

## Bharti Foundation celebrates India's 77th Independence Day in its Satya Bharti Schools with great fervor

**16 August 2023, Delhi:** Bharti Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Bharti Enterprises, celebrates India's 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day in its 173 Satya Bharti Schools across India. Teachers and students pledged to do their best for the welfare and growth of the country.

Across all Satya Bharti Schools, while students celebrated the occasion with enthusiastic cultural performance, the schools welcomed their alumni with pride and nostalgia to rekindle their special bond.

On the occasion, meritorious students were awarded for their academic excellence. In addition, there was a special Girl Child Achiever Award to encourage education among girls. Furthermore, teachers and students were also recognized for their efforts and participation in various internal & external competitions. The school administration also appreciated the continuous cooperation of the rural community and the members of the Panchayat.

Bharti Foundation believes in exchanging knowledge for a positive impact in society. This year the celebrations had an additional flavor as Satya Bharti School Bohlian, Amritsar, Punjab and Satya Bharti School Ramnagar, Shahjahanpur, Uttar Pradesh were recognized with Bhagidari Award for their support and collaboration with government schools as they shared learnings and good practices to improve the schooling experience of students.

## **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 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 nearly 3 million children in a meaningful manner through its education programs since inception.

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