

# QUALITY SUPPORT PROGRAM AT SCALE

Bharti Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Bharti Enterprises established in 2000, has been making a significant impact in the field of education, in India. With a focus on primary, secondary, and higher education, the Foundation's flagship program, the Satya Bharti Schools, has been providing free quality education to underprivileged children, in rural India.

The Foundation also partners state education departments to transform government schools through Quality Support program and Quality Support Program at Scale (QSP at Scale). In addition, the Foundation supports higher education initiatives with IIT Delhi, Plaksha University, ISB Mohali etc.



Transforming institutions and improving overall school performance.

# Background

The Quality Support Program at Scale (QSP at Scale) was launched formally in 2018, has a wholeschool approach and works in close partnerships with education department. Positive outcomes of the Quality Support Program (QSP) which works with partner government schools directly led to scaling up of many interventions at the block, district or state level. These centered around National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, building life skills, and create a supportive home environment for students etc. QSP at Scale aims to work with the government education system to transform institutions and improve overall school performance in the state/ district.

We have partnered with education departments in various states like Jammu and Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Assam, Rajasthan, and Delhi etc. since inception.

# Philosophy

Bharti Foundation is committed to ensuring holistic development of students by transforming schools into vibrant institutions offering quality education by mainly strengthening co-scholastic interventions in the schools. Our belief is that a holistic approach to education inspires students to become deeply engaged in their learning and schooling process.

QSP at Scale aims to transform government schools into vibrant and integrated institutions of learning by strengthening and brining new processes, and interventions at the state and district level. The core philosophy of the program is that if schools become an engaging and happy spaces, it would result in holistic development of students as they acquire leadership, communication, collaboration, and other life skills that are critical along with academics.

## **Our approach**

The foundation partners with education departments, leveraging its expertise to implement NEP recommendations such as development of life skills and initiatives like bag-less days, student internships, parents and communities' involvement in schools etc. We draws upon its field-tested processes, rural expertise and experiences gathered over 15 states of the country to provide technical support.



Building scientific temperament under No Bag Day

# Key initiatives under QSP at Scale

- No Bag Day
- Life skills development through club and house system
- Capacity building program on improving classroom teaching effectiveness through TLM and TheTeacherApp
- Compilation of high-quality TLMs in form of a State's TLM Book and placement on TheTeacherApp
- Convoke national level symposium encouraging teachers to use evidence-based practices for improvement
- School Excellence Program for school leadership
- Exposure to high-quality Webinars for leaders on TheTeacherApp
- Home Mentoring Program to empower parents

# Outcomes

Integration of co-scholastic approach into school leading to improved life skills in students

Support teachers in bringing innovative practices (&TLM) in teachingleaning processes

Strengthen leadership skills amongst School Heads, senior teachers leading to school improvement

Improve parents' & communities participation in children's education as well as schools

# Initiatives aligned with NEP

- ⇒ Focus on building life skills such as communication, leadership and teamwork etc.
- ⇒ Create opportunities for students to develop creativity and critical thinking to promote logical decision-making and innovation.
- ⇒ To make classrooms interactions more enjoyable, creative, collaborative for deeper understanding
- ⇒ To provide ongoing support to teachers through opportunities for self-learning and a collection of TLM, projects etc that can be used in the classroom
- ⇒ Recognize teachers for bringing in innovations. Support educators and teachers in their continuous professional development journey
- ⇒ Help parents to promote the holistic
  development in both academic and
  non-academic spheres for children



Bringing joy through co-scholastic like games etc.

# **Process of Implementation**

## Work with the state resource group

- Create a roadmap
- Design implementation strategy includes training, monitoring, support and recognition

## **Create guidelines / orders**

• Strengthen the existing guidelines or support the state to create new guidelines

## **Capacity building**

 Build state resource group capacity and through them organize trainings for district resource group and teachers/heads of schools

#### Institutionalize support and review mechanism

- Create frameworks, formats, data analysis processes at the district and state level
- Contribute in regular monitoring and review

# **Bharti Foundation's support**

Bharti Foundation provides technical and management support at the state to execute the intervention. The technical resource work closely with key government stakeholders and ecosystem partners to develop goals, targets, roadmap and support implementation

# **Reach Since Inception**



1.9M+

SCHOO

**Schools** 

24K+

Rajasthan

Education

Department

**Directorate of School** 

**Education Jammu** 



Teachers

120K+



Parents

150K+



Samagra Shiksha, Himachal Pradesh

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Education Department, Government of Assam

Partners