Rohan Rereddy, NSF Youth Ambassador

I went to India in middle of June for 12 days with my family after 4 years got to see my close family.

Sri Vidya high school is located in Rallaguda near Shamshabad in Hyderabad, the students are from families who work as daily labor in the fields, they have asbestos roofs and few hours of electricity any given day, when I visited them and talked with the kids realized they need help in English language and proper grammar which will help them more than doing a spelling Bee. Then I have decided that I will teach them English grammar and speech for a week and conduct a Grammar Bee students were very excited and attentive.

Daily plan was a lesion in English Grammar, with my younger brother Ishan’s help, followed by a game to memorize the lesson, snack and home work. All the students never failed to the home work, in fact came every day with more questions, Sideshwar & ventakatnarayana had the most. End of the week the class scored from 72-89 on a written test, top ten were selected and given, Grammar Bee oral competition which was preside by the National chapter coordinator SriRamgi, who have given blessings and expressed his happiness to see the students do so well and work so sincerely.
All my students were very sad to end the week long session and kept me posted via mail after I returned to USA. From the Grammar Bee, I could not believe the students progressed so quickly and were still energetic in learning more, I went to teach them and in addition I have returned an enriched student. My Brother Ishan also wanted to continue the classes and did not complain the heat or the noise or the dirt I am very proud of my brother and my students.

I sincerely thank God for the opportunity to meet these wonderful people, wish all of them successful years to come.

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