

# 2021

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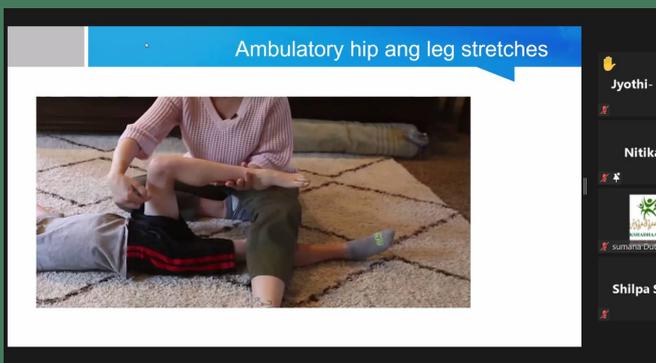


**AKSHADHAA FOUNDATION**



*“Don't limit yourself. Many people limit themselves to what they think they can do. You can go as far as your mind lets you. What you believe, remember you can achieve.”*

## MOTHER CHILD PROGRAM



Mother and child online training

Our endeavour to empower the parent caregivers and to equip them with the tools and understanding of how to work with their child at home continues and in the month of July we conducted the 3rd batch of Mother Child Program. This was 12 hours training program, sharing the hands on tools how to use the common resources and bring structured learning environment for the child. 30 parents took part in this month long program.

# FRIENDSHIP DAY CELEBRATION

During covid time when most of the engagements were happening virtually, the Akshadhaa Team thought of celebrating International Friendship day little differently and including friends from different spheres of life. We invited corporate professionals, professionals from the field of counselling, college interns and children across the cities who are part of online therapy program. It was two hours program with conversation, music, art and craft and fulfilled engagement.



Friendship day celebration with children and Akshadhaa's friends

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*A friend is a gift you give yourself.*

# TRAINING FOR TEACHING PROFESSIONALS

Equip the Special Million program conducted two certificate programs on Understanding Concept and Application of Sensory Integration (SI) for teaching professionals working with children with autism and other intellectual challenges. There were psychologists, special educators, and behavioural therapists along with pre-school teachers who got ideas in handling their students to gain attention and focus. Overall, the need of SI and strategies are applicable not only for special needs children but also for the mainstream students who have difficulty in regulating themselves which can affect their academics and other skills. In two months (August and September) we have trained 52 trainers and parent professionals and through that reaching out to 742 children and young adult beneficiaries with whom these professionals are working at different ngos, schools and in their individual capacity.



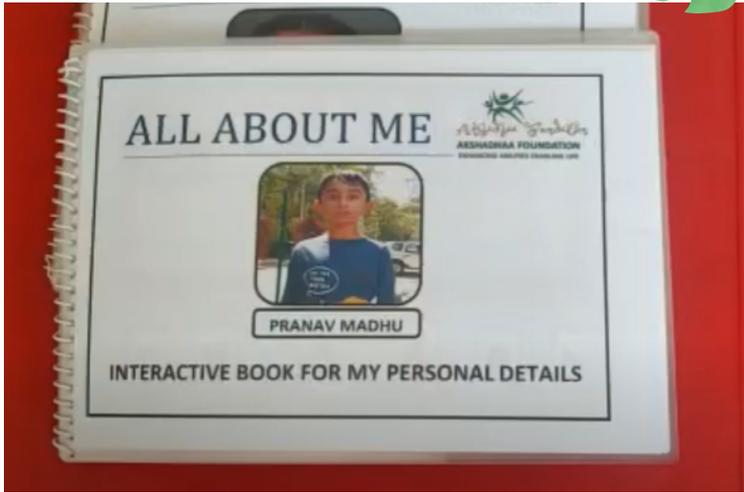
Training program for experts



# CUSTOMIZED ME BOOK – A solution tool for communication and build up functional life skill

We launched our interactive ME BOOK which contains all the personalized data of a child which the child can learn step by step to use for communication, share information and ask for information. This is a tangible working material for children with autism and intellectual challenges. This interactive book can be practiced time and again till the time child is confident about it. Click the below link to watch the video.

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Customized ME BOOK

*“If I have the belief that I can do it, I shall surely acquire the capacity to do it even if I may not have it at the beginning.”*

DID YOU KNOW  
AKSHADHAA'S  
TRAINEES MAKE  
GIFTS FOR YOUR  
FESTIVAL?

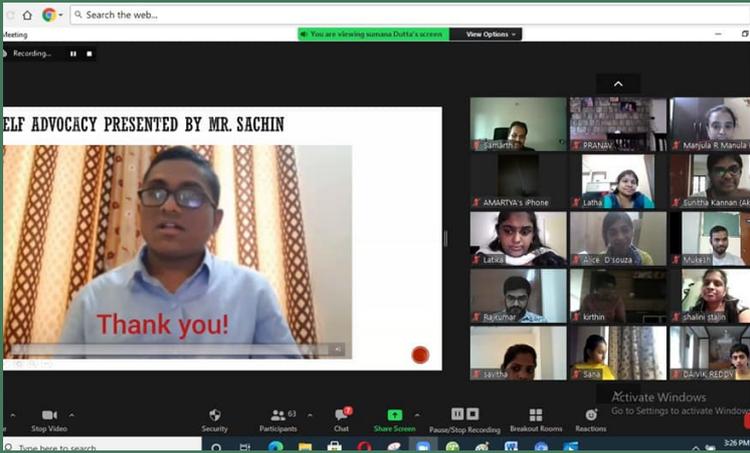
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# AKSHADHAA SHOWCASE DAY

## EVERYONE IS GOOD AT SOMETHING!

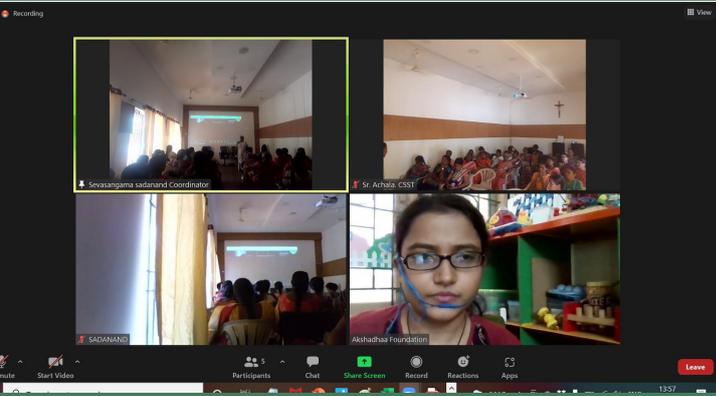
This is the believe we hold close to our heart and work relentlessly with our children. This was the theme of our showcase day in August, where the sole purpose was to give visibility to each and every student and bring their strength, interest, likings in front of our guests, well-wishers, parents and give them the platform. We also showcased our alumni students who were successfully settled in open employment sector of packaging industry and hospitality sector and are earning members of their family.



Akshadhaa showcase day event

# CAPACITY BUILDING OF OUR PARTNER NGOS

In the month of October and November, we had two capacity building training programs for Anganwadi and Asha workers of Seva Sangama ngo of Kalaburgi district of North Karnataka. These were full day training session in kannada, giving them tips of handling the children with intellectual and motor challenges while working with families in the villages. Screening sheet, age wise developmental domain related activities were translated in Kannada and handed over to them.



Capacity building training for our partners NGO's

## BLESSINGS AKSHADHAA INITIATIVE – GIFTING SOLUTIONS



It is the initiative to bring a meaningful livelihood with dignity for adults with Intellectual Disabilities. 'Blessings- Gifts that melt a heart' has been envisaged to become a full-fledged gifting company that will work in the realm of festive, corporate, and personal gifting that are specially handmade with love, affection and care. Our products, ranging from green live potted plants, aromatic candles, chocolates, paper products, jewellery, canvas art, greeting cards, coasters and many more. This year we came up with our new product range which were appreciated by many of our satisfied customers.

Click the below link to see our catalogs.



Akshadhaa's blessings products

Special School and Rehabilitation Service  
# 4 BC - 803, located, 4th 'B' Cross HRBR Layout, 1st Block,  
Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore - 560 043.

Vocational Training and NIOS Center  
# 2C - 720, 2nd Cross, HRBR Layout, Block 1,  
Banaswadi, Bangalore - 560 043.

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