Dream a Dream exists to empower young people from vulnerable backgrounds to thrive.
OUR APPROACH TO MINDSET SHIFT

SYSTEMS DEMONSTRATION
works towards transforming public education systems in partnership with governments through levers of change such as curriculum, pedagogies, teacher training, assessments, etc.

DIRECT IMPACT
is our demonstrable model in both in-school & out-of-school learning spaces where children thrive

BUILDING THE FIELD
focuses on shifting dominant narratives towards thriving as the purpose of education by weaving together people, places and voices supported by high impact research

THrIVING SCHOOLS
THrIVING CENTRES

NORTH HUB
- DELHI
- UTTARAKHAND

SOUTH HUB
- TELANGANA
- KARNATAKA

EAST HUB
- JHARKHAND
- NAGALAND

NATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS
- CBSE

RESEARCH
NARRATIVE BUILDING
WEAVING
Dream a Dream started working with young people from adversity with the intention of building life skills.

**1999**

Launch of the After School Life Skills Programme (Thriving Schools) - an emerging demonstrable model of in-school learning space to promote thriving.

**2002**

Launch of the Career Connect Centre (Thriving Centre) to equip 15 to 23 year olds with information, skills and access to opportunities to make meaningful life choices.

**2009**

Started working with teachers after realising that a caring adult can provide greater & long lasting impact among young people.

**2012**

Started engaging with external stakeholders including state governments, other NGOs (national & international) & funders.

**2016 - 2022**

We reached out to 2.2 million children in public education systems through strategic partnerships. Via our new strategic approach, we are empowering the young people & enabling systems around them to support thriving.

**NEXT 5 YEARS**

Our unique strengths position us well to transform the learning experience for 5 million children in India.
WHAT PEOPLE SAY

“Dream a Dream’s focus on building life skills in the youth gets at the heart of what the youth need today. Skills like resiliency, problem solving, critical thinking, collaboration etc help the youth thrive in the difficult and complex environments they are living in. These skills can help with academic performance, persistence in school, mental health and well-being, and they are especially important for girls due to the extra barriers they face.”
~ Erin Ganju, Managing Director, Echidna Giving

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CHANGE MAKER: LEKHA

“When I enter the football ground, I forget everything. Obstacles in my life just become defenders in a football game,” shares Lekha, our young graduate from the After School Life Skills Programme (Football).

I started playing football in 2016. People said, “You’re a girl, why would you play football?” When I enter the football ground, I feel like I can forget everything else. Travelling for matches helped me realise how big the world is.

I want to become a journalist because I can question anyone. Society thinks girls don’t have the same capacity as boys. If they give us the chance, they can see that we do have it.
OUR SUPPORTERS FOR THE PAST 3 YEARS

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