FALSABAG ADIBASI PRIMARY SCHOOL

MDM VEGETABLES FROM SCHOOL KITCHEN GARDEN

Under the umbrella of seminal educational scheme Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) the Government of India in tandem with the state governments and union territories (UTs) has launched **School Education Shagun (SE Shagun)** to initiate innovations to upgrade smooth running of elementary education system with appropriate technology intervention and modernization. The story of FALSABAG ADIBASI PRIMARY SCHOOL reflects the endeavour taken by the authorities to put the elementary schooling system on right track to make it at par. Besides the usual school activities, an unique initiative is taken to improve the quality of students' Mid day Meal

Name of the Initiative

Vegetable farming in School Kitchen Garden for Mid Day Meal programme.

Description of the Initiative

Variety of vegetables been planted in the available land within our School area. With the support from all, we have grown quality vegetables like spinach, onion, cabbage, tomato, brinjal. These vegetables are used as and when required basis resulting in student getting the fresh vegetables in their



Vegetables been grown in the School Kitchen garden

MDM straight from the garden. It has two prong benefits and they are: 1) Much economical, 2) Fresh vegetables- free from any fertilizer chemicals (as available in the market).

Besides being fresh, we take additional care to see that the growths of vegetables are good and nutritional values are optimum for students.

Benefit of the initiative

Students get variety of fresh vegetables as they wish in their daily Mid Day Meal. Regular supply of vegetables have saved the cost of procurement from market and wastage as well.



View of portion of Kitchen Garden

Objective

Very basic objective is to use fresh, chemical free vegetables for the students' daily meal that too at an affordable price which is much less compared to the

market rate

Number of Beneficiaries 89

Year of Implementation 2021

Falsabag Adibasi Primary School

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Block and Circle: Nabagram,

District: Murshidabad

West Bengal



Leafy vegetables being grown at the Kitchen Garden



Mid Day Meal session in the school