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# SMILE REPORT

## ROHINGYA REFUGEE RELIEF WORK

Firozpur Namak, Nuh | Haryana



MILES2SMILE FOUNDATION

20  
December  
21

# PROJECT OVERVIEW



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A disastrous fire broke out on the night of 15th December 2021 at Rohingya settlement in Chandeni-2 camp in Ferozpur Namak village, Nuh, Haryana. The incident was so grievous that it completely destroyed 32 out of 34 shanties and displaced around 106 people. The fire began to spread very fast as the shanties were made of bamboo and plastic material and people didn't even get the time to salvage anything. As the fire went on, several gas cylinders also burst. People just ran hither and thither to save their lives. The people residing here lost everything including their belongings, savings, and documents. The victims said that the damage was already done by the time fire tenders reached the site. There are around 50 males and 56 females at the camp including infants, kids, adults, and old age people.

According to the officials, 1,695 Rohingya refugees (around 500 families) have been living in 10 refugee camps in Nuh since 2012. These camps are situated in Shahpur Nangli, Ferozpur Namak, Chandeni, Saddik Nagar, and Punhana. Miles2smile Foundation was the first responder who came forward for help. We reached there at the earliest after hearing about the fire incident with all the relief materials required. The condition there was very desperate. People saw their homes turned into ashes in front of their eyes. Our team provided the inhabitants with warm clothes and blankets during our first visit. In our further visits, we provided the inhabitants with rations including rice, flour, oil, spices, etc., baby food like Cerelac, milk powder, etc., more clothes for men, women, and kids, utensils for each of the 32 families including plates, spoons, kadhai, and glasses along with drums for storing water. We also arranged for a local milkman to provide 12 litres of fresh milk daily.





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The major assistance we provided to them was the construction work. At first, we constructed 5 washrooms, a community kitchen and common hall. We arranged bamboos, ropes, tins and wires for all the construction required there. Also, we planned to make 20 houses for the residents there and we began with 7 units. Meanwhile, Some other organisations also started the construction work, they took care of the rest of the housing units and within a month's time, all the housing units were constructed. This time we also used asbestos sheets and fireproof material to better protect against the fire incidents. Along with the houses, we have also constructed 7 shops for the individuals who lost their sustainable source of livelihood during the fire incident.

We also ensured that each of the 106 residents get proper and timely food daily. The ration was being restored in the community hall from time to time. We have also built a community learning centre in Nuh named "Fatima al-Fihri Education Centre" to create a smart learning environment for the Rohingya kids. We are planning to start smart classes here by installing smart board and we will hire a tutor also.

Miles2Smile Foundation has left no stone unturned to restore the smiles of the refugees and to cater to their needs. There are more plans on the way in the coming time for the betterment of these people.



**Click on the link to watch the video**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EsW7Z4Dx0ls>



# ROHINGYA REFUGEE CAMP, NUH





# SMILE HOMES

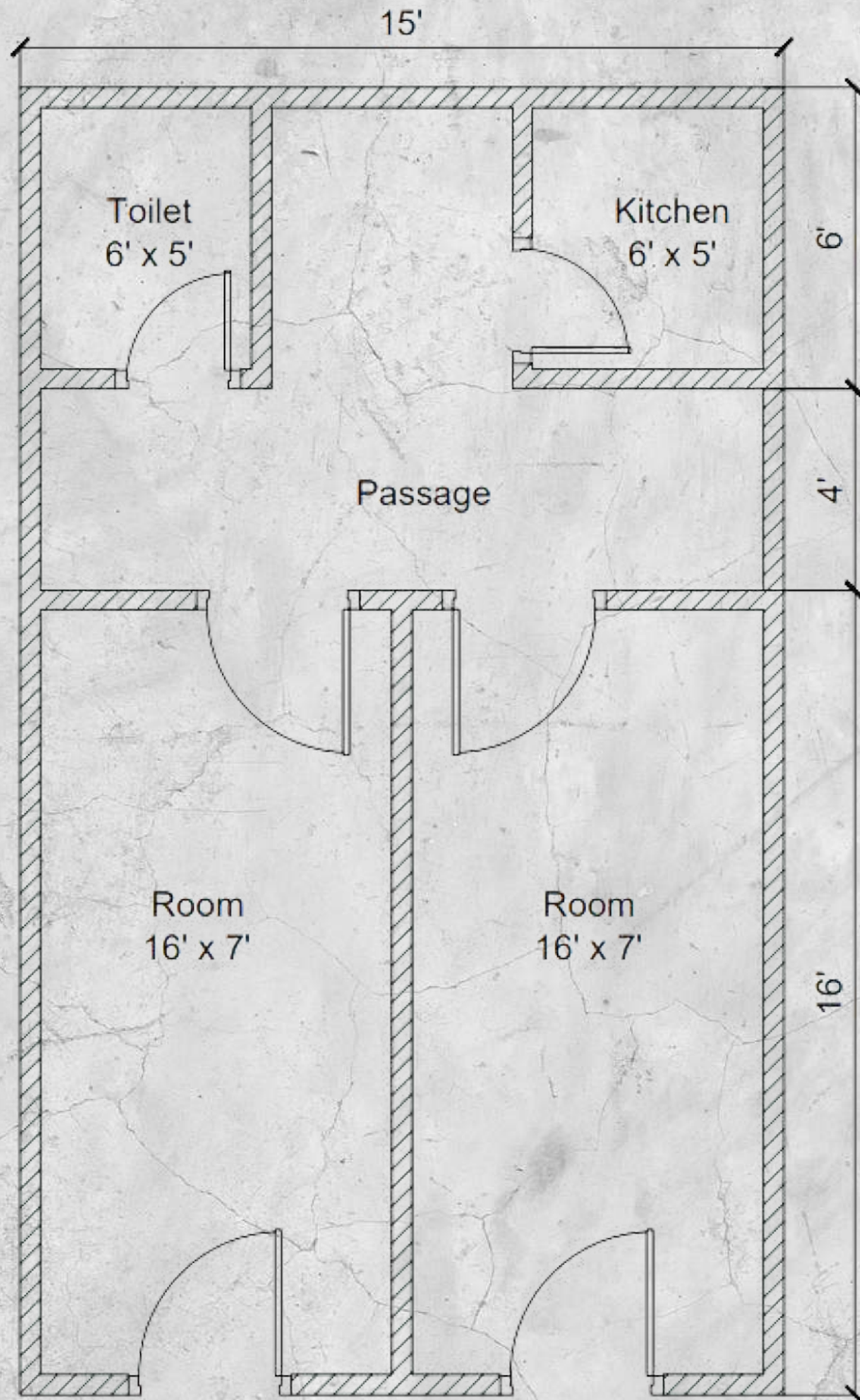
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# SCHEMATIC DETAILS OF A TYPICAL HOUSING UNIT



○ Typical Rooms  
SCALE 1"=8'

\*All Dimensions in Feet

## THE AVERAGE COST OF A HOUSING UNIT (INR)

S.No	Materials required	Units	Per unit cost in INR	Total cost in INR
1	Bamboo (14 foot)	415	38	15770
2	Bamboo (24 foot)	30	125	3750
3	Wire	4 kg	130	520
4	Rope	5 kg	60	300
5	Tin sheet (10 x 4 foot)	6	530	3180
6	Tin sheet (8 x 4 foot)	6	450	2700
7	Tin sheet (6 x 4 foot)	6	410	2460
8	Transport	-	2000	2000
9	Labour cost		12000	12000
10	Iron gate (6feet*3feet)	1	2000	2000
11	Iron gate (6feet*2.5feet)	1	1700	1700
Total	-			46380



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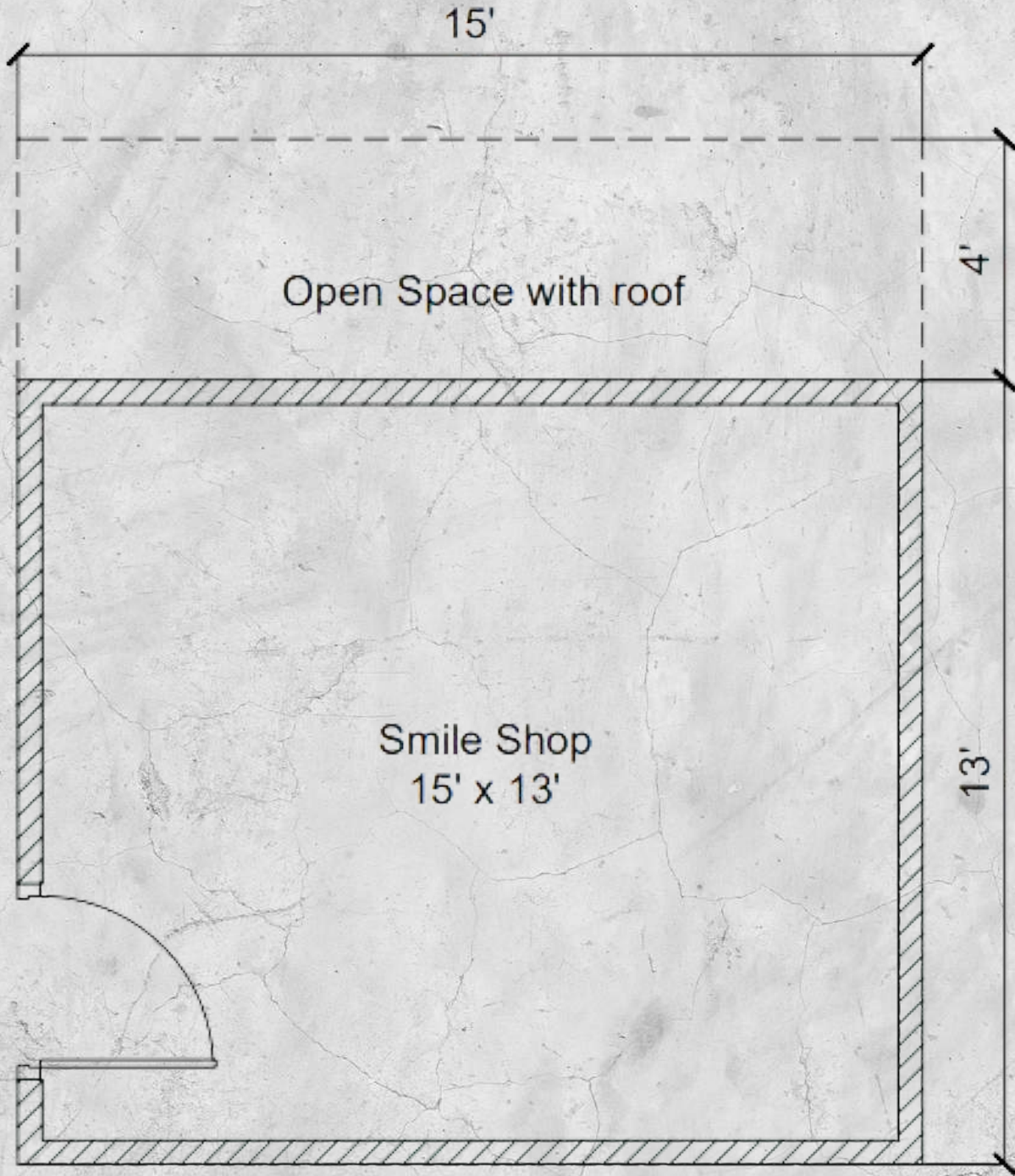
# SMILE SHOPS







# SCHEMATIC DETAILS OF A TYPICAL SHOP



Typical Smile Shops

SCALE 1"=8'

\*All Dimensions in Feet

## AVERAGE COST OF A SHOP (INR)

S. No.	Materials required	Units	Per unit cost in INR	Total cost in INR
1	Bamboo (14 foot)	120	38	4,560
2	Bamboo (24 foot)	15	125	1,875
3	Wire	1 Kg	130	130
4	Rope	1 Kg	60	60
5	Tin sheet (10 x 4 foot)	2	530	1,060
6	Tin sheet (8 x 4 foot)	2	450	900
7	Tin sheet (6 x 4 foot)	2	410	820
8	Transport	-	1000	1,000
9	Labour cost	-	5000	5,000
11	Iron gate (6feet*2.5feet)	2	1700	3,400
Total	-	-		18,805

# FATIMA AL-FIHRI LEARNING CENTER



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Miles2Smile Foundation made all the possible efforts to restore the lives of these distressed Rohingya refugees to normal. We provided them with all the essentials, rebuilt their houses and shops for them, and their lives started getting back to normal as well. But we felt that something is missing here, something is incomplete and needs to be addressed. And then we found out that thing was "education". There are more than 50 kids in this Rohingya Refugee Camp at Nuh and for them, we feel the best thing to provide is education. By looking at these young, innocent and adorable kids we feel an urge to educate them and to enrich them with the same. Because good education is the greatest gift you can give yourself or anyone else. This gave us the bright idea of opening a learning centre for the Rohingya kids to nurture them with quality education and to be a guiding step towards their brightening future.

With this hope, we started building a Learning Centre that is now complete. We named the learning centre "Fatima Al-Fihri Learning Centre". It was inaugurated on the 21st of January 2022 (Friday). The reason for choosing the name was this inspiring and great Arab lady Fatima Al-Fihri. She was an Arab woman born around 800 AD in the town of Tunisia. She hailed from a well-educated family and migrated with her father and sister from Qayrawan in Tunisia to Fez in Morocco. Upon the death of her father, Fatima inherited a large fortune. She invested this wealth in founding a mosque and educational institution for the benefit of her local community. Gradually, the establishment blossomed into the University of al-Qarawiyyin, named after Fatima's birthplace Qayrawan in Tunisia. She is also known as "Umm al-Banayn". Al-Fihri died around 880 AD. Fatima's foresight and commitment, alongside her selfless contribution towards championing intellectual advancement, led to the establishment of a monumental university. The remarkable legacy of her dedication and empowering endeavour is well-deserved and one that is a source of inspiration for all.





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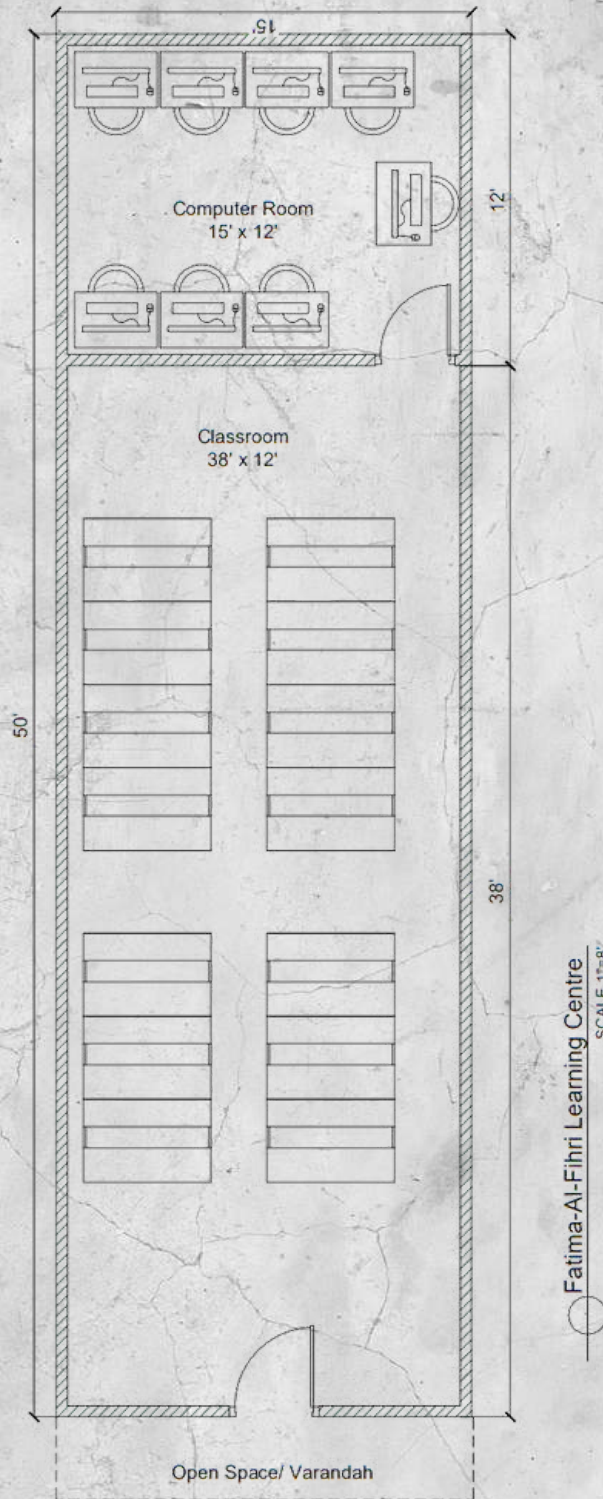
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The learning centre will be started in the coming session (2022-23) and we are going to enrol round about 120 students belonging to the Rohingya Community. The centre will provide classes in English, Hindi, Urdu, mathematics, science and social science to the primary kids. Half of the students are already studying in the Madarsa at Nuh and learning Arabic from there. For all the rest of the subjects being taught in the learning centre, we will hire a tutor and schedule proper classes. We are also planning to install some computer systems in the centre to provide practical knowledge to the students and enhance their technical skills. We will enrich them with some skill development courses on computers so that they can be well versed with the most needed skills in this tech-savvy era. We are making every effort to make this learning centre a successful one and continue spreading the light of education not only to these kids but to many more in the upcoming future.





# SCHEMATIC DETAILS OF FATIMA AL-FIHRI LEARNING CENTER



\*All Dimensions in Feet

## COST OF THE LEARNING CENTER

S. No.	Materials required	Units	Per unit cost in INR	Total cost in INR
1	Bamboo (14 foot)	700	38	26,600
2	Bamboo (24 foot)	70	125	8,750
3	Wire	7	130	910
5	Tin sheet (10 x 4 foot)	10	530	5,300
6	Tin sheet (8 x 4 foot)	10	450	4,500
7	Tin sheet (6 x 4 foot)	0	410	0
8	Transport	-	4,000	4,000
9	Iron gate (6feet*3feet)	1	2,000	2,000
10	Iron gate (6feet*2.5feet)	1	1,700	1,700
11	Electrical Connections	Lump Sum	1,500	1,500
9	Labour cost	-	33,000	33,000
10	Flooring of the canter	Lump sum	-	12,700
Total	-	-	-	1,01,380



# OVERALL PROJECT COST

S.NO	PARTICULARS	No of Units	Unit Cost	Cost
1	Housing Units	7	46,360	3,24,660
2	Shops	7	18,805	1,31,635
3	Learning center	1	1,01,380	1,01,380
4	Rations	-	-	1,40,600
5	Household Items	-	-	95.332
6	Other expenses	-	-	40,000
7	Total Expense	-	-	8,33,607



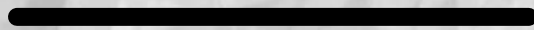


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# SMILE STORIES







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# ABU BAKAR AND THE SMILE SHOP

Abubakar Saddiq is a 5 year old resident of Rohingya Camp, Firozpur Namak in Haryana. He has two siblings Rubina Akbar (7) and Sumiya Akhtar (3) and his father, Abu Taher (26), owned a grocery shop in the camp before a fire on 15th December 2021, tore through the entire Rohingya camp and gutted down 32 out of 34 shelters and his shop as well.

Abubakar Saddiq's friends lovingly call him 'Abu'. I first met Abu on 16th December 2021 when our team visited the burnt Rohingya camp for relief work. Abu along with his two other friends was salvaging grain from the burnt-up grain storage tanks. His face was blackened with the ash and there was a look of desperation and sadness on his face. I tried playing with him that day, but he didn't open up to me.

Once while we were distributing chocolates to children of the camp, I handed one out to Abu, he shrugged and said to me in his shrill, lovely voice "Chocolate khaane se daant kharaab ho jaayega" (eating chocolate will cause tooth cavity). Since that day, we bonded. Every time I would visit the camp, he would keep on following me and play with me, our all-time favourite being the game of 'Kancha' (marbles) which in some way reminds me of my childhood. Abu always turns on top and successfully hits all the targets and takes the marbles of every player as trophies. When not playing 'Kancha', one would find him running and singing with his two best friends, Tasleem (5) and her younger sister, Asma (4).

In the coming days, Miles2Smile Foundation amped up the relief work. We provided blankets, utensils and clothes. We set up a community kitchen at the camp and ensured that each of the 106 residents gets proper and timely food daily. In addition to this, the foundation started building 7 units of houses and also the grocery shop of Abu's father, Abu Taher. We provided 200 bamboos (16 foot) for the walls of the shop, 15 bamboos (24 foot) for the construction of the frame and 8 sheets of asbestos for the roof covering along with two iron doors. We also plan to provide him with grocery items so that he can kick-start his business. With this, we plan to create an economic equilibrium which can sustain the requirements of both Abu Taher and the consumers of the camp. Miles2Smile Foundation is glad to have restored the smiles of Abu and his father Abu Taher and we will work relentlessly to restore all the smiles of Rohingya residents and promise that in this time of distress we are with them at every step.



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# TASNEEM

Tasneem, a 3 years old Rohingya refugee girl is one of the most adorable kids at Rohingya Settlement in Nuh. Tasneem has two siblings, an elder sister Jannat Aara and a younger brother Rehan. All the three kids are very loveable and friendly. On our, every trip to Nuh Tasneem is the first one running toward us and greeting us. Her house turned to ashes due to the fire incident on 15th December 2021 and her father's shop also went up in flames.

Their father Ebrahim was very upset about his shop and home. Even after all the mishappenings, Tasneem's smile is radiant and affectionate and this young girl is a beacon of hope for us. She is a sweet and lively girl who is always excited about her clothes, toys and friends. Miles2Smile Foundation built a Smile Home and a Smile Shop for Tasneem and her family. The shop is running well now and soon we will introduce an educational course for Tasneem and other kids to learn in our learning center. It is a learning centre that we built for the Rohingya kids with the hope that we will nurture kids like Tasneem with prime education and discipline. We never want to let go of the radiant smile of Tasneem and we will keep working to provide these kids with the assistance they will ever need

# TASNEEM

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# ASMAUL HUSNARA

Asmaul Husnara is an 8 years old sweet girl who lives at a Rohingya settlement camp in Nuh. She has 2 younger siblings. A 7 years old sister named Humaira and a little brother Mohammad Hassan who is just 10 months old. Their Father Asgar Ali is a daily wage worker and their mother Ismat Aara is a housewife. Asmaul Husnara goes to a nearby government school and has learned some of her favourite poems like hathi raja bade bade, machchli jaal ki rani hai, etc. She loves to recite these poems in her sweet voice. Whenever we meet her, she recites all the poems in unison with her friends in front of us.

Asma is very fond of playing hide and seek. Asma's family came here 2 years ago from Bangladesh. They faced a lot of disorders in their life before settling here and even after coming here one or the other issues keep rising. Miles2Smile Foundation's main concern is to grant relief to these kids and families in all possible ways. After the fire breakout incident in December in which they lost everything, we provided all the essentials and also built a smile home for Asmaul Husnara's family. We also built a learning center there to provide quality education to these kids which are going to start from the coming session. The education of these innocent and curious kids is our prime concern after their rehabilitation. Like her favourite game of Hide and Seek we want to encourage Asma to find all the hidden happiness of her life as well.



## ASMAUL HUSNARA

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# THE SMILE COUNTER



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**3**

Smile Project

**870**

(S) miles Covered

**360**

Smile Hours

**7**

Smile Homes

**7**

Smile Shopes

**1**

Learning Center

**230**

Smiles Restored





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## ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION

Miles2Smiles was established two years back as a not-for-profit organization, based in Delhi. The organization works primarily in relief activities and brings smiles to the faces of victims looming over penury and distress. Legal help and educational empowerment are also some core areas of work by the organization. In the past two years, the organization has made commendable service in delivering solace to the people languishing in the heap of despair. The organization is on an assiduous mission to revive happiness to the people ripped after communal tensions.



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