

**SRI SATHYA SAI  
CENTRAL TRUST  
ANNUAL REPORT  
2018-19**



On 25 May 1947, at the age of twenty, Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba wrote a letter in reply to His brother's concerns outlining His mission and stating the purpose of His birth. Below is an excerpt from that historic letter written in Telugu script:

*I have a Task: To foster all mankind and ensure  
for all of them lives full of Bliss.*

*I have a Vow: To lead all who stray away from  
the straight path again into goodness and save them.*

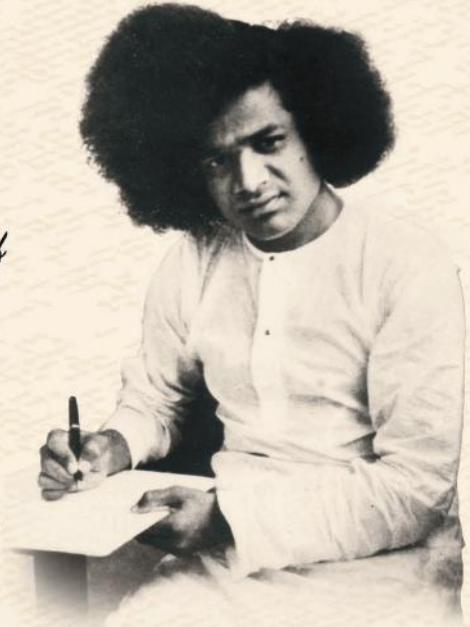
*I am attached to a Work that I love: To remove the sufferings of  
the poor and grant them what they lack.*

*I have a reason to be proud,  
for I rescue all who worship and adore Me.*

*I have My definition of the devotion I expect:  
Those devoted to Me have to treat joy and grief, gain and loss,  
with equal fortitude.*

*This means that I will never give up those who attach  
themselves to Me.*

*I will not give up My Mission, nor My Determination.  
I know I will carry them out*







*Dedicated at  
The Lotus Feet of  
Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba*









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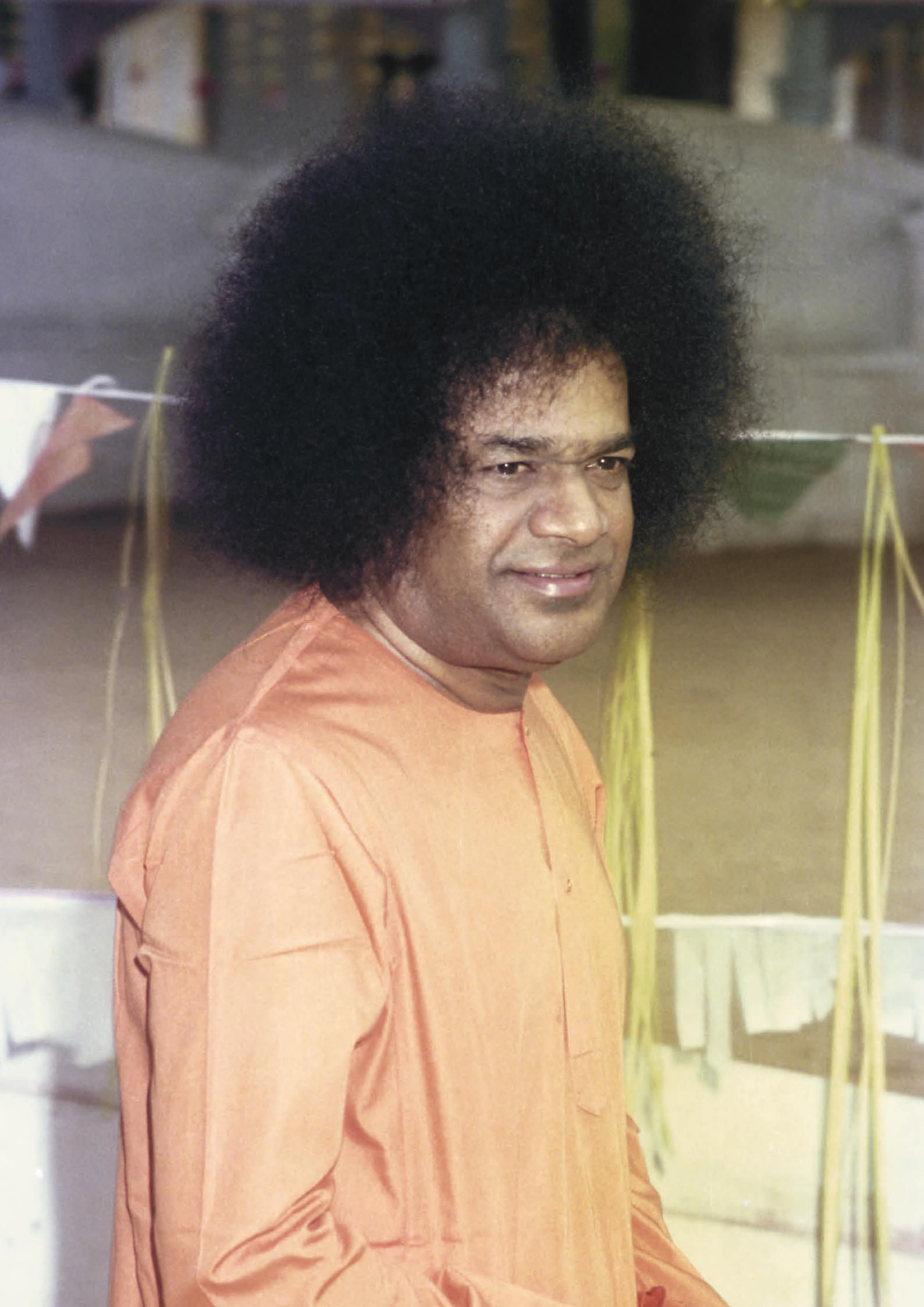
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## SRI SATHYA SAI CENTRAL TRUST – Board Members

No.	Name	Profile
01	Sri T.K.K. Bhagavat	Former Chairman of Indian Overseas Bank, Bank of Maharashtra and Vysya Bank, Former Advisor, International Monetary Fund, Former Secretary Reserve Bank of India
02	Sri K. Chakravarthi, I.A.S (Retd.)	Chancellor, Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning and its former Registrar Former Collector & District Magistrate of Anantapuram District, Former Finance Secretary (Projects), Govt. of A.P., Former Commissioner of Relief, Govt. of A.P., Former Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Govt. of A.P.,
03	Justice Sri A.P. Misra	Former Judge of the Supreme Court of India, Former Chairman of Human Rights Commission (Uttar Pradesh), Chairman Legal Education Committee of the Bar Council of India
04	Dr. Vijay J. Kelkar	Former Union Finance Secretary, Govt. of India Former Chairman Finance Commission, Former Secretary, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister of India
05	Sri G.S.R.C.V. Prasad Rao I.A.S (Retd.)	Former Secretary, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Former Member AP Administrative Tribunal
06	Dr. V. Mohan	Chairman and Chief of Diabetology at Dr. Mohan's Diabetes Specialities Centre, President and Director of Madras Diabetes Research Foundation, Chennai. Awarded Padma Shri by Govt. of India in 2012
07	Sri Ryuko Hira	President, HMI group of Hotels and Resorts, Chairman, The Indian Commerce and Industry Association, Japan
08	Sri S.S. Naganand	Chartered Accountant and Senior Advocate of the High Court of Karnataka and the Supreme Court of India, Former President, Karnataka section of the International Commission of Jurists
09	Sri R.J. Rathnakar	Active Social Worker with an MBA from Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning





## Report of Activities 2018-19

The year under review was the 93rd year of the advent of Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba. The celebrations were held throughout the year, not only at Prasanthi Nilayam, but all over India and in many countries around the world. In the week leading up to Bhagavan's birthday that is celebrated on 23rd November every year, devotees along with youth groups from many countries gathered at Prasanthi Nilayam for the occasion.

The Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust (SSSCT) is a unique institution. It is a public charitable Trust whose objectives are service to the needy, through activities in the fields of health, education and public utility. Bhagavan has set up landmark institutions and projects with very innovative models for efficient functioning and effective utilisation of resources. The Trustees have been ensuring that these continue to work in the same efficient manner, in the same spirit of inspiration and dedication.

There were 11 board meetings (Board of Trustees - 5 and Board of Management - 6) between 1st April 2018 and 31st March 2019. The following are some of the significant events in Prasanthi Nilayam during this period:

- Sri K Chakravarthi appointed as Chancellor, SSSIHL in June 2018.
- Sri GSRCV Prasada Rao took over as Member Secretary, SSSCT in July 2018.
- Sri Ryuko Hira, Japan appointed as Trustee in June 2018.
- Appointment of Dr Shekhar Rao as Director, SSSIHMS-WFD in April 2018.
- Appointment of Prof A Sudhir Bhaskar as Director, Sri Sathya Sai Centre for Human Values in Dec 2018.
- Appointment of Mr Sundar Swaminathan as Director, Radio Sai in Dec 2018.
- A postal stamp with inscribed Bal Vikas logo was released by the Ministry of Communications.
- Two-day Symposium on "Human Values and the Legal World" was inaugurated by Chief Justice of India, Hon'ble Justice Sri. Dipak Misra on August 11-12, 2018. Hon'ble Justice Sri. Dalveer Bhandari, Judge, International Court of Justice delivered the keynote speech.
- Bhoomi puja of Convention Centre at Prasanthi Nilayam was conducted on 31st Oct 2018.
- As part of the ongoing solar power plant project, Phase 2 saw installation of 2,700 kWp capacity for various institutions at a cost of Rs.9.3 Crores.
- With the objective to increase bore wells yield and conserve water, rain water harvesting has been completed by recharging 14 bores at Prasanthi Nilayam and Brindavan.
- 'Sai Digital Initiative' started to revamp and modernize the Digital Infrastructure of the Web sites and digital presence of Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust and other Web sites managed from Prasanthi Nilayam.
- Solar water heating system installed at Sevadal buildings in Prasanthi Nilayam.
- Decision was taken for setting up of a multimedia Exhibition Centre at Brindavan depicting life and teachings of Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.
- Mobile van for Dental department of Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital was commissioned on 4th Jan 2019
- Proposal approved for starting of Telemedicine services at Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh.
- Golden jubilee of Anantapuram campus, SSSIHL was celebrated on 21st July 2018.
- Renovation of Kitchen at Sri Sathya Sai Senior





Boys Hostel, Solar Plant for Sri Sathya Sai Primary School in Prasanthi Nilayam were completed.

- Construction of Eco-friendly crematorium for Puttaparthi Nagar Panchayat.
- 'Living with Sri Sathya Sai' International Spiritual Conference conducted in November 2018.
- Ladies Day celebrations at Prasanthi Nilayam – Chief Guest, Ms Wided Bouchamaoui, Nobel Peace Prize Winner 1995 from Tunisia.
- Replacement of asbestos with Puff sheets/metacolour sheets at Brindavan and Ananthapuram campuses of the University.
- Sri Sathya Sai Educational Institution for Women, Dharwad: Augmentation of hostel capacity with additional floor and school building with additional 20,000 sq ft space and a visitors' gallery in the sports stadium has been given at a cost of Rs. 4.59 Cr.
- Modernization of North Blocks, including approval for provision of elevators for S1, N1, N3, N8 and two West Blocks.
- Financial assistance to Sri Sathya Sai Trust, AP for carrying out restoration and repair works in

the wake of cyclone 'TITLI'.

- Financial Assistance of Rs.50 Lakhs for infrastructure development to each of:
  - Sri Sathya Sai Gurukula Vidya Nikethan, Bejjanki, Karimnagar, Telangana state, and
  - Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Palasa, Srikakulam, AP.
- During the year 2018-19, the Central Trust has incurred revenue expenditure of ₹ 116.6 Cr and capital expenditure of ₹ 22.2 Cr towards the above projects and regular activities.
- All regular functions and festivals were celebrated in Prasanthi Nilayam.
- All throughout the year, Devotees both from India and abroad, have been visiting Puttaparthi and participating in the usual mandir activities and at times as part of Parthi Yatras.
- Thousands of overseas devotees from over 108 countries visited Prasanthi Nilayam. Devotees from almost all states of India including Sevadal Volunteers made pilgrimage to Prasanthi Nilayam. Very large number of devotees have partaken lunch prasadam at Prasanthi Nilayam.

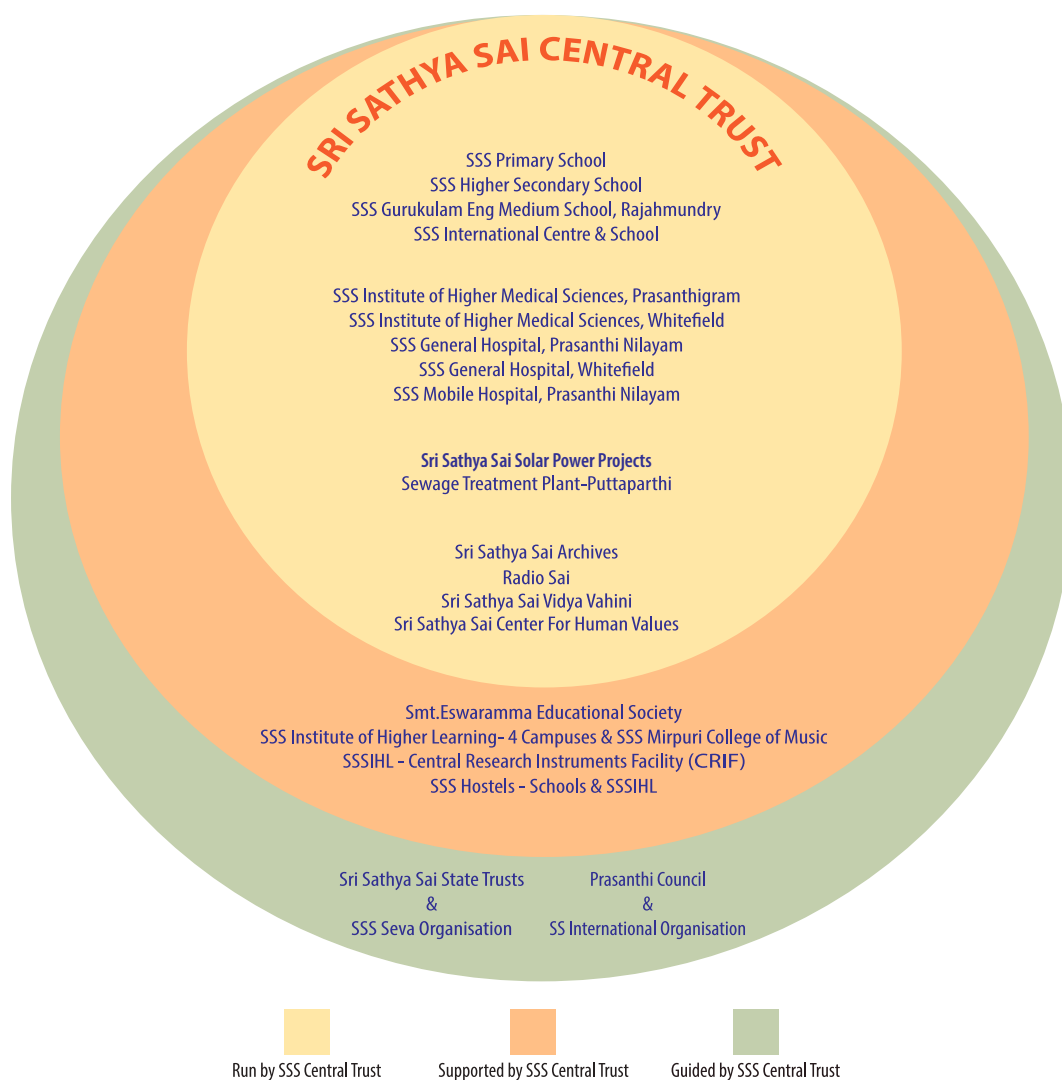


Release of the SSSCT Annual Report, 2017-18 by the Trustees





## Sri Sathya Sai Mission



The above chart is included to understand the inter-relationship between different units and is not meant to indicate lines of authority or hierarchy.

There are many trusts functioning under the name of 'Sri Sathya Sai Trust (Name of the state)'. In six of these Trusts functioning in the states of Bihar, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh and Haryana & Chandigarh, Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka, the Central Trust has powers to nominate the trustees. In all the other State Trusts, new trustees are appointed by the existing trustees. There are some Sai Trusts and Foundations functioning overseas which are independent bodies and the Central Trust has no legal connection with them though all are connected through the Divine inspiration of Bhagavan Baba.

All contributions to the Central Trust are voluntary from individuals who witness Bhagavan Baba's various projects being executed efficiently, their positive impact on beneficiaries and their providing relief to a large number of people. Further details and procedures could be found in the link -

[http://media.radiosai.org/journals/vol\\_14/01APR16/An-Important-Communication-from-Prof-G-Venkataraman.htm](http://media.radiosai.org/journals/vol_14/01APR16/An-Important-Communication-from-Prof-G-Venkataraman.htm)





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### **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

1) We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of SRI SATHYA SAI CENTRAL TRUST, PRASANTHI NILAYAM, as at 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2019 and Income & Expenditure Account for the year ended on that date, annexed thereto. These financial statements are the responsibility of the management of the said Trust. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

2) We conducted the audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statements presentation. We believe that our audit provides for a reasonable basis for our opinion.

3) We further report that:-

- a) We have obtained all the information and explanations, which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- b) In our opinion proper books of account have been kept by the above named Trust so far as appears from our examination of those books and proper returns adequate for the purpose of our audit have been received from units not visited by us.
- c) The Balance Sheet and the Income and Expenditure Account dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of account.
- d) In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the accounts read with schedules and notes thereon give a true and fair view
  - i) In the case of the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Trust as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019; and
  - ii) In the case of Income & Expenditure Account, of excess of income over expenditure for the year ended on that date.

Place: PRASANTHI NILAYAM  
Date: 19<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019

FOR SIVANANDAM & COMPANY  
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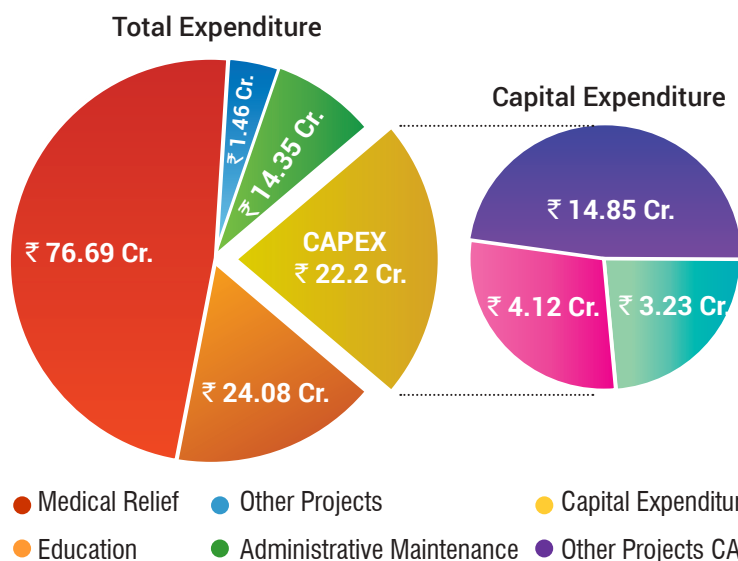
(C.A. C SIVANANDAM)  
PARTNER  
Membership No 202128







## Expenditure & Income Statement



Total Income	₹ 189.04 Cr*
Total Expenditure	
Revenue Expenditure	₹ 116.6 Cr
Capital Expenditure	₹ 22.2 Cr

\* In addition to the above income, donations of ₹ 24.45 Cr towards Corpus fund were received.

## Compliance & Social Impact

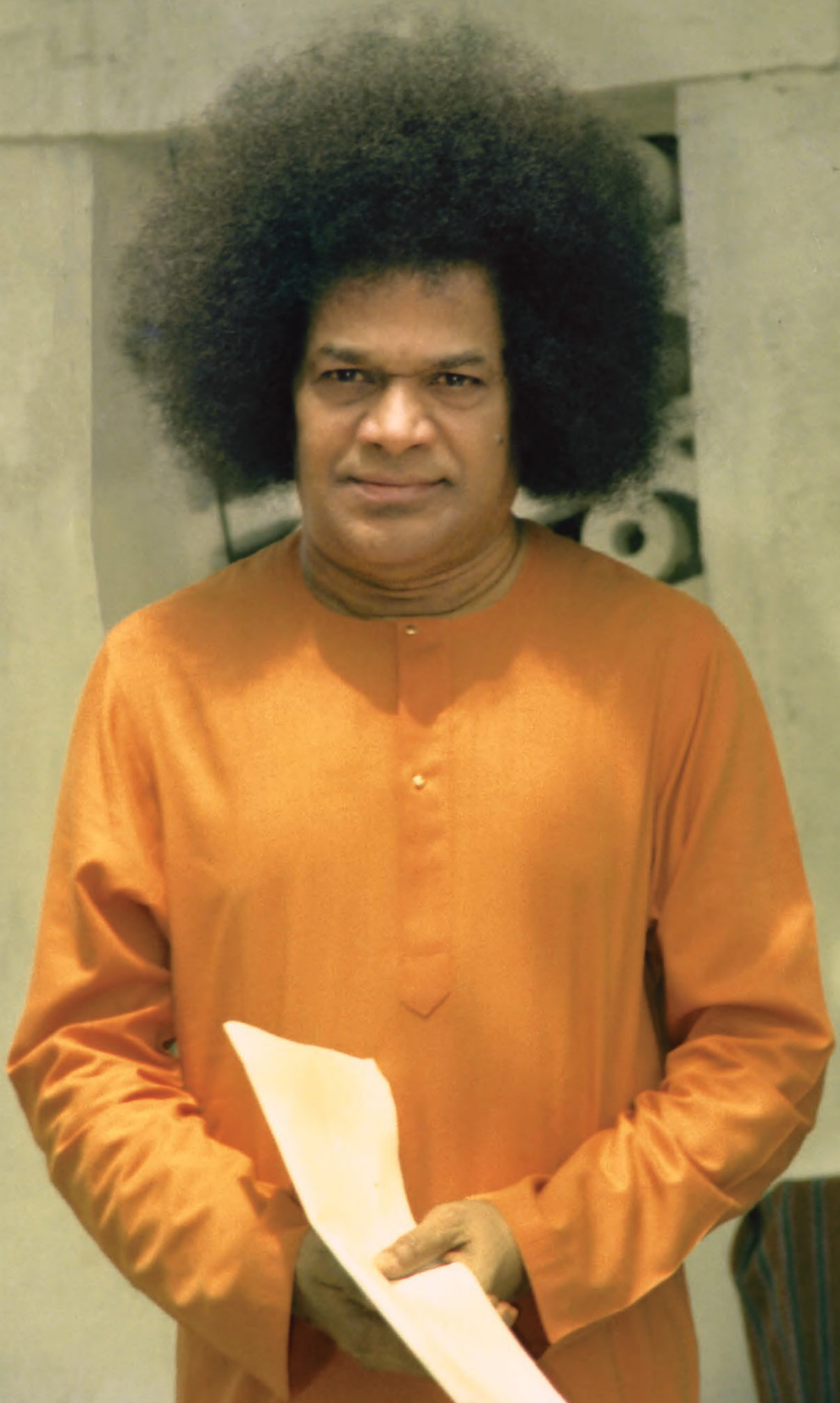
**Compliance:** Our books of accounts are regularly audited by an eminent firm of auditors. Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust has consistently adhered to procedures of regulatory compliance required by various departments of the government. The Trust files income tax returns every year and responds promptly to any follow-up queries by the Income Tax Department. Reports required under Foreign Contribution Regulation Act, 1976 are regularly submitted to the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India. The Trust has been filing a copy of the annual financial statements along with this statement giving details of additions / deletions to the assets of the Trust, with the Assistant Commissioner of Endowments, Anantapur every year as per subsection 10 of section 43 of the Andhra Pradesh Charitable & Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987. The Trust has been prompt and timely in its history of compliance.

**Social Impact:** In the last couple of years, Central Trust has installed rooftop solar power panels in a conscious move towards green sources of power. These solar panels have been installed at the two super-speciality hospitals, the hostels of the educational institutions in Prasathi Nilayam campus, and on various building in the ashram. During this

year, Central Trust has installed 2.7 Mwp at a cost of ₹ 9.3 crores, generating 50 lakh units, thereby reducing 2,700 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> emission.

The Central Trust has been offering free medical care to the needy through two General Hospitals and two Super-speciality Hospitals. The Trust also runs, as part of the medical outreach program, a Mobile Hospital. During the current year, the benefit to society through medical costs saved by patients treated at the two Super-speciality Hospitals is estimated at ₹ 177.5 Crores (computed at CGHS rates), and since inception the amount is a staggering ₹ 2,510.74 Crores. If the market cost of treatment at hospitals of comparable level of sophistication in equipment and medical services were to be considered, the savings realized would be far higher than these figures.

Similarly, the Central Trust runs educational institutions from primary and secondary levels to undergraduate and post graduate courses and Ph.D. degrees, providing contemporary and quality academic programs with value orientation. This again is totally free to the students. The total number of students studying in all these institutions together is 3,737 (2,434 in schools and 1,303 in University).

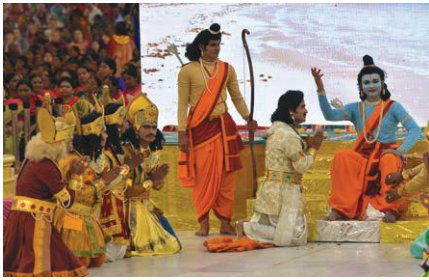






Programmes held in Prasanthi Nilayam during the year 2018-19





Programmes held in Prashanti Nilayam during the year 2018-19





## Sociocare



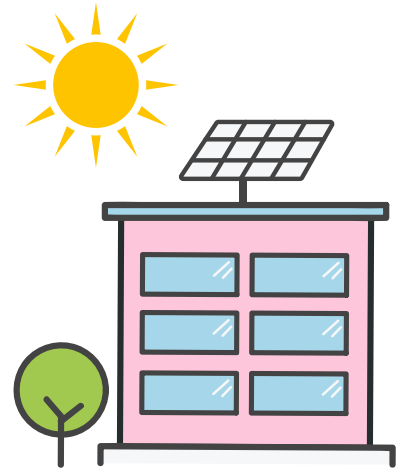
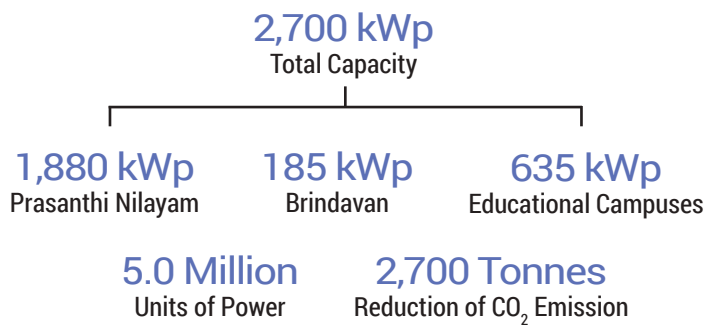
### Rain Water Harvesting

For 14 Borewells  
in Prasanthi Nilayam



**Dharwad School and College**  
Amount Spent - ₹ 9 Crore

### Solar Power Plant



Depiction of the convention centre planned at Prasanthi Nilayam



*"Manava Seva ye Madhava Seva - Service to Man is Service to God"*

**- Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba**

### **Solar Power Plants**

The Trust continues to invest in green sources of power. As part of Phase 2 of the ongoing solar power plant projects, Central Trust has installed 2.7 MWp at a cost of ₹. 9.3 crores. These were installed at the two super-speciality hospitals, the hostels of the educational institutions in various campuses, and on various building at the Prasanthi Nilayam and Brindavan ashrams. During this year, these additional power plants generated 50 lakh units thereby reducing the CO<sub>2</sub> emission by 2,700 tonnes.

### **Water Conservation Measures**

Rain water harvesting – Rain water harvesting has been done for 14 bore-wells of the Trust at Prasanthi Nilayam and Brindavan to increase their yield and conserve rain water.

Sewage Treatment Plants are already being used to reduce use of fresh water for gardening.

### **Other Major Projects**

- Construction of a new Convention Centre spread 50,000 sq ft consisting of 2 auditoria, with seating capacities of 300 and 1000 respectively and 2 conference halls is underway.
- Sri Sathya Sai Educational Institution for Women, Dharwad: In the first and second phase 9 Crores had been spent on construction of school, college and hostel campuses. During the previous year the hostel was augmented with additional floor area of 20,000sft.







## Medicare

### Sri Sathya Sai Healthcare System

Sri Sathya Sai General Hospitals - Two  
Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences - Two  
Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital  
Sri Sathya Sai Telehealth Centres - Two  
Sri Sathya Sai Nursing College

**All Services are  
provided Free of  
Charge to all.**

### Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences - Prasanthigam and Whitefield

During the year 2018-19	
OPDs	2,67,652
Surgeries	18,539
Diagnostic Tests	27,40,551
Since Inception	
OPDs	51,30,299
Surgeries	3,28,408
Diagnostic Tests	2,61,24,860

### Sri Sathya Sai General Hospitals - Prasanthigam and Whitefield

During the year 2018-19	
OPDs	4,08,855
Admissions	12,261
Surgeries/Procedures	30,586
Diagnostic Tests	1,30,171



### Savings to Patients\*



**2018-19**  
**177.5**  
**Crores**

**Since Inception**  
**2,510.74**  
**Crores**

\*At CGHS Rates

### Sri Sathya Sai Nursing College - Whitefield

Staff - Students Ratio

**1 : 12**

Avg. amount spent per Student

**₹ 3 Lakhs**

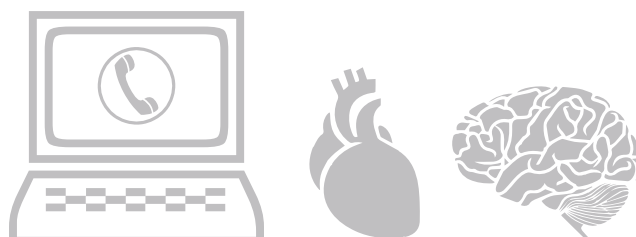
### Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital - Prasanthi Nilayam

During the year 2018-19	
Total No. of Villages Covered	440
Total No. of Outpatients Served	64,767
Total No. of Surgeries	194
Total No. of Diagnostic Tests	30,284



### Sri Sathya Sai Telehealth Programme

Tele-consultations	Odisha	West Bengal
Cardiology	312	657
Neuro Surgery	160	1028
Cardiac Surgery	653	105





*"Disease has no distinction; it may afflict anybody, be it a pauper or a millionaire. We too have no such distinction. Here the treatment will be rendered totally free of cost to the rich and poor alike. Not merely this, even the food will be supplied free. Our aim is to cure the patients of their ailments and send them home happy and healthy. This Institution will serve the poor forever. Some may have a mistaken notion that it will only be a temporary one. All the institutions established by Sai are eternal."*

**- Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba**

## Introduction

In recent years, several advances have been made in the fields of Medical Sciences and Technology. While medical facilities have increased manifold, the prohibitive cost of quality healthcare (being highly capital and skill intensive) has taken many of these life saving measures out of the reach of the common man. In response to this situation, Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba set up hospitals to provide highest level of healthcare to all patients free of charge.

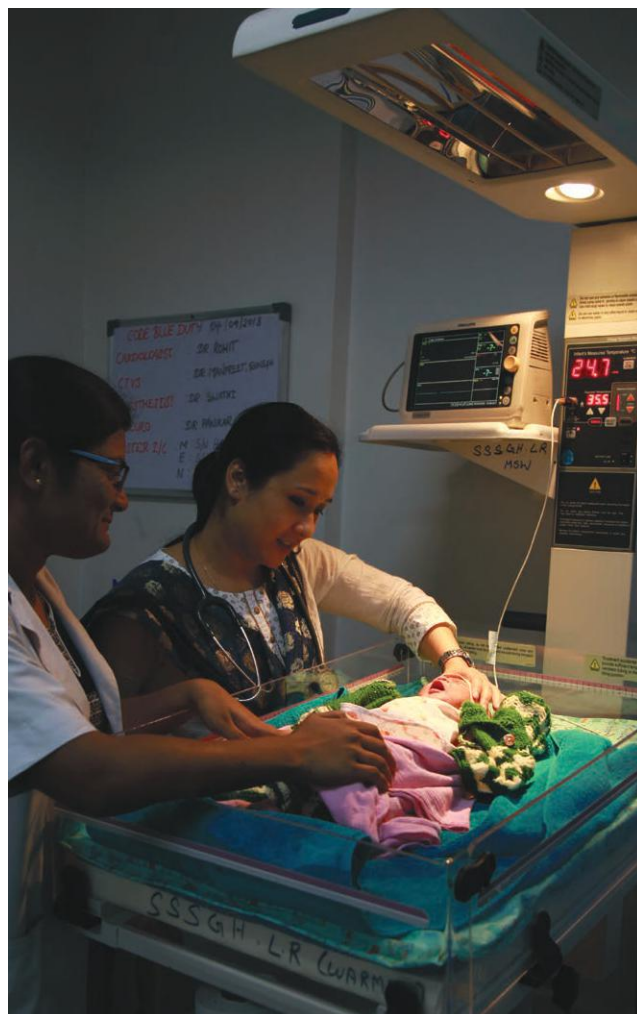
The Sri Sathya Sai Hospitals perform thousands of advanced surgeries each year totally without any discrimination of caste, creed or economic status. Nearly 66% of the patients treated at the two super-speciality hospitals are those whose family annual income is less than Rs.30,000 p.a. In this way, they bring a smile to the faces of economically distressed section of the masses for whom access to quality healthcare would have otherwise remained a distant dream.



Cardiac Surgery



1.5 T Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)



Neonatal Intensive Care Unit





### **Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences, Prasanthigram**

Placed in the heart of an arid and rural region, this 300 bed super-speciality hospital continues to remain an oasis of hope for the poor and needy of this country who have been stricken by disease. In the past year, the hospital handled around 190,000 patient visits, averaging to more than 500 footfalls per day. A total of around 11,400 surgeries were performed during the year, in the departments of Cardio-thoracic vascular surgery, Urology, Ophthalmology, Orthopaedics, and Plastic Surgery.

This year saw the Ophthalmology host a Continuing Medical Education (CME) programme on the topic of 'Oculoplastics Simplified' on December 2, 2018. The conference was attended by over a 100 delegates. Topics in the programme included 'Eyelid Tumour and Management', 'Orbital floor fracture repair', 'Principles of socket reconstruction', and 'Evaluation and surgical management of ptosis'.

### **Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences, Whitefield (Bengaluru)**

At once breathtaking in its architecture and inspiring in its mission of serving the poorest of the poor of this country, this 333 bed super-speciality hospital saw nearly 100,000 patients in its super-speciality departments of Cardiac Sciences and Neuro-Sciences performing more than 7000 surgeries/procedures in the year gone by.

On the academic front too, the hospital had lots to cheer. As a recognition of the excellent instruction provided by the doctors of our hospital, National Board of Examinations has selected SSSIHMS, Whitefield as DNB Examination center for both Cardiology and Anesthesia. Dr. P. K. Dash, Chairman Cardiology and Dr. Kolli Chalam have been enlisted as sort after examiners for both DNB and DM examinations.

Conferences that were conducted during the year included (i) SACRED - 20 (Sri Sathya Sai Academy of Radiology Education): Pediatric Neuroimaging

(8th July, 2018) (ii) 'UPENN - SSSIHMS Cardiac MR Course' conducted in collaboration with University of Pennsylvania, United States between Mar 2 - 5, 2019 (iii) 4th Indo US Critical Care Medicine Update 2019: Department of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, in collaboration with Baylor College of Medicine Texas; University of Texas, USA and also Indian society of critical care medicine on 5th and 6th January 2019

A number of visiting teams of doctors conducted workshops in current sophisticated techniques in the fields of Cardiac and Neuro Sciences, while performing many critical surgeries/procedures. Around 85 complex electro-physiology ablations were performed and about 60 advanced pacemakers were implanted during these workshops apart from surgeries to correct spinal deformities using implants.

Doctors from the hospital won several accolades at national and international levels for paper presentations at conferences.

### **Sri Sathya Sai General Hospital, Prasanthi Nilayam**

This was the first medical institution set up by Bhagavan and is now a 125 bed hospital with 4 major departments. In FY 2018-19 more than 300,000 patients were treated which translates to nearly 1000 patients a day! About 240 general surgeries were performed and about the Obstetrics Department admitted nearly 3200 mothers for deliveries.

### **Sri Sathya Sai General Hospital, Whitefield**

This 50 bed general hospital is associated with on a unique model of that involves significant volunteering by honorary doctors along with in-house doctors. Nearly 150 surgeries were performed and more than 100,000 patients received treatment in the previous year. The department of Ophthalmology upgraded its equipment to provide wider range of retinal surgeries including diabetic retinopathy. A number of research papers published by doctors of the Obstetrics and Gynaecology were awarded recognition at various levels.



### Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital, Prasanthi Nilayam

Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba inaugurated the Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital (SSSMH) in March 2006, that takes top quality secondary level healthcare right to the rural doorstep. A bus equipped with Ultra sonogram machine with Color Doppler, ECG and Haematology and Biochemistry Analysers visits villages in three mandals around Prasanthi Nilayam for 12 days a month. Over these 12 days a team of about 45 doctors across various specialities drawn from a pool of around 400 doctors volunteer their services. Each month nearly 600 villages are served and an average of 6000 patients treated.

On 4th January 2019 a mobile Dental Clinic was added so that the dental services being offered could be provided in a clinical set up in a rural setting. The completely self-powered van is equipped with two dental chairs and a portable X-Ray unit.

### Sri Sathya Sai Telehealth Programme

Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences (SSSIHMS) at both Prasanthigram, Puttaparthi, Andhra Pradesh and Whitefield, Bengaluru, Karnataka together provided 2915 tele-consultations to patients from Barrackpore, West Bengal and Bhubaneswar, Odisha.



Newly inaugurated Dental Clinic of SSSMH



Dental Procedure in the Dental Clinic of SSSMH



Telehealth Centre at Barrackpore, West Bengal



Urology Operation Theatre



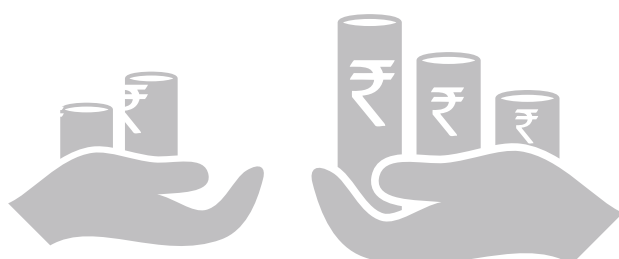


## Educare

Sri Sathya Sai System of Education is values-based, integral and quality education.

### Statistics for 2018-19

Institution	Student Strength			Academic Staff	Non Academic Staff
	Total	Boys	Girls		
SSS Primary and Higher Secondary School Puttaparthi	1187	759	428	97	23
Smt. Eswaramma High School (Non-Residential), Puttaparthi	664	321	343	39	5
SSS Gurukulam English Medium School Rajahmundry	426	426	--	20	12
SSS Primary School, New Delhi	131	65	66	10	2
SSS Institute of Higher Learning	1,303	824	474	166	84
SSM College of Music Puttaparthi	26	26	--	11	1
<b>TOTAL STRENGTH</b>	<b>3,737</b>	<b>2,421</b>	<b>1,312</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>127</b>



**₹ 4.12 Crores**

Total Capital Expenditure

**₹ 24.08 Crores**

Total Revenue Expenditure

Annual Expenditure for all Educational Institutions

Average Academic Staff - Students Ratio

**1 : 11**



Average Amount Spent Per School Student



**25,000**

per year per day scholar

**35,000**

per year per residential student

**Education is provided Free of Charge to all**



*“Spiritual education is not a distinct and separate discipline; it is part and parcel of all types and levels of education. In fact, it is the very foundation on which a lasting edifice can be built. Secular and spiritual educations are like the two halves in the seeds of pulses; the germ that sprouts is in between; it is fed by both.”*

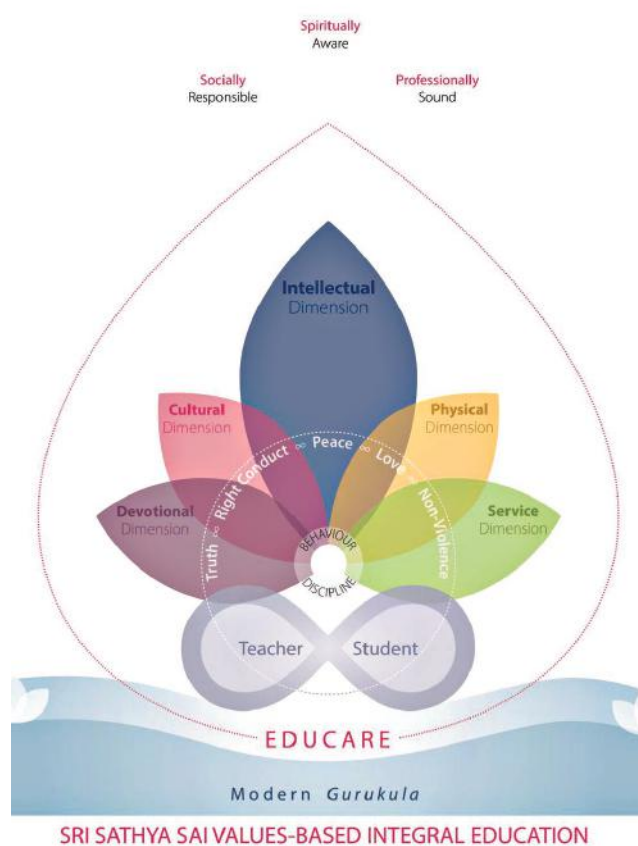
**- Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba**

## Introduction

The Sri Sathya Sai Educational System is a visible manifestation of Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba’s vision of education for human transformation. It aims to mould the students into holistic individuals who are socially responsible and spiritually aware, embodying the values under right attitude through Educare that caters to the physical, intellectual, emotional, psychological and spiritual dimensions of the human personality. This is done by embedding the five core human values of Truth, Righteousness, Peace, Love and Non-Violence into every aspect of education. Some of the unique and distinguishing facets of the Sri Sathya Sai Educational Philosophy are:

- Free education accessible to all irrespective of caste, colour, creed or religion with an open admission policy that is purely merit-based.
- Major focus on character development, in addition to academic excellence.
- Inculcation of moral values through an integral system of education with focus on duty and discipline.
- Being residential in nature, the teachers’ guidance and support can be sought 24/7.
- Encourages participation in all cultural and religious festivities and programmes during the academic year facilitating appreciation of

cultural diversity and unity among various faiths resulting in expansion of heart and developing a broad outlook in life.







### **Sri Sathya Sai Primary and Higher Secondary School**

The Schools mission is to lay the foundation of a noble character in the young minds by instilling in them the eternal and universal values of brotherhood, patriotism, sacrifice and moral integrity so that they grow up as ideal leaders who can shape the destiny of the nation and the world. The curriculum ensures a right mix of academics, spirituality, culture, sports and arts. The School has a healthy student-teacher ratio of 12:1 and has always maintained an excellent academic record.

### **Smt. Eswaramma High School**

Smt. Eswaramma High School (non-residential), provides modern and secular education, following the curriculum of CBSE, and nourishes the children with human values through its integral system of education.

### **Sri Sathya Sai Gurukulam English Medium School, Rajamahendravaram**

The School was instituted by Bhagavan Baba on the 23rd of June, 1981 and is affiliated to CISCE (Council For The Indian School Certificate Examinations), New Delhi. The campus spread over 23 acres, consists of 2 school buildings, 2 hostel buildings, prayer and dining facilities, an auditorium, a guest house, and a workers and management quarters.

### **Sri Sathya Sai Primary School, Delhi**

Sri Sathya Sai Primary School (non-residential) was established in July 2012 for the under privileged children with classes from Nursery to 1st Standard. Today it is a full-fledged primary school up to class 5th. The mission of the school is to integrate human values as expounded by Bhagavan Baba, and quality education to all the students. For this, Bal Vikas classes are held every week to inculcate human values among the students.

### **Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning**

The seed of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning (SSSIHL) was planted way back in 1968, when Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba started the first women's college, to—in His own words—provide the youth with an education which, while cultivating their intelligence, will also purify their impulses and emotions and equip them with the physical and mental disciplines needed for drawing upon the springs of calmness and joy that lie in their own hearts.

SSSIHL with its four campuses located in – Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh (Women), Prasanthi Nilayam, Andhra Pradesh (Men), Brindavan, Whitefield, Karnataka (Men), Muddenahalli, Karnataka (Men), fosters a modern Gurukula style environment, where many teachers stay in and help manage the student activities in the hostel and are available to the students 24/7 for any kind of help and support. To facilitate this model, the University has a compulsory residential policy for all students. Students with diverse cultures and varied economic backgrounds live in dormitory-styled accommodation with 10-14 students staying together in a room. Here they learn to adjust with one another and live together in harmony; and this diversity contributes to a rich and stimulating learning environment that brings out the best in students.



Morning Prayer Session



### Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning, Anantapur Campus

To mark the completion of 50 years of Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning, Anantapur Campus (the erstwhile Sri Sathya Sai Arts and Science College (for women) Anantapur), a Cultural Programme was organized on the Campus on 8th July, 2018.

The extended commemorative celebrations were held on 21st July, at Prashanti Nilayam. The programme, which was attended by 3000 ex-students, commenced with a procession led by representatives of 50 batches of students, from India and abroad, who have passed out from the portals of this sacred institution.



Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Anantapur Campus



Low Temperature Raman Photo Luminescence set up in CRIF

### SSSIHL Central Research Instruments Facility (CRIF)

SSSIHL Central Research Instruments Facility (CRIF), at the Prasanthi Nilayam Campus, is one of the few such facilities in the Country (and the first in a rural location) that houses advanced Characterization/Analytical tools to carry out Translational Research in various areas of Science and Technology such as Physical, Biological, Chemical, Materials Science, Food and also Computational and Interdisciplinary Areas.

CRIF facilitates the strengthening of interdisciplinary health related research collaborations between SSSIHL and Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences (SSSIHMS). Some of these include: Regenerative Medicine & Tissue Engineering, Rapid Detection of Endemic Diseases, Diabetic Retinopathy, Development of Cost-effective Multi-Modal Microscopes, SPCE-based Point of Care Devices, etc.



Single Crystal Puller Czochochalski Technique in CRIF





Sports and Cultural Presentation on 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2019





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## Radio Sai

Radio Sai Division of the Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust began as a satellite radio service that Bhagavan Baba launched in 2001. It has now grown into a full-fledged multimedia service that documents and disseminates Bhagavan Baba's life and message through the medium of the internet.

The year 2018-19 have been very eventful with:

- The launch of a new youtube channel dedicated to Sai Bhajans where a new video bhajan is uploaded everyday.
- The launch of a new YouTube channel dedicated to programmes in Hindi language and a weekly broadcast in Hindi.
- The main YouTube channel of Radio Sai crossed 1,00,000 subscribers during the year. This was recognized by YouTube and Radio Sai was given the YouTube Creator Award (Silver play button).
- As with every year, a special programme to commemorate the anniversary of the Telugu Stream was held on 4th August 2018. Over 150 artists which included children, elders, scholars, youth and Alumni of SSSIHL from across AP & Telangana took part, wherein 29 different programmes were presented. The theme of the presentation was Simple Living High Thinking.

### Website ([www.radiosai.org](http://www.radiosai.org))

Total Data Transferred (2018-19)	13.85 TB
Avg. Data Transferred per Day	38.62 GB

### Facebook ([www.facebook.com/radiosai](https://www.facebook.com/radiosai))

3.8 Lakh followers

### YouTube ([www.youtube.com/radiosaivideos](https://www.youtube.com/radiosaivideos))

More than 1.7 Lakh Subscribers

Radio Sai's bouquet of services includes:

- Six 24 hours audio streams broadcasting variety of programmes.
- Daily live audio broadcasts of morning and evening prayer sessions from Prasanthi Nilayam
- Live video broadcasts of all special events and festival celebrations at Sai Kulwant Hall.
- A dynamic website and Youtube Channels updated almost daily with inspiring multimedia content to disseminate the values of selfless service and universal love of Bhagavan.
- Every Thursday, day-long live broadcast from the audio studio focused on various aspects of Bhagavan's life and mission through Talks, interviews and panel discussions.
- A daily inspirational email service called Sai Inspires which takes Bhagavan's message and updates about Prasanthi Nilayam to over 80,000 people everyday.



YouTube silver play button for crossing 1 Lakh subscribers



## Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini

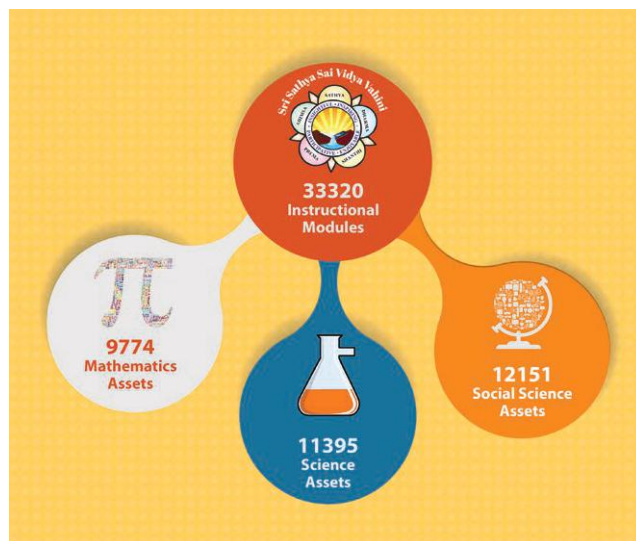
Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vahini (SSSVV) continues to improve learning outcomes across all domains of learning by empowering rural teachers with three offerings: Content, Training and Teaching Aids. Based on a unique framework drawn from the best practices of Sai education, it harnesses technology to extrapolate the same advantage via the internet at [srisathyaiavidyavahini.org](http://srisathyaiavidyavahini.org)

Combining latest pedagogy with universal values and modern technology, SSSVV provides well-balanced lesson plans integrated with human values, multimedia and activity based learning, catering to CBSE, and 6 state boards. SSSVV trains teachers on how to access and transact the same, while enriching their subject-matter knowledge and teaching practices.

Inclusive in its approach, the program is National Curriculum Framework compliant and progressing towards UNESCO 2030 goals. Apart from serving Sathya Sai Schools in rural India, at the request of the NITI Aayog, the program is to be implemented in government schools in two Aspirational Districts, Virudhunagar in Tamil Nadu and Kadapa in Andhra Pradesh.



Improving English literacy through word games



Science is Fun programme providing experiential learning of scientific concepts to rural students





## Sri Sathya Sai Centre for Human Values

In 2017, Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust formally established Sri Sathya Sai Centre for Human Values (Centre) as a body that carries out Research and Training programs with the focus on Sri Sathya Sai Sahitya (literature) covering the key contents of almost all the major spiritual texts and philosophies.

The objective of the Centre is “to foster the Study of Sri Sathya Sai Literature in order to promote a holistic understanding of a spiritual life and living.”

To fulfill this objective, following activities are undertaken:

- Develop comprehensive, authentic and reliable literature of Swami's teachings easily accessible to devotees, seekers and researchers.
- Deepen the understanding of Bhagavan's teachings synergistically with the worldview on various subjects.
- Develop content for publications and training programs that would help furthering the understanding and practice of Bhagavan's teachings.

Currently, the Centre is governed by an Advisory Committee consisting of the senior most members of the Sai fraternity -Sri. K. Chakravarthi, Chancellor of SSSIHL; Dr. G Venkataraman; Prof. Vishwanath Pandit; Dr. Pal Dhall and Dr B G Pitre.

During the past year, the Centre took up the following programs:

- Collaborated with SSIO in the design of an Exhibition for the 'Go-green' conference and exhibits which outlined the process of creation and purpose of man in this creation.
- Conducted seminar titled 'Heart of Sai Healthcare Mission' for the SSSIHMS and SSSGH DNB doctors on the purpose and process of Sai Healthcare mission.
- Along with SSSSO, SSSCHV prepared an Exhibition on Bhagawad Geetha during the 93rd Birthday Celebrations. The exhibition was entirely based on the teachings of Bhagavan Sri Sathya Sai Baba.
- SSSCHV designed and conducted a two-day Sri Sathya Sai Pragathi Patham (SSSPP) program for State Presidents in India which was entirely based on Bhagavan's teachings.



Sri Sathya Sai Pragathi Patham - Prasanthi Nilayam



Sri Sathya Sai Pragathi Patham - Mumbai

# *Make Our Lives Bhagavan's Message*

Bhagavan has provided opportunities for all sections of society to observe, learn and practise His Message in their own lives.

## **Upto Teens**

Bal Vikas, Pre-Seva Dal,  
Sathya Sai Education Programs



## **Adults**

Youth Programs, Seva Samithis,  
Seva Dal, Bhajan Mandalis,  
Service Activities



## **Senior Adults**

Study Circles

### **Related Websites**

Sri Sathya Sai Central Trust  
[www.srisathyasai.org.in](http://www.srisathyasai.org.in)

Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences, Prasanthigram  
[psg.sssihms.org.in](http://psg.sssihms.org.in)

Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Medical Sciences, Whitefield  
[wfd.sssihms.org.in](http://wfd.sssihms.org.in)

Sri Sathya Sai Mobile Hospital  
[www.sssmh.org.in](http://www.sssmh.org.in)

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Sri Sathya Sai Seva Organisation, India  
[www.ssssoindia.org](http://www.ssssoindia.org)

Sathya Sai International Organisation  
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