

ALL INDIA INSTITUTE OF SPEECH & HEARING: MYSORE – 570 006

DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

ANNUAL REPORT 2014-15

I. ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

A) Orientation Programs: (For outsiders)

Name/Topic of the Program	Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr. Gururaj D. & Ms. Laxme J
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Organized Department/Section/Unit	Department of Special Education
Targeted Audience	DHLS Jabalpur, Centre
No. of Participants	8 students
Date	01.04. 2014 to 04.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Management of Children with Hearing Impairment in Mainstream Classrooms
Coordinator	Dr. G. Malar & Mr. D. Gururaj
Objectives	To orient mainstream B.Ed. trainees on – <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identification of children with communication disorders in mainstream classrooms• Adopting communication strategies that facilitate better learning in learners with hearing impairment• Setting up conducive physical learning environment for learners with hearing impairment• Adapting instructional content, method, materials & evaluation procedures so as to enable differential learning in learners with hearing impairment• Welfare measures available for promoting education of children with special needs
Targeted Audience	B.Ed. Students of Kaginele College of Education
No. of Participants	86 student-teachers
Date	04.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha O.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	BGS ANS Mysore
Number of Participants	35 students & 1 faculty (batch-1)
Date	08.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha O
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	BGS ANS Mysore
Number of Participants	26 students & 3 staff (batch-2)
Date	08.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr. Gururaj.D & Ms. Shobha O
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	B.Ed, R.I.E, Mysore
Number of Participants	1 student
Date	09.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha O
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Govt. B.Ed college, Mysore
Number of Participants	60 students & 6 staff
Date	16.04.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	SDA School for Speech and Hearing Impairment
Number of Participants	6 Teachers
Date	16.06.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Samarthya (Sahana) Koppal, Raichur District, Karnataka
Number of Participants	14 parents
Date	14.07.2014 to 18.07.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Aranthai Annai speech & hearing impairment
Number of Participants	38 students and 8 staff
Date	20.07.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Montford School, Belagola, Mandya, Karnataka
Number of Participants	6 Special educators
Date	14.08.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities, Chennai.
Number of Participants	19 Students
Date	23.09.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Parents & Autism Child Paramedical progression, Mysore
Number of Participants	1 student
Date	12.09.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing Awareness on Preschool Education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	SharadavilasB.Ed College, Mysore
Number of Participants	78 Students
Date	23.09.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D. & Ms. Shobha B.N
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Sri AdhichunchagirikshetraBEd college, Mandya
Number of Participants	3 students
Date	20.10.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Samuhasamarthya, Koppala
Number of Participants	12 teachers and 2 parents
Date	26.11.2014 to 28.11.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Government Deaf and Dumb School Civil lines, Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh
Number of Participants	05 teachers
Date	26.12.2014

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	BEO, Office, South Zone, Mysore
Number of Participants	36 teachers
Date	01.01.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	BEO, Office, South Zone, Mysore
Number of Participants	36 teachers
Date	07.01.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Sharadavilas Teacher college, Mysore
Number of Participants	100 students and 3 teachers
Date	29.01.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	Teresian college, Mysore
Number of Participants	10 students and 1 staff
Date	02.02.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs,
Targeted Audience	M.Ed (Inclusive education), RIE, Mysore
Number of Participants	15 students
Date	13.02.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Dr.Swapna N.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	LIC Inspection committee, University of Mysore
Number of Participants	5 members
Date	20.02.2015

Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders and Department activities
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschool education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	RIMSE (B. Ed) college, Mysore
Number of Participants	100 students and 3 teachers
Date	24.02.2015



Name/Topic of the Program	Orientation on Preschool Training for Children with Communication Disorders
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha O.
Objectives	Developing awareness on preschools education for Children With Special Needs
Targeted Audience	School of behavioural science, Kannur university, Kerala
Number of Participants	19 students and 2 staff
Date	10.03.2015

B) Clinical Observation Posting of students from other Institutes

Number of Students	Two (Dr. A. Narendranath & Dr. N. Jagmal Ram)
Course	PG-MBBS
Institute	ENT- PG from VIMS, Bellary
Date	01.09.2014

Number of Students	Three internship students
Course	PG- MSW students
Institute	JSS college, Ooty road, Mysore
Date	23.06.2014 to 16.07.2014

C) Seminars/Conferences/Workshops/Training programs:

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	In house Training program on “Special Olympics” for Special Educators by Mr. Sundaresh, Area Director of Karnataka and Ms. Rathna Shyam, Special Olympic Coach Bharath.
Coordinator	Mrs.Asha Suresh .E.G and Harish Kumar
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To orient the special educators regarding Special Olympics To provide hands on experience regarding special Olympics rules & regulations.
Targeted Audience	Special Educators
Number of Participants	20
Date	12 th May and 13 th May 2014
	

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	In-house workshop on 'Practical Orientation on Use of Smart Board and Activstudio Software' by Ms.Ramanakumari & Ms.Manjula
Coordinator	Dr. G. Malar & Mr. C. B. Suresh
Objectives	Equip the staff and trainees in the department of special education with practical knowledge and skills to use the interactive smart board and Activstudio software Enable them to develop innovative, interactive materials for teaching children with communication disorders, various skills and curricular subjects at various levels of education To develop trial materials for the Educational Technology Laboratory through the practical session
Targeted Audience	Staff and trainees at the Department of Special Education
Number of Participants	Administrative assistant : 01 Allied professionals (Sp&Hg, SW) : 03 Special educators : 22 Student-teachers : 06 TOTAL : 32
Date	16.05.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Workshop on "Drama Therapy for CWSN- Opening Windows to strength"
Coordinator	Ms. Kadambari, Ms. Sreevidya, Ms.Shobha B N
Objectives	To empower the parents/caregivers and professionals in using drama therapy as a technique for improving various skills
Targeted Audience	Parents, Teachers, Rehabilitation Professionals
Number of Participants	45
Date	26.05.14- 30.05.14



Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	“National Seminar on Bringing ABA to Home, School & Play”
Coordinator	Ms.Kadambari Naniwadekar, Ms.Sreevidya M S
Objectives	To make the teachers, parents and other rehabilitation professionals aware of ABA as a technique and its application for resolving behaviour issues in children with special needs
Targeted Audience	Special & General Educators, Parents, Psychologists, SLP, Audiologists
Number of Participants	95
Date	30.10.2014 & 31.10.2014
	

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Workshop on “Livelihood programs for the Individual with Special Needs”
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj., Ms Anjana and Mr. Harish Kumar
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ To provide information regarding vocational rehabilitation ➤ To provide information regarding programmes available for the disabled persons under different schemes ➤ To provide information regarding support employment sheltered workshop and other group employment
Targeted Audience	Special Educators, Parent organizations, NGO’s, Social Workers, Vocational Counselors, Vocational Educators, B.Ed & M.Ed trainees and SSA Inclusive Education Teachers
Number of Participants	100
Date	13.03.2015



D)

i) Staff Enrichment / Inhouse training Programmes: Topics of significance in the field were presented by staff for the benefit of own staff members

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Screening & Referral Practices in SEA-U by Dr. G. Malar
Coordinator	Ms.O.Shobha & Mr.Kr.Subramanya
Objectives	Orienting the special educators about SEA-U
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	28
Date	25.04.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Mind management and thought Process by Brahma Kumar Pranesh
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha.N.O & Mr.Subramanya.K.R
Objectives	To spread awareness about the soul and thought process
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	25
Date	08.05.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Orientation about Assessment & Reporting Procedures in SEA-U by Dr. G. Malar
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha.N.O & Mr.Subramanya.K.R
Objectives	To familiarise teachers with the processes involved in carrying out educational assessments at different levels and reporting the same
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	25
Date	19.05.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Orientation about developmental check list by Dr. N Swapna
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha.N.O & Mr.Subramanya.K.R
Objectives	To provide basic knowledge items involved in the checklist and assessment
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	25
Date	19.5.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	“Am I Mama’s Pride or Your Prejudice?”-An Unheard Plea by a Child with Autism” Presentation on Language Development in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) by Dr. K. S. Prema
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha.N.O & Mr.Subramanya.K.R
Objectives	To provide information on ASD and the language development in children with ASD
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	25
Date	21.5.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Orientation about admission form of pre-school focussing on speech, language and hearing aspects by Ms. Laxme.J
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha. O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	To inform to all teachers about the admission process. To familiarize about the filling up of the admission form with regard to speech, language and hearing aspects .
Targeted Audience	Special Educators of the Department
Number of Participants	25
Date	06.06.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Orientation about Online database entry by Ms. Manjula & Ms. Ramana Kumari
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha. O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	To provide the procedure of entering data in online excel sheet.
Targeted Audience	Special Educators of the Department
Number of Participants	23
Date	23.06.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Orientation about special educational database by Mr. Abdul Wahab
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh
Objectives	To enrich the staff on data entry into the data base
Targeted Audience	Departmental staff
Number of Participants	25
Date	22.12.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Language development in typically developing children by Dr. Swapna.N
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha N O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	To enlighten the staff regarding the language milestones and the goals to be included during language stimulation.
Targeted Audience	Special educators and faculty
Number of Participants	26
Date	22.7.2014

ii) Empowerment of Educators in Education (E³): Presentation of journal articles by staff of the Dept.

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter & name of presenter	Effectiveness of Parental Basic Literacy on Academic Performance of Pre-school Children with Communication Disorders by Ms. Latha .C
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh C.B
Objectives	Orienting the special educators about efficacy of literacy in the field of special education
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	28
Date	25.04.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Universal Design of Learning by Mr. Suresh C. B.
Coordinator	Mr.Suresh C.B
Objectives	Enhance the Knowledge of staff
Targeted Audience	Staff of the Dept.
Number of Participants	30
Date	30/09/14

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Evaluation of speech and language assessment approaches with bilingual children by Ms. Leelarani
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh C.B
Objectives	To sustain the interest of staff of the department in research work.
Targeted Audience	Staff of the Department of Special Education
Number of Participants	25
Date	28.11.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	SEA-U: Structure, Function & Role of Special Educators by Dr. G. Malar
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To orient fresh departmental staff regarding structure & function of SEA-U & their roles • To orient all staff members regarding the new schedule, teams and registry formats for the unit
Targeted Audience	Departmental staff
Number of Participants	25
Date	22.12.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Comparative study of early intervention in Zimbabwe, Poland, China, India and the USA by Ms. Leena C. C.
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh
Objectives	To enrich the staff on early intervention in different countries
Targeted Audience	Departmental staff
Number of Participants	25
Date	30.12.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Presentation on an Article titled “A Case Study of a Highly effective, Inclusive Elementary School” by Ms. Asha S A
Coordinator	Mr.Suresh C. B
Objectives	To enrich the staff on inclusive education
Targeted Audience	Faculty and Special Educators
Number of Participants	21
Date	30.01.2015

Theme/Topic	“Basic statistics for Educators”
Coordinator/Resource Person	Mr. Suresh C B / Dr.AlokkumarUpadhyay
Objectives	To orient special educators about basic statistics
Organized by Department/Section/Unit	Special Education
Targeted Audience	Special educators
Number of Participants	30
Date	27.02.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Educational Management of Children with Hearing Impairment Auditory Dys-synchrony– A Case Study” by Ms. Manjula P V.
Coordinator	Mr. Suresh C B
Objectives	Educational management of HI children
Targeted Audience	Special Educators
Number of Participants	25
Date	25/03/2015

E) Guest Lectures

F) Additional Academic Services rendered by the Faculty and Staff

i. Invited Talks

a) Outside the Institute

Name Resource Person	Dr. Swapna.N
Title/ Topic of presentation	Specific approaches of curriculum development for children with special needs
Name of the seminar/symposium/ conference/workshop	Workshop on trends in curriculum development
Organizer	National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (NIEPMD) and CIIL
Place	Mysore
Date	26.9.14

Name, Designation and Institutional affiliation of Lecturer	Dr. Swapna
Event	Orientation course for primary teachers Atomic energy Central School
Topic of Lecture	Identification, management and inclusive education of children with learning disability
Venue & address	Atomic energy Central School, Kaiga
Organizer	Atomic energy Central School, Kaiga, Karwar Dt.
Date	27 th and 28 th Dec 2014

Name of the staff	Shobha N Odunavar
Topic of presentation	“Early childhood Stimulation”
Name of the seminar/symposium/ conference/workshop	KSOU B. Ed (Hearing Impairment) programme
Organizer	Dr. Shantha Radhakrishna, SGS Vagdevi Special School, Bangalore
Venue	Vagdevi school
Date	21.11.2014

Name of the staff	Dr. Alok Kumar Upadhyay
Topic of presentation	Assessment of Literacy
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Continuing Education Programme(C.R.E.) Sponsored by Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi
Organizer	Department of Special Education, Nehru Gram Bharati University, Allahabad(U.P.)
Venue	University Auditorium, Allahabad
Date	17/12/2014

Name of the staff	Shobha B.N
Topic of presentation	Teaching methods reading, writing and mathematics for children with cerebral Palsy
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	In service training program for primary school teachers of Mysore south zone
Organizer	BEO-Mysore Mr. Prabhu swamy
Venue	Sahana Integrated school
Date	02/01/2015

Name of the staff	Ms. Palnaty Vijetha
Topic of presentation	Orientation about Early intervention services at Dept. of Special Education
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Invited to provide suggestions to Shankar Foundation
Organizer	Shankar Foundation, Sravanam Project
Venue	Vishakapatnam
Date	5 th th and 6 th March 2015

b) In the Institute

Name Resource Person	Dr. Swapna.N
Title/ Topic of presentation	Departmental self-appraisal for peer review & evaluation of Dept. of Spl. Edn for the period September 2013 to August 2014
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Departmental Peer Evaluation
Organizer	Dr. Venkatesan
Place	AIISH, Mysore
Date	10.9.14

Name, Designation and Institutional affiliation of Lecturer	Dr. Swapna
Event	Talk through Video conferencing disorders to the parents and staff in different DHLS centers in India
Topic of Lecture	Talk on cerebral palsy and swallowing disorders
Venue & address	Language development in typically developing children
Organizer	CREDM, AIISH, Mysuru.
Date	8.7.14

Name of the staff	Dr. G. Malar
Topic of presentation	Overview of Special Educational Services
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Tele-Seminar organised by Department of Tele-Center for Persons with Communication Disorders
Organizer	Department of TCPD, AIISH
Venue	Video Conference Room, Department of TCPD, AIISH
Date	20.02.2015

Name of the staff	P.V.Ramanakumari
Topic of presentation	Introductory demonstration to smart board Practical orientation about tools in Activstudio software.
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	In-house workshop on 'Practical Orientation on Use of Smart Board and Activstudio Software'
Organizer	Department of Special Education
Venue	Audio-Visual Room, Department of Special Education, AIISH
Date	16 th May 2014

Name of the staff	P.V.Manjula
Topic of presentation	Introductory demonstration to smart board Practical orientation about tools in Activstudio software.
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	In-house workshop on 'Practical Orientation on Use of Smart Board and Activstudio Software'
Organizer	Department of Special Education
Venue	Audio-Visual Room, Department of Special Education, AIISH
Date	16th May 2014

Name of the staff	Mr.Suresh C.B
Topic of presentation	Importance of Music and Drama for Children with special needs.
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Summer Camp 2014 for Children with Special Needs
Organizer	Summer Camp 2014 ,Organising Team, Department of Special Education
Venue	Prayer Hall of Preschool, Dept. Of Special Education
Date	02-05-2014

Name of the staff	Asha.S.A
Topic of presentation	Importance of craft for children with special needs
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Summer camp 2014 for Children with Special Needs
Organizer	Department of Special Education
Venue	Prayer hall , Department of Special Education, AIISH
Date	2.05.2014

Name of the staff	Sumana
Topic of presentation	Importance and uses of trees for children with special needs
Name of the seminar/symposium/conference/workshop	Summer camp 2014 for Children with Special Needs
Organizer	Department of Special Education
Venue	Prayer hall , Department of Special Education, AIISH
Date	2.05.2014

ii. Curriculum Development

iii. Development of Materials to Support Learning

iv. Service in Academic Bodies of other Organizations

1) Dr. Swapna.N

- Member of the expert committee of Rehabilitation Council of India for the development of training programmes in the field of special education for persons with HI at Diploma and degree level since 11.7.14
- Member of Board of Examiners (BOE) of MEd (HI) and BEd (HI) constituted for PG/UG examinations BOS for courses run by Com DEALL Trust, under KSOU, Mysore

2) Dr. Alok Kumar Upadhyay

- Member of BoS – Special Education (H.I). J.R.H.University,Chitrakoot (U.P.).
- Paper setter of U.G of M.J.P. Rohilkhand University, Bareilly (UP).

3) Dr.Malar G.

- Member – Board of Studies in Special Education, Karnataka State Open University, Mysuru
- Member – Board of Examination in Special Education, Bangalore University, Bengaluru
- Paper Setter & Evaluator for B.Ed.(HI) Programme of Bangalore University, Bengaluru
- External Examiner for D.Ed.(HI) Programme of Rehabilitation Council of India

4) Ms. Palnaty Vijetha

- Member – Board of Examination in Special Education, Bangalore University, Bengaluru
- Paper Setter & Evaluator for B.Ed.(HI) Programme of Bangalore University, Bengaluru
- External Examiner for D.Ed.(HI) Programme of Rehabilitation Council of India

5) Ms. Priti Venkatesh

- Member – Board of Examination in Special Education, Bangalore University, Bengaluru

6) Ms. Shobha N Odunavar

- Member – Board of Examination in Special Education, Bangalore University, Bengaluru
- Paper Setter & Evaluator for B.Ed.(HI) Programme of Bangalore University, Bengaluru
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v. Participation in Committees/Taskforce and Panels setup by other organizations/agencies

Name of the staff	Dr. Alok Kumar Upadhyay
Program/ Meeting details	Inspecting a Institute as a Visiting Expert
Organizer	Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi
Venue	Dr. C.R. Chandrashekar Institute of Speech & Hearing, Banglore-560084
Date	01/12/2014

Name of the staff	Dr. Alok Kumar Upadhyay
Program/ Meeting details	Expert in Selection Committee of Assistant Professor in Special Education
Organizer	J.R.H University, Chitrakoot (U.P.)
Venue	ChitraKoot (U.P.)
Date	28.09.2014

Name of the staff	Dr. Alok Kumar Upadhyay
Program/ Meeting details	Co- Chairperson for a Scientific Session
Organizer	NCED International Conference
Venue	Pal Heights, Bhubnashwer, NCED India – Odisha Chapter
Date	06.08.2015 to 08.08.2015

Name of the staff	Dr. Swapna
Program/ Meeting details	Co- Chairperson
Organizer	NCED International Conference for a Scientific Session
Venue	Pal Heights, Bhubnashwer, NCED India – Odisha Chapter
Date	06.08.2015 to 08.08.2015

Name of the staff	Dr. Alok Kr. Upadhyay
Program/ Meeting details	Served as Group Mentor
Organizer	Workshop on Recent trends in Curriculum development for Children with special Needs
Venue	Central Institute of Indian Languages
Date	25 th and 26 th September 2014.

Name of the staff	Dr. G. Malar
Program/ Meeting details	Served as Group Mentor
Organizer	Workshop on Recent trends in Curriculum development for Children with special Needs
Venue	Central Institute of Indian Languages
Date	25 th and 26 th September 2014.

Name of the staff	Shobha N Odunavar
Program/ Meeting details	Served as Group Mentor
Organizer	Workshop on Recent trends in Curriculum development for Children with special Needs
Venue	Central Institute of Indian Languages
Date	25 th and 26 th September 2014.

vi. Any Other(Please Specify)

II) RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

A. Research Projects (ARF)

- i. Completed during 2014-15

Title	Development of Grade Level Assessment Tests for Primary Grades I to VI: Applicable for Children with Communication Disorders
Objectives	To develop Grade Level Assessment Test Materials in (i) In curricular areas of English, Mathematics & EVS (ii) For primary grades of I to IV (iii) Applicable to Children with Communication Disorders
Principal Investigator & Co-Investigator	PI: Dr. G. Malar CIs: Ms. S. Vijayalakshmi & Mr. K. R. Subramanya
Funding Agency	AIISH
Date of initiation of the project	18 November 2013
Amount sanctioned	Rs. 2.85 lakhs
Status	Completed
Summary of work done	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completion of statistical analysis • Drafting of report & final formatting of test materials

- ii. New Research Projects(Initiated during 2014-15)

- iii. Ongoing

B. Postgraduate Research Completed

Title / Topic	Study of Utility of Teaching Learning Material in Instruction of Mathematics for Preschool Children with Hearing Impairment.
Candidate	Ravi Kumar
Guide	Ms. Priti Venkatesh
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2013-14, AIISH

Title / Topic	Comparative Study of Effectiveness of Tangible vs. Virtual Technologies in Instruction of Primary School Children with Hearing Impairment
Candidate	Dhivya D.
Guide	Dr. G. Malar
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2013-14, AIISH

Title / Topic	Survey of Teacher Competencies for Use and Maintenance of Hearing Aids and Its Implications in Learning Environment
Candidate	Kanaga Subramaniyam K.
Guide	Dr. G. Malar
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2013-14, AIISH

Title / Topic	Revision of Practice-Teaching Evaluation Format for Special Educator-Trainees in the Field of Hearing Impairment
Candidate	Saurabh Kumar Mishra
Guide	Dr. G. Malar
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2013-14, AIISH

Title / Topic	Comparison of Natural, Structured and Combined Methods of Teaching Language to Preschool Children with Hearing Impairment
Candidate	Manjula P. V.
Guide	Dr. G. Malar
Programme	MEDSEHI, IGNOU

Title / Topic	Appraisal of Physical environment of Inclusive schools for Children with Hearing impairment in Mysore
Candidate	Mr. R.Rajasekhara Goud
Guide	Ms.Palnaty Vijetha
Programme	M.S.Ed(HI)

C) Postgraduate Research Under progress

Title / Topic	Screening Checklist for Post School Transition of Adolescents with Hearing Impairment
Candidate	Som Krishan
Guide	Dr. G. Malar & Mr. Freddy Antony
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

Title / Topic	Study of Influence of Co-Curricular Training in Visual Arts on Development of Pre-Academic Skills in Preschool Children with Hearing Impairment
Candidate	Tanuja Singh
Guide	Dr. G. Malar
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH
Title / Topic	A Survey on Teachers' Knowledge About Hearing Impairment And Referral Services
Candidate	Ms. Lakshmi Prabha
Guide	Ms.Palnaty Vijetha
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

Title / Topic	Survey of Accessibility to Students with Hearing Impairment in Inclusive Educational Setups.
Candidate	MadhuShree D.C.
Guide	Dr. Alok Kr. Upadhyay
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

Title / Topic	Effectiveness of Teaching-Learning Material in instruction of Environmental Science to Primary School children with Hearing Impairment.
Candidate	Shaik Gulab Jan
Guide	Dr.Alok Kr. Upadhyay
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

Title / Topic	Survey of Competency of Caregivers and Special Educators in Understanding and Utilizing Information from Clinical Reports
Candidate	Ms. K.V. Radhakrishnan
Guide	Ms. Shobha N.Odunavar Co-Guide: Ms. Mamatha. N.M
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

Title / Topic	Relationship between Aided Audiological Abilities and Academic Achievement of Children with hearing impairment
Candidate	Mr. Pavan Kumar Shukla
Guide	Ms. Shobha N.Odunavar Co-Guide: Ms. Mamatha. N.M
Programme	M.S.Ed.(HI) 2014-15, AIISH

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J Journal Editorship

K Scholarly Reviewing Activities

- i) Journal Articles
- ii) Conference Papers
- iii) Research projects

III. CLINICAL / SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

- A) General Clinical Services
 - i. Speech and Language Assessment
 - ii. Speech and Language Rehabilitation
 - iii. Hearing Evaluation
 - iv. Hearing Aid Trial
 - v. Hearing Aid Dispensing
 - vi. Psychological Evaluation
 - vii. Counseling and Guidance
 - viii. Ear Moulds

- ix. Hearing Aid Issue and Electro-Acoustic Evaluation(ADIP Scheme, Ministry of Social Justice)
- x. AIISH Hearing Aid Dispensing Scheme

B) Specialized Clinical Services

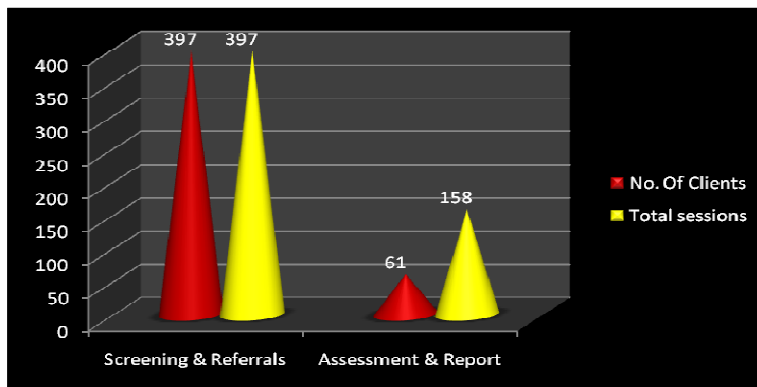
- i) Augmentative and Alternative Communication Unit
- ii) Autism Spectrum Disorder Unit
- iii) Fluency Unit
- iv) Learning Disability Clinic
- v) Listening Training Unit
- vi) Neuromotor Speech Disorder Unit

vii) Preschool Training and Special Education

Educational services for children with special needs

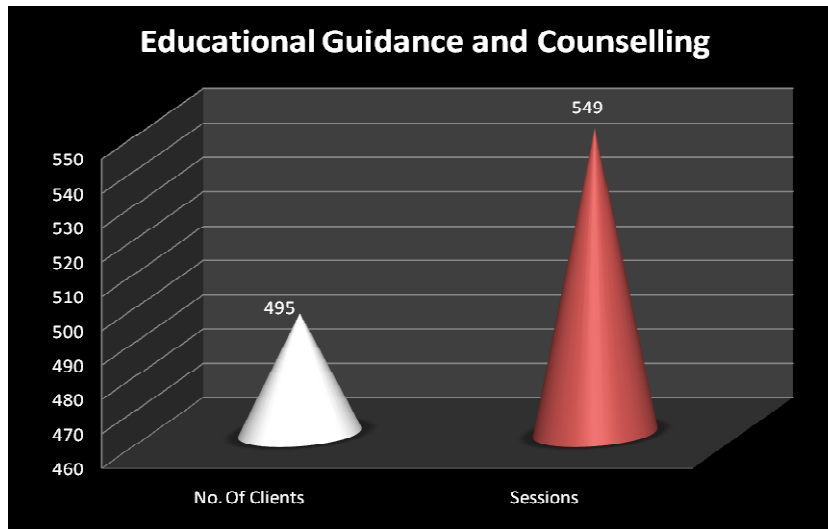
❖ **Special Educational Assessment Unit:** Assessment services are offered for all children with communication disorders to determine readiness for schooling and to suggest an appropriate grade, placement as well as necessary services.

	Screening & Referrals	Assessment & Reports generated
No. of clients	397	61
Total sessions	397	158



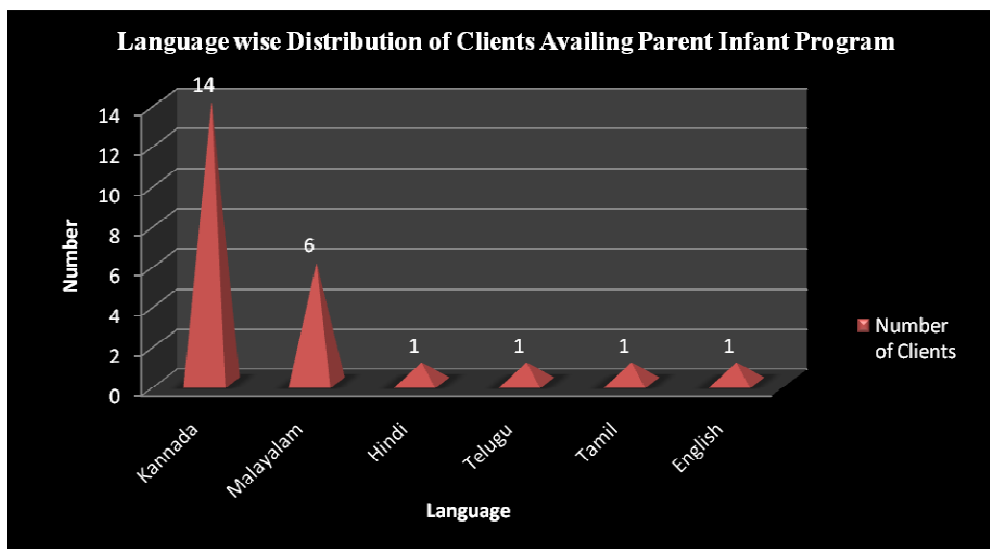
❖ **Educational Guidance and Counselling**

No. of Clients	Sessions
495	549

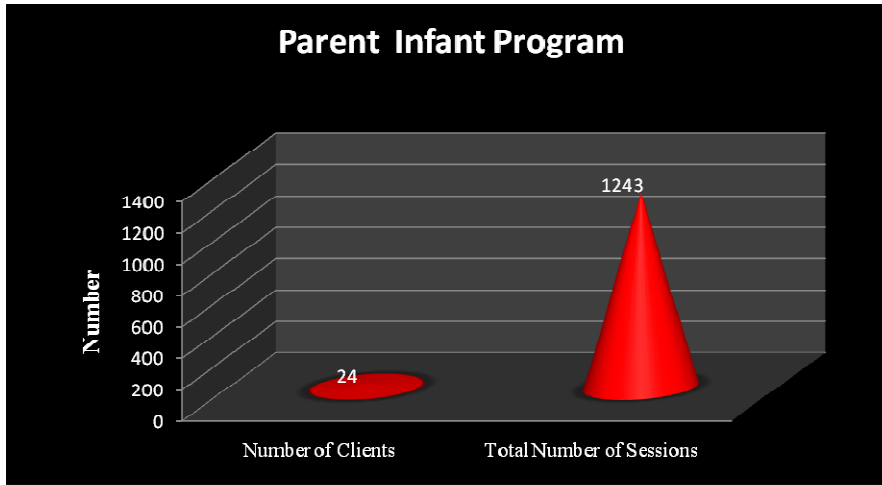


❖ **Parent Infant Program (PIP):** A service provided to very young children ranging from birth to 2.5 years with the thrust being early infant stimulation.

Language	No. of Clients
Kannada	14
Malayalam	6
Hindi	1
Telugu	1
Tamil	1
English	1

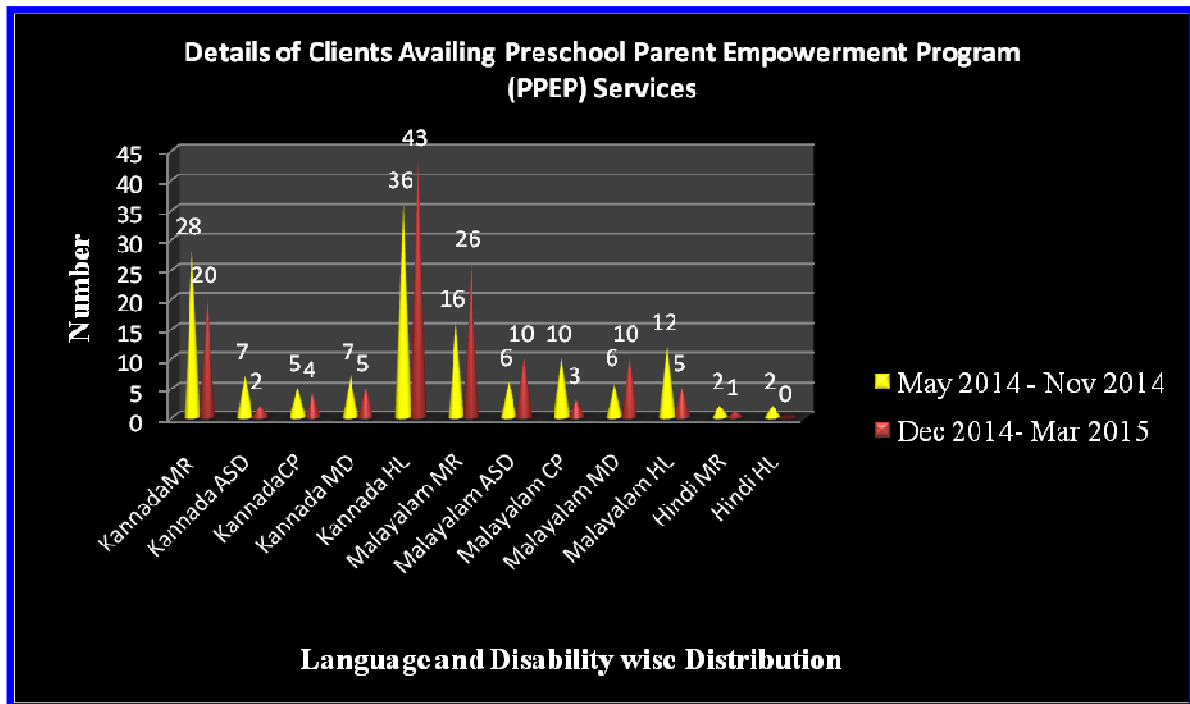


Number of Clients	Total No. of Sessions
24	1243



Preschool Parent Empowerment Program (PPEP): A service provided to children ranging from 2.5-3 years before formal admission to preschool. This is aimed to empower caregivers to support their children.

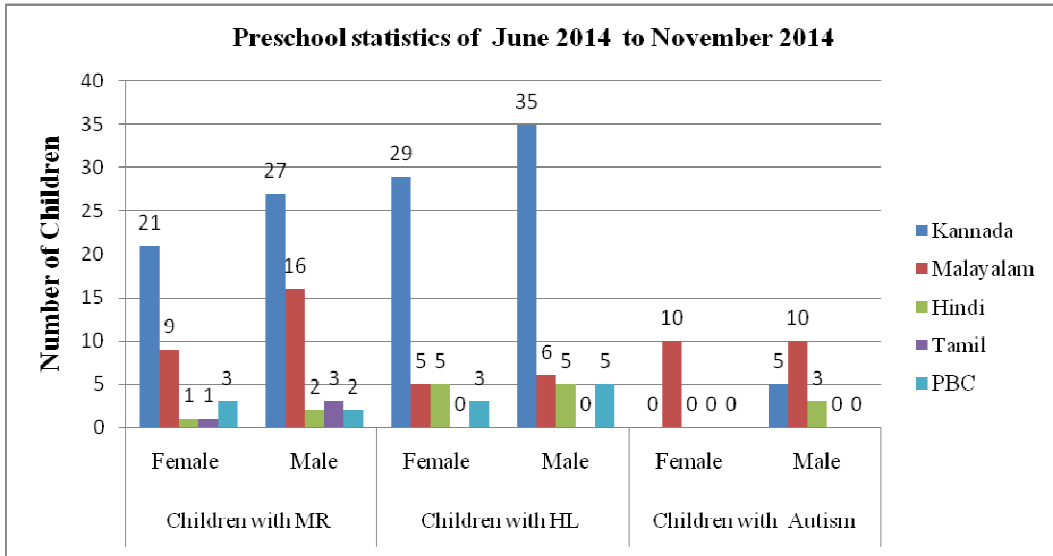
Details of Clients Availing PPEP Services				
Language & Disability	May 2014 - Nov 2014		Dec 2014 - Mar 2015	
	Clients	Sessions	Clients	Sessions
KannadaMR	28	125	20	76
Kannada ASD	7	125	2	76
KannadaCP	5	125	4	76
Kannada MD	7	125	5	76
Kannada HL	36	125	43	76
Malayalam MR	16	125	26	76
Malayalam ASD	6	125	10	76
Malayalam CP	10	125	3	76
Malayalam MD	6	125	10	76
Malayalam HL	12	125	5	76
Hindi MR	2	125	1	76
Hindi HL	2	125	0	76



❖ **Children receiving preschool training and Preschool Bridge course (Language, Disability & Gender wise details) June to November 2014**

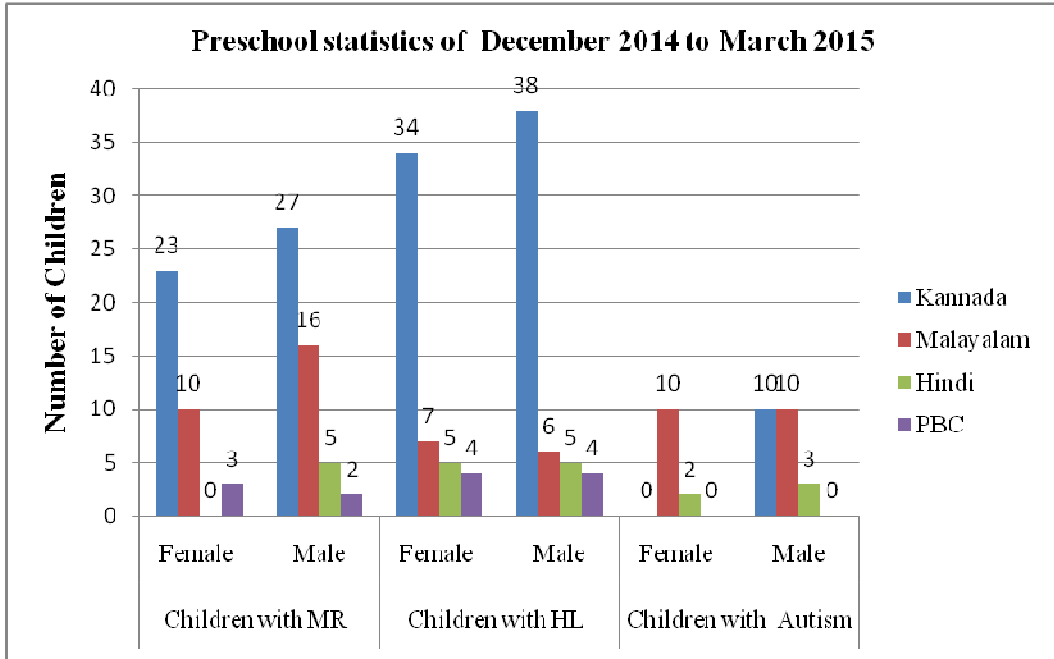
Preschool Training and Preschool Bridge Course – A service provided to children ranging from 3 - 6 years and is mainly focused on developing prerequisite skills for later academic success. Along with core-curricular training, co-curricular training in Physical education, yoga, dance, drama, music, craft activities, etc. are also carried out.

Language	Children with MR		Children with HL		Children with Autism		
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Kannada	21	27	29	35	0	5	
Malayalam	9	16	5	6	10	10	
Hindi	1	2	5	5	0	3	
Tamil	1	3	0	0	0	0	
PBC	3	2	3	5	0	0	
Total	35	50	42	51	10	18	Total Num of children - 206
Total no of children per disability	85		93		28		



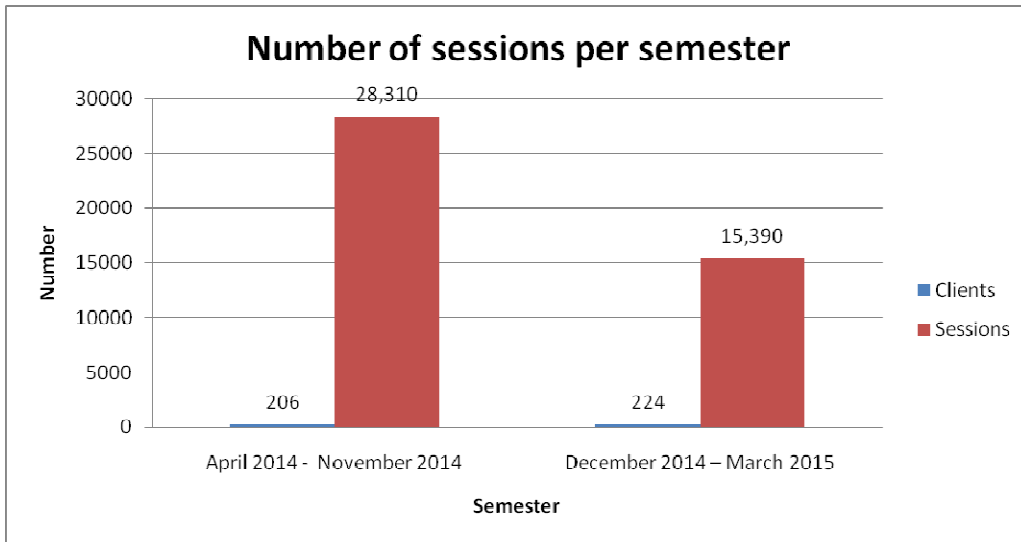
Children receiving preschool training and Preschool Bridge course (Language, Disability & Gender wise details) December 2014 to March 2015

Language	Children with MR		Children with HL		Children with Autism		
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Kannada	23	27	34	38	0	10	
Malayalam	10	16	7	6	10	10	
Hindi	0	05	05	05	02	03	
PBC	3	2	4	4	0	0	
Total	36	50	50	53	12	23	Total Num of children - 224
Total no of children per disability	86		103		35		



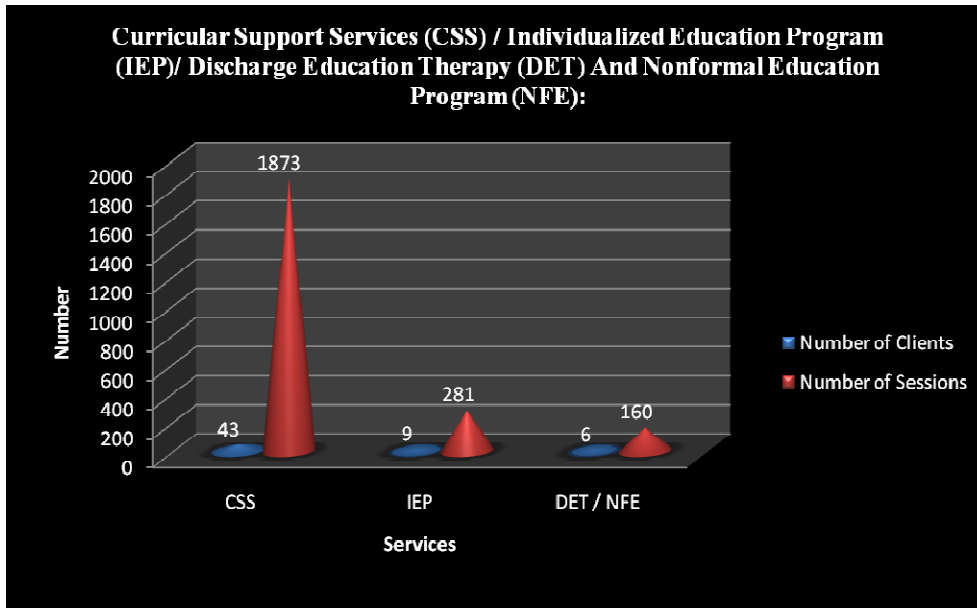
Period	Number of Clients	Number of sessions for groups
April 2014 - November 2014	206	28,310
December 2014 – March 2015	224	15,390

❖ Overall Number of clients and sessions per semester in the preschool training center



Curricular Support Services (CSS) / Individualized Education Program (IEP)/ Discharge Education Therapy (DET) and Nonformal Education Program (NFE): CSS and IFP are offered to children with communication disorders who are mainstreamed but have certain difficulties in coping with academics.NFE is offered to children with communication disorders who are either out of school or unable to cope with the regular school curriculum.

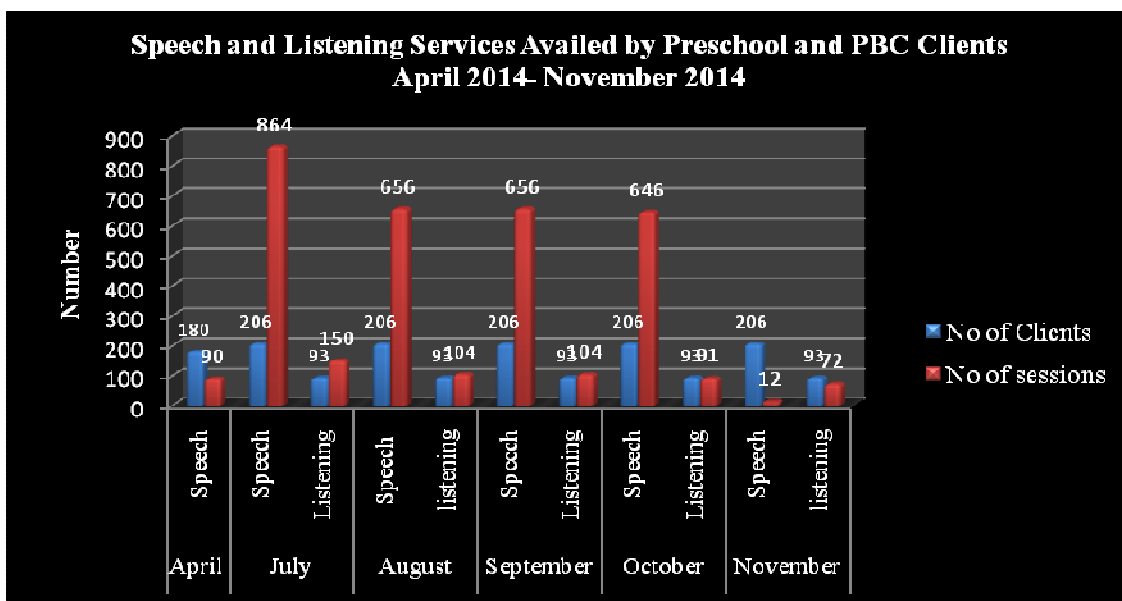
Type of Service	Number of Clients	Number of Sessions
CSS	43	1873
IEP	9	281
DET / NFE	6	160



Speech Language and Listening Sessions for Preschool Children

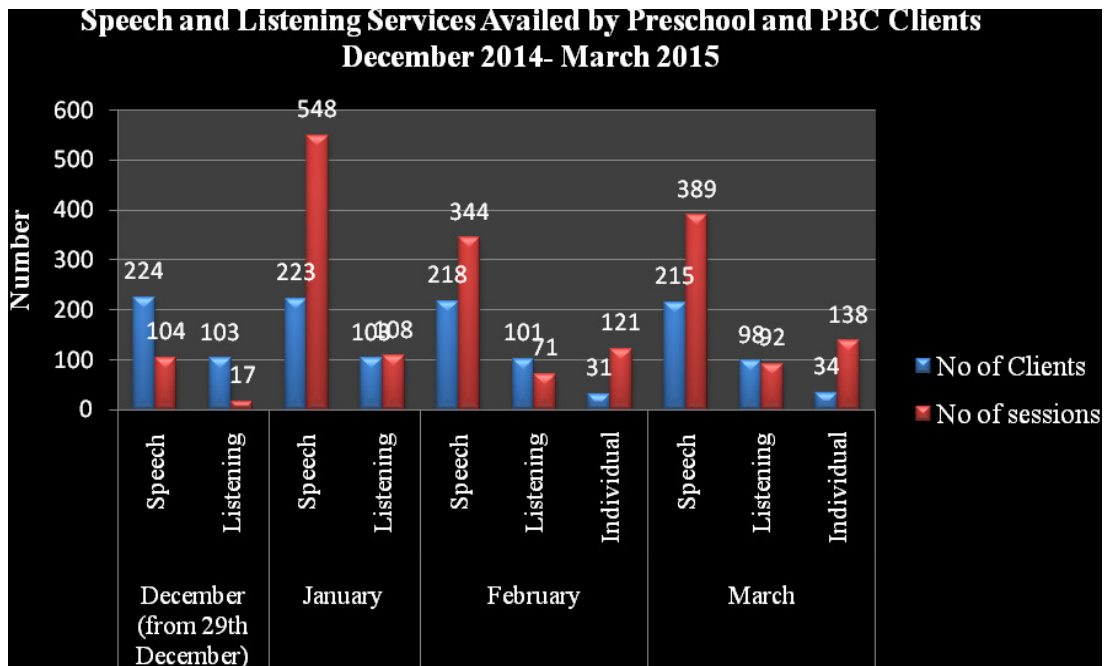
April 2014- November 2014

Month	Service	No of Clients	No of Groups	No of sessions
April	Speech	180	37	90
May	Vacation			
June				
July	Speech	206	38	864
	Listening	93	15	150
August	Speech	206	38	656
	Listening	93	13	104
September	Speech	206	38	656
	Listening	93	13	104
October	Speech	206	38	646
	Listening	93	13	91
November	Speech	206	38	12
	Listening	93	14	72



December 2014- March 2015

Month	Service	No of Clients	No of Groups	No of sessions
December (From 29th December)	Speech	224	38	104
	Listening	103	13	17
January	Speech	223	39	548
	Listening	103	15	108
February	Speech	218	39	344
	Listening	101	16	71
	Individual	31	-	121
March	Speech	215	39	389
	Listening	98	16	92
	Individual	34	-	138



viii) Professional Voice Care Unit

ix) U-SOFA

x) Vertigo Clinic

xi) Voice Clinic

xii) Any other (Please Specify)

C) Clinical Support Services to Patients and Family

i) **Counselling and guidance**

ii) **Details of Certificates Issued: A total of 45 bonafide certificates were issued in the year 2014 -15. Among them 24 certificates were for children with hearing impairment and 21 certificates were for children with Mental retardation and autism.**

iii) Financial Aid

iv) Legal advice

v) **Any other (Please Specify):**

a) **Resource Room Services :- Library of Books and Toys: LiBoToy: A**

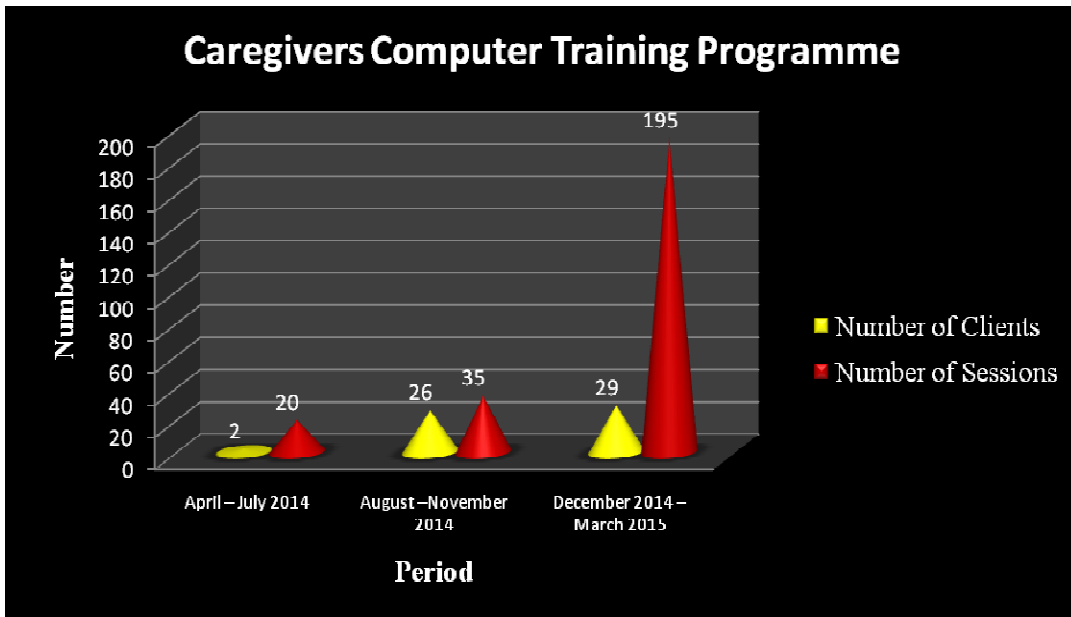
library of *books and toys* which are to promote the use of scientifically oriented TLM for anytime anywhere learning by children with special needs and their caregivers

Number of members enrolled –221

Income Generated – 221 * 50 = Rs 11050 /-

b) **Caregiver Computer Training Programme (CCTP) :** A service offered to empower caregivers in basic computer skills like Ms-office, internet, e-mail etc.

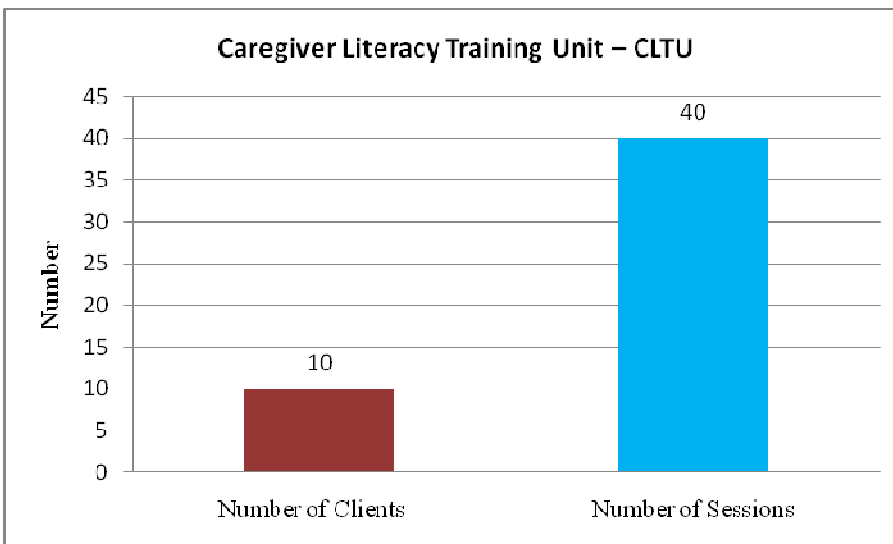
Period	Number of Clients	Number of Sessions
April – July 2014	2	20
August –November 2014	26	35
December 2014 – March 2015	29	195



- c) **Caregiver Literacy Training Unit – CLTU:** A service offered to empower caregivers in basic reading and writing skills

Number of clients and sessions during the academic year 2014 - 2015

Number of Clients	Number of Sessions
10	40



d) Parent enrichment programs

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Usages of “LiBoToy” by the parents/caregivers of preschool children by Ms. Ramanakumari, Ms. Manjula and Ms. Leelarani
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha. O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	To inform about registration procedure. To inform about the need of Libotoy
Targeted Audience	Parents/caregivers of the Pre-school group.
Number of Participants	149
Date	26.06.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Orientation about CLTU by Ms. Shobha. O
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha. O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	Purpose of the CLTU.
Targeted Audience	Parents/caregivers of the Pre-school group.
Number of Participants	149
Date	26.06.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Orientation about the Computer training for caregivers of pre-school by Ms. Kadambari & Ms. Asha Suresh E.G (Translated in Malayalam & Kannada.)
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha. O and Mr.Subramanya
Objectives	To inform about the importance of computer literacy. Admission procedure for computer training in the Department.
Targeted Audience	Parents/caregivers of the Pre-school group.
Number of Participants	164
Date	27.06.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Home training plan for parents of children’s with hearing impairment by Ms. Arpitha Ms. Priya (Students) under the supervision of Ms. Laxme J
Coordinator	Mr.Subramanya.KR and Ms. Shobha N.O
Objectives	To enlighten the parents on aspects and the importance of home training
Targeted Audience	Parents of children with hearing impairment
Number of Participants	93
Date	17.09.2014 & 18.09.2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Interaction session with the mother of children with ASD (Ms. Ida Meneus)
Coordinator	Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	To enlighten about the management of ASD
Targeted Audience	Caregivers of children with ASD
Number of Participants	40
Date	12.09.2014

Name of the faculty/ staff	Ms. Indira Nair
Name/Topic of the Program	Home based activities for Language stimulation
Coordinator	Ms. Subramanya and Ms. Shobha N.O
Date	20.11.2014
Objectives	To create awareness among caregivers of children attending parent infant program (PIP) and preschool parent empowerment program (PPEP) about the home training and language stimulation
Type of target group	Kannada speaking caregivers of children with communication disorders from the age group of birth to 3 years
Number of beneficiaries	75
Feedback provided (Yes/ No)	No

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Bio medical waste management by Ms. Kumuda
Coordinator	Mr. Subramanya & Ms. Shobha O
Objectives	To enrich the knowledge of parents on waste management
Targeted Audience	Parents attending preschool services
Number of Participants	44 Forenoon & 41 Afternoon
Date	5/12/2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Language Development in children with special needs (CWSN) in Malayalam by Ms. Indira Nair
Coordinator	Mr. Subramanya & Ms. Shobha O
Objectives	To enrich the knowledge of parents on language development
Targeted Audience	Parents of children attending PIP and PPEP
Number of Participants	41
Date	10/12/2014

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Home based training for language stimulation by Ms. Indira nair
Coordinator	Mr.Subramanya & Ms.Shobha O
Objectives	To enrich the PPEP kannada Parents
Targeted Audience	-
Number of Participants	Kannada parents
Date	23.01.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Prevention, Early Identification & Intervention for Communication Disorders by Mr. Anil Abbur R., Ms. Raksha Anand& Ms. Silpa V. – B.S.Ed.-HI Students (under guidance of Dr. G. Malar)
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha N. O. &Mr. K. R. Subramanya
Objectives	To orient caregivers about means of prevention, early identification & timely intervention for communication disorders in children
Targeted Audience	Parents of AIISH Preschool clients of afternoon batches
Number of Participants	63
Date	06.02.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Welfare Measures for Children with Communication Disorders by Ms. Sowmya M., Mr. Sunil Kumar Tiwari & Ms. VinithaG.. – B.S.Ed.-HI Students (under guidance of Dr. G. Malar)
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha N. O. &Mr. K. R. Subramanya
Objectives	To orient parents about means of welfare measures that are available to facilitate educational rehabilitation of children with communication disorders
Targeted Audience	Parents of AIISH Preschool Clients of Afternoon Batches
Number of Participants	68
Date	13.02.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Nutrition for Children with Communication Disorders by Ms. Chaitra R., Ms. Lakshmi M. Ms. Sangeetha & Rekhsha V. N. – B.S.Ed.-HI Students (under guidance of Dr. G. Malar)
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha N. O. &Mr. K. R. Subramanya
Objectives	To orient parents about nutritional tips to enhance growth and development in children with communication disorders in children
Targeted Audience	Parents of AIISH Preschool Clients of Forenoon Batches
Number of Participants	72
Date	20.02.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Self Help Skill By Ms. Latha C. & Ms Asha Suresh
Coordinator	Ms. Shobha N.O
Objectives	To empower parents on importance of self help skill
Targeted Audience	Caregivers of children With MR, CP, Autism
Number of Participants	-----
Date	19.03.2015

- e) **Parents Help Parents Program (PHPP):** A new program launched for the benefit of the parents where in the experienced parents of children with special needs will share their experiences with the fresh parents of children with special needs.

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Parents Help Parents Program (PHPP) by Mr.Purushotham , a Parent of Apoorva a child with hearing impairment
Coordinator	Ms. Leena, Ms. Latha C, Ms. Anjana, Mr.Rajkumar, Mr.Gururaj
Objectives	To mentor fresh parents by the experienced parents
Targeted Audience	Kannada parents of children with HI
Number of Participants	120
Date	30.01.2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Parents help parents programme(PHPP) by Mrs Geetha, Suma's Mother, a person with mental retardation
Coordinator	Ms. LeenaC. Ms. Latha C. C., Ms. Anjana K., Mr.Subramanya, Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To help instill confidence in the parents/caregivers handling their children. • To train the parents in managing their stress levels while dealing with their child. • To motivate the parents for working more efficiently with their child. • To empower the parents regarding different aspects of training
Targeted Audience	Parents of children with mental retardation
Number of Participants	48
Date	23-2-2015

Theme / Topic & Name of presenter	Parents help parents programme(PHPP) by Mrs Jayashree, Mother of Sudesh, a person with ASD
Coordinator	Ms. LeenaC. Ms. Latha C. C., Ms. Anjana K., Mr.Subramanya, Mr.Gururaj D.
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To help instill confidence in the parents/caregivers handling their children. • To train the parents in managing their stress levels while dealing with their child. • To motivate the parents for working more efficiently with their child. • To empower the parents regarding different aspects of training
Targeted Audience	Parents of children with ASD
Number of Participants	48
Date	31-3-2015

D) Clinical Electronic Services

- i) Electro-Acoustic Evaluation
- ii) Hearing Aid Dispensing
- iii) Repair of Hearing Aids

IV. EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

- A) Rehabilitation and Education through Distance Mode
- B) Prevention of Communication Disorders
- C) Communication Disorders Screening Camps
- D) Orientation Programs:

As a part of the extension activities of the Department of Special Education a 'Mainstream School Adoption' had been initiated under the aegis of the Director – AIISH and DDPI – Mysore during previous academic year 2012-13. The program aims to adopt and support mainstream schools integrating children with communication disorders. In the first year of the programme 15 mainstream schools and special schools adopted and in this year 10 more schools had adopted. The teachers of these schools are oriented periodically on identification of special needs in children, consequent supports like referral services, curricular adaptation and management, and guidance regarding availing educational welfare measures among others. Beyond these, need-based guidance is extended to teachers in managing practical hitches in the process of inclusion. In the course of action the programme also endeavours

to mould positive attitudes among the teachers. The following are the details of the orientation programmes carried out during 2014-15:

Sl. No	Details of Schools Adopted	No. of Staff in the Schools	Resource Persons from AIISH	Dates of Orientation Programmes
1.	Hemavathi School Higher Primary & Secondary Schools Mysore	15	MS. Shobha B.N MS. Leena C.C Mr.Gururaj D	08-04-2014
2.	Bharathasevadala schools primary & Secondary school Gangothri Layout Mysore	11	Ms. Manjula P.V, Mr SubramanyaK.R Mr.Gururaj D	28-07-2014
3.	Sharada Nursery Primary &Secondary School Sharadadevi Nagar Mysore	13	Ms.RamanakumarPV Mr.Sharanaiah M MMr.Gururaj D	04-08-2014
4.	Govt. Primary school TonachchiKoppal School Mysore	9	Ms. Shobha O Ms. Sumana H P Mr.Gururaj D	16-01-2015
5.	JnanaKeerthi School Convent Janatha nagar Mysore	9	Ms. Shobha O Ms. Asa S A Mr.Gururaj D	18-02-2015
6.	Orchids school, Ramakrishna Nagara, Mysore	13	Ms. Priti Nair Ms. Kadambari Mr.Gururaj D	30-03-2015
Total No. of Schools Covered: 6		70		6 programmes

Outreach/ Community Based Activities by Student Special Educators

Organizing Department	Department of Special Education	
Theme/Topic	Community based Rehabilitation counselling	
Coordinators	Ms. Preethi Nair & Mr. Gururaj D	
Objectives	Creating awerness regarding Community based Rehabilitation	
Targets	Grama panchayathi, Primary Health Care Centre, Govt. Schools, Anganvadi, Door to door awerness	
Participants	B.S.Ed (HI) Students	
Dates	6 th , 11 th , 20 th , 25 th March and April 10 th	

E) Public Lecture Series

Name of the staff	Date of lecture	Topic of lecture	Language	Number of participants
G. Malar	28.02.2015	Differential Instruction	English	19
Dr. Swapna. N	26. 07.2014	Cerebral palsy	English	30

Name of the staff	Date of lecture	Topic of lecture	Language	Number of participants
Dr. Swapna	26.07.2014	Cerebral Palsy	English	30

V. TECHNOLOGICAL CONSULTANCY SERVICES-NIL

VI. CENTRAL FACILITIES

A) Library and Information Services

B) Public Information Activities

i) Major Events of the Year with a brief account

- ❖ The Department participated in Makkala Dasara from 27th to 30th Sept. 2014 and exhibited department activities though PPT and some brochures. Around 100 brochures were distributed.



ii) Press Releases and Media Coverage

- ❖ Preschool Graduation day 1st & 2nd April 2014 – Andolana, Star of Mysore, The Hindu
- ❖ National Seminar on Bringing applied Behaviour Analysis to Home, School & Play Information on 31st Oct 2014 - Andolana, Star of Mysore, The Hindu
- ❖ Taare Zameen Par 16th Feb 2015 - Andolana, Star of Mysore, The Hindu

iii) Institute Publications

- ❖ PIP brochure was prepared and released in 4 languages
- ❖ A brochure on the activities of U-SAFE (Unit of sensory adaptation for education) was prepared and released
- ❖ A brochure on the activities of SEA-U was prepared and released

C) Material Development

Sl. No.	Nature of Teaching-Learning Materials	Skill	Number
1.	Flash cards	For all skill areas	30000
2.	Work Cards	For all skill areas	3500
3.	Charts	For all skill areas	54
4.	PPT	For all skill areas	300
5.	Models	For all skill areas	72
6.	Sentence strips	For all skill areas	24000
7.	Others	For all skill areas	50

VII. AWARDS AND HONORS RECEIVED BY FACULTY AND STAFF

Name of the faculty	Award received	Date	Event	Details
Dr.Swapna N., Dr. Prema Rao, Dr. Y. V. Geetha, Ms.Asha S. A.	Smt.Annapoorna memorial Award for best paper on technological development for PWD's.	8.1.15	NCED international conference, Bhubaneswar	Paper titled Digital tutorial to facilitate pre-reading skills

VIII. EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- A) AIISH Gymkhana
- B) NSS
- C) Others:

Summer Camp

Event	AIISH Preschool Summer Camp			
Duration	1 st to 23 rd May 2014			
Participants	48 children with communication disorders (including HL – 11; MR – 18; Autism – 09; CP – 03; Downs – 07 & 31 boys: 17 girls)			
Highlights of Programme	Sl. No.	date	event	Resource person
	1	1.05.2014	Inauguration of summer camp & Orientation on kitchen gardening	Mr. Raju M.S.
	2	12.05.2014	Craft day	Ms. Vathsala & Ms. Geetaha
	3	13.05.2014	Best out of waste	Mr. Santhosh kusunoor from rangayana
	4	15.05.2014	Magic show	Mr. Rajbhat
	5	19.05.2014	Mime show	Mr. Mime Ramesh
	6	20.05.2014	Nature walk to RIE campus	Mr. Man manu from rangayana
	7	21.05.2014	Movie watch	Mr. Man manu from rangayana
	8	22.05.2014	Mushroom cultivation & visit to Chandra vana	Horticulture department
	9	23.05.2014	Orientation on kitchen gardening and distribution of kits	Dr. Prabha Mandal
Coordinators	Ms. Shobha, B. N., Ms. Kadambari, N. & Ms. Sreevidya M. S.			

Summer Camp Photos:



Institute anniversary program- Children with special needs participated on 9th August 2014



Independence Day celebrations on 15th Aug 2014. Children compered the program and drill on a song Vande Mataram was performed. Parents of children with special needs sang a patriotic song.



Onam and Ramzaan was celebrated on 27th Aug 2014. Parents took the initiative and celebrated. Cultural program was presented by the children with special needs and their parents.



Teacher's Day on 05.09.2014: With the help of PPT the story of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan was shown to children. Children and parents participated in different programs.



Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated on 19.9.14: Children dressed up as Radha Krishna and were shown the story of Lord Krishna.



Children's day celebration on 14.11.2014- Fun competitions were conducted for children with special needs.



Christmas and new year celebrations:

Christmas and New Year was celebrated on 1st Jan 2015. Children and their parents presented a cultural program.



Republic Day:

Note: - AIISH Celebrated 66th republic day function on 26th Jan 2015. As a part of this function the preschool children attending services in the department of special education presented a skit, speech, and Fancy Dress programs. All these cultural activities projected patriotic values like respect for our nation and national symbols, Swachh Bharath Abhiyan, Secularism, Saluting the great personalities who served for the nation etc. 60 children and caregivers participated.

Holi Celebration

Note: - To give in-depth knowledge about the Holi festival to children with special needs the celebrations was organized at the department on 6th March 2015



Ugadi Celebration at the Department

Note: - To give in-depth knowledge about the Ugadi festival to 240 children with special needs. The celebrations of the same was organized at the department on 27-03-2015.



Competitions

Special Olympics Bhandhavya- 2015: A sports meet which gives an opportunity for preschool children to participate in different athletic events and provides an opportunity to get selected for national level sports. 28 students participated in state level games and 75 students participated in fun games. *Students won a total 17 medals (5 Gold, 7 Silver and 5 Bronze)*



Taare Zameen Par

Note:- Around 240 children with mental retardation, autism and various other multiple disabilities from AIISH preschool were taken to the Jagan Mohan Palace on 15th Feb 2015 for showcasing their talents in the TaareZameen Par program (Inter school competition for special children) organized by Rotary Mysuru. The show was to encourage the children and the staff and caregivers training the children. AIISH preschool **bagged the first prize (trophy and a sum of Rs. 5000/)** for the overall performance.

Resource Person / Organizers: - Rotary Mysuru



Competitions for children in Co-curricular activities

Note:- To showcase the talents of children with special needs, to improve their self-confidence and self-esteem, to reduce fear and to instil joy in them different competitions like singing, fancy dress and drama were organized on 24/03/2015 & 25/03/2015. 215 children participated in the program.



IX. MAJOR EVENTS OF THE YEAR

- ❖ Launch of Parent Infant Program by Dr. Sudesh Mukhopadhyay, RCI Chairperson on 9th Aug 2014 Brochures in four different languages (Eng, Kan, Mal & Hin) were prepared and released. This is a program focussing on early infant stimulation.



- ❖ **Inauguration of Special Education Assessment Unit (SEAU)**

Launch of Special Education Assessment Unit (SEAU) by Prof. Sarvamangala, Department of Education, University of Mysore on 5th March 2015. Two brochures on the screening were prepared and released. This is a unit dedicated to carry out the special educational assessment in children with special needs.



- ❖ **Inauguration of Unit of Sensory Adaptation for Education (U-SAFE)**

Launch of Unit of Sensory Adaptation for Education (USAFE) by Prof. Sarvamangala Dept of Education on 5th March 2015. A brochure on the same was prepared and released. This is a unit dedicated to solving the sensory problems in children with special needs.



Preschool Graduation Day:

Preschool Graduation Day was conducted on 25th April 2014. The chief guest for the program was Mr. B.N Shivaram Gowda, Block Education Officer, South Zone, Mysore.

The Objectives of this program were:

- To celebrate the success of preschool children for having completed preschool training for three consecutive years.
- To motivate the caregivers of preschool children for Inclusive Education.
- To distribute the progress reports and convocation certificate to children.



The program was successful in encouraging eighty one preschool children and their caregivers who successfully completed pre-school training from Department of Special Education. Among them, 96% got mainstreamed and 4% of children with communication disorders got admissions in special schools. Mr.Shivaram Gowda (Chief Guest) delivered a speech wherein he appreciated the attempts of department of Special Education and the Institute in the rehabilitation of children with special need. The progress reports were distributed to children by him. Parents of preschool children shared their experiences in regard to preschool training.

IX. EMINENT VISITORS:

- Dr. Habil Ulrike, Faculty of humanities, Dept. of SLP, Hannover, Germany, Ms. Kirsta Beta, PhD student of Dr. Ulrike and one staff from Gandhigram University reg. Dept. activities on 22.1.15
- LIC Inspection committee

XI. ANY OTHER

- a) **Swatchata Andolan on Oct 2nd** – As a part of Swatchata Andolan program staff of Department of Special Education reorganized all the files and materials in a systematic manner.



b) **Official Language Implementation:**

- Every day a word in Hindi with meaning is written on the main entrance board. Staff on rotation, write the Hindi word and the meaning.
 - Staff write the names of children in Hindi in the attendance register.
 - At official places the captions are both in Hindi and English.
 - Need Based teaching- learning materials in Hindi were developed for Hindi clients.
 - The certificates of the workshop “Livelihood programs for the Individual with Special Needs” were given in Hindi and English language(Bilingual).
- ii. **Civil work:** Construction of the U-SAFE wing