

GLOSSARY

Adivasi - Scheduled Tribe

Ahuti – Sacrifice

Alpana – Hand Painting on the ground made of liquid rice paste

Anganwadi - Child care Centre run in the court yard of the volunteer

Badi – Unfried dry food articles made of different types of pulses

Bal-mela – Children's fair

Bal-sabha – Children's Meeting

Balwadi – Child Care Centre

Bapa – Maa –nka-payen – For Father and Mother

Basti Chetana Samiti – Slum Awareness Society

Basti Safai Karyakram – Cleaning Programme of Slum

Biradari- Family

Bhōbi- Sister-in law

Chetana Kendra – Centre for awareness

Danda Nachha – Dance with Wooden Sticks (a typical folk dance of Orissa)

Dasi – Slave Girl

Didi- Elder Sister

Dubni – Small Pot (Bowl)

Ghasaphoola – Flower of grass

Guru – Teacher

Gyan Vigyan Samiti – Society for Knowledge and Science

Handia – Country Liquor made of rice

Hita Katha – Healthy Talk

Janma Mati – Mother Land

Khawuish- Will

Khandani Family- Royal Family

Maa- Mother

Mahila Kala Yatha – Procession on foot by Women

Mahila Jagruti Talim – Women's Awareness and Leadership Training

Muduku – Salty fried food articles made of the power of rice and pulses

Murhi – Puffed rice
Naba Taranga – New Wave
Nai Talim – Basic Education
Nani- Elder Sister
Paon Ki Juti – Foot Wear
Police Abom Apana – Police and you
Prabhat Pheri – Morning Circumambulation for a cause
Pudupulaxmi – Thrift Group
Purdah – Veil
Rangoli – Floral pattern made of rice flour and other coloured powder on festive occasions
Reja- Women Labourer
Saheli - Friend
Saksharata – Literacy
Saksharata Mela – Literacy Fair
Sakshara Sahara, Bikasita Sahara – Literate City, Developed City
Samachar – News
Samata – Equality
Sambhab – Possible (Name of a cultural Troop)
Sankalp – Oath (Name of a cultural organisation)
Sati – Practice of widow immolating herself on husband's funeral pyre
Sevak – Servant (Male)
Sevika – Servant (Female)
Seva Sadan – House of Service
Shakti – Power
Spandan – Heart Beating (Name of a Socio-cultural Organisation)
Tola – Hamlet within a village or even in a town
Uttara Saksharata – Post Literacy
Zenana – Women