

# Asha for Education<sup>TM</sup>

## Project Proposal Submission Form

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**Project Name: Aadarana Home for Boys**

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### **Part I: Information about your group/organization**

Please feel free to attach any additional sheets and/or information such as brochures, press reports etc.

***1. Name of the group/organization requesting funds.***

AADARANA (The Home for Orphaned and Needy Students)

***2. When was the group established?***

Estd. 2003, Reg. No. 1352/2003

***3. Briefly describe the motivation for starting this group.***

The established of Aadarana was initiated by Dhamma Mitra Madhavarao along with his friends, educationists and philosophers. DM Madhavarao from childhood was inspired by the service rendered to the people by greatest personalities like Mother Theresa, Dr. BR Ambedkar, Bhanthe Sangharakshitha (T.B.M.S.G) etc. and he made up his mind to follow their path by serving the mankind. His thoughts when shared with his like minded friends, colleagues, relatives and family members evoked positive response and with their support and service, the Aadaran has been established.

**4. Briefly describe the aims of your group.**

Aadarana helps to orphan and poor children, who desire to continue their studies

- Aims at providing facilities to the orphanage children's education, training in personality development
- Aims at development of orphanage children in all levels that is physical, mental and psychologically through physical exercises and strengthening their minds
- To give love and affection of parents which they were deprived
- Development of competitive spirit in the education and lead their life with self respect
- Aims at importing and practicing utmost discipline preaching for love, affection, friendly behavior and equality
- Aadarana provides and practice meditation, yoga and philosophical way life
- To develop their responsibility to serve the society and people at distress and needy with pure heart

**5. Does your group have any religious or political affiliation? If yes, please describe the type of affiliation and the reason for it.**

We do not have any Religious or Political affiliation.

**6. What non education-related community development activities is your group involved in?**

- a. We do and teach Yoga and meditation to all the kids.
- b. Apart from academic activities the students of Aadarana participates in games and sports like Chess, Caroms, Cricket, Volley Ball and athletics. To make the students physically and psychologically fit the Meditation, Yoga, Karate, Personality development programs are imparted.
- c. Imparts Training in different Cultural and Fine arts to students like, light music, Classical music, instrumental music, dramas, dance, debates and essay writing etc.
- d. Participated in raising funds for Tsunami affected people and raised over 10,000 Rs. and handed over to Chief Minister of AP. .

**Part II: Details about your educational project/s****7. List the school/s run by your group, and their locations. If you are requesting funds for only a few of several schools, please specify which one/s.**

Funds are requested to provide support for the orphan kids in going to school and for their educational expenses per year. All the kids are going to local private school and are studying in various schools and mostly in Telugu medium of instruction.

**8. Location of school/s       Urban       Rural       Other \_\_\_\_\_****9. Specify the type of education provided (e.g. basic literacy, vocational training etc.).**

Basic literacy and also conventional education. The schools that they go to follow state government syllabus to train students for government examinations.

**10. Please tell us about your teaching techniques (conventional vs. alternative).**

Conventional teaching methods are used.

**11. What is the literacy rate in the local community?**

We are in urban area (outskirts of Hyderabad) and hence the literacy is almost 100 percent.

**12. Describe the socio-economic background of the children and their parents (e.g. education, occupational). If any of your students are employed, please tell us about that as well.**

Most of these children are orphans, and they came to us through their relatives or guardians, who cannot afford to grow them. Rest are all single parent children and are from very poor and rural places.

**13. In addition to education, does your group provide any other services to the children in your schools (e.g. food, health care, clothing, etc.)?**

The school is home for all the children, and hence provide all the basic amenities like food, clothes, healthcare along with education.

**14. Does your school have:**

Its own building(s):  Yes  No Number 1  
Number and type of classrooms (e.g. Pukka): 0

	Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
Toilets	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Playground	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Toys	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Chairs & Tables	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Blackboard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Library	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Drinking water	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Electricity	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Computers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Laboratory	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Teaching aids (e.g. books/slates)					

**15. How many children are currently enrolled in your school(s)?**

Male 35 Female 25 Age Range 5 - 18

**16. How many staff are employed at your schools?**

Teachers 1 Minimum Qualifications Degree  
Other staff 1

**17. Average distance the children travel to attend your school 1 km****18. How many children have gone through your program in the past five years and what are they doing currently? Please tell us about their future education and employment possibilities.**

This orphanage home is started only in 2003, but before that I did gather some orphan students and helped them grow.

Some of our students are studying higher education like degree, MBA and are not considered as a student of the orphanage home. Even though couple of them stays with the kids, they help the other kids in cooking, teaching and helping the kids in their education etc.

**19. Do you help your students with their future education efforts after they have passed out of your school?**

Post-School Support

1. Members of our organization conduct counseling and guidance to the students.
2. We advise them how to apply for the job oriented courses and how to build up their future career.
3. We also show them ways and means to secure suitable employment in various fields and firms.
4. We also help them in arranging financial assistance through private donors, lions club and such other agencies depending upon the requirements.
5. We also help them in learning computer courses offered by local teachers and philanthropists and help them in becoming self sustained..

**20. Are there any other schools (Kindergarten/Balwadi, Elementary school, High school) in the area? If so, please list the schools and the range of classes each of them offers.**

There are many private schools around which run from nursery to 10th std. There are also some intermediate and degree colleges.

**21. Is your program different from that provided at these schools? Please explain.**

We help the kids go to the nearest schools since ours is not a school by itself. We only provide shelter to the orphans and help them go the school. Not all kids go to the same school. They go to different schools in the same area.

We did make some of the kids go to a local govt school, but realized later that Government schools are not so productive and the kids have been having difficulty in getting along with the kids going to the school there.

**22. Why are the children in your school/s not attending government/other schools in the local area?**

Govt school are not able to provide sufficient education and standards and we have had bad experience when they initially had gone to govt school.

**23. Do you try to involve the parents of the children in the running of the school (e.g. in setting the syllabus etc.)? Please specify.**

No.

**24. What are your expansion plans for the future (e.g. adding more classes or schools)?**

The current facility is rented and is expensive and cannot accommodate the current strength of 35 kids. We do have plans of buying a new plot (area) somewhere outside the city and there are some donors willing to help financially to construct a building.

We are planning and looking out for such area and trying to raise funds locally for the same. If there is support for the children education, the local donation that we raise could be diverted for infrastructure development.

**25. Do you have any suggestions on how Asha can be a positive influence in changing the education scenario in India?**

ASHA for Education and partnering Ngo's have worked very hard to address educational needs of children in INDIA mostly for normal children. Asha and the partnering NGOs should also work for better education methodologies for visually, physically and mentally challenged people as well and make them close to or better than normal people. These people also have right to live the way the normal children would. There are not many tranined people who could help these people. So, helping in making or traning people for them to be able to teach needy people like these would definitely make them benefit.

**26. If possible, please provide us with the contact information of two individuals from your community who can describe the impact of your program.**

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**27. Asha for Education requires reports from its projects every six months to continue funding. Please provide the contact information for the person from your group who will be responsible for these reports.**

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**Part III: Financial Details**

Please feel free to attach any information such as annual reports, budgets etc.

**28. What sources fund your group's activities at present? List the sources and the current and future funding from each of them. If these funds are meant for a specific part of your group's activities, please describe those restrictions.**

Currently the organization is sustaining only by local donations and few philanthropists from a few corporate companies. This is not sustainable funding that we get. Yashoda hospital supports our rent for the building.

**29. Please provide us with details of your projected budget for the next 3 years:**

Year(s)	Recurring costs	Fixed costs
2009 - 10	150,000	
2010 - 11	150,000	
2011 - 12	150,000	

**30. Salary expenditure details:**

	Number	Salary Range
Teachers	1	Rs. 2000 - 4000.
Paid Staff		
Volunteer Staff		

**31. Please provide details of the fixed costs of your school/s for the next three years.**

N/A

**32. How many of your students pay school fees? Please provide details.**

We do not collect fees from any of our children.

**33. What amount are you requesting from Asha, and for what specific purpose?**

Items	Amount	One time / Annual
Admission fees for 25 boys at Fern Hills School (25 * 1500)	Rs. 37,500	Annual
Admission fees for 6 boys at SRKSV School (6 * 2000)	Rs. 12,000	Annual
Admission for one 10+2 in Narayana College	Rs. 5000	Annual
Admission for three 10+2 in other college	Rs. 9,000	Annual
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b>Rs. 63,500</b>	<b>Annual</b>
Examination Fee for 4 10 <sup>th</sup> Std students (Rs. 250 each)	Rs. 1000	Annual
Uniforms (2 pairs each for 15 lower class students)	Rs. 6000	Annual
Uniforms (2 pairs each for 20 higher class students)	Rs. 10000	Annual
Shoes and socks (2 pairs for 15 lower class students)	Rs. 6750	Annual
Shoes and socks (2 pairs for 20 higher class students)	Rs. 11000	Annual
Bags, carriage box, bottles for 35 students	Rs. 1050	Annual
Text Books for 15 lower class students	Rs. 15000	Annual
Text Books for 16 higher class students	Rs. 8000	Annual
Text Books for 1 10+2	Rs. 2000	Annual
Text Books for 3 10+2	Rs. 3000	Annual
Notebooks for higher classes (Rs. 15*20 items*20 students)	Rs. 6000	Annual
Notebooks for lower classes (Rs. 200 items*15 students)	Rs. 3000	Annual
Workbooks for lower classes (Rs. 1000 items*16 students)	Rs. 16000	Annual
Other stationary items	Rs. 7000	Annual
Ties, belt, diary, id cards (31 students)	Rs. 6200	Annual
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Rs. 1,56,500</b>	<b>Annual</b>