



Changing young lives through play!

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“Sport has the power to change the world.

It has the power to inspire. It has the power to unite people in a way that little else does. It speaks to the youth in a language they understand.

Sport can create hope where once there was only despair.”

-NELSON MANDELA

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Mission

To create lasting social change by providing world-class basketball training and instilling self-confidence, discipline, and teamwork in underprivileged children. Through every dribble, every shot, and every game, we collaborate with parents, institutions, and top-tier coaches to drive meaningful impact. We equip children with the mindset and skills to take on life's challenges and reach their full potential.



Vision

To pioneer grassroots basketball in India as a transformative team sport, and to empower underprivileged children by building their confidence, life skills, and aspirations for a better tomorrow.



Our Founders Speak

*Mr. Radhakrishnan Sundar,
Founder Director*

*Mrs. Usha Sundar,
Co-Founder Director*

*Mr. P. Ramaswamy,
Co-Founder Director*

As we celebrate 10 years of Hi 5 Youth Foundation, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for your unwavering support. Together, we have empowered and inspired youth through sports. We reached 4000+ students across 35 centers in 8 Indian states, making a lasting impact on their lives. We are committed to expanding our reach, innovating our programs, and empowering even more young individuals.

As we look ahead, we're excited to launch our new Hi 5 Basketball Academy, a dedicated hub for developing high-potential athletes and shaping future leaders through sport.

Thank you to our incredible supporters for believing in our vision and making a tangible difference. Through our two programs: **Hope thru Hoops** and **Pathways to Success**, let's uplift, empower, and inspire the next generation together.



From basic skill development to advanced game strategy, this multi-year journey transforms young players, helping them build discipline, teamwork, and self-belief by experiencing winning moments in the matches they play.

With a strong emphasis on gender equality, Hi 5 ensures that both boys and girls receive equal opportunities to excel and succeed.

For many, Hope Thru Hoops is more than just basketball; it's their first experience of success and a platform to dream bigger and aim higher.



1 hour

Training per day



Defined Curriculum

Consistently implemented
across Hi 5 centers



80+ Coaches

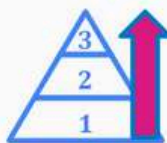
Dedicated and passionate
about basketball



300+ hrs

in a year

Program duration



**Multi-Level, Multi-Year
4 Distinct Levels**

Progressive skill
development

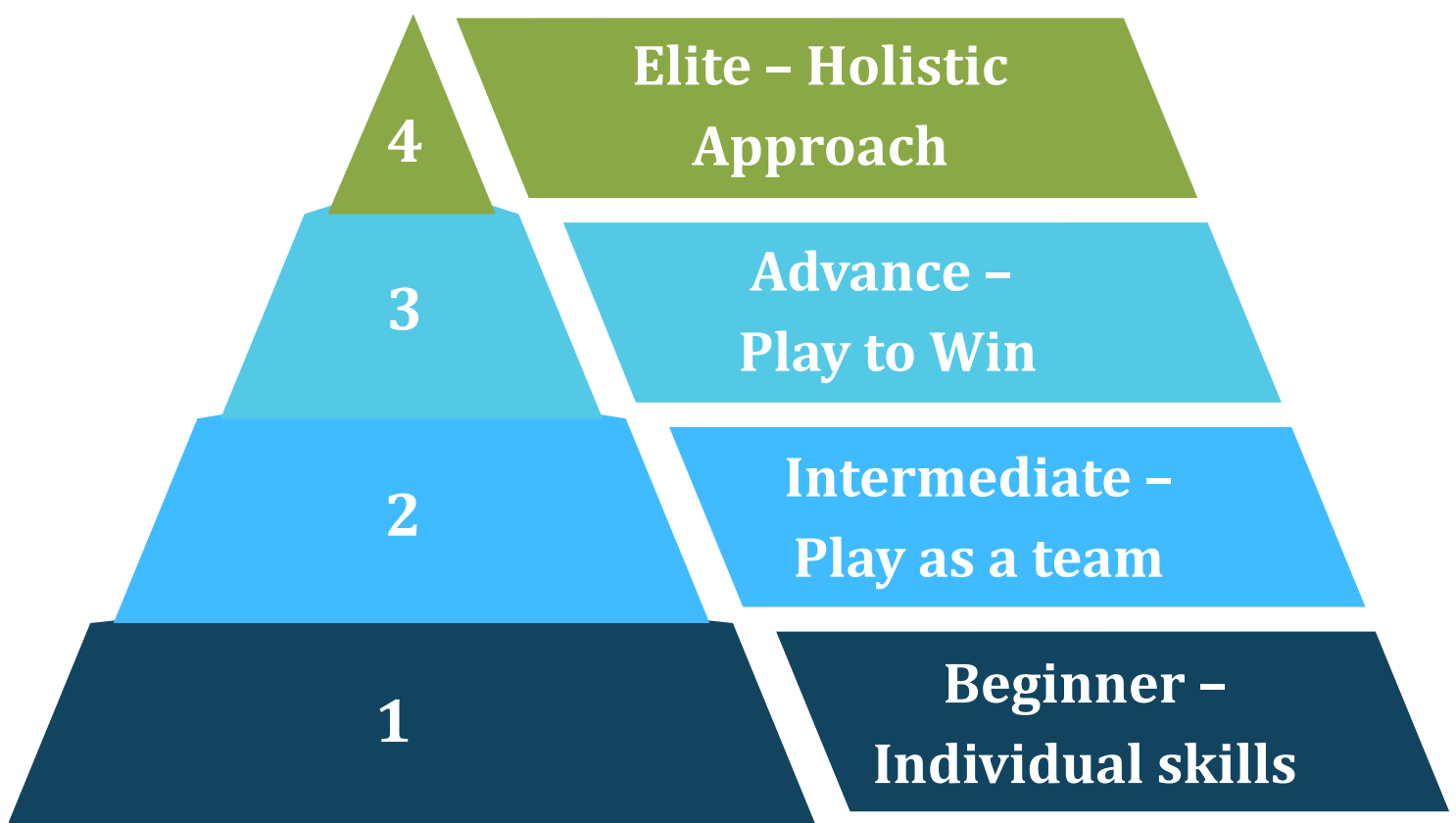


15 Managers

Supporting development
off the court

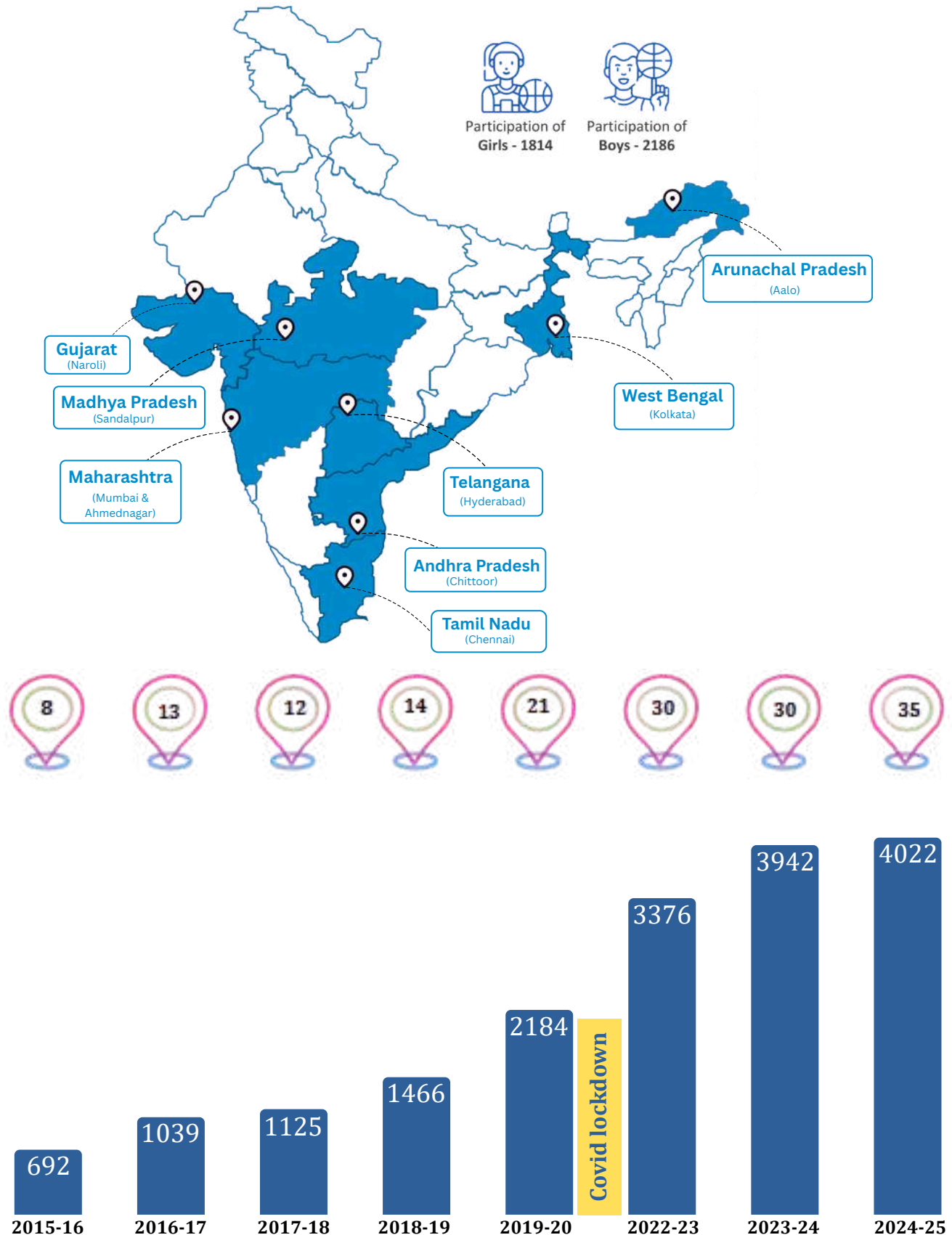
Our structured programs empower underprivileged children by combining rigorous training with life-changing experiences, ensuring they don't just play but thrive both on and off the court.

Hope Thru Hoops is a structured, multi-level basketball training program designed to give underprivileged children access to world-class coaching, professional development, and a winning mindset that can shape their futures.



Multi-Year, Multi-Level Basketball Excellence Program

4000+ students, 80+ coaches, 35 centers!





Our latest 3 courts at Parivaar in Sandalpur (Madhya Pradesh), RKM School in Aalo (Arunachal Pradesh), and Gurukulam School in Chittoor (Andhra Pradesh)

No.	Center	State	Inaugurated In	Facilities
1	Shri Gadge Ashram School, Vajreshwari	Mah	Jan 2017	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
2	Goshala BMC School, Mulund	Mah	Jul 2017	Synthetic Surface Acrylic Boards
3	Chembur Children's Home	Mah	Feb 2018	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
4	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar School, Worli	Mah	Feb 2019	Synthetic Surface Acrylic Board New Poles
5	Motilal Nagar BMC School, Court 1	Mah	Apr 2019	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
6	Poonam Nagar BMC School, Andheri East	Mah	Feb 2022	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
7	Motilal Nagar BMC School, Court 2	Mah	Mar 2022	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Fencing
8	Shri Gadge Ashram School, Vasind	Mah	Mar 2022	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
9	Krushni Home	Tel	Jun 2019	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Acrylic Board
10	TTWR School, Jinnaram	Tel	Jan 2020	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
11	Zila Parishad School, Gowdavally	Tel	Feb 2020	Half Court Synthetic Surface Acrylic Board New Poles
12	Zila Parishad School, Athvally	Tel	Feb 2020	Half Court Synthetic Surface Acrylic Board New Poles
13	Parivaar Boys Campus	WB	Jan 2021	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating
14	Parivaar Girls Campus	WB	Jan 2021	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
15	Uttar Buniyadi Vidyalaya, Naroli	Guj	Mar 2023	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating
16	Naroli Pay Centre, Naroli	Guj	Mar 2023	Half Court Synthetic Surface Acrylic Board New Poles
17	Radka Primary School, Naroli	Guj	Mar 2023	Half Court Synthetic Surface Acrylic Board New Poles
18	TTWR Girls School, Chegunta	Tel	May 2023	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
19	Mithagar CBSE Mumbai Public School (Ronnie 2K Court)	Mah	Dec 2023	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
20	Parivaar Sandalpur Campus	MP	May 2024	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing
21	Ramakrishna Mission School, Aalo	Aru	Sep 2024	Synthetic Surface Indoor Court Acrylic Boards
22	APSWR Gurukulam School	AP	Oct 2024	Synthetic Surface Flood Lights Stadium Seating Fencing

Legends - Mah (Maharashtra), Tel (Telangana), WB (West Bengal), Guj (Gujarat), MP (Madhya Pradesh), Aru (Arunachal Pradesh), AP (Andhra Pradesh)

Hi 5 has now built 22 Basketball courts across India

Podium Finishes



Tournaments Played : 86

Tournament Summary 2024-25

States	Tournaments Played				Podium Finishes
Maharashtra	34	42	28	11	81
Tamil Nadu	19	18	5	1	24
West Bengal	15	4	6	2	12
Telangana	7	8	9	0	17
Madhya Pradesh	2	1	1	-	2
Gujarat	5	11	4	1	16
Arunanchal Pradesh	1	-	-	-	-
Andhra Pradesh	3	3	1	-	4

(Podium finishes are the total times a team or individual places in the top three.)

Maharashtra



Jr.NBA Nationals



SFA Tournament



IndoScot Tournament



Akanksha Singh Academy Tournament



Edvic Tournament



Nagpada Tournament



DS0 - Taluka Games



Khelo and Khilo 2.0

Telangana



Zenas School Tournament



EMRS



St. Joseph's School Tournament

West Bengal



West Bengal Women's League



Mayo Tournament

Tamil Nadu



GGN Tournament



D.A.V Krida Tournament



Spardha Tournament

Andhra Pradesh



Rishi Velli Tournament



PES Public School Tournament

Gujarat



Khel Mahakumbh



State Championship Tournament



SGFI Tournament



HNGU North Gujarat University Tournament

"Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships."

~Michael Jordan

Intra Hi 5 League



The Intra Hi 5 League is an internal tournament that has grown significantly this year, featuring **120 teams** and involving over **900 children** across various categories, including **U12, U14, U17, and Open Categories**. The league is crafted to ensure every child has the chance to participate, providing valuable playing experience and exposure, especially for those who might not get the opportunity to compete in external tournaments.

The league reaches its climax with the Intra Hi 5 Nationals, a full-day, high-energy event where teams from **8 states** compete, celebrating growth, competition, and unity.


The league also fosters confidence, encourages cross-cultural interaction, and promotes teamwork. Also, it prepares coaches for upcoming competitions and enhances student attendance and engagement.



National Championship

Category	No. of Teams	No. of Children		
Under 14 Boys	8	80	Motilal Nagar	Jinnaram
Under 14 Girls	8	80	Motilal Nagar	Bangarupalem
Under 17 Boys	9	90	Parivaar	Krushhi
Under 17 Girls	7	70	Dixit	Parivaar
Total	32	320		

Mumbai League

Category	No. of Teams	No. of Children		
Under 14 Boys	22	200	Motilal Nagar	Dixit
Under 14 Girls	14	167	Motilal Nagar	Dixit
Under 17 Boys	19	226	Goshala	Poonam Nagar
Under 17 Girls	13	140	Dixit	Goshala
Under 12 Boys	21	174	Motilal	Siddharth
Under 12 Girls	18	118	Pahadi	Poonam Nagar
Mens	11	97	Poonam Nagar	Motilal Nagar
Womens	10	69	Motilal Nagar	Dixit
Total	128	1191		



Summer Slam 2024-2025

Summer Slam is an internal tournament that concludes our month-long summer camp, which combines intensive, all-day basketball training with **ESL (English as a Second Language)** sessions. This tournament starts at the beginning of the academic year, the event provides children with a valuable platform to apply the skills they've developed during the camp and participate in a competitive environment.

The primary purpose is to accelerate learning, enhance overall performance, and allow coaches to assess each child's strengths and areas for improvement. This approach ensures that vacation time is used productively while also preparing students for the year ahead. When the tournament concludes, participants typically emerge more skilled, confident, and visibly improved in their game, marking a successful and enriching experience.

The Summer Camp 2025 took place from April 1 to May 25 across multiple centers in India, reflecting Hi 5 ongoing commitment to year-round engagement and development.



**Aalo, Arunachal Pradesh
(April 1-15)**



Summer Slam 2024-2025



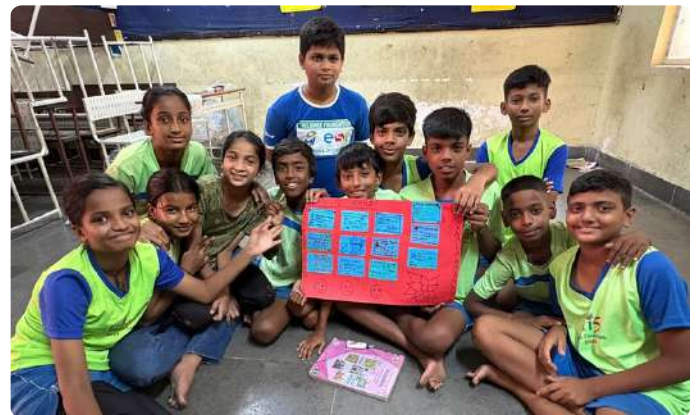
**Sandalpur Center, Madhya Pradesh
(March 6-April 15)**



**Naroli Center, Gujarat
(April 16-May 5)**



**Sphoorti Center, Telangana
(April 24-May 8)**





Summer Slam 2024-2025



Parivaar Center, West Bengal (May 1-15)

West Bengal center saw a record turnout of 268 kids where the focus was on identifying new talent and training existing groups.



Sevalaya Center, Chennai (April 16-May 15)



Gurukulam Center, Andhra Pradesh (April 24-May 10)

The BFI Treasurer, Mr. Chengal Raya Naidu, and DSP Chinni Krishna visited the camp, leaving a lasting impression on the young athletes. Students from Bangarupalyam also participated in the camp.



Summer Slam 2024-2025

Mumbai & Vajreshwari-Vasind Centers, Maharashtra

Summer camp conducted across multiple Mumbai locations centers, including Motilal, Unnat Nagar, Siddharth Nagar, Pahadi, Goshala, Dixit, Worli, Poonam Nagar, Mithagar, and extended to Vajreshwari and Vasind. Notably, students from Vajreshwari traveled to Vasind to participate in the camp.



Motilal Nagar Center



Vasind Center



Poonam Nagar Center



Mithagar Center

National Championship



Amir Hembram



Prosenjit Soren



Baisakhi Marddi



Abhijit Sardar



Khukumoni Sardar



Shaikh Jasmin



T. Anjali

Name	State	Tournament	Category
Amir Hembram	West Bengal	Youth National Championship	U16 Boys
Prasenjit Soren	West Bengal	Youth National Championship	U16 Boys
Baisakhi Marddi	West Bengal	Youth National Championship	U16 Girls
Abhijit Sardar	West Bengal	Sub Junior Nationals	U13 Boys
Khukumoni Sardar	West Bengal	Sub Junior Nationals	U13 Girls
Shaikh Jasmin	Andhra Pradesh	Sub Junior Nationals	U13 Girls
T. Anjali	Andhra Pradesh	Sub Junior Nationals	U13 Girls

(In the National Championship, a team or player represents their state at the national level.)

State Championship

State	Category	Tournament Name	No. of Selections
Telangana	U16 Girls	5th Telangana State Youth Basketball Championship	14
Telangana	U16 Boys	5th Telangana State Youth Basketball Championship	11
Telangana	U23 Girls	CM Cup	3
Telangana	U23 Boys	CM Cup	3
Telangana	U23 Boys	Telangana State 3x3	2
Madhya Pradesh	U17 Boys	Youth Division Championship	3
Andhra Pradesh	U23 Girls	State Level Championship	5
Andhra Pradesh	U13 Girls	Inter District Sub Junior	8
Tamil Nadu	U16 Boys	Youth State Championship	2

(In the State Championship, a team or player represents their district at the state level.)

Jr. NBA Nationals



Center	Category	Tournament	No. of Teams Selected
Dixit	U14 Girls	Jr. NBA Nationals	1
Parivaar	U14 Girls	Jr. NBA Nationals	1
Parivaar	U14 Boys	Jr. NBA Nationals	1

(Jr. NBA tournament, organised by NBA, features city tournaments that progress through league stages to the national finals at NBA Academy India.)

Success on the court should translate into success in life, our **Pathways to Success** program extends beyond basketball to provide children with the academic guidance, career support, and financial assistance they need to build a brighter future.

As part of this commitment, we actively prepare them for jobs by offering part-time work, internships, and hands-on experience, ensuring they are truly job-ready and career-ready. Making them job-ready is a key objective of Pathways to Success, equipping them with the skills and opportunities needed for long-term success.

Each program builds champions on and off the court, equipping children with the discipline, skills, and mindset to achieve their dreams.

Building Strong Foundations for Lifelong Achievement

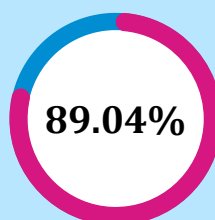


BMC Students Board Exam Results (2024-25)

10th Std



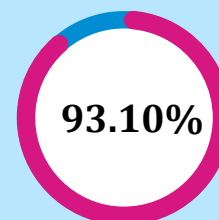
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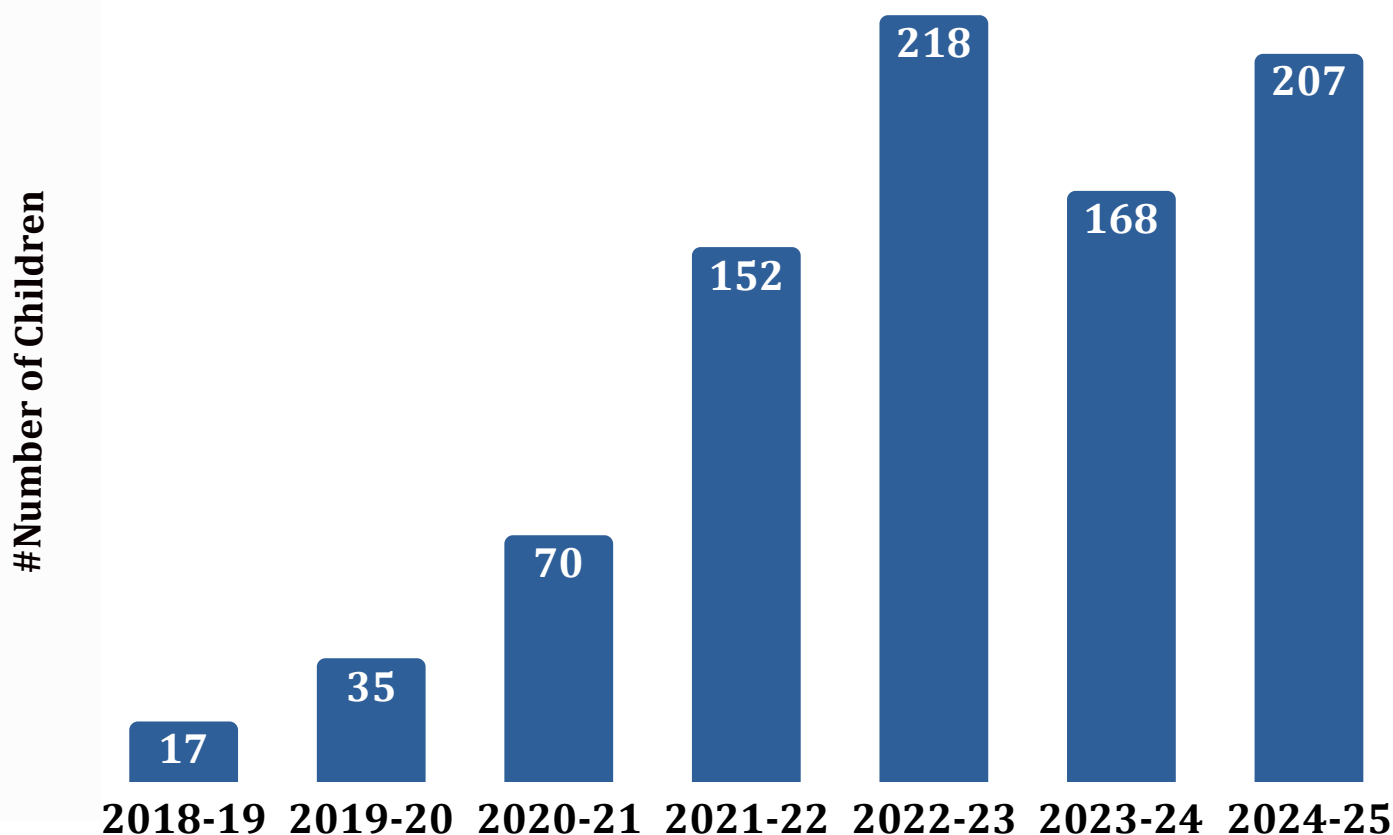
12th Std



Students Graduated vs Appeared



Strength of the Pathways to Success Program



From Classroom to Career: Students' Journey to Success



Graduation Ceremony



Industry-ready Interns

Hi 5 Pragati began to help our students grow beyond basketball. It's a learning center where they overcome language barriers, build confidence, and develop life skills. Using the LSRW approach (Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing), we help students express themselves and learn effectively. From 5th graders to graduates, everyone gets the support they need.

ESL (English as a Second Language) at Hi 5 began as simple spoken English support but has steadily grown into a platform for building confidence and communication skills. Through engaging activities like role plays, group discussions, storytelling, and games, students are learning to express themselves clearly and comfortably. With fun activities like quizzes, art competitions, and discussions, learning becomes exciting. Plus, a library full of books to explore!

Students progress through three levels: Fundamental, Moderate, and Proficiency, gaining skills that help them in school, sports, and beyond. Every step of the way, we're helping them gain confidence, communicate better, and prepare for a brighter future.





Akanksha Singh Visited



RKM Aalo Court Inauguration



Student Felicitation at Krida Vedha



1-year Anniversary of Pragati Center



Saurabh Netravalkar Visited



Guest Visit at Summer Slam Tournament



Coaches Training by Anastasos Traianos



Tribal students went to stadium for IML

Hi5 USA is a registered public charity under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS, ensuring tax-exempt status for donations. Based in the United States of America, Hi5 USA channels 100% of contributions toward empowering underprivileged children in India through grassroots basketball programs. With an emphasis on life skills, team play, and excellence, every donation fuels transformative opportunities for children to rewrite their futures.

Events in 2024-2025



Sevathon - a community run/walk/bike event



Annual Donor Dinner '24



Invitational Tournament

Our Partners



**Municipal Corporation Of Greater Mumbai | Gadge Maharaj Ashram |
Association Saikorian | TTWRIES - Tribal Dept. of Govt. of Telangana |
Eklavya Model Residential School | Ram Krishna Mission School | Gurukulam |
Sphoorti Foundation | Sevalaya | Parivaar | Snehalaya**

Our Supporters



**Sachin Tendulkar Foundation | BookASmile | SBI General Insurance |
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Our Team



80+ coaches , 32+ admin staff all working toward changing young lives through play!

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