

Capillary Internal CSR Newsletter

Doing our part, one school at a time...



Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) is an invaluable part of Capillary’s growth journey. Through various meaningful social programs, we are committed to give back to the society and build a harmonious relationship with the local communities.

Turning a new leaf and driving a fresh sense of purpose, Capillary has renewed its CSR initiative by focusing on the holistic development of Government Schools of Rural Bengaluru. Education plays a major role in nurturing every child. Thus, Capillary launched an ambitious initiative to deliver quality school infrastructure, pedagogical enhancement, extra-curriculum spaces improvement and nourishment of activity-based learning that has been brought by the efforts of the project stakeholders. With this, we aim that the benefits would eventually cascade into ameliorating the overall quality of lives in the community.

To achieve greater strides in this venture, Capillary collaborated with CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore’s Centre for Social Action (CSA) in January 2022.

Key stakeholders of the CSR project

- 1) Capillary Technologies- who sponsored the project under CSR initiative
- 2) Christ (Deemed to be University), the educational institution which is involved in the implementation of the project

3) Chethana CFCD, a community-based organization (CBO) that acted as a pillar in the successful completion of the project.

The project mainly focuses on **improving the infrastructural and pedagogical conditions of the 8 Government schools of Bengaluru Rural District and Kolar district (Jadigenahalli Hobli, Doddanallala Panchayat) respectively.**

- 1) Yelachamanahalli Lower Primary School Jadigenahalli Hobli, Doddanallala Panchayat
- 2) Halasinakayiouara Lower Primary School
- 3) Appasandra Lower Primary School
- 4) Guguttahalli Lower Primary School
- 5) Govindapura Lower Primary School
- 6) Chikkanallala Higher primary school
- 7) Doddadenahalli Higher primary school
- 8) Seethanayakanahalli Lower Primary School under Kasaba Hobli, Madiwala Panchayat

Stepping stones to better schools

- In February 2022, a comprehensive survey revealed the need to specifically improve infrastructure, pedagogical status, extra curriculum etc and other school resources
- A need assessment survey was prepared to comprehend the needs and improvement areas of the school, quantifying the needs and evaluate the budget
- Vendor identification, negotiation, procurement process, storage and inventory management were carried out from Hosakote and Malur towns
- Toilet renovations and playground enhancement major elements of the project, and the resources and labor required were brought from the surrounding villages

No CSR initiative is successful without the support of the community. Pushing for success, the local villagers, parents, panchayat members, school teachers and the children joined the collaborative effort, ensuring the completion of the project in a short timespan of two months (February and March 2022).

Impacting 250+ students, Capillary and Christ University has given a new life to these government schools by improving their quality of education. Going forward, we aim to make more substantial contributions to society.