

CUTTING & TAILORING CENTRE

Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya, Jagti

1. BRIEF HISTORY

Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya, Jagti was established with the vision of providing educational and vocational resources to the Kashmiri Pandit migrant community settled in the Jagti Township, Jammu.

Over the years, the institution has grown from a modest library into a full-fledged **Library cum Skill Development Centre**, offering a range of educational and vocational programs to the community. The centre has consistently worked towards empowering women, youth, and marginalized sections of the community by providing them access to books, digital resources, and skill-based training.

The library has been a proud venue for numerous community events and milestone celebrations, reinforcing its role as a central pillar of the Jagti community. Its association with NGOs like **Helpline Humanity** and support from organizations like the **Saraswathi Education Cultural Charitable Trust, Chennai** further highlights its regional and national significance.

2. CUTTING & TAILORING CENTRE – OVERVIEW

In continuation of its mission to promote skill development and economic independence among community members, Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya, Jagti launched a **Cutting & Tailoring Centre** in **May 2025**.

This initiative is a significant step towards providing vocational training to women and youth in the Jagti township, enabling them to learn a practical trade, gain financial independence, and contribute meaningfully to their families and society.

3. KEY DETAILS OF THE CUTTING & TAILORING CENTRE

Detail	Information
Centre Name	Cutting & Tailoring Centre
Location	Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya, Jagti, Jammu & Kashmir

Detail	Information
Date of Commencement	May 2025
Total Registrations (Till Date)	15
Type of Training	Cutting, Stitching & Tailoring
Target Beneficiaries	Women & Youth of Jagti Township

5. OBJECTIVES OF THE CENTRE

- To provide professional cutting and tailoring training to women and youth of the Jagti community.
- To promote financial independence and self-employment among the community members.
- To equip trainees with market-ready skills in garment cutting and stitching.
- To support the broader mission of the Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya as a Skill Development Centre.
- To bridge the gap between education and livelihood for the displaced Kashmiri Pandit community.

8. CONCLUSION

The establishment of the Cutting & Tailoring Centre at Mata Saraswati Pustakalaya, Jagti marks a proud milestone in the institution's journey of community service. With **15 registrations** already achieved since its launch in **May 2025**, the centre is well on its way to transforming lives and building a more self-reliant community. It is a shining example of how education and skill development can go hand-in-hand to uplift a community.

