

SUJON SARKAR

14 years old

**Class - VIII
Shaktinagar High School**

**Attending Yearn to
Learn since: 2012**

**DATE OF BIRTH
23rd May, 2001**

**HOBBIES
Playing cricket**

**AMBITION
To be a Businessman**

**ADDRESS
Subhashnagar,
Krishnagar,
District-Nadia,
West Bengal
India**

**RISE**



SUJON SARKAR: A CASE STUDY

Sujon Sarkar is a first generation learner who RISE has been working with since our pilot Yearn to Learn programme in 2012. He had lost interest in school and had no motivation for learning but Sujon now has a positive outlook to education.

Sujon lives with his mother, father and brother in a small bamboo structured house that has no toilet. During the monsoon season every year their home is severely affected by the rains with water seeping through the tin roof. RISE is working to help Sujon's family receive Government Benefits to build a concrete structure and toilet as well as avail of rations and subsidies to support the family.



No
SBM*
Toilet

No
IAY*
Housing

No
BPL*
or ration
card

SUJON'S FAMILY

KASINATH	Brother	21	Works in a garment factory	£60/month
BASUDEB	Father	51	Unemployed	£0/month
SUCHITRA	Mother	41	Housewife	£0/month

* RISE is supporting Sujon's family with applications to the following Government Benefits in India: Swachha Bharat Mission (SBM) for toilet facilities, Indira Awas Yojana (IAY) for housing facilities, Below Poverty Line (BPL) cards for providing additional subsidies.




1 ROOM
BAMBOO
HOUSE
TIN ROOF



Sujon visited Kolkata for the first time with Yearn to Learn friends to run in the Kolkata Marathon Fun Run in 2015

Sujon previously lacked confidence and faced learning difficulties in school. Now he is an active member of Yearn to Learn classes, showing great initiative in the activities and a real thirst for learning. It is wonderful to see Sujon's aspiration to stay in education and hear him say he wants to be a businessman when he grows up.

SUJON has grown into a bright young man with Yearn to Learn & has high hopes and aspirations

Yearn to Learn Attendance
97.87%

Literacy Parameter: **17 out of 20**

Constructing Bengali Sentences
without compound words



HELP SUJON TODAY BY SPONSORING HIS EDUCATION!

Visit www.rise-online.co.uk for more information about Yearn to Learn and how you can support Sujon.