

Sarthak Educational Trust

Sarthak Educational Trust is geared towards inclusion and mainstreaming of Persons with Disability (PwD) since 2004. To achieve the said objectives it works on life cycle approach, wherein, *Early Intervention, Inclusive Education, Vocational Skilling, Placement Support* and *Advocacy Activities* are managed with the intent to limit/curb disability, provide an inclusive environment, and facilitate the mainstreaming of PwDs. In addition, various services in the areas of Accessible Event Management Support, NGO Capacity Building, and Online Parents' Interaction Forum are also provided. Sarthak is also engaged in organizing and participation in Abilympics through National Abilympics Association of India.

Employability Enhancement and Generation for PwDs paves the way for mainstreaming PwDs. Herein, Vocational Skilling and Placement support is provided to persons with *visual impairment*, *hearing impairment*, *orthopaedic handicap*, and *intellectual impairment*. In this initiative vocational skilling is provided for customer handling and back-end jobs to PwDs based on candidate mapping for the duration of 3 months and thereafter, placement support is provided in *Organized Retail*, *IT-ITes*, *Tourism & Hospitality*, *Manufacturing*, *Health Care*, *Education*, and *E-Commerce* sectors.

Sarthak Educational Trust is serving PwDs in 17 Pan-Indian locations namely, *Delhi, Chandigarh*, *Gurgaon*, *Hyderabad*, *Pune*, *Mumbai*, *Jaipur*, *Lucknow*, *Ludhiana*, *Kolkata*, *Ambala and Bhopal* with the support of *National Skill Development Corporation*, *Tech Mahindra Foundation*, *Capgemini*, *Microsoft*, *Hans Foundation*, *Powerlinks*, *Pankh Foundation*, *DLF Foundation*, HDB Financials, Mahindra Finance and *Team Computers*.

Other than the funding and program support various corporate bodies also provide support to the cause in the capacity of training and hiring partners. Sarthak has more than **300** such partnerships.

With the support of different stakeholders and dedicated efforts of its team Sarthak has successfully trained and placed **7000+** and **10000+** PwDs respectively. Furthermore, **825** and **525** children with disability have been successfully rehabilitated and included in mainstream education system.

Through our efforts, we have created some difference and we continue our efforts for an Inclusive environment. To know more about us, please Visit www.sarthakindia.org