## Children's Day 2019: RGU Launch Community Computer Class For Children



Pic. A: MSW Trainees Orienting Children at Computer Centre, RGU

14 November 2019, Thursday, RGU: On the eve of the Children's Day of 2019, MSW 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester students of the Department of Social Work has launched free weekly basic computer learning course for the students of the Rajiv Gandhi University community. The main mission of the initiative is to provide basic computer knowledge to the students of standard 7 to 10. It also aims at availing certain facilities of the University to the students of the University's Community. Jagdeep Rahul, HoD and Sanju Maibam faculty of the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering has consented to offer their service to the students, albeit their busy schedule. This initiative is the outcomes of the constant suggestion and guidance of our Faculty Supervisor John Gaingamlung Gangmei and the collective response and efforts of trainee social workers placed in RGU Community as a part of their social work course fieldwork practicum for a semester.



Pic. B: MSW trainees assisting children in Computer Browsing Centre

We would like to thank our Hon'ble VC Prof. Saket Kushwaha and Mr Tsering Dorjee Megeji, Deputy Director of VSAT and Computer Centre for their kind gesture and providing us facilities. Without them, this miniature initiatives and our mission wouldn't have been possible. We would continue to seek all the support to carry forward these endeavour miles ahead. We hope and pray that it will be of immense benefit for the community students. To initiate this course, a baseline survey was conducted to determine the needs and demands of the course in all the colony of RGU in the month of October 2019. It was found that parents are willing to send their wards and at the same time students have expressed their willingness to opt for the said basic course. Currently, thirty-one students have enrolled for the course. The Department will ensure that social workers trainee who will be placed in the community in next semester will follow-up the humble service with an enthusiasm with the vision 'be the change, you want to see around' without which, the initiative will be incomplete.



Pic C: community children attending computer class with faculty and social work students

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