

Teachers' Training Workshop

We conducted a week-long teachers' training workshop on human body, day-night and seasons in Swami Vivekananda Vidyalaya, a school run by Jagriti Bal Vikas Samiti. It was held from 23rd June 2003 to 27th June 2003. We contacted many schools and Eklavya for participation. We managed to gather 16 teachers. The response of the schools for participation was not very good.

Our Apne Hath Se team has developed four workshop modules: (1) Human Digestive System (2) Human Respiratory and Circulatory System (3) Human Skeleton and Muscular System (4) Day-night, Seasons, and Eclipses. On four days, we covered the above four modules. They enjoyed all aspects of the workshops: model making, digital tools (animations and games), discussion sessions, science experiments, and outdoor games. On the fifth day we had a general discussion on human body, followed by a mini workshop on Robotics by BRICS team. The teachers want more workshops of this kind. The workshop was very successful.

