

Thayamma

Thayamma, an 8 year old girl joined the Mission Education centre, Need Base India, Bengaluru last year. Her parents are unemployed and seldom work as daily wage laborers whenever they get the opportunity. Hence, this makes extremely difficult for them to run their family of 4 including her elder sister. One fine day while doing the community mobilization, the staff of the Mission Education centre found her lying on the pavement alone. When they asked about her parents, she replied that they went to work. She also told that they live in the tent situated on the roadside. The staff convinced her parents to send Thayamma to the centre. When she came at the centre, she was very shy and scared of all the people surrounding her. But, now, she has become friendly and the most lovable student at the centre. Currently, she is studying in Class II and achieved Grade A in class I. She aspires to be a teacher so that she could educate the underprivileged section of the society.

