



DURGA DAY CARE CENTER

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Subject: Annual Report for Year (2025–2026) and upcoming academic Year (2026-2027)

Dear Felix,

Warm greetings from Durga Day Care Center (DDCC)

We hope you are fine and in good health. We are happy to inform you that all children and staff at DDCC are safe, healthy, and doing well. With great respect and gratitude, we would like to share our detailed annual report for the year 2025–2026, along with our plans for the upcoming year 2026–2027.

The year 2025–2026 has been a very positive and meaningful year for DDCC. We continued our work to provide care, protection, education, and a loving environment for children, especially those who come from vulnerable backgrounds. Last year 2025 admitted new children have adjusted well and became part of our DDCC family. It has been a very good experience to support them in their learning and daily life. We are happy to see improvements in their behaviour, confidence, and communication skills.

Daily Care and Environment

At DDCC, we focus on creating a safe, clean, and friendly environment for children. We make sure that children receive:

- Healthy and regular meals
- Clean living and learning spaces
- Proper care and supervision
- Emotional support and attention

We treat every child with love and respect so that they feel safe and happy.

Education and Learning Activities

Education is an important part of DDCC. During this year, children were involved in many learning activities such as:

- Basic reading, writing, and counting
- Drawing, colouring, and creative crafts
- Storytelling and speaking activities
- Music, dance, and fun learning games
- Group activities to build teamwork
- Learning good habits, discipline, and hygiene

These activities helped children improve their knowledge as well as their social and personal skills.

Visits and Support

We were very happy to welcome many visitors during the year. Friends, supporters, and members of Kinderhilfswerk Himalaja visited DDCC and spent time with the children, also bringing gifts.

These visits brought great happiness and motivation to the children. They especially enjoyed the chocolates and interactions. It also helped them feel supported and cared for by people from outside. We are very thankful for this continued support and encouragement.

Festivals and Cultural Programs

Festivals are an important part of learning and happiness at DDCC. Children celebrated many festivals together with great joy and excitement. These included:

- Dashain Festival – Children received blessings and enjoyed traditional activities.
- Tihar Festival – Celebrated with lights, songs, and decorations with sel roti and gift money
- Holi (Festival of Colors) – A fun and colorful day enjoyed with Yves and his colleagues.
- Christmas – Celebrated with sharing, joy, and learning about different cultures
- Losar – Celebrated with traditional Khapseys (Traditional Tibetan cookies)

Picnic and Educational Trip

As part of recreation, we organized our regular annual picnic, which was enjoyable and relaxing for all the children. This year, we also arranged a special day trip to the Central Zoo. The children were very excited and happy during this visit. They saw many different animals from around the world, which was both fun and educational. It was a memorable experience for everyone.

Children's Progress and Transition

We are proud of the progress made by the children this year. As part of their academic journey:

- 6 children from Upper Kindergarten (UKG) will complete their time at DDCC and move forward. We wish them success in their future.
- 10 children from Lower Kindergarten (LKG) will be promoted to UKG.
- 6 children from DDCC will join LKG as outgoing school children.
- 5 outgoing Govt. school children are all doing great with good results and progress.

These steps show the growth and development of the children under DDCC care.

Sad News and Remembrance

It is with great sadness today that we share the passing of Mrs. Januka Ghimire, our caretaker, who passed away due to her cancer illness. She had been with DDCC since the beginning and was also a part of our DDCC family. She cared deeply for the children and always worked with dedication and kindness.

Her loss is very emotional for all of us. We organized her funeral according to Hindu traditions to honour her life and service. We pray that her soul rests in peace.

Plans for Upcoming Academic Year 2026–2027

For the coming academic year, we plan to continue our work with more dedication and care. Our main plans include:

- Admitting 6 new vulnerable children, with special focus on girls
- Continuing quality education and daily care
- Improving learning and child development activities
- Providing a safe and supportive environment for all children
- A new caretaker for DDCC for upcoming academic year

We will share full details about new admissions after the final selection process is completed.

We would like to give our heartfelt thanks to Kinderhilfswerk Himalaja and its supporters, donors, and well-wishers. Your kind support and generous help have made it possible for DDCC to continue its work smoothly. Because of your support, we are able to provide care, education, and a better future for the children.

In conclusion, we are thankful for your continued support. We remain committed to helping children grow in a safe, caring, and positive environment.

We look forward to another successful year ahead.

With warm love and regards from all the children and staff of DDCC.

Yours sincerely,

Tenzin T. Lama
DDCC

Please find the following documents attached for your reference:

- Budget for the upcoming year (April 2026 – March 2027)
- Detailed budget of DDCC
- Expense report for the year 2025–2026