

# **THE DALAI LAMA INSTITUTE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION**

(An undertaking of the Tibetan Children's Village in India)

## **CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS REPORT (PHASE II)**

The following is the brief progress report on the Phase II construction work being carried out at the Dalai Lama Institute for Higher Education, Bangalore till December 31, 2017.

### **Facility under construction in Phase-II:**

1. Administration & Library block
2. Wellness Centre
3. Staff Quarter
4. The New Classroom block (Academic Block-II)
5. The New Hostel block(Hostel Block-II)
6. Boy's Hostel Block-II

### **Brief description on the current work status of each block:**

#### ➤ **Administrative & Library :**

- This building block is completed and has been handed over to the Academic Section

#### ➤ **Wellness centre :**

- The centre is completed and has been handed over to the Academic Section

#### ➤ **Staff Quarter :**

- The quarter is completed and has been handed over to the Academic Section

#### ➤ **Academic Block-II (New Classroom Block)**

- This building block is completed except tiling work, wall plastering and false ceiling in the Hall on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor which is to be used as prayer hall. The building will be handed over to the academic section when the above works are completed.

#### ➤ **Hostel Block-II (New Hostel Block)**

- The hostel block II is completed except site development.

➤ **Boy's Hostel Block-II**

- Mass excavation including hard rock is completed
- Footings excavation for the basement floor is completed
- P.C.C. 1:4:8 for the basement footings completed
- Excavation for basement retaining wall completed
- Steel fabrication for footings, columns and retaining wall is completed
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- Basement footings concreting completed
- Constructing SSM-Size Stone Masonry for super structure & sub structure is completed
- Basement floor & ground floor form work, steel fabrication, roof slab casting and block work is completed
- First and second floor form work, steel fabrication, structural, internal room plastering are completed
- Slab casting on first floor completed
- Staircase fabrication and roof slab on first floor completed
- Centering work has been completed
- Second floor slab, column, beam completed
- Block work completed on ground floor, first floor & second floor
- Head room column, Guttering, Skylight, concrete work completed
- Dummy column concreting & parapet block work completed
- Head room block work and skylight block work is completed
- Fixing of door frames, window grills are completed
- Fixing of corridor railings completed
- OHT columns concreting, RCC wall concreting, top and bottom slab concreting work completed
- Toilet plastering under progress
- Erection of head-room and skylight fabrication work completed
- First and second floor corridor granite laying completed
- All three floor tiles laying work completed
- External plastering completed
- Stone cladding work completed
- Staircase granite laying under progress
- Ground floor granite laying under progress
- All floor wiring work completed
- Ground floor's separate toilet plumbing work about to finish
- Entrance gate plastering under progress
- Terrace water proofing under progress
- Stair case railing to be commenced
- Fabrication of aluminium window frame/panel to be commenced
- Drainage and site development to be carried out



Drainage work and basement with shutter being used as a garage - completed



Stone cladding work completed at the back of classroom block II



View of classroom block II from the east



View of classroom block II furnished with tables, benches and white/green and soft boards



Main entrance of Hostel Block II



Meta color sheet roofing over the skylight on Hostel Block II. In the background is overhead tank.



Showing stone cladding work on Hostel Block II



Primer painting being done on the eastern part of the building. Site development will follow soon.  
(BOY'S HOSTEL II)



Mud/waste material in front of main entrance of Boy's Hostel II



Front road adjacent to the entrance gate and overall drainage system of the Hostel Blocks under progress





Only portioned remained to be plastered (BOY'S HOSTEL II)



Excavation started from the main entrance of the Boy's Hostel II

## REPORT ON ACADEMICS

In July 2017- the new admission for the academic session 2017-18 started and 79 students got enrolled in various undergraduate courses.

Summer Tibetan Cultural Immersion Program of 5 weeks for 12 young Tibetan students started from July 10, 2017.

On and above the regular courses, English and Chinese Language Diploma Program for Geshe have started from August 10, 2017. We had 20 candidates.

The Institute hosted the first ever-National Bilingual Conference on ‘Tibetan Identity Construction in the Diaspora’- Being Tibetan (Honoring the Past, Influencing the Present, Inspiring the Future) from 15<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> September, 2017. The Chief Guest for the National Conference was the Vice Chancellor of Bangalore University. Other dignitaries included the Registrar of Bangalore University, Mr. Thupten Samphel, Director, Tibetan Policy Institute, Mr. Tashi Tsering, Tibetan Historian and Director Amnye Machen Institute.



A Paper Trading Competition was organized by the Entrepreneurship Club of the Department of Commerce of DLIHE with the object to create awareness about the importance of Investment and to generate interest in the Indian Capital Markets. The rules and guidelines for the competition were put up on the notice board. The winners were awarded cash prizes, which was sponsored by TED.

Seven students from 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year BA Journalism course with their lecturer visited Press Club of Bengaluru and The New Indian Express. Different organizations and parties were there for the press meet. They also visited The New Indian Express Group. They got the wonderful opportunity to interact with Ramu Patil, Bureau Chief at the conference hall. He introduced the routine and demands of the job. The interaction was informal so as to encourage the students to clarify their doubts by raising as many questions as possible. The group also got to visit the morgue department of both the Press Club and The New Indian Express.



The Department of Commerce of DLIHE organized an Industrial visit to Hindustan Coca-Cola Beverages Pvt Ltd and Bosch India Ltd, Bidadi, Bangalore in October 2017 for all B. Com students. The object was to gain practical exposure and insights into an actual working corporate environment. The industry visit provided the students a practical perspective on the world of work. It was an excellent opportunity to learn more about real production processes in the industrial environment.



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