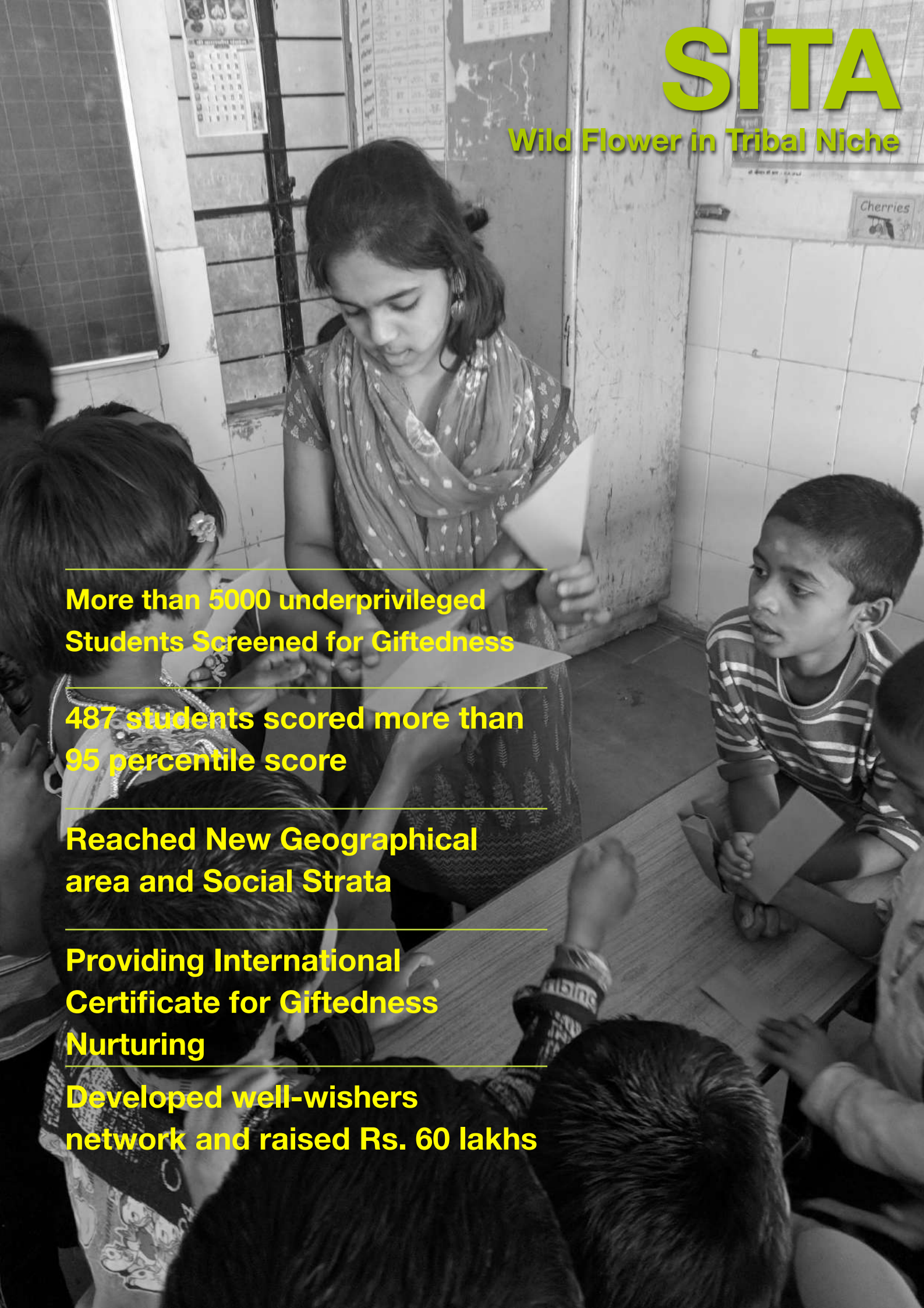
SITA

Wild Flower in Tribal Niche



More than 5000 underprivileged Students Screened for Giftedness

487 students scored more than 95 percentile score

Reached New Geographical area and Social Strata

Providing International Certificate for Giftedness Nurturing

Developed well-wishers network and raised Rs. 60 lakhs





Tribal Mensa Nurturing Program Annual Report 2017-2018

Sita:

I want to say something !



Underprivileged Giftedness

Sixteen years ago, we started with a MISSION to identify, nurture and empower every gifted child in India for nation-building.

In year 2017-2018, we challenged ourselves to find these hidden gems from the most deprived socio-economic sections. We found gifted students amongst those who have been abandoned by society as they are children of commercial sex workers and affected by HIV AIDS.

We have also shifted our focus towards nurturing and empowering gifted girls through our VAMA program. As India has a Matru-Pradhan culture, we believe that a girl should be empowered first to strengthen her community.



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European Talent Support Network

Realising the need to make a **scaleable nurturing model**, we created products like nurturing workbooks, indigenous games and audio-visuals.

We received support from our patrons in the form of **international certification for our nurturing program** - signed by five of the most prominent women working in the field of giftedness from across the globe.

Our nurturing showed **impact** in the form of initiatives like Eco-tours and Poster projects taken up by the students themselves to be useful members of society.



To provide **all round support**, we incorporated individual counselling sessions, study skills and academic scholarships for our gifted students.

Our entire program received **endorsement letters** from our patrons which will help us raise more funds and support.

We grew our **support network** to provide better opportunities for our gifted students. We saw increased involvement of gifted mentors for our underprivileged gifted, a growing donor community and sharing of our platform for other social causes.

To fulfil our VISION to not have any gifted child ignored in our country, we are taking steps towards creating a scaleable, sustainable and replicable model of giftedness.



Replicable Model



As a European Talent Center, we have already multiplied by initiating giftedness activities in Karve Institute and VPS Lonavala.

To realise this vision, we require strength and wealth which we are grateful to receive from our patrons, donors, associated organisations and well-wishers.











Giftedness Identification:

To create a giftedness model for 500 students, our goal is to screen approximately 5000 students every year.

For year 2018-2019, we have already conducted giftedness identification in various urban, rural and tribal regions - Pune, Satara, Wai, Chakan, Maval, Lonavala, Ahmednagar and Pali.



Starting from this year, we are using an additional identification tool that helps identify multiple intelligences due to its dynamic nature. We keenly await results of the same.
Simultaneously, our previous tool underwent research and has now been updated with reset norms.









Sita experienced during the work-shop:

"Curiosity and fo-cusing helps to ex-press creativity !"

To support 'VAMA', our initiative for gifted girls, we received certification for our nurturing program from five of the most eminent women working in the field of giftedness from across the globe!

Sita received second International certificates within two years.....





We could see the impact of our nurturing program when 35 of our gifted girls from 9th std. Karve Mahilashram High School took the initiative to visit their sister tribal school in Kamshet. They spent the Gudi Padwa festival at Kamshet, while conducting various activities for the school children and getting to know about the issues they face. These girls, who themselves come from a poor socio-economic background gathered money from their savings to donate to the tribal school.

Our 'YUVA' students 30 different posters on Academics, Health and Social issues to be put up in various schools in Maval region.



Sita likes to enjoy and learn:

As an aid to verbal interaction, we have also created other interactive material for our gifted kids. These include nurturing workbooks, indigenous games and audio-visuals.



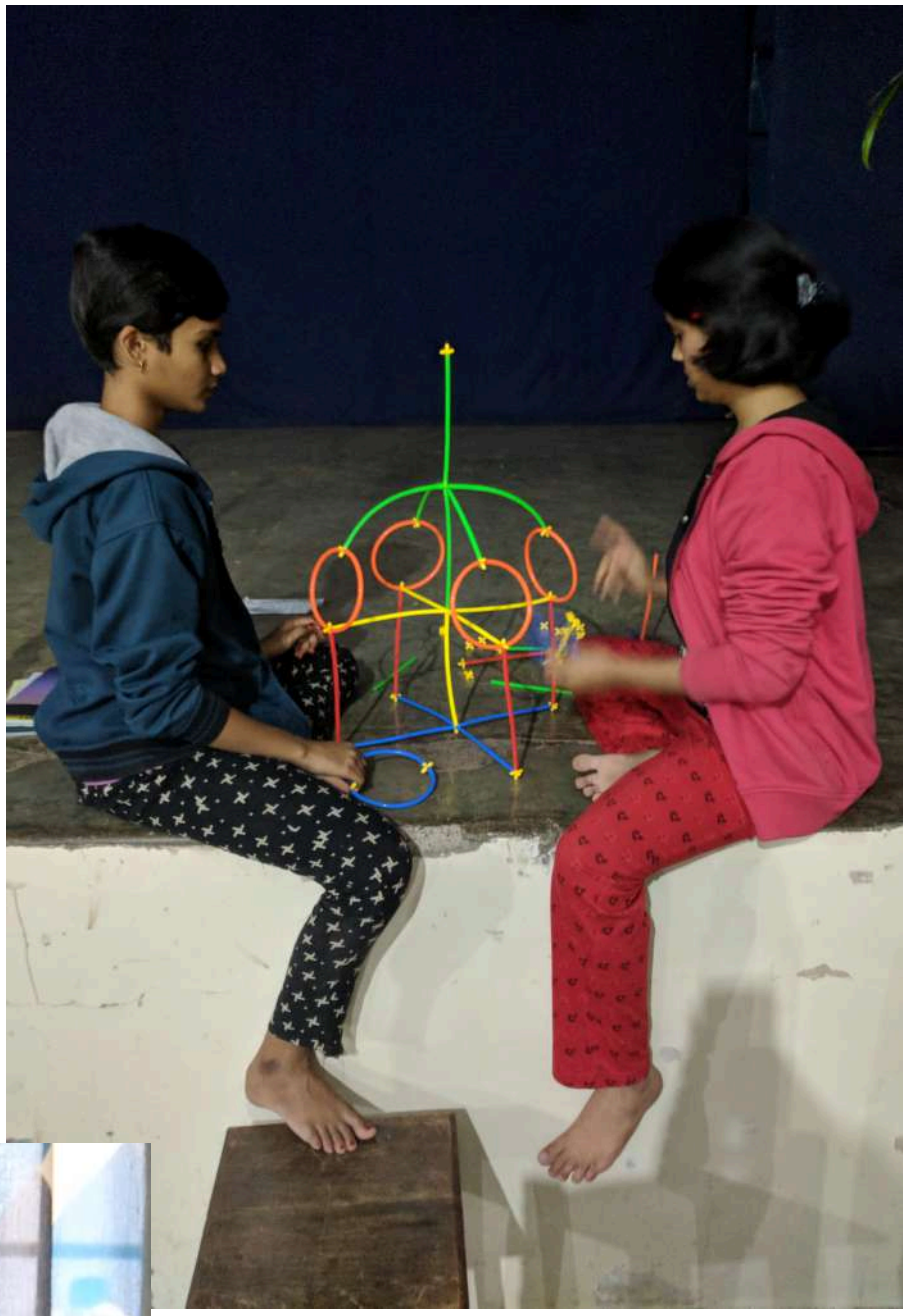
Counselling: Gifted children often encounter a particular set of emotional and psychological problems, which they are not equipped to handle at such a young age. The problem is further heightened for underprivileged gifted students due to their socio-economic background. We found the need to address these problems for the gifted girls of Karve Mahilashram school who face additional problems with respect to their gender. As TMNP has a team of psychologists, we decided to conduct individual counselling sessions for 57 gifted girls to help them develop coping strategies for the issues they have to deal with regularly.

Sita:

Shall we communicate...







Designing and Developing Dreams







TMNP Youth Program:

TMNP Youth program: Sponsors- Being Human Foundation. 72 Gifted Girls and Boys @ Sidhivinayak College,Pune!! and VPS, Purandare College Lonavala

This is the first time we see adults in a TMNP workshop!

These are individuals, with opinions, with bigger dreams, more challenges, more experiences, responsibilities... It is not just fun for the mentors to interact with these young Gifted minds, but a thorough challenge to sway this ship in the right direction!


Sita:
I am looking forward to join TMNP VAMA, TMNP Leadership Program



WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT FROM OUR PATRON:

"Dear Narayan, I was delighted to receive the wonderful books from Tribal Nurturing Program. What an incredible amount of work has gone into them. I feel that I could take each page, frame it, and put it on the wall! There is plenty for me to learn in those books. Lucky children to be in such a positive nurturing educational environment. I am proud to be a patron of TMNP. My best wishes to everyone." -

Prof. Joan Freeman

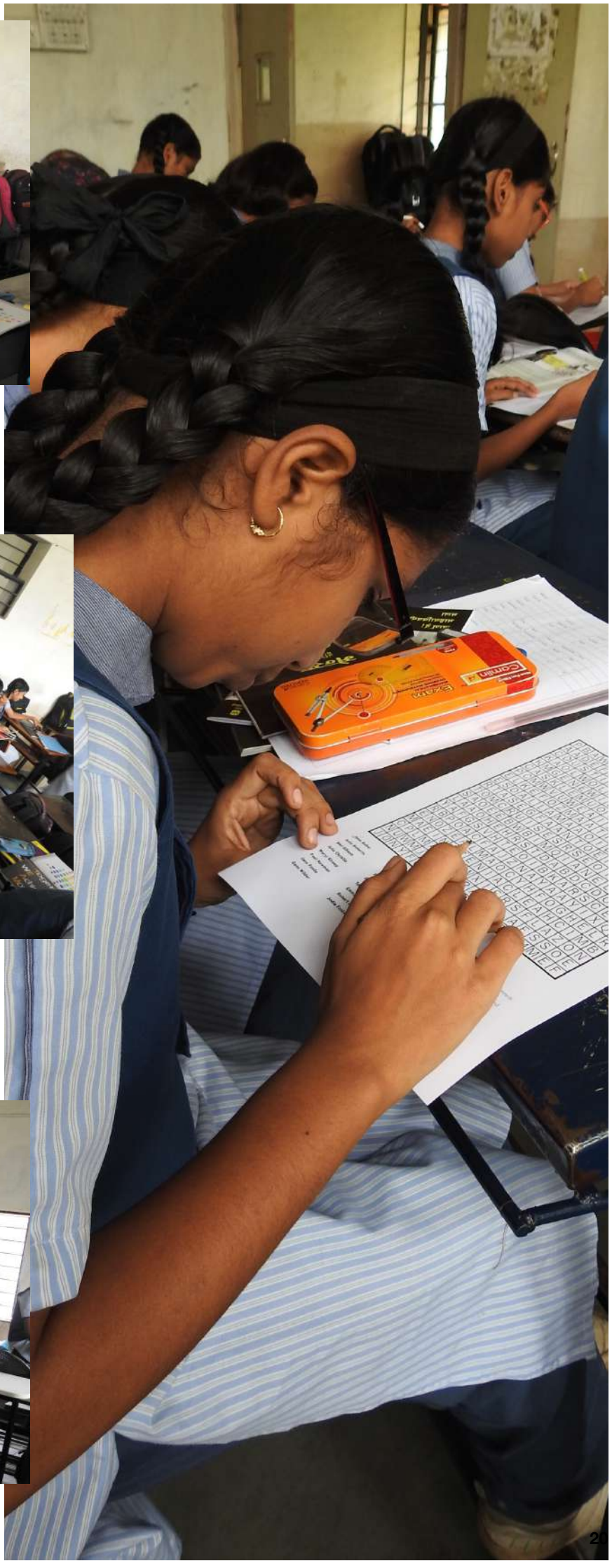


Many things are cooking for next year















Giftedness Nurturing:

Workshops

No. of Schools: 11

No. of Workshops: 110



Mensans helping underprivileged Mensans.....

We are giving back...how about you ???







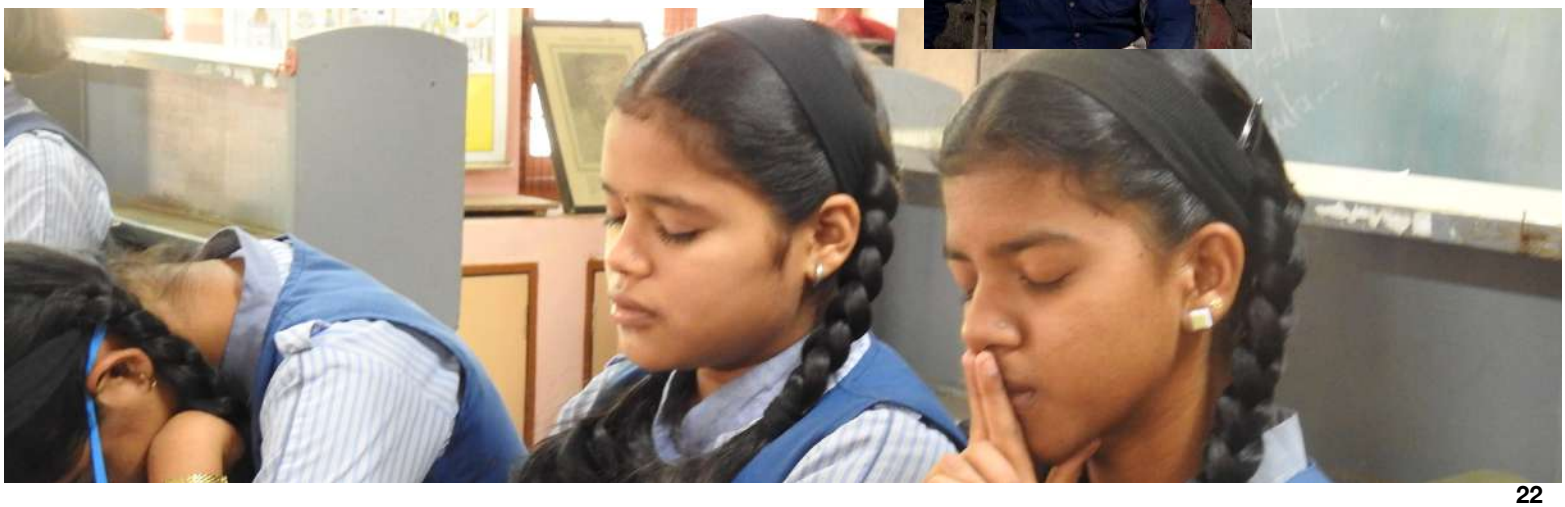














To cater to the increasing number of schools where identification activities are being conducted, we trained 12 individuals to conduct giftedness identification.

Raised Rs. 60,76,350 in year 2017-18



from

2 CSR and

6 Foundations and

65 Individuals



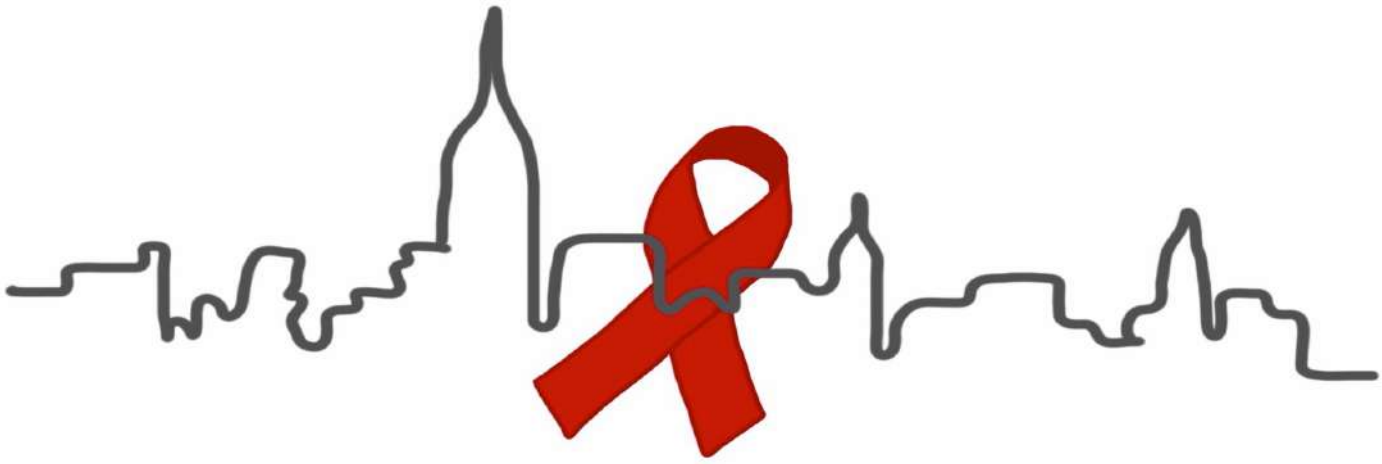


Let's Discuss



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We have not only extended our physical reach, but targeted our screening towards specific groups such as girls 'VAMA', those abandoned by society

'VANCHIT BALAK' and 'YUVA'.







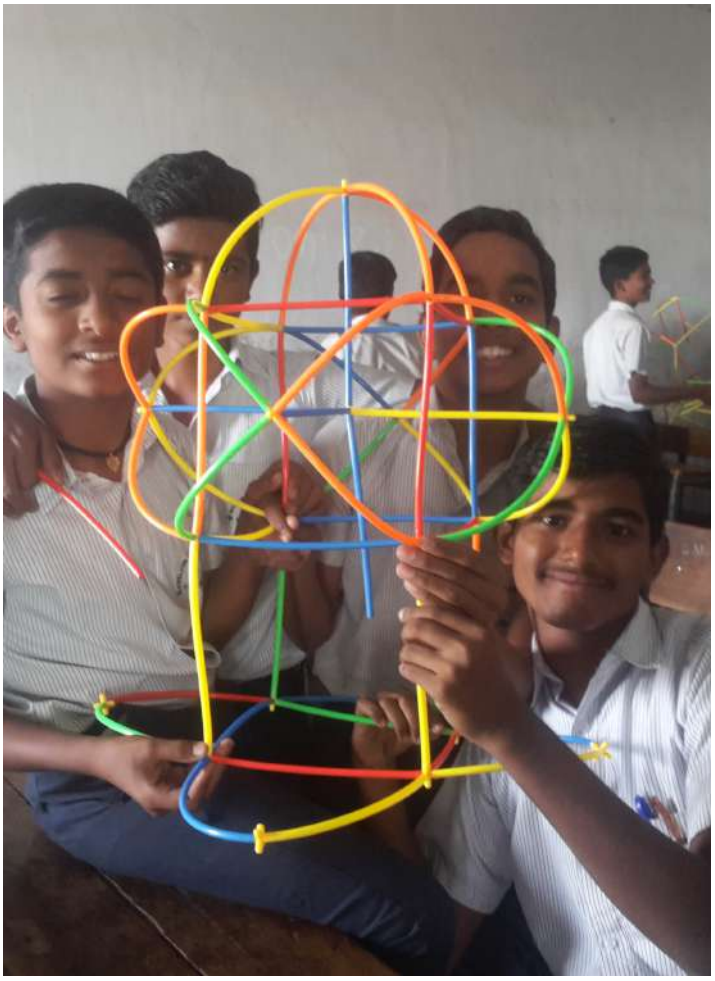


Psycho Profile: 3 Schools and 125 Students

Aptitude Test: 7 Schools and 223 Students

Scholarship: Rs. 1, 87, 760 and 21 Students















Giftedness Identification:

2018-19



Screened 3838 students

from 25 schools





Qualified 272

Results awaited for 10 schools

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Looking Forward




Oh Bro !!!!!
Please join the group !!!
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