



# The Dhaka Project

To break the cycle of poverty in slums of Dhaka through education and social development

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## Welcome

The Dhaka Project is an organization which provides free education, health care and community support for nearly **500 children** from the slums of Dhaka. The project is run entirely on donations. Please visit [our website](#) for more information.

## Back to School!

15<sup>th</sup> September 2010. The Three week long Ramadan and Eid vacation is over. HOW WAS EID? "GOOD'!!!! Kohinoor exclaimed with joy. "We got new dresses" Jannatul burst into a laugh. "We had lots of fun" Shouted Fahad. "We had various good dishes" Whispered Evan. It is a rainy day. It rained cats and dogs all through the night. Today is the first day at school after a long vacation. Students' attendance was fare. Students were busy with Hi! And Hello! With their classmates. Tears of joy knew no bounds. Good days are short lived. But it's more fun coming Back to School.



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## 'Let's Clean Bangladesh'

'Let's Clean Bangladesh' – a regular program of The Dhaka Project was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2010. It is a program to teach the community people to keep the society clean.

A Clean environment can provide a healthy community. Students of Class 4 Section A & B were prepared with hand-gloves, Baskets and shovels to clean-up **Gawair School Road, Kazi Bari Road & Madrasa Road** under the supervision of Class teachers.



Students collected scattered garbage such as thrown away waste papers, packets and poly bags. All the garbage were gathered in a place and set on fire.

After the cleansing, TDP team requested the community to keep the place clean by using garbage-drums already placed there.

## Weekly Food Distribution

18<sup>th</sup> September 2010. The Dhaka Project School opened on 15<sup>th</sup> September after a long vacation. All the students were provided with double quantity of foods. Usually every Thursday is a **Weekly Food Distribution Day** of The Dhaka Project School, but it was decided to give food bags on Saturday. Students were lined-up according to their grades as usual. Names were called by **Mr. Azad** based on the weekly class presence.

**Volunteer Elise and Romy**, two sisters from Australia volunteered to distribute bags containing **Rice, Lentil, Potato, Onions, Garlic & Eggs** among the students from 3:30 P.M.

Bag full of weekly diet food recommended by TDP Medical Centre reduces the burden of nutrition among the student's family. Every food distribution day is a happy day for the student's of TDPS.

