



**Books for all**  
We Don't Teach, We Educate



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### Beyond Eyes: A Journey into the World of the Visually Impaired

How does a visually impaired person experience life? For the sighted, it's hard to imagine—because blindness, for them is way of life. To truly understand this, one must momentarily step into their world. On 28th June, the Books For All (BFA) team—comprising management, volunteers, and staff—visited the National Association for the Blind (NAB) in R.K. Puram for a unique "Beyond Eyes" experience. In complete darkness, guided by Mr. Inderpreet, the team explored everyday objects through touch and smell—identifying sculptures, spices, and even engaging in a game of blind cricket.



This powerful 30-minute immersion deepened our empathy and commitment. It reminded us why our mission matters. Through Mission Sparsh, BFA continues to reach hundreds of visually impaired students across India, providing Braille and Tactile storybooks that open doors to learning and imagination.

### Empowering Futures Through Generosity



Books for All is grateful to Mr. Miraj Savla and Dr. Aditi of Columbus, Ohio, USA, for their generous support toward paramedical education for 26 girls from low-income families. As part of this initiative, 13 students have already been admitted to Ficks BMG, a reputed training institute in Greater Noida. During his recent visit to India, Mr. Savla met the students on June 23rd, accompanied by senior members of the BFA team. His inspiring words encouraged them to work hard and embrace new possibilities. Such gestures remind us how empowering education truly begins—with kindness, vision, and action.

### BFA Conducts Skill-Building Workshop for Librarians

During the summer vacations, Books For All conducted a 3-day Communication Workshop to enhance the skills of its librarians and volunteers. Led by Mrs. Nitu Channan, a former Founder Principal from Delhi NCR, the sessions focused on spoken English, reading, and self-expression. Through storytelling, role-play, and reflection, participants gained not just language tools but a renewed vision for making libraries more engaging and inclusive.

The impact is already visible across 6 Libraries cum Creative Centres, where Librarians are helping children speak more confidently and read with greater interest. This initiative reflects BFA's commitment to building the capacities of those who inspire learning every day.



### A Decade of Support: BFA Student Priyanka Joins MNC in Noida



Books For All proudly celebrates the success of Priyanka, a student we've supported for the past 10 years, who has now been selected by Sopra Steria, a multinational company in Noida, which has also sponsored her education for many years. Her journey from a curious young girl in 2015 to a confident professional today reflects the true spirit of long-term educational support.

When Priyanka was first chosen for BFA sponsorship, she came from a background where education—especially for girls—was undervalued. With no educated members in her family, she faced immense pressure to drop out and marry early. But with consistent academic, emotional, and financial support from BFA mentors, she stood her ground and pursued her studies.

**"Books For All changed everything for me," says Priyanka. "They believed in me when no one else did. Their support shaped my education, mindset, and confidence."**

## BFA Canvas



Team BFA with our new partner Mr. Miraj Savla and his family



Mr. Kuljeet from NAB R.K. Puram demonstrating reading and learning devices for visually impaired students.



Agrima, our Gen Z volunteer, supporting BFA with social media, website, and other digital initiatives.



Students of Sahayag Vivesh Vidyalaya reading Braille books provided



SMC of Primary School Rajapur, Block Rahi, Raebareli (UP), receiving the Wall Hung Library.

Would you like to support us in our activities or help as volunteers or mentors? We can be reached at **+91 - 9818649949** (Deepa Sengar) or **+91 - 9313584600** (Pravin)

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