

Manisha

Class :- 4th

Age :- 11 years

Father's Name :- Sh. Nepali

Mother's Name :- Smt. Laxmi

School Name :- D.S Public School

Manisha is an eight-year-old girl born to a poverty-stricken family. Her family includes four brothers and her parents. Her father and brothers work as a shoe labourer. Her monthly family income is approx. Rs. 4,000.

With such a meagre monthly income, it is challenging for her family to cope with medical costs on top of everyday living costs, because Manisha's mother suffered from a head injury and majority of the savings were spent for her treatment. As Manisha is the only girl child from the family, so parents, especially mother wants her to study in a good school, graduate and be independent in the future. However, due to her family's precarious financial circumstances, her studies could not take priority over the medical and day to day living costs. Such sorrowful situations affected Manisha's studies, and she had to left school.



During Indian Dreams Foundation's survey in her communities, gave a silver lining to Manisha for getting education opportunity again. Indian Dreams Foundation has selected Manisha under the girls' education sponsoring and mentoring program and supported her with all her educational expenses. Over the course of time, Manisha has shown that her academic prowess has nothing to do with her financial situation. She has excelled in her studies and extracurricular activities, with her teachers and friends praising her for her achievements.