



Dear All,  
Greetings from Dalmia Bharat Foundation.  
We trust this note finds you well. It's with great pleasure that Dalmia Bharat Foundation (DBF) Team reflects on the incredible journey undertaken in the third quarter, and we are thrilled to share our collective achievements through the pages of our Quarterly CSR Magazine

Team DBF, Jagiroad

## LIVELIHOOD INITIATIVES



Duck-rearing training for women

### Duck Rearing Units

- Seventy-five women were trained in duck rearing, focusing on feed, disease management, and hatching techniques.
- Detailed discussions were held on market dynamics, pricing strategies, and establishing local market connections.
- Additionally, 169 households were supported with the purchase of ducklings, and twelve beneficiaries have already reported income from the grown-up ducks.

### Kitchen Garden for Individual Households

- 200 kitchen garden units established as a secondary source of livelihood.
- These units yield approximately Rs. 10,000 annually, offering healthy and fresh vegetables for the garden-owning households.
- A kitchen garden training session was also organized for women in Kasarigaon village, with 45 participants trained by KVK experts.



A backyard kitchen garden established in Kasarigaon village



Women trained to produce mushroom in Jagiroad location

### Mushroom Units by SHG Women

- Training was provided to 30 women in mushroom cultivation and three mushroom units have been established in Q3.
- The trained groups have the potential to sell about 5 to 13 kg of mushrooms daily at the prevailing rate of Rs. 200 per kilogram.

### Eri Rearing

- Eri Rearing is a promising livelihood option in the Jagiroad location.
- 22 beneficiaries from Hatiamukh and Bangthaigoan villages are involved in this project.
- DBF supported beneficiaries with Eri rearing nets to initiate this activity.
- Each beneficiary has the potential to earn an additional annual income of Rs.40,000.



An Eri Rearing beneficiary working in her unit

# GRAM PARIVARTAN PROJECT

(An action towards bringing change)

## Introduction

The Gram Parivartan Program was launched with the aim of providing livelihoods that are economically sustainable, ecologically responsible, and socially equitable. The objective is to foster sustainable economic progress within selected communities, where household chosen for participation is expected to achieve an additional annual income of Rs. 1,00,000. This can be achieved through individual or group interventions and can function independently or converged with government programs.



Households  
Mapped

1592

Households with  
Additional Income

118

Interventions  
Planned

2141

Additional  
Income

Rs.  
121.53  
Lakhs



### HH in Different Levels of Additional Income

<25K	25K-50K	50K-75K	75K-1L	>1L
4	16	22	8	68

### Location Demographic Profile:



7 Villages



1599 Households



7629 Population

# A SUCCESS STORY FROM LIVELIHOOD INITIATIVE



**Juna Deka, a duck farmer from Natun Bongalbori, entered into duck farming to explore alternative income sources. She conducted thorough research on the potential benefits of duck farming and identified a growing market for duck products in her village. With the support of DBF, she underwent training on duck rearing conducted for a group of women in her village. As an active member of SHG activities, Juna was guided to apply for a loan with SRLM (State Rural Livelihood Mission), securing Rs.15,000 to purchase the initial flock of ducks.**

**With this loan, she acquired 100 ducklings, initiating her duck-rearing livelihood activity. Juna also invested time and resources in creating a spacious and well-ventilated duck house, ensuring access to clean water and proper feeding areas. Additionally, she established partnerships with local grocery stores and restaurants. The investment has already yielded an additional income of Rs.15,000 through the first sale of 30 ducklings. Juna continues to hatch and maintain an adequate number of ducks, ensuring a consistent sale every alternate month.**

# DALMIA INSTITUTE OF KNOWLEDGE & SKILL HARNESSING

Nurturing Futures: Empowering Youth Through Skill Development



Skill development of rural youth plays a vital role in unlocking their potential & creating avenues for a brighter future. By providing tailored training programs & workshops, we equip them with the tools to excel in various trades and professions. This not only enhances their employability but also empowers them to contribute effectively to their communities' growth and development.

## Updates (for FY23-24)

**3 Trades Offered**  
**3 Ongoing Batches**  
**60 Youth Trained**  
**26 Placed in Job**

### Trades Offered:

**CRM Domestic Non-Voice**  
**Assistant Electrician**  
**Solar PV Installer**



**Name: Jagganath Konwar**  
**Trade- CRM Non Voice**  
**Agency: Reliance Mart.**  
**Annual Salary:Rs.1,48,000**

# SOCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE:

## Sanitation



Public toilet work completed at Morigaon town

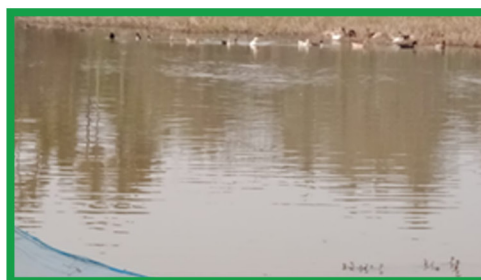
- Construction of sanitation blocks with urinals and toilets for the use of men and women.
- The facility, created by DBF at Morigaon town, witnesses a daily footfall of 50 men and women.
- DBF contributed Rs.26.36 lakhs to support this initiative.

## PHOTO GALLERY



Training for duck rearing

Integrated Fish Farming with ducks



Training for kitchen garden in collaboration with KVK