

Government of Andhra Pradesh  
Tribal Welfare Department

**CTW Circular Rc.No. D2/5394/2013**

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Sub: Tribal Welfare –Education- Education Fortnight celebrations from 22-6-2013 to 6-7-2013- Conducting Vidya Sambaralu- Issuing detailed instructions-reg.,

Ref: 1. Government letter No. 15686/PE-SSA/2013 Dated 11-6-2013  
2.State Project Director, SSA, Hyderabad letter Rc.No.394/RVM(SSA)/TE/C14/2013 Dated 3-6-2013  
3. Govt. Memo No.5781/TW.Edn.1/ 2013 Dated 15-6-2013

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Government is organizing Education Fortnight Celebrations from 22<sup>nd</sup> June onwards in a campaign mode and directed the Tribal Welfare Department also to put in efforts for promoting enrolment of school age children among STs, and to bring out of school children back to school and to put in all efforts to ensure the provisions of Right of Children for Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act,.2009.

2. In view of the above, the following instructions are issued to the Project Officers of ITDAs, Deputy Directors of Tribal Welfare, District Tribal Welfare Officers and Assistant Tribal Welfare Officers in the state for strict compliance.

**Preparatory activities**

3. The following preparatory activities are a prerequisite for conducting the Education fortnight from 22-6-2013:

- a) **Appointment of Nodal officers and Task Force:** Mandal level task force shall be constituted as already directed by School Education department and Project Officers of ITDAs shall appoint Nodal Officers for all ITDA mandals. Commissioner, Tribal Welfare shall also appoint Nodal Officers for ITDA / Non ITDA districts for effective coordination.
- b) **Appointment of Village Link Teachers:** In case of Ashram Schools, the villages/ habitations in the catchment area to be identified and teachers from Ashram School and Govt. Primary Schools (TW) shall be appointed as Village Link Teachers for all the villages/habitations in the catchment area. The teachers shall visit the villages and meet the parents and ensure that:

- All the school age children in the village/habitations are enrolled in the schools.
- Out of school children are brought back to the schools.
- Children of 3<sup>rd</sup> class and above are admitted in Ashram Schools.
- Children enrolled in Ashram Schools but not joined back - report to Ashram Schools.

### **Activities during the fortnight**

3. Each day during the fortnight shall be celebrated with a specific theme and the activities to be taken up on each day shall be as detailed hereunder:

#### **22<sup>ND</sup> June, 2013 (Saturday): MODEL SCHOOLS DAY**

4. Tribal Welfare Department has come up with a plan of action to strengthen the TW Ashram Schools by standardizing the strength and by strengthening the infrastructure. On this day, meetings shall be held in the Ashram Schools and the following steps will be taken up:

- Explaining the new structure of the Ashram Schools.
- Awarding certificates to the students that passed SSC
- Conducting counseling to the students for admission into postmatric institutions.
- Drawing up of institutions plan for the Institutions to ensure that:
  - All students attain 36 components of Punadi
  - 95% attendance in 2013-14
  - 25% Students achieve A + grade (above 70%)
  - 25% Students achieve A grade (61% - 70%)
  - 50% Students achieve B+ grade (51% - 60%)

#### **23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2013 (Sunday): INAUGURATION DAY:**

5. Tribal Welfare Department has taken steps to sanction and complete a number of works for strengthening infrastructure in Ashram Schools, Hostels and Postmatric hostels.

- 30 of such works with a cost of Rs.45.70 cr are ready and they shall be inaugurated on that day district wise details enclosed as **Annexure - I**
- Further, Tribal Welfare has taken up 'PUNADI' a campaign to ensure that all the students from Class III to IX attain the 36 basic competencies. In order to continue the effort a baseline test shall be conducted for all the children from Class III to IX on this day.

### **24<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Monday) : WELFARE DINOTSAVAM:**

6. Government have sanctioned a number of works on a massive scale for strengthening infrastructure of educational institutions under Tribal Sub plan during 2013-14.

- 546 of such works with a cost of Rs. 1188.30 cr are ready for grounding. Foundation stones for such works may be laid down on that day district wise details enclosed as **Annexure -II**
- Further, Tribal Welfare Department has taken up steps to supply Abhyasikas (Student workbooks) and Deepikas (Teacher handbooks) for improvement of quality of education in Tribal Welfare Ashram Schools. It is a massive program benefitting 3.13 lakhs students, covering 16,500 teachers. 18.17 lakhs copies of books with a cost of Rs.10.66 cr. will be ready for distribution. The books shall be distributed to the students and teachers on this day.

### **25<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Tuesday) : GURUKULAM DINOTSAVAM:**

7. The Tribal Welfare department will organize a function depicting the achievements done by Gurukulams. On this day:

- Merit Certificates to the best performing students, teachers will be given.
- Functions will also be organized in the Gurukulams and the tribal Community will be involved and awareness will be created on the educational facilities available for them.
- Focus on the welfare of the tribal students studying in APSWREIS, APREIS and other institutions.

### **26<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Wednesday): KGBV DINOTSAVAM:**

8. Tribal Welfare Department is running 102 KGBVs and 41 Mini Gurukulams for ST girl students. On this day:

- Essay writing and elocution competitions will be conducted across all the Educational Institutions in the State on the theme of 'Girl Child'.
- Topics will be given by the teachers and competitions will be conducted among the children on the theme of 'Empowerment of Girl Child through Literacy – and "measures to be taken for controlling social evils etc."

**27<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Thursday): SECONDARY EDUCATION DAY:**

9. Tribal Welfare Department has ensured that a number of initiatives are taken up strengthening secondary education in TW Ashram Schools with special focus on Class IX and X. The interventions include programs under RMSA also. Further action is also initiated for converting 50 hostels in Non ITDA districts and 30 in ITDA districts into Ashram Schools. On this day, action shall be taken to:

- Start the schools in the premises of the hostels.
- Engaging CRTs in all Ashram Schools against the vacancies in all Ashram Schools.
- Appointment of HWOs-Gr.II against the vacancies for which APPSC has recruited 289 candidates.
- Distribute Pratibha scholarships and awards.

**28<sup>th</sup> June,2013 (Friday):MATHRU BHASHA GOWRAVA DINOTSAVAM:**

10. In tune with the Government Policy to promote mother tongue:

- Rallies will be taken up in all the Villages depicting the importance of Telugu language.
- Prizes will be distributed to children who participated in elocution and essay writing competitions. felicitate some of the Telugu Pandits and address parents about the importance of Telugu language and tribal dialects.

**29<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Saturday) : SMC FORMATION DINOTSAVA**

11. As directed by Government:

- On this day, School Management Committees will be formed as per the recent guidelines issued by the Government of Andhra Pradesh.
- All the Dist Educational Officers (DEOs)of Agency/Dy.DEOs of ITDAs and Mandal Education Officers (MEOs) will ensure that SMCs are formed in all the Schools. Interaction with the SMCs shall be convened with public representatives by the Nodal Officers.
- The Village education profile shall be prepared and based on that, the school development plans and Village literacy plans shall be prepared to achieve 100% literacy and enrollment in the Village.
- The Parent & Teachers meet shall be organized in all the Schools.

**30<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 (Sunday): CHILD RIGHTS DINOTSAVAM:**

12. In order to ensure awareness about the child rights steps will be taken up to:

- Conduct campaigns and workshops in all the districts will be organized.
- All the Educational Institutions will discuss about the Child Rights and all the teachers will be sensitized on the child rights.
- Child Welfare Committees set up by the Government will take active role.
- The entitlements of the students studying in hostels such as (2)uniform sets, incentives such as textbooks, notebooks and items under budget head 201/211(Materials and supplies) namely plates, glasses, trunk boxes, bedding material etc., shall be distributed in a public meeting in the school.
- Further the details of such entitlements shall be displayed prominently on a wall-board in the premises of the hostels and schools.

**1<sup>st</sup> July, 2013 (Monday) : PRE-SCHOOL DINOTSAVAM:**

13. In order to ensure proper functioning of preschool activity, action shall be taken to:

- Admit all eligible children into respective Anganwadi Centers.
- The Department is introduced full Mid Day Meal in the Anganwadi Centers. Importance of 'Indiramma Amrutha Hastham' will also be explained to the Community and various activities taken up will be highlighted.

**2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2013: (Tuesday): SCIENCE & MATHS DINOTSAVAM:**

14. In order to promote Science and Mathematics education among STs, action shall be taken to:

- Organizing exposure visit to the Children will be taken up to the Science museums and importance of Science will be explained to the pupil.
- Small Science fairs and exhibitions will also be organized.
- In the Schools, Science laboratories shall be made useful to do experiments by the students.
- New Science laboratories shall be set up under RMSA programme.
- Maths quiz and other competitions shall be conduct in all the schools across the state.

**3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2013: (Wednesday): TREE PLANTATION DINOTSAVAM:**

15. In order to create awareness about environment and to promote school horticulture, action shall be taken to:

- Strengthen Harivillu program in all Educational Institutions under Indira Pacha Toranam.
- Tree plantations will be taken up by involving the parents and public representatives in all the Schools.
- The importance of trees and water harvesting will also be highlighted.
- Students will be encouraged to maintain diary observing plants growth/progress. Trees shall be planted under Indiramma Pachathoranam, so that two persons can be deployed in each school who will also take care toilets maintenance and watchman duties.

**4<sup>th</sup> July, 2013 (Thurs day): HEALTH AND SANITATION DINOTSAVAM:**

16. In order to ensure student health in Ashram Schools and hostels, hon'ble Chief Minister launched Rajiv Bala Sanjivini on 17-3-2013 at G.K.Veedhi, Vishakhapatnam district. On this day, action shall be taken to:

- Position the 32 Mobile Medical Teams in the tribal areas under the program.
- The Medical officer of the concerned PHC shall conduct health checkup to all the children.
- Any referral cases may be noticed shall be treated separately.
- The children should be inculcate health and personal hygiene habits.
- All the toilets in the institutions shall be ensured proper functioning.
- For maintaining the school sanitation the Scheme of "Paccha Thoranam" shall be linked with this activity.
- Under this scheme the school shall engage two persons on outsourcing basis to maintain the greenery, school sanitation and to work as watchman.
- Further all the minor repairs in the hostels and ashram schools shall be sanctioned and ensured that they are grounded on this day.

**5<sup>th</sup> July, 2013 (Friday) : SPORTS DINOTSAVAM:**

17. Since Games and Sports need to be highlighted action shall be taken to:

- Lay foundation for the 5 Sports stadia sanctioned under TSP of the SAAP.
- Sports Schools shall be sanctioned where stadia are sanctioned.

- All the children will be asked to play sports and games and important aspect of various games will also be explained to the children.
- The play grounds and sports material in all the Schools will be made available to the children.

18. All the Project Officers and Deputy Directors of Tribal Welfare and District Tribal Welfare Officers are requested to take up the programs as detailed above and furnish the daily progress to this office accordingly.

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