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Akkar & T5 - Education Partners Meeting

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| **Name** | Education Partners Meeting | **Meeting Date** | Tuesday 11 October, 2016 | |
| **Meeting Location** | NRC Office – Tal Abbas- Akkar | **Meeting Time** | 11:00 AM | |
| **Meeting Duration** | 1.5 hrs. |
| **Minutes Prepared by** | Karim RISHANI (Education Coordinator) |
| **Purpose of Meeting** | Education Partners Meeting – Min Ila Pilot Cash Program Akkar | | |

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| **1.** | **General Updates** |
| This is to remind you that the subject  meeting is **today**  Time: 11:00 AM  Place : NRC Office in Tal Abbas ( Near Halba )  Address : Khreibet El Jundi, Facing Tal Abbas diversion, Emb. Kilani Center, Block B, Second Floor.  **Min Ila Education-focused Cash Transfer Pilot: Key Messages for Outreach Visits**  UNICEF is piloting the Min Ila Education-focused Cash Transfer program, which will provide refugee children aged 6 to 14 who are enrolled in 2nd shift schools in **Akkar and Mount Lebanon** only with a cash grant.  The cash grant is intended to help households to send their children to 2nd shift Lebanese public school.  Children aged 5 to 9 will receive 20 USD per month. Children aged 10 to 14 will receive 65 USD per month for the duration of the school year.  To register for the cash grant, you must enrol your children in a 2nd shift public primary school near you in Akkar or Mt Lebanon before October 31st 2016.  If you have already enrolled in 2nd shift, please return to a 2nd shift school to enroll for the pilot between September 15th and October 31st.  Children can continue to enrol in school after October 31st, but registration in the pilot will not continue after that date.  A special desk will be set up by UNICEF to register your household in the cash pilot at the school during normal school 2nd shift enrolment.  Parents/caregivers should attend school enrolment with their children in order to register for the pilot.  Please bring your UNHRC Registration Certificate or another ID issued by a national government (e.g. National ID, Passport, Family Book) to the pilot registration desk at school enrolment.  This year there will be no buses provided by UNICEF through Caritas. The cash is intended to help households meet the costs of sending their children to school. Households are not obligated to spend the cash on transportation, but may choose to do if they wish.  The cash grant is intended to help children enrol in and attend school. If children who receive the cash grant are absent from school, they will be contacted by the program through an SMS or a household visit.  The objective of the household visit is to better understand why the child is not attending school and how the household can be helped further, and to refer households to additional services that will help the child back into school.  If your child is absent from school for an extended period the program will visit your household to try to understand why your child is not attending school, and to offer additional help, as the cash grant is intended to help children enrol in and attend school.  We are not yet sure if there will be money available to continue the program in the next school year starting in September 2017. You will be informed if there is. | |
| **2.** | **Action Points Coordination** |
| Any questions issues related to Min Ila for follow up with Caritas.  Hot line for Min Ila project to be shared b | |