

## **TPCDT provides solar lamps to support education**

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Tata Power Community Development Trust (TPCDT), has always worked towards improving the quality of education for children living in and around its areas of operation. In line with this philosophy, TPCDT provided solar lamps to aid towards providing suitable conditions while imparting education. A team of six girls who benefitted from the English speaking classes, supported by TPCDT, took up the responsibility of imparting basic education to the adults in the community.

The objective of this initiative was to provide appropriate environment to the classes who were facing problem while conducting teaching sessions under poor lighting facility in the night. TPCDT realized this concern and decided to support this effort by facilitating solar lamps. These solar lamps will help in organizing the sessions in the evenings without any interruption and encourage more adults to benefit from this initiative. These girls are now serving as ambassadors of literacy initiative.

Speaking on the initiative, **Mr. V V Namjoshi, Chief-Jojobera Station, Tata Power**, said *“We, at Tata Power, understand our responsibility towards furthering education in the communities. We firmly believe that education is the best way of bringing about holistic change in society. It’s a proud moment for us to support this team of girls who have taken up the initiative of educating adults in their community thereby making them literate individuals. We will continue to support such efforts that will bring positive change in the society.”*

The team of girls were handed over the solar lamps on Kargil Vijay Divas by the wife of Mr. Manik Barda, a Kargil war veteran from Jharkhand.

