



Aspire. Achieve. Be the Change.

Join the Aspire Circle

You can help transform lives of children with the power of a great education.

Join a group of committed donors supporting some of the most underserved children in India with a high-quality education and the skills and values to lead empowered lives.

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Join a Community of Changemakers

Become a part of a community of individuals driven by a shared philanthropic journey.

Your commitment ensures these children receive a great education that unlocks opportunities for a brighter future.

As an Aspire Circle member you will

- Participate in **strategic discussions** with Akanksha’s leadership and Board
- Receive **personalized updates** and closely follow our progress
- **Champion Akanksha** in your personal and professional networks
- **Be recognized** for your support in our materials, reports and website

Make an Impact

You can make a change in the lives of children in India. Join the Aspire Circle, with a 3-year donation within the following suggested ranges:

Annual commitment	\$5,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$24,999	\$25,000 - \$49,999	\$50,000 - \$99,999	\$100,000+
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Why Akanksha?

At Akanksha (‘to aspire’ in Hindi) we believe a great education has the potential to transform lives and uplift a generation.

12,000 students | 4,000 alumni | 575 educators | 27 schools | 3 cities

97% student retention

100% high school completion

96% junior college enrolment

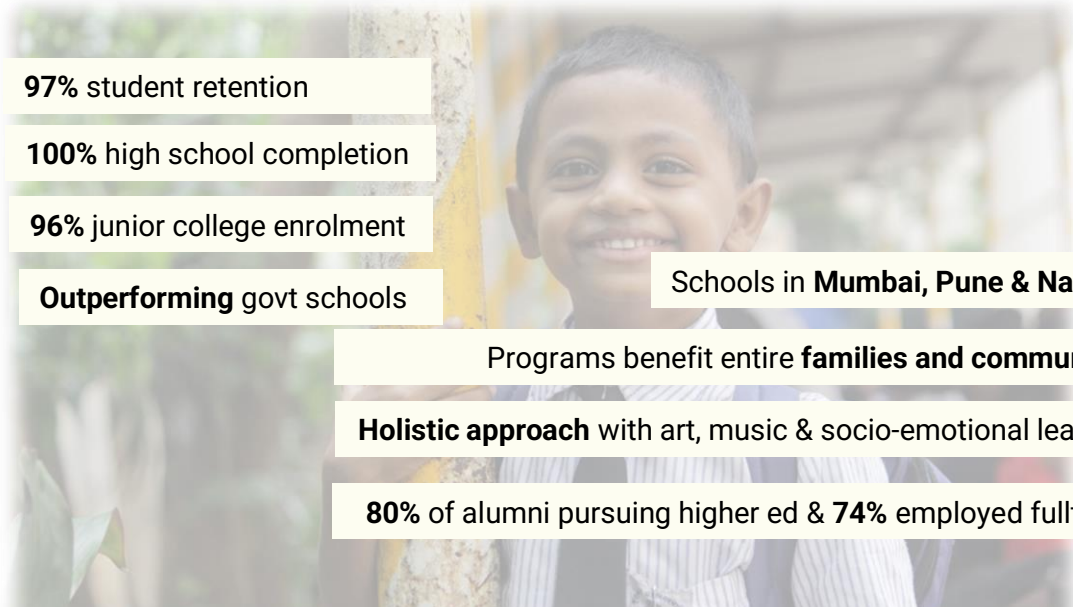
Outperforming govt schools

Schools in **Mumbai, Pune & Nagpur**

Programs benefit entire **families and communities**

Holistic approach with art, music & socio-emotional learning

80% of alumni pursuing higher ed & **74%** employed fulltime



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