



# NATIONAL YOUTH EQUITY FORUM (NYEF)

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## ABOUT NYEF:

National Youth Equity Forum (NYEF) is a membership based collective of/for socially excluded young people striving to promote leadership and equal opportunity for youth towards achieving their social, education, economic and cultural rights with a vision to build a just and socially inclusive society for all.

Currently, NYEF evolving as a membership based youth led movement consisting over 5000 members across structured and organised youth led collectives as Bihar Ambedkar Students' Forum (BASF), Uttar Pradesh Youth Equity Forum (UPYEF) and Delhi Youth Equity Forum (DYEF). NYEF vision is to nurture young leadership among socially excluded communities i.e. Dalit, Adivasi, Muslim, Nomadic Tribes & De- Notified Tribes, voice out their concerns of growing inequalities and aligned together for community based actions to transform and influence their self, society and governance !

On the principle of educate, agitate and organize, around 140 fellows and thousands of motivated cadres across states is able to push the agenda of social equity & inclusion in the area of education, health (SRHR), employability and entrepreneurial education by keeping the national and global goals of "leave no one behind" in the frame of SDGs and Constitutional mandate of promoting equality, liberty, fraternity and justice for all!

## Highlights of Jan-Mar 2023

- Girl Child Education Rights Campaign (Postcard Campaign) – 2700 post cards were sent to the Bihar Chief Minister (1200 girls) and UP Chief Minister (1500 girls)
- Go Nisha Go (GNG) campaign about Healthy and Unhealthy relationships with 80+ youth on Savitri Bai Phule Jayanti celebration across UP and Bihar in collaborations with Restless development.
- A National Study on Socio-Economic status of Afghanistani Refugees staying in Delhi NCR: 12 fellows covered 4 areas of Afghan habitations and survey 120 families.
- 15 Fellows took a True Colors-based personality test and learned about a community youth survey to engage marginalized youth.
- 5 Fellows selected for "Gram Swarajya Fellowship"
- 5 fellow selected for "Sajhe Sapne"
- 6 fellow attended Youth Carnival and shared their journey and the challenges they are facing.
- Samvidhan Samjho toh campaign in which fellows facilitated activities in their local colonies, outreached 1000+ youth.
- 6 girls have been selected for Rijwana Fellowship from UP & Bihar.

### On-Ground Voices

After Joining the Bihar Ambedkar Student Forum-BASF, I have developed leadership quality in myself. I have also developed good communication skill and logical and analytical thinking. -

**Mandeep kumar ,BASF**

"I have gained the opportunity to interact with people of differnt thinking and perspective ,which made me aware about the issues and the way it should be handled . I am immensely grateful to UPYEF for providing me a platform to learn."

**- Aradhana , UPYEF**

"After Joining CLAY fellowship, I am able to nurture my leadership abilities and aware regarding my constitutional rights and our community icons and able to learn about self and society"

**-Dharmendra, Senior CLAY Fellowship**



## Bihar Ambedkar Students Forum - BASF

A Collective of Dalit, Adivasi, Muslim and other marginalized youth operating in 12 districts of Bihar through "Dr. Ambedkar Fellowship programme and over 3500 members since 2012

- Under the "Samvidhan Express Campaign", 30 schools were visited to create awareness about the values of the Constitution.
- 13 fellows filled form for admission in Navodaya Vidyalaya.
- "The gender lab" - "अपन लड़कन के कैसे बड़ा करी" 3 days online workshop.
- 1 fellow got selected in Youth ke bol championship.
- Under the "Girl Child Education Rights Campaign", for participation in the School Action Plan & Budget, Letter handed to district administration.
- Education Officers of 3 districts, contacted for participation in the district level plan.
- 6th batch BASF fellowship election
- 12 fellows were elected in 6 districts. Outcome Impact Orientation for Module in Delhi.
- 2 members from NYEF participated in "Aao Budget dekhna Sikhe" training in Jaipur (BARC)
- Career Guidance Workshop with Youth in Rohtas.



## Let's hear from State Collectives

### Delhi Youth Equity Forum - DYEF

A collective of Dalit, Adivasi, Muslim and other marginalized youth operating in Delhi NCR through "ASPIRE Fellowship and over 450 members since 2019

- Fight Inequality Campaign : Covered 3 areas of Delhi.
- GNG panel Discussion on the Topic of SRHR and challenges faced by Youth
- RTE Campaign: Filled 40-45 forms in 5 areas.
- Art Workshop at Raahgiri with the program Help Delhi Breathe.
- English speaking workshop organised with DYEF.
- 2 Fellows selected for Vihara program and oriented 16 young people from their organisation.
- Go nisha Go campaign started to spread awareness about Healthy and Unhealthy relationships with 80+ youth.
- Two days residential workshop on youth for democracy at Gurugram

### Uttar Pradesh Youth Equity Forum - UPYEF

A Collective of Dalit, Muslim and other marginalized youth operating in 7 districts of UP through "Social Inclusion Fellowship and over 650 members since 2020

- Savitri bai Phule Jayanti community celebration
- 3rd batch selection meeting and form distribution for new membership under UPYEF.
- UPYEF's annual planning meeting organized in Lucknow.
- Workshop on OIO with BFTW.
- Aao budget dekhna sekhne with Budget analysis rajasthan centre (BARC).
- 10 fellows finalize and profiling.
- Habitation and scheme research.
- 5 fellow interview and selected for "Gram Swarajya Fellowship"
- 2 fellow selected for "Sajhe Sapne"

## Children's Equity Forum - CLAY Fellowship

An educational development interventions for most marginalized adolescents and children towards promoting equity and inclusion in education through CLAY fellowship and Children's Equity Forum in government schools and communities since 2013

- Celebrate 192nd Savitri Jyanti in Madhuban and inauguration of Digital CLAY Learning center.
- 4 fellows got selected in Rijwana, 2 in Youth ke bol and 1 in see create change fellowship.
- 10 Leadership workshop conducted with 12 CLAY fellows in VVK.
- 2 CLC started in Madarpur and Gosaimath
- Fellow Local exposure in AADHAAR Centre Dhanarua, Masaudhi, and Patna.
- Training on SRHR and Science experiment Skill with Unstructured studio.
- 1 mentor Elected in Ward counsellor.
- LIPE Program Mapped and implemented in 6 CLC with 120 Children in manjhi Habitation.
- 1 Child Track of District Children Equity Forum for JNV Preparation.
- Ongoing Azim Premji University Interview for Master's with Manjhi Community.
- List of 10 Bihar Govt. schemes and the documents required to apply for the same.
- Participated in Youth ke bol event.



## Upcoming Programmes:

- DYEF fellows selected for Azadi Project.
- Ambedkar Jayanti celebration in UP and Bihar.
- HELP program for Azim Premji University from UP, Bihar and Delhi.
- Women's day celebration in UP, Bihar and Delhi.
- Awareness meeting on CUET and other college entrance exams by UPYEF fellows.
- Data profiling in different slums of Delhi.
- Preparation for Sajhe Sapne Interview process.
- National Consultation and Sharing of finding from study of Afghanistan refugees Residing in NCR.
- BASF Fellows to organize Summer camp.
- Fellow Selection in Bihar, UP & Delhi.

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