

# BECOME A SPONSOR



PRATHAM SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA GALA

Saturday, May 18, 2024

Palo Alto Hills Golf & Country Club 3000 Alexis Dr, Palo Alto, CA 94304

# WHO WE ARE & WHAT WE DO

Pratham works with the belief that every child should be in school and learning well. With 27 years' experience of working in India and beyond, there are now 20+ countries across Asia, Africa and Latin America that are seeking our help to adapt Pratham programs locally. Pratham changes the lives of 5 million children and young people across India annually. We have operations in 23 cities, 21 states, and two union territories. We work in partnership with communities, parents, schools, and local governments providing them with the tools they need to give their children the best possible start in life. From early years right through to adulthood.

- + Transforming individuals
- + Transforming communities
- + Transforming systems

Pratham has been widely recognized for its innovation and impact through various awards including The Kravis Prize in Leadership, the WISE Education Prize, and most recently, the 2021 Yidan Prize for Education Development awarded to Dr. Rukmini Banerji, CEO of Pratham.

#### What we do

**CHILDREN AND LEARNING** engage children ages 3-14 in order to improve their basic reading, writing, and math skills.

**YOUTH AND TRAINING** promotes economic selfsufficiency for young adults through training and job placement.

**GIRLS' AND WOMEN PROGRAM** assists female dropouts over the age of 14 in completing their secondary school education and earning their 10th Standard diploma.

Technology, measurement and research cut across all Pratham programs.

### Our impact

#### 125,000 YOUTH

equipped with relevant job skills since 2005 **36,000 GIRLS** 

given a second chance to earn their secondary school diplomas since 2011

#### **5.6 M CHILDREN**

children in partnership reached with the Indian government across 14 states in 2022-23

#### 20+ COUNTRIES

adopted Pratham's assessment or TaRL (Teaching at the Right Level) models

#### Give with confidence

For twelve consecutive years, Charity Navigator has awarded Pratham USA a four-star rating for our "sound fiscal management" and "commitment to accountability and transparency".



# WHY SUPPORT PRATHAM NOW?

Today we are at a critical juncture. We need to make up for the learning loss among children as a result of the pandemic. Together we can help secure the future of these children and youth.

For this reason, Pratham's work and your support continues to be as critical as ever.

#### From April 2022 - March 2023 academic year, Pratham:

- + Reached **580,000+** children across **20,000** communities through direct engagement
- + Equipped **218,000+** mothers with tools to support child's learning & development beyond classroom
- Ran 140 skilling/vocational training centers across 18 states in India i including Delhi.
- + Gave **50,000+** young people employable skills with an 85% placement rate among those receiving formal certification.
- 'Second Chance' has helped **39,700** women since the inception of the program in 2011. Last year **3,700+** women got grade 10 certification through the support of this program.



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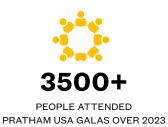
The Pratham San Francisco Gala continues to be one of the premier events on the bay area social scene. Attendees include civic-minded leaders from the business community as well as influential philanthropists, all with a personal commitment to improving access to quality education in India.



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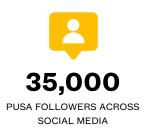
## PRATHAM SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA GALA HIGHLIGHTS

In 2023, the event drew 250 guests and raised enough to support over 15,000 children through Pratham's learning programs. In the past, special guests have included: Aparna Bawa (COO of Zoom), Sundar Pichai (CEO of Google), and Kamala Harris (current United States Vice President, former Senator for California).



**71,000** VISITORS TO PRATHAM USA'S

WEBSITE ANNUALLY





Previous sponsors include:







# ABOUT PRATHAM USA

Pratham USA is a 501(c)(3) charity with chapters across the United States. We raise awareness and mobilize the financial resources that make our work on the ground in India possible. Pratham USA consistently earns the highest four-star rating from Charity Navigator.



## Pratham San Francisco Bay Area Chapter

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# SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

#### Guardian \$100,000

Impact: Help build foundational learning skills for 5000 children while engaging all stakeholders around them - including parents, teachers and volunteers.

## Champion \$75,000

Impact: Support delivery of Hamara Gaon -Pratham's community learning initiative - in 25 communities. This will engage 3000 children and 250+ mothers.

#### Benefactor \$50,000

Impact: 1 Skilling Training Center will be funded for a full year. This includes training and job placements for 200 youth. In addition, skilling awareness activities will be delivered across 200 villages - reaching another 20,000 youth and adolescents.

## Patron \$25,000

**Impact: Facilitate upward mobility of 500 workers from the informal economy.** This includes access to social entitlement schemes, upskilling courses, financial literacy courses and access to better paying employment opportunities.

## Ambassador \$10,000

Impact: Help build foundational learning skills for 500 children - while engaging all key stakeholders around them

## Advocate \$5,000

Impact: Equip 15 girls and women - previously forced to drop out of school - to gain a 'second chance' at earning their high school diploma. These girls and women will be able to restart their learning journeys, support their livelihoods and rewrite their future.

For more information, to make an early reservation, or to become a sponsor, please contact Poonam Kumar, <u>pkumar@prathamusa.org</u>

## Guardian \$100k **SPONSOR BENEFITS**

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For additional gala evening specific opportunities, please contact Poonam Kumar (pkumar@prathamusa.org) to discuss.



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