

## Happy journey from the center to the school .....

*“Alishbah is one of the best students of my class, from the very first day, she has been helping me to distribute material among the groups and to clean up after the activities, other children have gradually started to help me and to each other getting inspired by her”* Alishbah’s teacher said with pride. *“I have learnt many enjoyable rhymes and interesting stories from her”* she said again with a deep smile. These were the comments given by the ECE teacher of govt. primary school Basti Malook where Alishba was mainstreamed three months before.



Alishbah’s mother Hameedan Bibi has been one of the most active members of Sanjh Committee. She works as maid to earn for her children and dreams to see them educated and successful in life. Hameedan Bibi Says *“I have to work so hard to live from hand to mouth; I do cleaning, dish washing and laundry to earn for my family but I don’t want them to live their life like me. I wish for their better future but I cannot provide them much facilities. When I heard that a center has been opened in our village for the children where there are toys, swings, colors, and many other things for them which I cannot provide at home. I visited there with my neighbor and met*



*the teachers. I, at once, decided to get my two children enrolled in the center with a hope for their betterment; the elder one is Alishba and younger one Shehbaz. I felt happy when my children told me about what they did/ learnt at the center. Sometimes, I myself saw them in their classrooms busy with various activities; eating, playing and working together amusingly. After six months, Alishba’s teacher (ECD center) asked me to get her admission in the school. Now for last three months, she is going to the school in Nursery class. One week before, there was Parent Teacher Meeting in the school where I was also invited, the principal appreciated me for Alishba’s active participation, regularity and punctuality. It was very pleasant moment for me to be praised for my children. I know the credit goes to Sanjah Vehra which enabled my children to perform better in their school”*

Furthermore she said, *“I am confident that SV will also enable my son Shehbaz to perform amazingly like Alishbah”*.

Hameedan bibi wishes sincerely *“May all the children have such a happy journey of learning whose parents are uneducated like me!”*