

Impact assessment of School infrastructure development undertaken by HMEL in government schools

HMEL has undertaken various developmental activities in 26 government schools of 20 vicinity villages and conducted impact assessments through third party agency i.e. **Central University of Punjab, Bathinda**. Out of 26 schools, 23 schools were covered through this assessment. Key highlights of impact created through the project are as follows.

HMEL has undertaken construction of 7 new class rooms in 7 government schools, 6 new kitchen shed in 6 government schools. Apart from these installation of paver blocks was completed in 13 schools. In 1 of the Govt. high school painting work was undertaken by HMEL.

Impact assessment conducted by Central University, Punjab in July 2023 -

The assessment team had a discussion with School principal and teachers and other stakeholders. The respondents shared that HMEL has deployed skilled workers throughout the construction work and adhered safety and quality control protocols. New Classrooms have created sufficient space for teachers and students and conducive learning environment. The constructed kitchen shed resulted in preparing food on time, and serving hygienic and good quality meals on time.

Students shared with assessment team that during rainy season it caused inconvenience and disruption to daily activities. Installation of pavor blocks undertaken by HMEL has provided convenient accessibility for school students & teachers to the school premises.

The painting work and white wash undertaken by HMEL has helped in maintenance and hygiene of 13 rooms and the improvement of the outer building. The school witnessed an increase in student enrolment, reflecting the enhanced reputation and source of attraction for the institution.

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