



ANNUAL REPORT SANKALP

2023 - 2024

Message from Founder's desk:

Dear Patrons,

We are delighted to present to you our Annual Report for the financial year 2023-24, reflecting our steadfast commitment to empowering underprivileged children through education with a special focus on promoting no poverty, zero hunger, good health and well-being, quality education, gender equality and reduced inequalities in alignment with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).



Education is vital for personal growth, social progress, and economic development. We believe every child, regardless of gender, has the right to quality education. Throughout the year, we have implemented various initiatives aimed at enhancing the quality of education by providing scholarships and school essentials to government and budget schools creating safer communities for children, and reaching 10,000 children.

We sincerely thank Bharat Biotech, Aurobindo Pharma Foundation, Hyderabad Racing Club, Laurus Labs, Sathguru Management Consultants, Daughter Earth, Mr. & Mrs. Ratan Watal for your generous contributions and support in steering children towards academic excellence thereby paving the way for a brighter future. Additionally, we thank all our donors for their unwavering support, empowering children to stride confidently toward a brighter future.

As we make further strides this year, we plan to organize a marathon to raise awareness of girl child education and the prevention of child sexual abuse. We are confident that, with the support and collaboration of our supporters, partners, and friends, we can build upon the success of the past year and continue to make a meaningful difference in the lives of children and families.

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Hemalatha Vijayaraghavan Founder and Director Sankalp



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About Sankalp

Sankalp, a registered NGO, working for the upliftment and holistic development of underprivileged children and marginalized communities to empower the poor through child education and community development programs since 2007. Sankalp provides scholarships and school essentials to underprivileged children, supports blood transfusions for children with cancer and thalassemia, and distributes blankets to those in need during winter.

Essence of Sankalp

Who we serve **Our Vision** We serve To empower vulnerable underprivileged children adolescent girls and the from low-income elderly through neighborhoods, children comprehensive battling thalassemia, education and care. and elderly **Our Mission** To empower underprivileged children through education and provide medical facilities to aged and underprivileged people. Social Initiatives **Our Purpose Promoting Education** To empower and uplift Promoting Health the underprivileged Promoting Social communities Causes



Looking back at the year:

Provided scholarships for students studying in low-income neighborhoods, enabling them to continue accessing education

Provided 4500 school kits to children from both government and private schools in districts four of Telangana through the project

Reached out to 129 children suffering from Thalassemia Reached 3000 children through prevention of child sexual abuse and life skills education

Sankalp – Siksha

Sankalp firmly believes that the journey towards national development begins with children's first step through the school gate. Our flagship education program aims to promote and facilitate quality education among underprivileged children and enable them to emerge as responsible citizens. Our program strives to lay a strong foundation for their future. Since 2007, Sankalp has awarded scholarships to over 6000 children to eliminate financial obstacles and nurture the potential of underprivileged children through scholarship initiatives. Sankalp partners with budget schools in Hyderabad that cater to children hailing from low-income neighborhoods and slum communities.

Sankalp identifies deserving students from diverse backgrounds, including those with single parents, orphans, semi-orphans, and housemaids and drivers.

Through meticulous evaluation, Sankalp selects students based on their financial requirements and academic achievements, ensuring that scholarships are directed toward the most vulnerable and promising students.



"Sankalp has been supporting my education for the last 4 years. They have not only supported my education but also helped me in my overall development, nurturing my confidence and enhancing my personality through life skills education. Thanks to their guidance as they have helped me not only as a student but also as an individual to face life's challenges with resilience."

> - Navya Sree, Grade 10, Little Angels School

Backpacks filled with love and school essentials:

Education is crucial for the growth and success of children, but unfortunately, many are forced to drop out of school for various reasons. In India, many children attend government or affordable schools in lowincome neighborhoods. While government schooling or scholarships may provide some relief from the burden of school fees for underprivileged children, obtaining basic school supplies like bags, books, pens, and pencils remains a significant challenge. financial hardship often Parents facing struggle to provide these necessary supplies. This lack of access to essential supplies can lead to low self-esteem and hinder learning outcomes, ultimately impacting the quality of education. Furthermore, children who can't afford supplies may feel excluded and teased by their classmates, leading to a lack of focus and hindering their academic progress.

With the primary goal of combating school dropouts, bolstering self-esteem. and improving academic performance, Sankalp, in with collaboration Aurobindo Pharma Foundation, Laurus Labs, Bharat Biotech, Hyderabad Racing Motor Private Limited, and Sathquru Management Consultants, has distributed over 4,500 school kits to children studying in government and private schools across two districts in Telangana. The kit includes essential school supplies such as a bag, ten notebooks, pens, erasers, crayons, geometry boxes, color pencils, lunch boxes, and water bottles.

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Our footprints



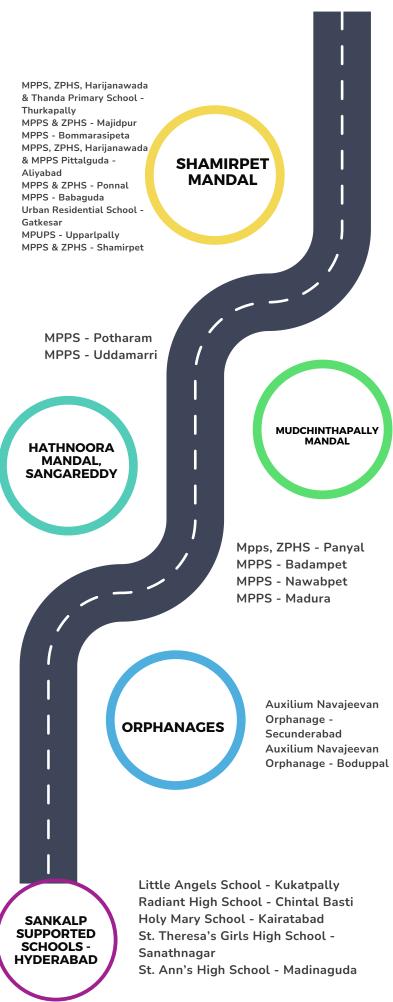
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We extend heartfelt gratitude to our generous donors for their unwavering commitment to our communities and genuine dedication to steering children towards academic excellence, thereby paving the way for a brighter future. Volunteers from our partner organizations have exhibited exceptional community spirit, actively engaging in school kit distribution events across these districts.

The school principals deeply appreciated Sankalp and our project sponsors for their invaluable efforts. They emphasize that these initiatives play a key role in supporting students who, due to financial constraints, might otherwise lack access to fundamental educational supplies, thereby fostering continuous education.

Prevention of child sexual abuse and life skills education:

At Sankalp, we believe every child matters. Every child has a right to be safe and protected from sexual abuse. To create a safe environment for children, Sankalp has introduced Project PANTS (P- Private parts are private, A- Always remember your body is yours), N - No means no, T - Talk to someone you trust, S - Shout, run and seek help) in a play-way method and has been reaching out to children from private and government schools in Hyderabad. Sankalp has been implementing project PANTS since year, we have conducted 2016. This sessions for children from awareness different schools in Hyderabad. We have covered five Sankalp-supporting schools in Hyderabad. We ensured that children understood the potential risks and protection strategies through the sessions conducted.

Sankalp – Jiva

Blood Donation camp to support children battling thalassemia



Thalassemia is a rare genetic blood disorder that is carried by more than 4% of the population. A child with Thalassemia needs a regular blood transfusion every 2-5 weeks throughout their life to survive. Sankalp annually organizes blood donation camps the key purpose of supporting with blood transfusions to children suffering from cancer and thalassemia. This year Sankalp organized a blood September 2023, in donation camp on 27 association with Aarohi Blood Bank. The staff of have Sathguru and neighboring corporates enthusiastically participated in the camp. Many individuals came forward to donate blood but some were eligible and some were not eligible to donate blood because of health issues and other medical problems. Through blood donation camp we have collected 42 units of blood that have benefited 129 children. This year, in the blood donation camp, we have also set up an awareness corner to help the participants and other individuals know more about thalassemia and its symptoms and encouraged people to donate blood.

Fundraise Funfair – Empowering the underprivileged children (Khan Paan Dukaan)

Khan Paan Dukan is an annual fundraising food festival, organized by Sankalp Sathguru to support child education in India. With the themes Beti Bachao, Beti Padao (Save the Child, Educate the Child), Sankalp Volunteers served food at the event, promoting child education was the primary social cause that this food festival focused on. The fundraiser served Hyderabadi, Continental, Chinese, and Indian Cuisine and an exciting live band. The culinary offerings, prepared by the dedicated team at Sathguru, not only supported the cause but also provided the staff with a fulfilling worklife balance through their involvement in cooking for a cause. A significant number of individuals took time out of their busy schedules to visit our stalls, generously contributing to support child education.

We ensured that the food at the stalls was affordable so that all the participants take part in the event. The proceeds from these sales were directed towards girl child education and the prevention of child sexual abuse.

The participants experienced a fun-filled day of delicious culinary adventures, where they had the opportunity to savor the flavors of all dishes while grooving to the beat of the live band and displayed great beyond the culinary delights, students from Sankalp-supported schools showcased their talents projects enthusiasm and willingly contributed to these noble causes. The festival saw a remarkable turnout of 700 - 800 around individuals, who generously contributed a total of 3 lakhs through food purchases and donations.

Students organized activities and fun games, adding a lively atmosphere to the event. They raised an impressive INR 1020 through these games, bringing smiles to their faces and contributing to their empowerment. This interactive event also allowed donors to connect with the children they are helping, turning the children's dreams into reality.



Thank you for making a significant difference in the lives of girl children!



Every year, associates of Sathguru and external donors contribute and support girl children in getting access to education. Our donors strongly believe that supporting the education of underprivileged children can have a positive impact on their social and economic well-being, as well as that of their families. This year, our donors have contributed INR 45,99,238 to support Sankalp's mission to empower underprivileged children and enable them to make informed choices. As a gesture of appreciation, Sankalp kids have thanked their sponsors and acknowledged them with handmade greeting cards. The Sankalp team facilitated the greeting card drive and ensured that all the cards reached the donors.

OUR HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO OUR FUNDING PARTNERS AND PROGRAM PARTNERS:

FUNDING PARTNERS

















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PROGRAM PARTNERS













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- INR 2750/- Supports education for one child for three months
- INR 1375/- Supports education for one child for one month
- INR 1100/- For school essentials

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