## **Press Release**

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CMRL supports ensure that children with diverse learning needs should also be provided equal access to a public education. Chennai Metro is revolutionizing the concept of mass urban transportation across the Chennai City. Hence in an attempt to bring awareness to the students of Government Schools about the metro train across the Metro Rail alignment in the city and metro stations, CMRL has been undertaking monthly educational trips from Central Metro to St. Thomas Mount and Airport via Koyambedu and Washermenpet to Airport via AG-DMS for the students.

The features of the Metro Train and its Stations are being explained to the students. In this connection, Students from Government, Corporation Schools, Government Aided Schools from Chennai and also students from Tiruvallur, Chengalpattu and Kanchipuram District are being given the educational trips during the academic year 2019-20.

For the previous academic year 2018 –2019, a total number of 31,178 students from around 60 schools had travelled in Metro train and were benefitted.

The educational trip for year 2019-20 commenced from 4th of June 2019. A total of 4,205 students took this educational trip in the month of November and December, 2019 and January 2020.

And a total of 24,400 no of students have travelled in the Metro Train in the between June 2019 to January 2020.

Arrangements are being made to travel on the Metro Rail for the students of government and government aided schools in other districts.