

# The NDDP BENEFICIARY

## “Dreamers. Thinkers. Doers.”

### Nagma

Nagma, an NDDP alumni and Maargdarshak, has been part of the NDDP program since 6th grade. She completed her schooling at Harkesh Nagar Government Girls School. Nagma's father works as a tailor, while her mother is a housewife. Her family is financially supported by her two employed elder brothers. She has a younger sister in 12<sup>th</sup> grade, while her elder sister recently graduated.

Through Nagma's journey, we witnessed an unsure and hesitant child grow into a confident and friendly adult. As Nagma traced back her memories of NDDP, she shared: ***"The NDDP audio-visuals and practical iPad sessions grasped my attention and helped grow my interest in studies. The regular appreciation prizes always motivated me to participate more in classroom activities."***



Born into a modest family, life was a constant struggle. The family moved to Delhi many years ago. Her father is a cloth vendor who works tirelessly on the streets while her mother dedicatedly manages their home. With two younger siblings attending school, life was an uphill battle from the very beginning.

After the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, Nagma continued to be a part of NDDP as an alumna and was guided through career counseling and personality development sessions. The career counseling sessions helped her understand how to build a career plan, recognize her skills, and align them to the professional sector. Currently, Nagma is pursuing a Bachelor of Arts and preparing for a nursing course. She aspires to be a nurse.

A significant impact of NDDP on Nagma's persona has been through the personality development sessions conducted by **IAmWellbeing**. ***"The sessions have been helping me develop into a balanced person who is familiar with her emotions and relationships and knows how to keep a healthy mental space. I understand myself better now and don't like to miss a single session,"*** said Nagma.

Expressing gratitude for her supportive family and NDDP facilitators, she added, ***"I am thankful that NDDP arranged a scholarship for me and counseled my parents, enabling me to pursue higher education."***

Despite health concerns, Nagma continues her studies and aspires to build a career, attributing her resilience to the learnings from NDDP sessions. Nagma's story is a testament to the ability of students to transform their lives by applying the learnings they acquire.