

# **CHARACTER MATTERS**

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An official newsletter from Character Education Foundation for those who align with our vision for a brighter tomorrow through character building of our youth.

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Empowering Youth: Over 500 Students Trained in Citizenship, Leadership and Entrepreneurship Program



In a significant initiative under the Community Development Program of CEF, Citizenship, Leadership and Entrepreneurship (CLE) sessions were conducted across Dhirkot and Leepa, Azad Jammu and Kashmir. The training, held in every union council, saw enthusiastic participation from over 500 student leaders, including both boys and girls.

The sessions focused on equipping these young leaders with essential problem-solving skills. Our dedicated CLE team guided the students through seven practical steps and tools for effective problem-solving. This initiative aims to empower the youth, fostering leadership and entrepreneurial skills crucial for their future success. The overwhelming response highlights the eagerness and potential of these young minds to lead and innovate.

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## Transforming Education through Character Building: AJK Model Chapter's First Event in Dadyal



Character Education Councils AJK Model Chapter launched its first program, "Transformation through Education and Character Building," in Dadyal, Mirpur. Key speakers, including Chairman CEF-Mehmood Ahmed, President of Character Education Councils AJK- Faheem Ahmed Khan and COO-Shahid Rafiq highlighted how combining education with character building can ensure a brighter future. The Dadyal community praised the initiative and pledged to make their tehsil a model for this transformative approach.



## CEF launches Fahm-u-Quran Course in Bahria Medical University, Karachi

Character Education Foundation introduced its Fahm-ul-Quran Course at Bahria Medical University. Vice Admiral (Retd.) Athar Mukhtar, Hilal-e-Imtiaz, and Vice Admiral (Retd.) Shah Sohail Masood, Hilal-e-Imtiaz (Military), praised the initiative. Mr. Hammad Zaheer, Head of Resource Mobilization Pakistan, provided a detailed introduction to CEF. Farhan Siddiqui, Head of Institutes Karachi, and Lubna Ikhlas, Head of Curriculum Karachi Institutes, also attended. The program will train 12 teachers for the Fahm-ul-Quran course, benefiting around 400 students.



# Now Character Education Institute empowers Urban Mothers in Islamabad

Following Karachi and Lahore, a new Character Education Institute has opened in Islamabad's Airport Society. Twenty-five women are advancing from Nazra Module to Fahm-ul-Quran.

Kids' Nazra classes also run in the evenings in the same campus.

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