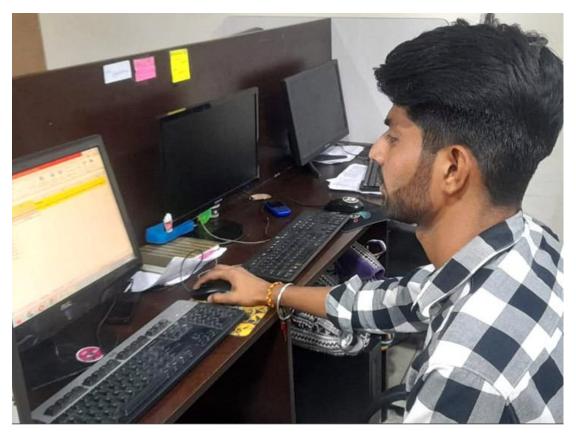


## Overcoming Challenges, Nitesh Builds a Brighter Future with Skills Training



itesh Kumarwat, a boy determined to support his family, witnessed his father's tireless work at a private company, yet receive meager pay. Facing financial constraints, Nitesh, though eager to continue his studies, opted to find work. However, his lack of skills made securing a good job difficult.

Upon completing his schooling in 2020, Nitesh started searching for employment. While he sought job references, he learned about the Skills to Livelihood Program from program alumni. Impressed by the live class he observed, Nitesh enrolled in the job readiness program the following day, as he wanted to secure a job quickly.

The 15-day training program significantly boosted Nitesh's confidence level and honed his communication and presentation skills, preparing him for the workplace. He appreciated the program's blend of theoretical knowledge and practical soft skills development. He provided examples of engaging training methods, such as interactive activities and video lessons. Nitesh particularly enjoyed the goal-setting session within the soft skills module. He stated, "I learned essential skills for interaction, grooming, professional conduct, and teamwork."

Immediately following the training, Nitesh attended his first interview at Bizmet Pvt. Ltd. and was successfully hired. Currently employed as a back-office assistant, he earns a monthly salary of INR 10,000.

Nitesh emphasises that this is just the beginning. He pledges to work diligently, utilising the knowledge and skills acquired during the training, to advance his professional career. He expresses his newfound confidence in fulfilling his parents' expectations and aspires to sponsor a trip for them at least once, a heartfelt gesture of his gratitude. Nitesh expresses his sincere thanks to DA and HDB Financial Services for their initiative.

