

Retaining the School Going Children through SEC

Karthik, 13 years old boy hails from Ayyanarkulam village of Alangulam Block. He has been studying X std. in Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Alangulam. He has 2 brothers and he belongs to poor family. During the end of Second term academic period he has drop out from school due to score very less marks and failed in all the subjects. Even though his parents, has provided moral support to continue the education he did not agree to carry on the study. In Ayyanarkulam the CRMC is active and engaged them to monitor the school going children. One of the CRMC members came to know the status of Karthick and later on the



SEC teacher and other CRMC members met him and convinced to continue study. Initially he was motivated to attend SECs. The SEC atmosphere and the peer group friendship made him to rejoin the school within a month. Then he was taken into special attention and guided. He never passed all the subjects in school exams. With the support of SEC teacher and Community Organizer he has scored 270 marks in the Govt. public exam conducted by March 2015 and passed all the subjects. Now, he is studying XI std. in the same school.