

## Project Vinveli Activity Summary - 2

### Madukkarai Education Block, Coimbatore

**Date: 18th July 2024**

<b>Activity title</b>	Namma Telescope Construction Workshop (In-person)
<b>Venue</b>	Panchayat Union Primary School, Malumichampatti, Coimbatore
<b>Number of Participants</b>	36
<b>Resource Persons</b>	Mr.Bharathkumar Velusamy & Mr.Ranjith, Open Space Foundation
<b>Description</b>	<p>On 18th July, students from six Panchayat Union Middle Schools in the Madukkarai Education Block constructed their "Namma Telescope" under Project Vinveli. The workshop was inaugurated by Mrs. Kamakshi Jayaraman and Mrs. Nesamani, the Block Education Officer for Madukkarai. Participants, including 30 students (14 girls and 16 boys) and six teachers, learned the basics of optics, tube assembly, and the mounting system. Following the theoretical sessions, students were guided step-by-step to assemble their telescopes, gaining hands-on experience in telescope functionality.</p>

