

**Mamta Saikia, CEO of Bharti Foundation, recognized by Great Place To Work® India
as one of India's Most Trusted Leader**

New Delhi, June 16, 2023 – Mamta Saikia, the Chief Executive Officer of Bharti Foundation, has been recognized as one of India's Most Trusted Leaders by Great Place to Work. This prestigious recognition acknowledges Mamta's exemplary leadership and contributions in the social sector. Her aim to build a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship in the organization, has led to co-creation of goals where every individual in organization is empowered to contribute towards bringing in excellence in the Foundation's programs.

Bharti Foundation has been awarded *CSR Foundation of the Year* by CSRBox, ET Ascent 'Stars of the Industry' Award for *Support & Improvement of Quality of Education* and recognized among the '*Top 100 India's Best Workplaces™ for Women 2022*' by Great Place to Work among many other accolades. These wins are a testimony of Mamta's visionary leadership that speak volumes about her strategic thought and her role in enhancing system efficiency and quality standards of the organization. Under her able guidance, the Foundation has been able to bring smiles in the lives of more than 2 million children in the academic year 2022-23.

On the momentous occasion of being recognized as one of India's Most Trusted Leaders, Mamta Saikia, CEO- Bharti Foundation said, *"I am deeply honored to be recognized among India's Most Trusted Leaders by Great Place to Work. This recognition is a testament to the collective efforts of the entire team at Bharti Foundation and their unwavering commitment towards transforming lives through education. Together, we have reached a significant milestone of impacting lives of more than 2 million children in 2022-23. Our journey has been driven by the passion to provide opportunities for holistic development of children, regardless of their background. I am grateful for the trust and support of my teams, our partners, stakeholders for reaching this scale. We remain committed and will continue to innovate and collaborate to make a lasting impact in the lives of children and communities across India."*

Under Mamta's leadership, Bharti Foundation has successfully launched a new initiative in April 2023, TheTeacherApp. It has been designed to empower educators through an online platform to learn, engage and explore new skills. With a focus on fostering collaboration, innovation, and holistic school transformation, the platform offers practical resources, NEP-inspired ideas, and a supportive online teaching community for exchanging ideas and best practices of schools.

About Bharti Foundation

Bharti Foundation was set up in the year 2000 as the philanthropic arm of Bharti Enterprises. It implements and supports programs in primary, secondary and higher education. Since 2006, the flagship, Satya Bharti School Program has been providing free quality education to thousands of underprivileged children in 173 schools in rural India across five states, with a focus on the girl child. The impact of quality education has been widened by transferring the learning and good practices of this program to more than 3 lakh students studying in 808 partnering government schools across 11 States/UTs, through Satya Bharti Quality Support Program (QSP), since 2013. Most of the processes under QSP were found to be pragmatic. Bharti Foundation was invited by



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several education officers at district and state level to scale up some of the initiatives through Large Scale Initiatives. The Foundation has recently launched a new initiative, TheTeacherApp one of the most innovative technology solution for teachers and educators in the country. Satya Bharti Abhiyan, the sanitation initiative started in 2014 till 2021, has benefitted 2,19,872 beneficiaries by improving sanitation conditions in the districts of Punjab, providing access to toilets and by fostering behavioural change in communities. The Foundation has been able to impact more than 2 million children in a meaningful manner through its education programs this year. <https://bhartifoundation.org/>

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