



## **G.D. GOENKA PUBLIC SCHOOL, SARITA VIHAR**

**REPORT: NATIONAL MASS DEWORMING DAY**

**DATE: 08/02/2019**

### **EVENT REPORT**

#### **National Mass Deworming Programme**

**School based Annual Mass De-worming is a simple, safe and cost-effective solution to improve the health and education of millions of children.**

- **Execution of the programme at mass scale is possible by leveraging the existing educational infrastructure and training teachers to deliver De- worming medication.**
- **Deworming targets one of the most common, long-term Soil Transmitted Helminthes (STH) infections of children**
- **Deworming improves health outcomes- well-being, reduces risk of stunting/ anemia, improves nutrition, height & weight**
- **Deworming contributes to Education for All- Improves Learning ability, Cognitive functions, and school attendance**
- **Deworming in schools reduces total burden of STH by 70% in the community - benefitting the untreated.**

School Doctor and Nurse administered the students of classes Nursery to IX Tab Albendazole. Special instructions were given to the students regarding any complication. They were observed for half an hour no complications were reported.

