

Education Changing Lives

IND-SMI-ECL-P01



Indore, India



Education



Tax deductible

Total Budget: \$220,500

Project Timeline



POPULATION

1.43 billion

POVERTY

21.9% of the population below poverty line

HEALTH

Life expectancy at birth: 67.7 years

EDUCATION

Mean years of school (adults) 6.6 years

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX

Ranking out of 193 nations India 134 (Aust 10)

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Overview

This education program serves three disadvantaged communities in west-central India. Local families in these slum areas are very poor which usually means that children do not receive an education. This project will ensure that children in these communities continue accessing quality education, providing them a pathway out of poverty, as well as having a positive impact on the entire community. Entrust will provide educational support for more than 750 underprivileged students. Health and Hygiene awareness for children and parents will also be conducted during the three year project period. Year 1 budget is \$73,500.

Why support this:

Limited government schooling coupled with inconsistent teacher attendance, has led to low literacy rates in India, especially among girls. Establishing inclusive, high-quality English-medium schools is vital for providing new learning opportunities, and upgrading existing schools is crucial to supporting students progressing to higher grades. We love the passion of our partners to improve the lives of their families by establishing schools and appreciate their thoroughness in planning from the beginning to register the schools with the government.

Objectives Include:



English medium education for 750 slum children



Capacity building for 45 teachers



Strengthening moral values and life skills



Health and Hygiene awareness clinics

Expected life Change

- Education empowers children, equipping them with English communication skills and enhancing future opportunities.
- Equal access to education for both girls and boys leads to better job prospects and fosters a more equitable society.
- A more engaged community recognises the importance of children's education in reducing poverty.