

PRIMARY EDUCATION PROJECT (DOH)

TESTIMONY PEP WEG Mobilizer

Name: Marvi

Ages: 18 year

Occupation: Student & WEG Mobilizer

Village: Shanti Nagar

District: Tando Allahyar, Sindh



My name is Marvi, I live in village Shanti Nagar, and I started to study in 2004 in my village and in PEP school. I was keen in study, just because of it I am studying in a college. But in my village, other girls left their education on a primary level. I thought I have to face lots of problems to keep continue my education, After passing the exam of eighth grade my parents wanted me to stay at home but my teacher motivated them and asked my parents to take admission in ninth grade and then after that I took admission and passed matriculation exam with an A grade.

After that, I was selected as WEG (Women Empowerment Group Mobilizer) our WEG area coordinator took training and also gave us training on WEG, I also share my training experience with my group members which I received from my WEG area coordinator. I shared about CLTS, DRR, Saving, Cleanliness, and girls education with my group members. In the early days of the group, I faced lots of difficulties such as low participation of females in the group and I was also low confidence but now I am confident I can motivate women I feel no hesitation while any visit of team and guests. Even I can give the presentation of my group in front of big crowd.

As I said that by teaching CLTS, DRR, Saving, Cleanliness and girls education I have noticed a significant change in my village like more girls started to study, women are keeping their homes clean, sending their children school daily. Women are also doing saving not only money but also for the necessary thing of daily use such as light, food, time and etc. One amazing thing I would like to share is the use of washroom is also increased and new washrooms are being built. PEP Women empowerment programme encourage us and through PEP we have changed our village a lot.

I want to keep my education continue till university and my aim is to complete master in physics and become a lecturer in physics.