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On June 6, we organized the monthly meeting with our scholars via messenger group call. We started the meeting by sharing updates and plans of the program in the coming days followed by scholars briefing their updates and stories on how they are utilizing and engaging themselves during this lockdown period back in their home. During the meeting, we realized that one of the major and inspiring parts of FESSHIP is the connection between the team and scholars as a family.

SEE UPDATE

This year's Secondary Education Examination (SEE) was scheduled to start from March 19 but given the Covid-19 threat, the government postponed the examinations. On June 10, the Cabinet meeting decided that the SEE examination cannot be held this year but will issue certificates based on the internal evaluations conducted by respective schools. One of our scholar, Sushant Shahi studying at Suryodaya Secondary Boarding School was likely to appear for the SEE examination.

SCHOLARS' VOICE

"Thank you for the generosity and support since the inception period through which I could complete my studies. I promise I will work very hard and eventually give something back to others". - Bijay Bishowkarma

COMMUNITY RELIEF



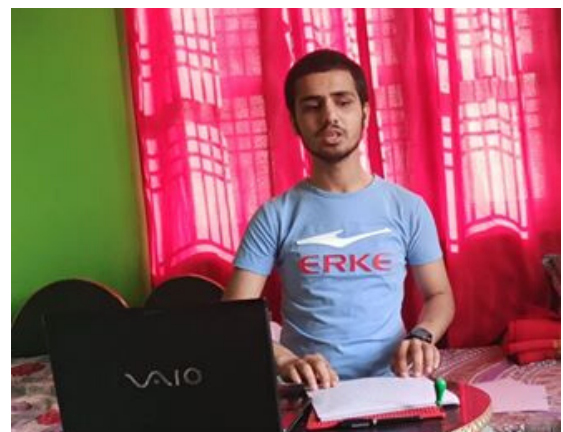
Our management team were contacted by Sanjay Sharma requesting to help the LGBTQ+ community who were struggling due to the unavailability and inaccessibility of the basic needs during this pandemic situation. After assessing and having a series of conversations, we distributed food supplies & other necessary items to 20 families of the LGBTQ+ community living in Kathmandu in collaboration with Canopy Nepal.

UPDATES

Our scholars are regularly attending online classes from their respective institutions. We are providing recharge cards (top-up card) to them as most of our scholars are facing problems to access it back in their village. Besides this, our scholars are also finding out ways to engage themselves creatively and productively. Most of our scholars are utilizing this period by reading books, painting, dancing, cooking, and so on. With loosen restriction somehow and the new modality of lockdown from June 13 implemented in the Kathmandu valley, our team is visiting scholars and providing the necessary stationeries and refreshments to them following the safety measures set by the government.

SCHOLARS' MESSAGE

Our scholar, Saugat Wagle has tried to pass on a positive message to all the individuals relating to the current situation and circumstances through his [video](#).



He left everyone in awe with his opinion and words to maintain the strength and hope when in a difficult situation.

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