

## **Gina's Happy Children Fund**

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Second installment release and follow up for the Gina happy children scholarship program at Vedashram-Pati, Champawat, Uttarakhand

## Background

This scholarship is in the memory of Gina Ali Khan, an educationist from Pune, who, for many years volunteered with the children at Aarohi Bal Sansar, Satoli.

Last year, we interviewed 14 children in the month of August, through which we selected 5 students on the basis of their academic performance, future academic interest and ambitions, family background and economic status, personality, and other interests.



Gina Ali Khan

" The greatest success of life comes from the love of the thing we do and that every once in a while you should stop to smell the flowers or to watch the dappled light dance with the shadows."



Diksha Pandey, a student of B.A second year. She aspires to be a teacher and wishes to help her society in every way possible. This scholarship fund has helped her to get coaching for Maths, her favourite subject, which wouldn't have been possible otherwise.



Praveen Joshi, an NDA aspirant. He is currently doing B.Sc, and also joined NCC. He missed scoring in the first attempt for the NDA exam by just 6 marks but is confident to crack it in his second attempt. This scholarship fund has helped him to get books, do online courses, and do mock tests in preparation for his NDA exams.





Neeraj Joshi, a first-year B.Sc student. He wants to pursue M.Sc and is still in the process of deciding what he wants to become and what will be the best for him and his family. This fund has supported his coaching for B.Sc.

> Jyoti Joshi, a 12th standard student. She is an aspiring teacher. This fund has helped her in getting books and monthly internet packs to support her online classes.



Champa Joshi, a first-year B.A student. She wishes to become a Patwari (govt official who keeps records regarding the ownership of land) or join the police force. This fund has supported her college fees and books.







If you can be one thing, Be kind!

- We thank Gina for her kindness