

## **'1Dream 2U' Program Gives Positive Impact, Boosts Student Enrolment To Tertiary Institutions**

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KUALA SELANGOR, March 12 (Bernama) -- The '1Dream 2U' Program, organised by the Education Ministry, is perceived to have given a positive impact in boosting enrolment of Selangor students into institutions of higher learning and training institutes after completing school.

Selangor Education Director, Zainuren Mohd Noor said through the program initiated in 2013, parents were now more open about sending their children to attend skills training besides going to the university.

"The objective of the program is to ensure that the community knows that although their children attend rural schools, the opportunity for them to further their studies at the university or skills training institutes is always there.

"We want all students who have completed their schooling to have a direction in life. If they are keen to get 'hands on' training, they can enter the training institutes and this will certainly reduce unemployment in the country in future," he told Bernama after opening the program at Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Jeram, here today.

Almost 10 institutions of higher learning and skills training institutes are participating in the '1Dream 2U' program at the Selangor state level currently to expose the courses offered to about 500 students from various secondary schools in the state.

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