

The New Liberation Education Economic Development TRUST



Annual Report – 2005

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I. INTRODUCTION

The New LEED Trust is working for many years with success in several difficult situations. LEED has its administrative office at No 'D' Alsa Sheridan, 186/187 Ammai Ammal Street, Ayavoo Naidu colony, Aminjikarai P.O. Choolaimedu in Chennai. The New LEED Trust is a small NGO working in the field of education for underprivileged and economically backward people in India. The meaning of LEED is: Liberation, Education and Economic Development. LEED has first started in the year 1992, was followed by New LEED in 1996 and The New LEED Trust from 1999. It is registered as a charitable trust (Regd. No. 934/2000, 12AA Income Tax act1961). This Trust runs two centres one at Choolaimedu, Chennai and another at Kalyanapuram Village in Thiruvannamalai District.

a. The mission

- The aim of LEED is to help the underprivileged and economically backward people in and around the areas of East Namashivayapuram (Choolaimedu) of Chennai and the village Kalyanapuram in (Thiruvannamalai District, Tamilnadu) and its neighbouring villages.
- LEED will help through educating the people to be self sustainable and economically and socially independent. Special concern for children and women.
- Through the help of LEED the people should learn to overcome social evils like child marriages, dowry, neglecting of women, corruption, diseases.
- The goal is that everyone in the areas should be able to live a peaceful life with less worry and become a model for the change of the whole of the Indian society.

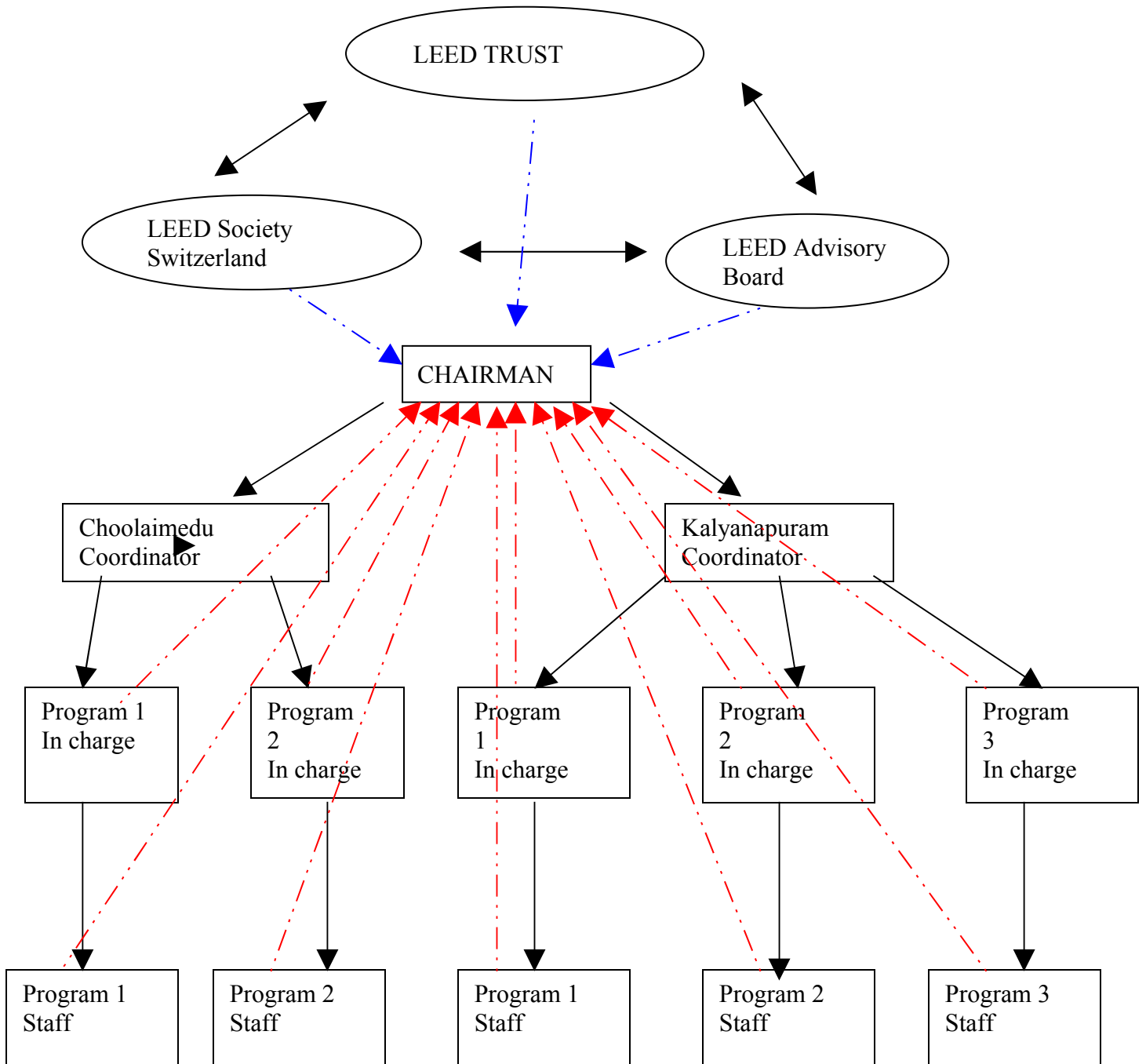
Object and purpose of the trust as per the Trust Deed

- To undertake to impart, promote and spread education and entrepreneurial and professional skills for the benefit of depressed and weaker section of the society to the subjects to the Union of India and for the said purpose to found, maintain, set up, organize, run, manage, institutes, supervise, superintend, co-ordinate, affiliate, control, guide school, college, universities, hostels, boarding houses, museums, laboratories, exhibitions, libraries, lecture halls, practical classes and other Educational and Technical Institutions.
- To grant stipend, scholarships, studentships and other allowance, concessions or gratuities to deserving students and candidates.
- To hold examinations and to grant certificates of proficiency or other academic distinctions or title to person who have complied with the conditions laid down in the regulations or bye-laws of the Trust and/or the State Government or any other statutory body set up by such Governments.
- To provide facilities for giving residential accommodation and boarding-house for teacher, staff and other persons engaged in carrying out any of the objects of Trust.
- To provide libraries, reading rooms for the benefits of students and general public for the promoting education.

b. Trustees

The New LEED Trust functions well with the support of our honourable trustees.
Mr. Elijah John Mathew (Managing Trustee)
Mr. Anna Thirumalai

c. Organizational structure



d. General staff meeting

Once in three months a year, general staff meeting is organized; all the trustees and staffs attend the meeting and shared their experience. Discuss plan for the future activities, staff welfare and so on freely in front of the trustees. The last general meeting this was conducted at Kalyanapuram centre, on 13th of March 2005.

II. CENTRES

The New LEED Trust has two centres one in Kalyanapuram in Thiruvannamalai district and Choolaimedu in Chennai. The Community around the Choolaimedu and the Kalyanapuram were very much poor about their children's education, Children's developments, and Children's health and all other aspects with regard to Children's future. Moreover, we cannot blame the community for the community itself is totally illiterate.

The people of these two areas are so much poorer that they cannot afford to pay for their Children's private tuition fees whether it is Rs. 50 or Rs. 100 or more. The lack of money, Mentor and tuition, the people of these two areas remain as downtrodden for years and years. Our LEED Trust was started with the objective of empowering this discriminated people and brings them to the mainstream society.

1. CHOOLAIMEDU – CHENNAI

a. Area description:

The New LEED Centre is located in the slum area on its north it has Coovam River, Nelson Manickam road in south, West Namashivayapuram in west and Railway track in east. The centre is functioning in No.114, East Namashivayapuram, Choolaimedu, Chennai 600 094.

The area has 9 streets with 700 families, 90% of men are daily wagers, 8% of men are private employees and 2% of men are government employees. 92% of women are involved in household works in nearby areas bungalows and flats as servant maids, 6% of women work in Private Export Companies Only 2% of women remains as housewives. The area has only 3 grocery shops and 8 retail shops, more number of petty shops, quite number of pawn broker shops. In most of the houses in the area instead cooking at home people prefer to buy readymade food items from the unhygienic shops/ eateries.

Alcoholism is the major problem in this area amount man and women, where women accept hard workers could take alcohol to forget their pain but when it creates financial problem to the family it consider as a big problem. Tobacco chewing and addiction to drugs are also seen among the men, women and even youth in the area. Even though, LEED educate them about the ill – effects of alcoholism, tobacco products chewing, these people continue to use these.

b. Benefited areas:

East Namashivayapuram, West Namashivayapuram, Jothiyammal Nagar, Apparao garden, T. V. K. Nagar, Avaipuram and Sowrastranagar

c. Staffs details:

The following are the Choolaimedu centre staffs, the success of the centre is because of their involvement and dedication, without that LEED could not achieve its success.

Mr. S. Sathya, (B.Sc)	- as its Organiser
Mr. D. Venkatesan, B.A	- as the Headmaster
Mr. A. Pandian, (B.A)	- as Assts. Teacher / Staff
Ms. J. Poornima, (B.A)	- as Assts. Teacher / Staff, Small Savings in charge, Cultural Organiser
Mr. J. Suresh Babu	- as Assts. Teacher / Staff

Of the above mentioned staffs, Mr. S. Sathya and Mr. A. Pandian have been in services for the past 3 years while Mr. D. Venkatesan has been for 2 years, Ms. J. Poornima has 1 year completed and Mr. J. Suresh babu for 5 month only.

d. Students details:

In the academic year 2005-06 totally 125 boys/girls are studying in the tuition centre.

e. Students meeting:

Students meeting are held twice in a month are organized by the Students President. In the beginning of the year students select their President and Vice President. He/She presided the meeting and encourage the students to share their ideas, suggestions, problems and expectation in front of our Chairman, Coordinator and Teachers; follow up continues.

Teachers share their views to the students and the programme maintains good student teachers relationship For the academic year 2005 – 2006, Miss. N. Suganya and Miss. Jayapradha are been selected as students representative and Vice – representative respectively.

f. Parents /teachers' association meeting:

In our centre there is a Parents / Parents themselves Teachers association is formed every year and elect their president and Vice President from among themselves.

For this academic year 2005 – 2006, D. Poongodi as been elected as president and Alrmelu as Vice – President respectively. In the PTA meeting the parents and teachers review the student's studies and programs of the centre in general.

g. centre Annual programme:

The annual programme is conducted once in a year at the arrival of Mr. Peter Dietz, President, LEED Society - Switzerland. On that programme the best students, winners of cultural programmes receives prizes; apart from that students and PTA meeting is conducted to give clear picture about LEED's development, current status and future plan.

h. centre working days:

S. N.	Month	Working Days	TEACHERS NAME AND TEACHERS LEAVE DAYS				
			A.PAN DIAN	J.POORN IMA	S.SATH IYA	J.SURESH BABU	D. VENKATE SAN
1	Nov 04	28	1	3	1	-	-
2	Dec 04	25	-	5	2	-	1
3	Jan 05	25	1	-	2	-	-
4	Feb 05	24	1	-	1	-	-
5	Mar 05	27	5	1	1	-	-
6	Apr 05	25	3	-	-	--	-
7	May 05	26	-	3	1	-	-
8	Jun 05	26	1	-	-	-	1
9	Jul 05	26	5	-	-	-	-
10	Aug 05	27	7	1	-	4	3
11	Sep 05	26	5	1	5	-	-
12	Oct 05	25	8	1	-	3	1
	Total days	310	37	15	13	7	6

Note: J. Suresh babu was appointed in the month of August.

i. Staff meeting:

Every month there are 2 staff meetings in which all the staffs / Teachers take participate.

j. The new LEED Trust board exam for X STD:

For past several year Choolaimedu centre are giving 100 Percentage result in S.S.L.C. Public Examination. LEED rewards these students who perform with good marks in the board Exams of the centre and several students mentioned below are few have been awarded by centre for best performance in their Board Exams.

They are.

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|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1. Arputharaj | 2. Manoj Kumar | 3. Masilamani |
| 4. Udayakumar | 5. Anandthi | 6. Chandralekha |
| 7. Kamakshi | 8. Nirmala | |

k. Medical camp:

For past several years medical camps were conducted and in Choolaimedu centre it was conducted on 13.02.2005 by doctors of Christian medical college, Vellore, Tamilnadu and Seva Sadan, Dhalbhumgarh, Jharkhand.

2. KALYANAPURAM – THIRUVANNAMALAI

a. Area description:

LEED's second centre functions at Kalyanapuram village at Vandavasi Taluk in Thiruvannamalai district. It is 150 km away from Chennai; it is a remote village without transport facility. To reach the village one has to walk for 2 km from the bus stop.

There are 250 families in the village and majority of the people are landless agricultural labourers and very few have own lands. 60% of people in this village are addicted to alcohol or tobacco. The main aim of the centre in this remote village is to improve the economic and educational status of the people as different training are given like handicrafts, typewriting, sewing and embroidery works. In addition to this activation there is a women society in our Kalyanapuram through which women are provided cow loans to involve in economic activities. In the past a years, cow loans have been provided to buy about 140 cows and by this innovative project 80% of the people in this Kalyanapuram Village have been economically upgraded.

In Kalyanapuram centre, there is Play ground, better toilet facilities for the development of the youths and children with several kinds of games materials for indoor and outdoor games. It also has facilities for camps for organisations, students of colleges.

b. Benefited areas:

The following areas are benefited by LEED's projects:
Kalyanapuram, Melacheri, Kottuppakkam, Alliputhur, Aliyur, Kozhipuliyur, Madam, Issa kulathur, Anidipuravada, J. Patti, Thidial nagar, Vellaikulam and Thennathur villages

c. Staffs details:

S.N.	Name of the staff	Educational qualification	Class taken	Designation
01.	Mr. Anna Thirumalai. A	M.A., M.phil , B.Ed.,	In charge for Kalyanapur am	Coordinator
02	Mr. Dhatchanamoorthi. C	ITI	V	Head master
03.	Miss. Vendavaram. K	(B.A.)	IX	Asst. Headmaster
04.	Mr. Sudhakar. M	XII	IV	Teacher/Cultural organizer
05.	Miss. Usha. K	(M.A.)	X	Teacher/PTA secretary/Office work/Small saving in charge
06.	Miss. Bhuvaneshvari. A	(M.A.)	-	Tailoring instructor/ Women society secretary
07.	Mrs. Latha. S	X	III	Teacher
08.	Miss. Prabha. A	XII		Typewriting instructor
09.	Miss. Saritha. P	XII	VII	Teacher
10.	Miss. Hemalatha. K	X	-	Handicraft instructor
11.	Miss. Radha. S	X	-	Women society

				organizer
12.	Miss. Revathi. K	X	VI	Teacher
13.	Miss. Tamilselvi. G	X	I & II	Teacher
14.	Mr. Udhayakumar. K	M.A.,	VIII	Teacher

Kalyanapuram centre staffs are dedicative and work for long period in the centre Miss. K. Vendavaram has been working for the past 6 years, Mr. K. Dakshanamoorthy has been working for the past 25 years (from the beginning) , Mr. M. Sudhakar has been working for the past 25 years (from the beginning) , Miss. K. Usha has been working for past 7 years , Miss. A. Bhuvaneshwari has been working for past 5 years, Mrs. S. Latha has been working for past 1 year , Miss. M. Prabha has been working for past 4 years, Miss. P. Saritha has been working for past 3 years., Miss. K. Hemalatha has been working for 3 years, Miss. S. Radha has been working for past 2 years, Miss. K. Revathi has been working for past 3 years, Miss. G. Tamilselvi has been working now for past 3 months as she worked earlier for 2 years and rejoined after a small gap, Mr. K. Udhayakumar M.A has been working for 2 years

d. Centre working days:

Sl. No	Month	No. Working Days
01.	January	29
02.	February	24
03.	March	27
04.	April	26
05.	May	28
06.	June	27
07.	July	28
08.	August	28
09.	September	27
10.	October	27
11.	November	28
12.	December	27
	Total days	326

Teachers total leave days

Sl. No	Name	No of Leaves
1	Bhuvaneshwari. A	6
2	Dhatchanamoorthis. C	8
3	Hemalatha. S	8
4	Latha. S	8
5	Prabha. M	6
6	Ratha. S	9
7	Revathi. K	7
8	Saritha. P	5
9	Sudhakar. M	11
10	Tamilselvi. G	4
11	Udhayakumar. K	24
12	Usha. K	7

e. Women society

The women society was formed by LEED with 50 members; from that the beneficiaries were selected. For the past 10 years 140 cows were received by the beneficiaries and 75% of the people in Kalyanapuram have been economically upgraded. This project helps women to get additional income and supports women empowerment.

f. Parent teacher association:

PTA members elected their President and vice president for the year of 2005-06 Mr. G. Raji and Mrs. N. Padmavathi as been selected as president and vice-president for the PTA respectively.

g. Students' details:

In Kalyanapuram tuition centre the classes taken from I Std to X Std with good strength of about 131 boys/girls. The classes start from 3.p.m to 6 p.m. As there is no transport and street light facilities in the village the centre closed early in the evening.

The students meeting are conducted twice in a month in the centre. Students have elected their representative S. Vinayagam, R. and Ramarajan as their leaders.

h. Staff meeting:

Once in a month staff meeting is conducted in the centre by chairman along with all staffs and coordinator and shared their achievements, problems, future plan and suggestions for the project improvement. At the end of meeting staffs submit their bills and received their salary.

i. The new LEED Trust board exam for X STD:

As mentioned earlier the students of the centre especially the S.S.L.C. students are Awarded for best performers in the Board Exams conducted by the centre

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|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. K. Kathirvel | 2. S. Neelamegam | 3. M. Dhanalakshmi | 4. K. Sundersan |
| 5. S. Mohan | 6. J. Manikandan | 7. M. Gudan | 8. M. Amutha |
| 9. G. Rathika | 10. E. Malathi | 11. P. Vinoth | 12. L. Duraipandi |
| 13. T. Senbagavalli | 14. N. Revathi | 15. I. Thenmozhi | 16. N. Velvizhi |

j. monthly meeting dates:

S.N.	Month	Teachers meeting dates	Students meeting dates	Women's meeting dates
01	November 04	05.11.04, 16.11.04	04.11.05	-
02	December 04	01.12.04, 16.11.02	01.12.05	-
03.	January 05	01.01.05, 26.01.05	01.01.05,26.01.05	01.01.05,16.01.05
04.	February 05	01.02.05,10.02.05,20.02.05	10.02.05	-
05.	March 05	04.03.05,08.03.05,21.03.05	08.03.05	-
06.	April 05	03.04.05, 14.04.05	03.04.05, 14.04.05	14.04.05

07.	May 05	01.05.05, 25.05.05	01.05.05, 25.05.05	01.05.05, 25.05.05
08.	June 05	01.06.05, 10.06.05, 20.06.05	01.06.05, 26.06.05	-
09.	July 05	08.07.05, 23.07.05	08.07.05	-
10.	August 05	05.08.05, 15.08.05	06.08.05, 15.08.05	05.08.05, 15.08.05
11.	September 05	05.09.05, 22.09.05	05.09.05, 22.09.05	05.09.05
12.	October 05	03.10.05, 22.10.05	03.10.05, 22.10.05	-



































































k. medical camp:







































































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l. Cow loan beneficiaries:

Till this year we had given 143 cows to different families all had paid within the ten months period.

Year	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
No. of cows	10	10	15	15	14	16	20	20	20
Amount in Rupees	1000	3000	3000	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000	5000
Total in Rupees	10000	30000	45000	75000	75000	80000	100000	100000	100000

Sl.	Name	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
1	Cellammal									
2	Padmavathi									
3	Gokila. R									
4	Devagi. G									
5	Govinthammal. S									
6	Lakshmi. T									
7	Vanitha. S									
8	Kasiyammal. R									
9	Ranganayagi. R									
10	Ananthi. G									
11	Kuppammal. E									
12	Chinnammal. L									
13	Thaili. V									

14	Muniyammal. M									
15	Ramani. R									
16	Suguna. K									
17	Neela. A									
18	Saratha. G									
19	Ambika. S									
20	Velachi. J									
21	Ambika. M									
22	Parvathi. A									
23	Ovaiyar. P									
24	Kullammal. P									
25	Amirthammal. S									
26	Kasthuri. M									
27	Indira									
28	Lakshmi. M									
29	Vasugi. J									
30	Muniyammal. M									
31	Kaliyammal. E									
32	Kodamalai. S									
33	Ponnammal. M									
34	Ponitha. S									
35	Mariyai. C									
36	Uma. S									
37	Amsa. S									
38	Valliyammai. A									
39	Parameswari. D									
40	Krishanaveni.E									

41	Kasiyammal									
42	Shanthi									
43	Bhuvanesvari									
	TOTAL	10	10	15	15	14	16	20	20	20

m. Technical course:

1. Tailoring centre:

LEED interest in producing women entrepreneur and started tailoring centre in Kalyanapuram and received certificates from LEED. The course started in 2000 and many women get benefited.

2000 to 2001 – 7 Members

1. Mr. Dhatchanamoorthi C - LEED Staff
2. Miss. Kavitha V. - one year LEED staff and now house wife
3. Mrs. Latha S. - LEED Staff
4. Miss. Parimala - Working in garment Export Company in desur
5. Miss. Ramani R. - Working in garment Export Company in Chennai
6. Mrs. Sumathi. K - LEED staff and now house wife
7. Miss. Seetha S. - House

2001 to 2002 – 6 Members

1. Miss. Jamuna K. - House wife
2. Miss Mageswari A. - Tailor and house wife
3. Miss. Parimala N. - Working in garment Export Company in triuppur
4. Miss. Sankari S. - doing Handicraft and house wife
5. Mrs. Sundari P. - Tailor and house wife
6. Mrs. Vasanthi. P - Tailor and house wife

2002 to 2003 – 7 Members

1. Miss. Eswari K. - Working in garment Export Company in triuppur
2. Miss. Hemalatha S. - LEED Staff
3. Miss. Kavitha K. - Tailor
4. Miss. Kalaivani K. - working in Shoe Company
5. Miss. D Panchavarnam - Working in garment Export Company in Chennai
6. Miss. Ratha S. - LEED Staff
7. Miss. Sumathi R. - LEED staff and now house wife

2003 to 2004 – 8 Members

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|-----------------------|---|--|
| 1. Miss. Amutha M. | - | Tailor |
| 2. Miss. Ambiga A. | - | Working in garment Export Company in Chennai |
| 3. Miss. Nadhiya C. | - | Basket work and house wife |
| 4. Miss. Nisha A. | - | Basket work and house wife |
| 5. Miss Rathiga G. | - | hospital staff |
| 6. Miss Revathi K. | - | LEED Staff |
| 7. Miss. Saritha P. | - | LEED staff |
| 8. Miss. Sangeetha R. | - | hospital staff |

2004 to 2005 – 7 Members

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|--------------------------|---|--|
| 1. Miss Devi. M | - | Working in garment export company in Chennai and
Now house wife |
| 2. Miss. Geetha P. | - | working in Shoe Company in Chengalput |
| 3. Miss. Indumathi N. | - | Social worker in Chetput |
| 4. Miss. Lakshmi N. | - | House wife |
| 5. Miss. Senbagavalli R. | - | House wife |
| 6. Miss. Vasanthi V. | - | LEED Staff and now studying |
| 7. Miss. Velvizhi N. | - | House wife |

2. Typewriting Centre:

LEED train the students to learn type writing and pays the exam fees for the students.

Lower

1. Amudha M.
2. Ratha S.
3. Hemmalatha S.
4. Bhuvaneswari A.
5. Usha K.
6. Velvezhi N.
7. Saritha P. (first class)
8. Revathi K. (first class)

Higher

1. Bhuvaneswari A.
2. Radha S.
3. Praba. M

n. LEED Shop:

LEED started a shop to support women society and the community in a co-operative method, one of the LEED staff in charge for that. The shop contains provisional items and stationeries its 2 years old with 55 share holder memberships.

III. FUTURE PLAN

- handicraft training centre with manufacturing unit and marketing the crafts
- education of children (tuitions, alternative education, activity classes)
- education of women and youths (tailoring, typewriting, basket making, file making, other crafts)
- cow loans for women
- small savings
- co-operative shop
- medical camps and free medical care with tie up with hospitals
- meetings and discussion groups (women, farmers, youth, children, parents)
- door to door counselling
- library

IV DONATIONS:

LEED always thank our donors for their remarkable support to the poor women and children in Choolaimedu and Kalyanapuram village.

To achieve our goal we are in need of financial resources. Therefore we kindly ask you to support our work with donations.

Registered under Director of Income Tax (exemptions) 12AA Income Tax act 1961
Deduction in respect of donation to the institution is allowed
under s.80G of the Income Tax Act, 1961
No: DIT(E)No.2(187) 01-02
PAN No: AAATT7523M

Our bank account:

The Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited
96, Dr. Radha Krishnan Salai, Mylapore
Chennai – 600 004
Account no: **041- 451196 - 006** in the name of "**The New LEED Trust**"