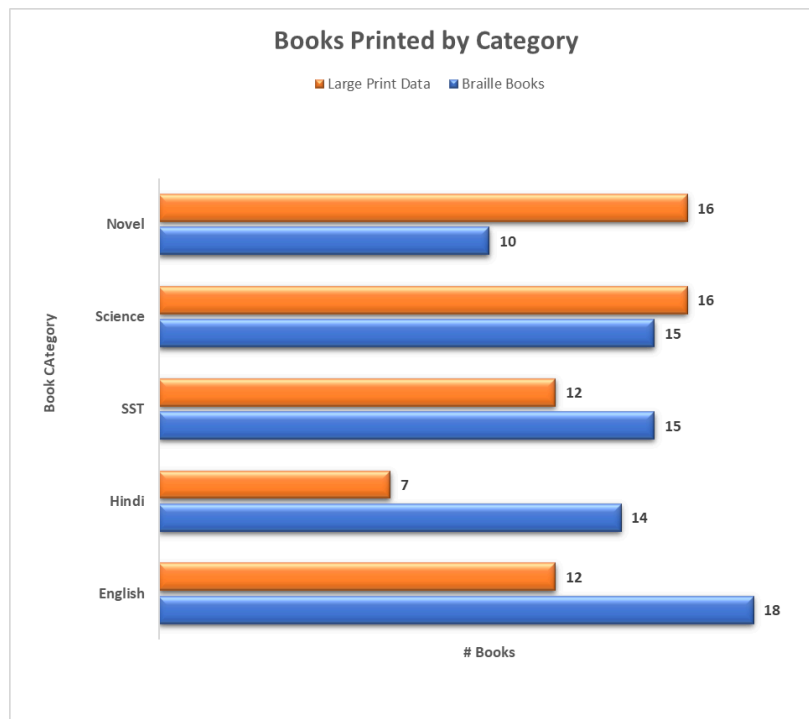
**120,646 Braille sheets** were embossed, creating **7,220 bound Braille books**.

Additionally, **7,184 large print sheets** were prepared and distributed, benefiting students with low vision.

## Monthly Trends of Books Printed by Subjects

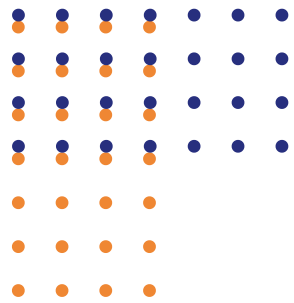


The unit also fulfilled national demand through email and postal delivery, ensuring continuous learning access even for students in remote regions



### Braille Books Production (April 2024 – March 2025):

Metric	Quantity
Total Embossed Sheets	120,646
Bound Volumes Produced	4,005
Average Daily Output	300–600 sheets



## Large Print Production:

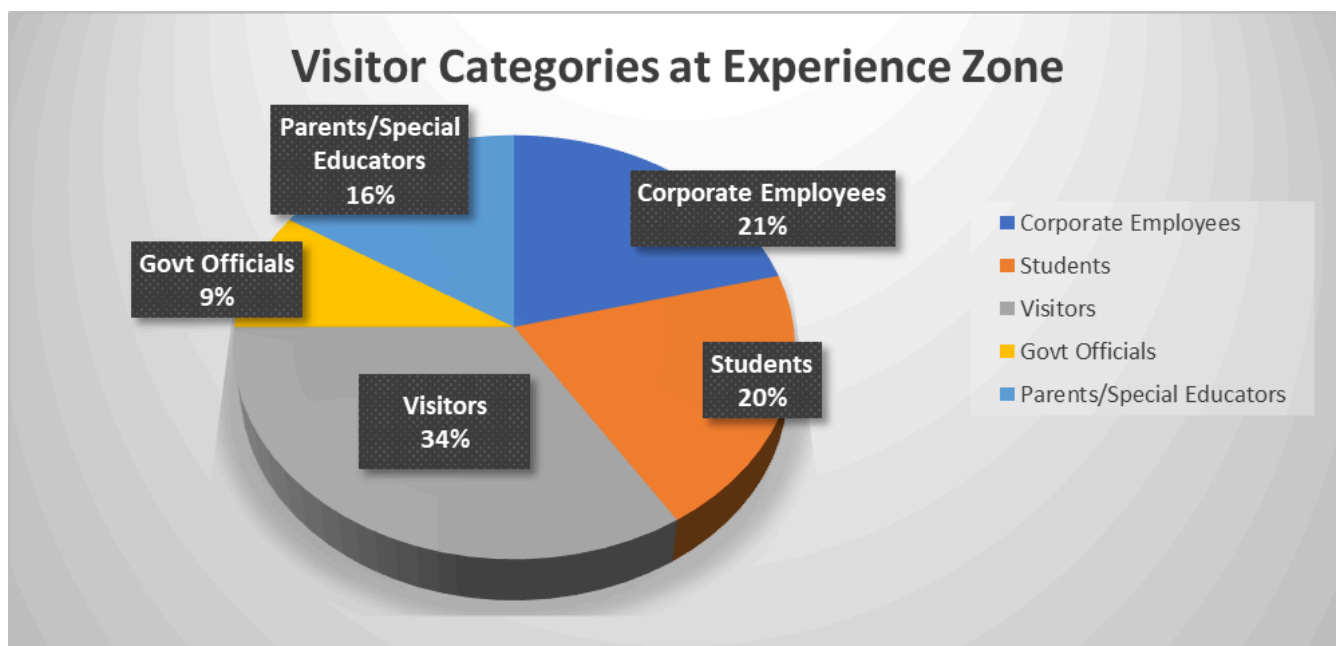
Metric	Quantity
Total Pages Printed	7,184
Books Produced	22

These materials were distributed to:

**In-house students (hostellers and day scholars)**  
**Outstation students via post**

Special emphasis was given to students preparing for board examinations, ensuring timely delivery of curriculum-based content.

## Beyond Eyes Assistive Technology Experience Zone



The Beyond Eyes Zone remained a central innovation hub where users explored accessible technology tools and solutions. Over the year, 550 visitors from various institutions including KV Schools, IIT Delhi, AIIMS, and corporate entities like Deloitte and Indigo engaged with the tech demos.

The centre also resolved **1,250 queries** related to assistive devices, apps, screen readers, mobility tools, and independent living solutions.

# Beyond Eyes Foundation



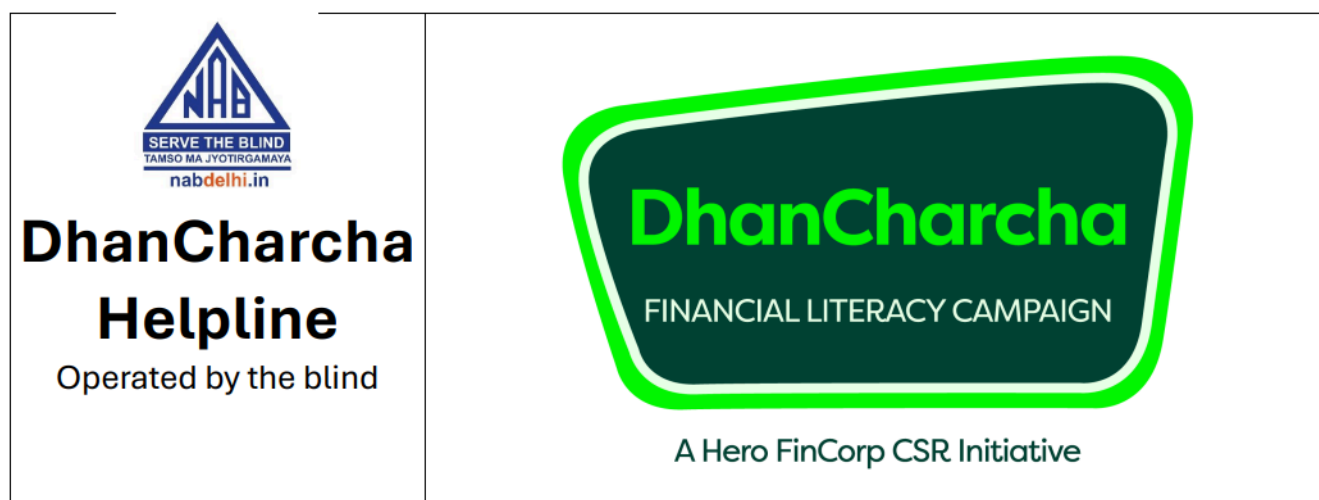
Launched as a visionary initiative under NAB Delhi, the Beyond Eyes Foundation is dedicated to fostering accessibility, independence, and inclusion for persons with visual impairment. It serves as an innovation lab where assistive technologies are not only showcased but also co-created, tested, and taught. The Foundation focuses on bridging the digital divide by introducing cutting-edge tools and promoting their adoption among the blind and low-vision community. With a strong emphasis on experiential learning, training, and advocacy, Beyond Eyes is transforming the way visually impaired individuals access information, navigate the world, and connect with society.

**This year, the Foundation explored several breakthrough assistive tools such as:**

- **AI Smart Glasses** for object recognition and navigation
- **3D Printing** for tactile educational models
- **Swalekhan App** for regional typing with TalkBack
- **Accessible Games** including sound cricket, ludo, and tactile Rubik's Cube
- **Smartwatches** with voice and haptic feedback
- **Be My Eyes (Desktop)** for real-time screen interpretation

These tools were showcased at workshops, school visits, and public events like the Inclusive Christmas Carnival, increasing awareness and uptake

## DhanCharcha Call Center



### Establishing a Financial Literacy Call Center for the Visually Impaired

In collaboration with the Raman Kant Munjal Foundation (RKMF), supported by Hero Fin Corp Ltd., NAB Delhi successfully launched a dedicated Call Center run by persons with visual impairment under the DHANCHARCHA – Financial Literacy Project.

The Call Center, established at NAB Delhi, was staffed by two visually impaired executives and served as a hub for:

- **Financial Literacy Education:** Disseminating information on insurance schemes and other financial products relevant to beneficiaries.
- **Helpline Services:** Providing accessible assistance, addressing general queries, and extending support to individuals in need.
- **Beneficiary Outreach:** Proactively engaging with program participants to ensure maximum awareness and inclusion.

This initiative marked a significant step in mainstreaming persons with visual impairment into professional roles while also empowering the community with vital financial knowledge. It reflected NAB Delhi's longstanding commitment to accessibility and inclusion, aligning with our mission to create sustainable livelihood opportunities for persons with disabilities.

Through this collaboration, NAB Delhi further built on its expertise in accessibility services and reaffirmed its role as a leader in innovative programs for the visually impaired community.

# Workshops & Skill Development Sessions

NAB Delhi actively participated in and organized a range of workshops and training sessions throughout the financial year 2024–25, focusing on inclusive education, assistive technology, communication, health, and leadership. These programs helped build capacities of students, educators, staff, and leadership across departments.



## Sports & Athletics Workshop

**Date:** October 9, 2024

**Ankur Dhama** – India's 1st Blind Paralympian

**Dr. Nidhi Mishra** – Para-athlete and Professor

**Focus:** Adaptive sports, scholarships, training & self-belief

## 1. Strengthening Inclusive Education and Pedagogical Practices

- Workshops Attended (2024):
- **Foundations of Education – PM Daksh Portal Sessions**
  - Dates: 15 April, 28 May, 2 July 2024
  - Conducted by NCERT | Mode: Online
  - Reflections: Importance of rationale-driven classroom actions, understanding language in context, and inclusive pedagogy.
  - **STEM Education for the Visually Impaired**
  - Dates: 8 April and 11 April 2024
  - Organized by NAB Delhi for teachers at Tagore International and DAV Public Schools.

## 2. Workshop on NEP 2020

- Date: 6 September 2024 | Conducted by Dr. Anita Julka (NCERT)
- Reflections: Integration of inclusive education and digital learning in NEP.



- STEM Workshop by Prof. Ashok Gupta
- Date: 15 November 2024

### 3. Health, Hygiene & Mental Well-being

#### • Workshops Conducted (2024–25):

- Transition to Womanhood Workshop
- Date: 10 August 2024 | Conducted by All India Women's Education Fund Association
- Female Health Workshop
- Date: 7 February 2025
- Mental Health Workshop
- Date: 11 March 2025 | By Dr. Anita Julka (NCERT) and NAB's Dr. Ashwani Agarwal
- Session on Physical & Mental Well-being
- Date: 2024 | By K. V. S. Rao

#### • Key Takeaways:

- Support adolescent girls in managing hygiene and emotional growth
- Reduce stigma around mental health for visually impaired youth

#### • Actions:

- Health awareness campaigns and quarterly peer sessions introduced



### 4. Employability & Career Readiness

#### • Key Workshops (2024–25):

- Employability Skills Workshop
- Dates: 20–24 August 2024 | Conducted at CRC Ahmedabad
- Career Counselling – “Charting Your Future”
- Date: 16 January 2025
- National Conclave on Individualized Education Plans (IEPs)
- Date: 17–20 March 2025 | Conducted by Sense India

#### • Outcome:

- Dynamic IEP formats adopted at NAB
- Career sessions incorporated into student development plans
- Central story/photo bank created on Google Drive
- Use of ChatGPT and Gemini integrated into communications workflow



## 5. Leadership, Policy & Governance

- **Events (2025):**
  - Leadership & Governance Workshop
  - Dates: 18–20 March 2025 | Sense India
  - National Conclave for Senior Professionals
  - Dates: 17–20 March 2025 | Participants: NAB Leadership and Senior Educators
- **Actions:**
  - Introduced quarterly strategy reviews
  - Trained mid-level managers on organizational leadership

## 6. Student-Centric Activities & Experiential Learning

- **Highlights (2024–25):**
  - Nature Walk – Viewing Through the Third Eye – 25 January 2025
  - Orientation & Mobility Training – January to March 2025
  - Children’s Day Celebrations – 14 & 16 November 2024 (Bank of Baroda & Bristlecone)
  - North Zone Chess Championship – 26–28 October 2024
  - Anjali Youth Festival (Odisha) – 13–16 November 2024
  - Low Vision Aid Camp – 19 November 2024 (ALIMCO)
  - Dental Camp – 14 November 2024 (AIIMS)
- **Impact:**
  - Tactile learning enhanced through nature and field experiences
  - Peer interactions promoted personal development and community awareness.



## Shravan – India's First IVR-Based Audiobook Library



In a landmark effort to make information truly inclusive, Shravan, India's first IVR-based, AI-powered audiobook library, continues to revolutionize access to knowledge for persons with disabilities. Operated by NAB Delhi, Shravan eliminates the need for internet or smartphones. Users simply call **080 711 75215** from any basic or mobile phone to explore a growing world of accessible audiobooks.

### Impact at a Glance (FY 2024–25)

Category	Figures
Direct Beneficiaries	45,000+ users
Indirect Beneficiaries	20,000+ (via outreach and awareness)
Unique Beneficiaries	45,000+ (visually impaired, print-disabled)
Primary Focus Groups	Persons with Visual Disabilities, Print Disabilities and Marginalized Communities

# ADITI AI



ADITI AI is an innovative, AI-powered chatbot developed by NAB Delhi in collaboration with AccessABLE, offering **confidential, accessible, and rights-based information on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)**. Designed especially for persons with visual impairment and other disabilities, ADITI AI ensures privacy and dignity while answering sensitive questions related to the body, relationships, menstruation, contraception, and more.

Available through **WhatsApp** and **phone calls**, users can simply send a “**hi**” to **08076551617** to begin.

## Why ADITI AI Matters: Our Impact So Far

- Over **8,000+** users have engaged with the chatbot across India
- **60,000+** questions answered related to SRHR topics
- Used in **15+ Indian states**, including rural and urban regions
- **85% of users** are persons with disabilities, especially the visually impaired
- **Multilingual & voice-enabled**, making it accessible even without screen readers
- **100% anonymous & private**—ensuring a safe space to learn

ADITI AI is more than just a chatbot—it’s a **companion for knowledge, confidence, and self-advocacy**.

## NATIONAL-LEVEL AWARDS GIVEN BY NAB DELHI

Every year NAB Delhi gives out several awards in recognition of achievements, talent and service.



### Sarojini Trilok Nath National Awards 2024

**BEST INDIVIDUAL: MR. TAHA HAAZIQ**  
**BEST ROLE MODEL: MR. PIYUSH RAKHECHA**  
**BEST INSTITUTION: RADIO UDAAN**  
**BEST CSR IMPACT: ONGC INDIA**

### NAB Delhi Award for Excellence 2024

**Ms. Anjali Sharma (IAS Officer)**  
**Mr. Amit Pahuja (Assistant Manager at SBI)**  
**Ms. Saroj (Music Teacher)**  
**Mr. Shakul Raj Sonker (co-founder I-Stem)**

### Nab Sudha Verma Young Achiever Award 2024

**Ms. Simran Chawla**  
**(Radio Jockey, Model, Actress and Motivational Speaker)**

## DONATION ABOVE Rs. 20,000 RECEIVED DURING THE FY 2024-2025

Sl. No.	Name of Donor	Amount
1	Ms. Pooja Gandhi	126,000
2	Mr. Kanwal Nain Katyal	20,000
3	Ahimsaa Rungta	21,300
4	Mr. Deepak Chauhan	20,000
5	Mrs. Sangeeta Kumari	30,000
6	Mr. Sachin Gaur	154,900
7	Ms. Neeta Chowdhry	200,000
8	PKY Infra Private Limited	216,000
9	Infa Akash vision Tower Pvt. Ltd.	918,445
10	Mr. Rajesh Kumar Sharma	50,000
11	Mr. Ranvir Kumar Thakur	30,750
12	Ms. Sunita Chawla	30,600
13	Mr. Saksham Fotedar	129,500
14	Mr. Sumit Kochar	218,500
15	Mr. Mukesh Sharma	45,750
16	Mr. Gautam Chandra	20,500
17	Mr. Jitender Gianchandani	21,500
18	Mr. Devender Kumar Khandewal	28,610
19	Mr. Ved Prakash Verma	39,515
20	Mr. Praveen Kumar Mishra	45,000
21	FIIT JEE LIMITED	166,200
22	Ms. Deepali Wadhwa	99,000
23	Mr. Ravindra Kumar Kalra	21,000
24	Ms. Rajni	45,000
25	Mr. Kailash Vasdev	21,000

26	Perfect Handling and Logistics Private Limited	21,000
27	Mr. Arvind Kumar Rajak	25,000
28	Mr. Subodh Varma	58,000
29	Mr. Praveen	22,000
30	Sitaram Jindal Foundation	23,000
31	Mr. Tarsem Lal Mittal	300,000
32	Veda Logistics Pvt. Ltd.	21,000
33	Mr. Rajiv Chawla	20,000
34	Ms. Tanishtha Sharma	24,240
35	Ms. Sushmita Sen Gupta	30,000
36	Union Bank of India	230,300
37	Dr. Harsh Kumar	20,000
38	Ms. Neha Arora	49,000
39	M/S HIM Realty Pvt. Ltd.	500,000
40	FCML Distributors Pvt. Ltd.	24,000
41	Mr. Kailash Vasdev	21,000
42	Ms. Richika Sahay	22,000
43	Mr. Kamalesh Kumar	30,000
44	Mr. Rajvir Singh	38,910
45	Mr. Ranvir Kumar Thakur	30,750
46	Mr. Ved Prakash Verma	39,090
47	Mr. Deepanshu Sharma	25,000
48	Ms. Anandi Srivastava	21,000
49	SSB Central Welfare Fund	30,000
50	Mr. Ashish Thapliyal	40,000

51	Mr. Faisal Habeeb	30,000
52	Shri Lakshmi Narayan Go Seva Trust	21,000
53	Mr. Sanjay Kapur	50,000
54	Ms. Kavita Bawa	20,500
55	Mr. Jaikant Goswami	20,000
56	Mr. Anand Gulia	70,000
57	Mr. Keshav Sharan	35,000
58	Divine Solutions	29,600
59	Kailash Chander Anand Charitable and Educational Society	216,000
60	Mr. Rakesh Goel	21,100
61	Ms. Ankita Baraya	25,000
62	Ms. Anjali Dhimija	21,000
63	Mrs. Rita Saksena	200,000
64	Mr. Gursewa Singh	26,500
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70	Mr. Ashish Bakshi & Mr. Shaunak Bakshi	20,010
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79	Mrs. Komal Saxena	21,000
80	Delhi Vascular Foundation Trust	50,000
81	Mr. Alok Chander Sharma	20,000
82	Sujata Hotel Private Limited	120,000
83	Mr. Arvind Kumar Gupta	100,000
84	Mr. Arvind Kumar Gupta	55,000
85	Jammu Regional Office	43,972
86	Dolce Vita Advisors LLP	25,000
87	Mrs. Subhash Kundra	100,000
88	Mr. Surendra Prakash Kundra	108,500
89	Mr. Sumit Chaudhary	21,000
90	Mr. Arvind Kumar Vats	21,000
91	Mr. Arvind Kumar Rajak	30,000
92	Mr. Surendra Singh Yadav	25,000
93	Smt. Sharmila Jha	300,000
94	Mr. Jayanta Roy	30,000
95	Mr. Ravindra Pal Singh	30,000
96	Mr. Arjun Sawhney	51,000
97	Mr. Jayanta Roy	130,000
98	Grewal Foundation	58,500
99	Bal Sahyog	20,000
100	Mr. Rajvir Singh	39,240

101	Mr. Pawan Dhawan	20,000
102	Shri. Lakshmi Narayan Go Seva Trust	21,000
103	Mr. Ashish Thapliyal	40,000
104	Nair Service Society Delhi (Regd.)	20,000
105	Mr. Ranvir Kumar Thakur	31,500
106	Kailash Chander Anand Charitable and Educational Society	65,000
107	Delhi Public School	25,000
108	Mr. Vaidyanathan Vembu	600,000
109	Mr. Sanjay Chhabra	100,000
110	Mr. Sameer Gupta	20,000
111	Mr. Virendra Kumar Jayaswal	25,000
112	Delhi Regional Office	186,004
113	Mr. Rajeshwar Kumar Malhotra	50,000
114	Mrs. Khoorsheed Hoshedar Press	50,000
115	Mr. Abhishek Sinha	50,000
116	AD Gift Resources	23,625
117	Mrs. Neha Jha	263,400
118	Impressico Business Solutions Pvt. Ltd.	51,000
119	Public Clothing Pvt. Ltd	21,000
120	Nutrica Foundation	150,600
121	Mr. Sunil & Sandeep, Kamal	62,500
122	Sense International India	21,000
123	Ms. Srishti Kayal	21,000
124	Mr. Mohit Chitkara	21,000
125	ACME India Industries Pvt. Ltd.	82,500
126	Mr. Sumit Kumar	24,000

127	Ms. Sangeeta Gandhi	25,000
128	Mr. Pranav Mago	51,000
129	Mr. S Ramakrishnan	25,000
130	Mrs. Bimla Varma	20,000
131	Mr. Ramesh Kumar Gupta	60,000
132	Bal Sahyog	25,000
133	Mayo Logistics Solutions	20,000
134	Fena Private Limited	753,735
135	Dr. Krishna Jayaraman	100,000
136	Capitoline Triad Private Limited	40,000
137	Dolce Vita Advisors LLP	20,000
138	Mr. Neeraj Sharma, Mr. Raj Dubey	250,000
139	Netambit Value First Services Pvt. Ltd.	52,000
140	Mr. Rajiv Chawla	20,000
141	Friends Club Limited	20,000
142	Nakul Sen Benevolent Trust	50,000
143	Shri Kulbhushan Vohra	160,000
144	Mr. Sangeet Mishra	21,000
145	TATSAT Global Education Welfare Foundation	57,180
146	Mr. Chandan	20,000
147	Mr. Pawan	20,000
148	Mr. Ananth Gowda	20,000
149	Mr. Manje Gowda	20,000
150	Mr. Chethan Gowda	20,000
151	FCML Distributors Pvt. Ltd.	24,000
152	Natraj Machinery Pvt. Ltd.	42,000

153	Kailash Chander Anand Charitable and Educational Society	20,000
154	SJF PHILANTHROPIC ORGANISATION	23,000
155	VRL Logistics Limited	58,000
156	Mr. Jatin Bhardwaj	35,000
157	Ms. Garima	29,204
158	Mr. Ashish Thapliyal	40,000
159	Mr. Vivek Gupta	22,500
160	Industrial Boilers Ltd.	25,000
161	Royal Common wealth Society for the Blind	319,950
162	Mr. Subhash Chander Khanna	21,000
163	Mr. Brij Mohan	25,000
164	Mr. Chandra Pal Singh	30,000
165	Mr. Ram Bhaj	25,000
166	Ms. Tina Sahrawat	50,000
167	Mr. Dev Dutt Sharma	27,500
168	Rotary Club Of Delhi Regency-Next	32,500
169	ESCON INFRA REALTORS PRIVATE LIMITED	256,800
170	Mr. Srinivas Reddy P	300,000
171	Ms. Arushi Madan	21,000
172	Ms. Rajani Joshi Chaudhary	34,000
173	Mr. Ranvir Kumar Thakur	30,750
174	Mr. Satyajit Behel	61,147
175	Mr. Anurag Gupta	140,000
176	Veda Logistics Pvt. Ltd.	21,000
177	CWT India Private Limited	70,741

178	Mr. Ishaan Ahuja	20,000
179	Chapter Shikhar No. 18	25,000
180	Mr. Priya Ranjan Pandit	36,000
181	Oil Natural Gas Corporation Limited	105,000
182	Sujata Hotel Private Limited	125,000
183	Rotary Club Of Delhi Regency-Next	32,500
184	Ms. Madhumita Ganguli	90,000
185	Indian Cancer Society	25,000
186	Mach one Aviation Private Limited	65,000
187	Mr. Gaurav Sharma	22,500
188	AD Gift Resources	70,875
189	NAB (CMD)	29,100
190	SPORTS & CULTURAL CLUB REGD	25,000
191	GAIL Noida	172,250
192	Impressico Business Solutions Pvt. Ltd.	50,000
193	Mr. Rajiv Chawla	20,000
194	Mr. Varun Gandhi	25,500
195	Shashank Shekhar Singh Memorial Foundation	40,000
196	NAB- Diwali Mela	47,900
197	Ms. Neha Rastogi	75,000
198	FCML Distributors Pvt. Ltd.	24,000
199	Crescent Dots-N-Lines Pvt Ltd.	56,101
200	Ms. Sushma Lall	20,000
201	IndiAccent OPC Private Limited	120,000
202	Savitri Devi Ram Purshottam Sharma Charitable Trust	44,500
203	Mr. Rajeshwar Kumar Malhotra	100,000
204	Mr. Sarfaraj Ali	21,300

205	Ms. Juhi Chaturvedi	60,000
206	Mst. Pranjal Singh	20,000
207	Mr. Ram Meena	25,000
208	Mr. Rahul Jain	25,000
209	Dr. Dhanalakshmi Murthy	30,000
210	Dr. Manish Kanaujia	30,000
211	Mr. Sudhir Kumar	24,000
212	Mr. Manoj Bhola	30,000
213	Mr. Sartaj Singh	20,000
214	Mr. Sudhir Kumar	20,000
215	Mr. Vivek Gupta	21,000
216	Mr. Dharani Kumar	20,000
217	Assistech Foundation	98,000
218	Mr. Prit Ranjan Singh	32,500
219	Mr. Parijat Chandra	20,000
220	Ms. Deborah Jenice	20,000
221	Mr. Tushar Katira	25,001
222	Mr. Ashish	20,000
223	Mr. Neeraj Sharma	50,000
224	Mr. Neeraj Sharma	20,000
225	Director, ISTM	25,000
226	Mr. Sachin Magan Patel	21,000
227	Mr. Prem Taneja	24,500
228	Mr. Raman Kauldhar	25,000
229	Mr. Ashish	20,000
230	Ms. Poonam Rana	20,000
231	Ms. Gauri Rishi	51,000
232	Mr. Ashish	20,000

233	Witty Brains Software Technologies Pvt. Ltd	48,000
234	Mr. Rakesh Kumar Jain	28,000
235	Mr. Sumit Dua	35,000
236	Mr. Animesh Padhi	66,910
237	Ms. Usha Bansal	25,000

## GRANT IN AIDS RECEIVED DURING THE FY 2024 – 2025

Sl. No.	Name of Donor	Amount
1	ESSEL Social Welfare Foundation	2,912,000
2	Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment	2,084,651
3	Concentrix Daksh Services India Private Limited	10,140,617
4	Wipro Cares	2,001,456
5	Spirotech Heat Exchangers Pvt. Ltd.	1,200,000
6	AON Consulting Private Limited	4,249,000
7	Azem Prem Ji Philanthropic Initiative Pvt ltd.	11,366,000
8	Raman Kant Munjal Foundation	1,225,000
9	United Way of Delhi	1,996,700
10	Hitachi India Private Limited	1,000,000
11	Kohler India Corporation Private Limited	1,525,000
12	Bridgestone India Private Limited	3,409,000
13	Sense International (India)	201,015

14	Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India	504,700
15	SMAS AUTO Leasing India Private Limited	500,000
16	Gail Gas Limited	3,328,000
17	Bristlecone India	600,000
18	Gail India Limited	2,730,690
19	SBI Life Insurance Co. Ltd.	1,302,021
20	Simplr Software India Private Limited	1,722,650
21	LIC Golden Jubilee Foundation	2,270,479
22	MakeMy Trip (India) Private Limited	1,130,000
23	Kuehne+Nagel Private Limited	6,832,500
24	Axonwise Private Limited	1,242,500
25	NCR Corporation India Pvt. Ltd.	570,000
26	NTPC Faridabad	86,400
27	Procloz Services Pvt. Ltd.	263,333
28	Jullundur Motor Agency (Delhi) Limited	440,000

# WAYS TO CONTRIBUTE

## Support NAB Delhi – Be a Part of the Change

At NAB Delhi, we believe that collective efforts can transform lives. Our mission to empower individuals with visual impairments relies not only on dedicated staff and programs but also on the support of compassionate individuals and responsible organizations. Here's how you can join us in making a meaningful impact:

### Volunteer with Us

Make a difference—volunteer with NAB Delhi. We welcome individuals from all backgrounds who are eager to contribute their time and skills toward building an inclusive society. Volunteers play a vital role across a wide range of initiatives including education, mobility training, events, fundraising, communication support, and recreational activities. NAB Delhi offers orientation and hands-on guidance to ensure every volunteer's efforts translate into real change.

### Partner Through CSR

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) partnerships are key to sustaining and expanding our impact. By aligning with NAB Delhi, organizations can contribute to the empowerment, education, skill development, and rehabilitation of persons with visual disabilities. From infrastructure support and technology aid to sponsoring education or skill training, your CSR engagement can drive measurable social outcomes while fulfilling statutory CSR obligations.

### Donate – Every Contribution Counts

Your support can change lives. Donations help us provide visually impaired individuals with access to education, assistive technology, healthcare, nutritious food, hostel facilities, vocational training, and dignified employment opportunities. No amount is too small—each contribution brings hope, self-reliance, and a better future.

**Online donations can be made easily and securely via our website:**

 [www.nabdelhi.in/donate](http://www.nabdelhi.in/donate)

**We accept all major credit/debit cards, net banking, and digital wallets.**

Explore specific causes you can support—from sponsoring meals or educational materials to supporting assistive devices or mobility training.

## SUPPORT A CAUSE – SPONSOR WITH PURPOSE

### Sponsorship Opportunities at NAB Delhi

S. No.	Cause	Number of Beneficiaries	Suggested Donation Amount (INR)
1	Sponsor <b>Breakfast</b>	200+ Blind Children	₹3,500
2	Sponsor <b>Lunch/Dinner</b>	200+ Blind Children	₹6,500
3	Sponsor <b>Special Lunch/Dinner</b> ( <i>includes extra items</i> )	200+ Blind Children	₹8,500
4	Sponsor <b>Evening Snacks</b> ( <i>items can be customized</i> )	200+ Blind Children	Varies (contact NAB Delhi)
5	Sponsor <b>Milk for One Week</b>	200+ Blind Children	₹8,000

### Education & Rehabilitation Sponsorships

S. No.	Sponsorship Item	Beneficiary Category	Annual Cost (INR)
6	School-going blind child using hostel & transport	Class I–XII students	₹1,60,000
7	School-going blind child (day scholar)	Class I–XII students	₹65,000
8	Preparatory/Nursery student in hostel	Blind children aged 4–7 years	₹1,33,000
9	Preparatory/Nursery student (day scholar)	Blind children aged 4–7 years	₹58,000
10	Children with multiple disabilities	Day scholars or hostel residents	₹77,000
11	Computer training for the blind	Visually impaired youth	₹25,000
12	Braille/Talking Books for a child	Any visually impaired student	₹10,000
13	Laptop for a school-going child	Class IX and above	₹35,000

## STAY CONEECTED WITH NAB DELHI

Follow us on social media for regular updates, inspiring stories, and upcoming events.

Scan the QR code to explore our social media pages, visit our official website, and get directions to our campus.



## Support Our Mission

Your contribution can make a lasting impact in the lives of visually impaired children and adults

Visit [nabdelhi.in/donate](https://nabdelhi.in/donate) to donate online and be a part of our journey.

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."

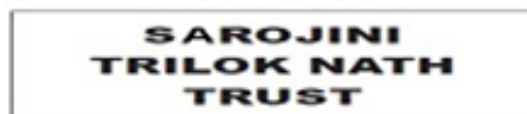
— Mahatma Gandhi

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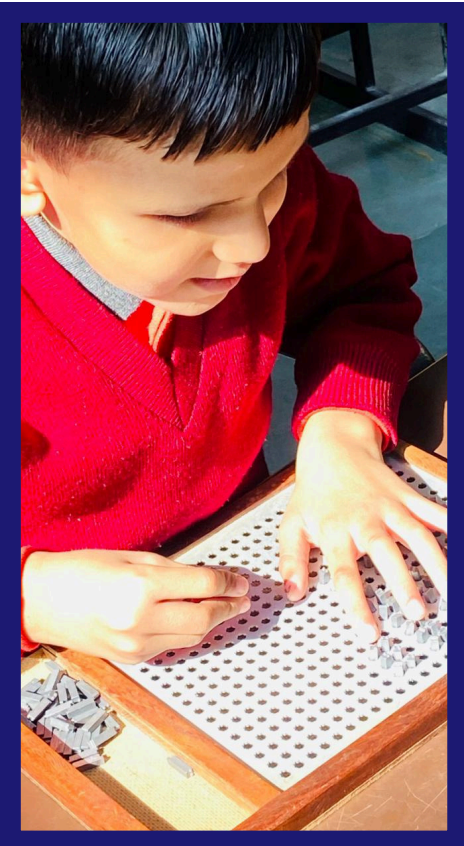
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