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## **SRI AUROBINDO'S EDUCATIONAL ACADEMY AND SOCIETY**

*Gaddipally · Sooryapet District · Telangana · India*



### **PROJECT PROPOSAL**

**Submitted to ASHA for Education**

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**Enhancing Access to Sustainable Educational Facilities for the Children of Marginalized and Vulnerable Communities in Rural Telangana**

*Submitted: 4 May 2026*

## Title of the Project

**Enhancing Access to Sustainable Educational Facilities for the Children of Marginalized and Vulnerable Communities in Rural Telangana**

## Submitted By

**Sri Aurobindo's Educational Academy and Society (SAEAS)**

*Organization (NGO / Section 8 or Section 25 Company under Indian law)*

## Organization Details

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| <b>Legal Name</b>                   | Sri Aurobindo's Educational Academy and Society (SAEAS), H.No. 2-107/2, Gaddipally Village & Post, Garedepally Mandal, Sooryapet District, Telangana State 508201 |
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| <b>Registered Office</b>            | Website: <a href="https://www.saeaschool.org">https://www.saeaschool.org</a><br>FCRA Number: 361600001<br>80G Unique Registration Number: AAGAS8860FF20211101     |

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## Organization's Mission

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Sri Aurobindo's School run by Sri Aurobindo's Educational Academy and Society in Gaddipally is a vital educational institution dedicated to uplifting rural and tribal communities through quality education and essential life skills. Over the years, the school has played a crucial role in empowering the next generation. However, it is now at a critical juncture, facing pressing challenges that jeopardize its mission of providing a safe and enriching learning environment. Urgent interventions are needed to ensure safety, improve infrastructure, and enhance the overall educational experience for students.

**Mission To** help rural and tribal children to become self-reliant learners who are responsible, innovative, and dedicated to personal growth and development of the community.

**Vision** Our vision is to create a nurturing and joyful learning environment that fosters the holistic development of children and empower them to become conscious, creative global citizens through the promotion and practices of Integral Education who actively contribute to society.

### A Vision for Rural Development

Sri Aurobindo's School was founded in 2010 by Dr G Gopal Reddy, who returned to his hometown in rural Telangana after completing his doctoral education in the United States. He was inspired to give back to the community and to address the various issues facing rural India, including social, economic, cultural, educational, spiritual and environmental concerns. He started many projects in farming and other areas based on a holistic rural development model.

### A Commitment to Quality Education

Dr Reddy believed that quality education was the most effective way to bring about change and progress in rural areas. Sri Aurobindo's School is committed to providing a high quality education that prepares students for success in college and beyond while also instilling in them the values that will make them positive contributors to society.

Sri Aurobindo's School is more than just a place to learn. It is also a caring community where students are supported and encouraged to reach their full potential. The school staff is dedicated to providing students with the resources and guidance they need to succeed.

## B – Details of the Proposed Project

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### Introduction to the Proposal

SAEAS is pleased to submit this project proposal to ASHA for Education for the impactful work to be initiated in JUNE 2026 at Sri Aurobindo's School in Gaddipalli, Sooryapet district. This is to improve teaching quality, enhanced safety, and a more engaging learning environment.

Education is a powerful lever for the development of children from vulnerable communities, transforming them into healthy and constructive citizens for society at large. By providing these children with quality education and support, we are enhancing their futures and contributing to their communities' broader development and well-being, fostering a more equitable and prosperous society.

Recognizing the ongoing need for external funding due to the socio-economic constraints of the population we serve, this proposal seeks support from ASHA for Education to address emerging needs in infrastructure, personnel and nutrition of the students. We are committed to fostering an enriching and supportive educational environment for these children.

### Purpose for Which Funds are Presently Required

The grant requested from ASHA for Education by SAEAS aims to fortify and expand our ongoing efforts to enhance educational facilities for children in marginalized communities across 12 villages in Gaddipalli area of Sooryapet district, Telangana state. The primary objective is to improve the accessibility, affordability, and quality of education for children in impoverished and underserved areas. This funding will enable SAEAS to continue providing essential educational services, ensuring that every child has the opportunity to learn in a safe, supportive, and resource-rich environment.

By focusing on these critical areas, the grant will address barriers that prevent children from accessing quality education, such as inadequate infrastructure, lack of qualified teachers, and financial constraints faced by their families. The funding will support initiatives like nutritional programs, infrastructure improvements, and professional development for teachers, ensuring a holistic approach to educational development. Ultimately, this grant seeks to contribute to the overall development and well-being of children in Telangana, empowering them with the knowledge and skills necessary to build a brighter future and become constructive citizens of society.

## Proposed Activities

### We seek your support in three essential areas:

- Essential Supplementary Nutrition
- Teacher Salary Support
- Playground Development

## 1. Essential Supplementary Nutrition

### Need

Many of our students come from economically challenged backgrounds and often attend school without adequate nutrition. This impacts their energy, focus, and ability to learn effectively. This small but consistent support can make a significant difference in the daily lives and learning outcomes of our students

### Proposal

We propose providing a simple, nutritious snack to 200 students and teachers every working day of the school.

### Detailed Budget

| Particulars                                | Calculation      | Amount (INR)     |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cost for essential supplementary nutrition | ₹15 × 300 people | ₹4,500 / day     |
| For 220 working days                       |                  |                  |
| <b>Annual cost (approx.)</b>               |                  | <b>₹9,90,000</b> |

### Impact

- Improved concentration and classroom participation
- Better health and energy levels
- A nurturing and caring school environment

## 2. Teacher Salary Support

### Need

Our teachers are deeply committed to the children and the philosophy of Integral Education. However, financial limitations make it difficult to provide them with adequate and stable salaries. Your support will help us retain dedicated educators and provide consistent, quality learning for our children.

### Proposal (Illustrative Budget)

We seek support for 5 teachers.

| Particulars                | Calculation     | Amount (INR)     |
|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Average salary per teacher | ₹15,000 / month |                  |
| For 2 teachers             | ₹15,000 × 2     | ₹30,000 / month  |
| <b>Annual cost</b>         | ₹30,000 × 11    | <b>₹3,30,000</b> |

### Impact

- Retention of committed educators
- Stability and continuity in teaching
- Improved learning outcomes for children

## 3. Playground Development

### Need

We have ample space for a playground; however, it is currently uneven and stony, making it unsafe for children.

### Proposal

We aim to develop a safe, leveled clay playground for daily physical activities and sports.

### Estimated Budget

| Particulars                   | Estimated Cost (INR) |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Land clearing & stone removal | ₹1,50,000            |
| Land leveling                 | ₹2,00,000            |
| Clay filling & compaction     | ₹2,50,000            |
| Basic sports layout           | ₹1,00,000            |
| <b>Total Estimated Cost</b>   | <b>₹7,00,000</b>     |

### Impact

- Safe play environment
- Physical development and teamwork
- Alignment with holistic education principles

## 4. Admin and Overheads

Allocating 8% of the budget for admin and overheads is essential for smooth project operations. This covers bookkeeping, support services from senior program staff, legal compliance (including IT and FC returns), and statutory audits. These functions ensure financial transparency, adherence to legal requirements, and effective program management. Proper administration and oversight are critical for maintaining accountability, optimizing resource utilization, and achieving the project's educational objectives.

| EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT BUDGET   |                                                                  |               |              |                   |         |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|---------|
| 1st June 2026 to 30th April 2027 |                                                                  |               |              |                   |         |
| #                                | Particulars                                                      | Unit Cost (₹) | No. of Units | Total Cost (₹)    | Remarks |
| 1                                | Essential Nutrition                                              | 4,500 / day   | 220          | 9,90,000          |         |
| 2                                | Teacher salary support                                           | 30,000        | 11           | 3,30,000          |         |
| 3                                | Playground development                                           | 7,00,000      | 1            | 7,00,000          |         |
|                                  | <b>Subtotal</b>                                                  |               |              | <b>20,20,000</b>  |         |
| 4                                | Admin & overheads, bookkeeping, audit and legal compliance (10%) |               |              | <b>2,02,000</b>   |         |
|                                  | <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                                               |               |              | <b>₹22,22,000</b> |         |

### Financial Reporting & Accountability:

#### In appreciation of your support, we will:

Acknowledge your organization in our annual report and official communication.

Provide regular progress reports and impact updates.

Recognize your contribution during key events and programs.

Utilization certificate will be submitted at the end of the financial year along with project report.

***Thank you for your consideration and support***

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