

# Summer School for Social Transformation



SCHOOL FOR  
SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION



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INDIA



A walk through the Summer School  
Moments of discovery and transformation

Participants  
arriving at  
Manthan in Kotri,  
65 km from Ajmer



## Day 1

Every great dream begins with a dreamer: Welcoming with a Smile, to the journey of a lifetime



## IT ALL STARTS WITH SELF

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A small group of thoughtful people  
could change the world. Understand  
Self to Serve the Society





## Day 2

Circle of Trust: Team building and forming trust among the participants



If you want to lift yourself up, lift up someone else.  
Participants engaging in team building activities

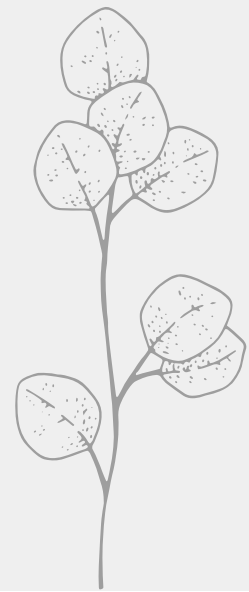






## VOLUNTEERING

Basic expression of human relationships





## Day 4

Understanding people and  
sharing personnel stories

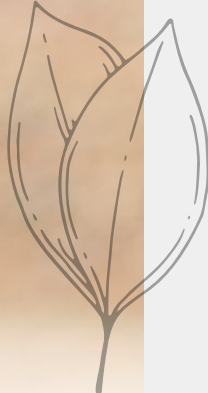




Circle of trust at a temple in the village



Smiles...

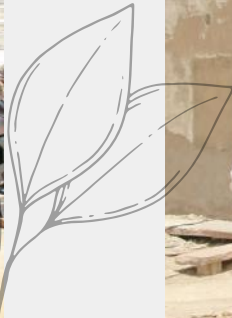


Day 5

Interaction with  
Local Administration



Participants visiting the Gandhi salt production unit situated in Sambhar Lake region



## Day 6

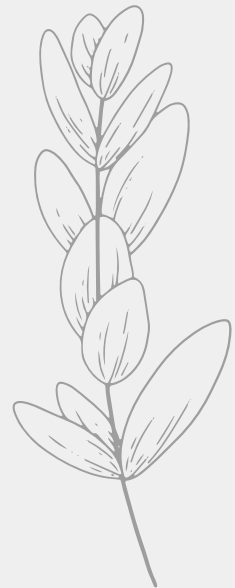
Diving into UN's Sustainable Development Goals  
& Global Citizenship Education





## GLOBAL GOALS 2030

Participants discussing the role of the Youth in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals





MANTHAN LIBRARY  
*The Open Door Project*

EDUCATION  
AND HOPE

Day 7

Connect with a cause: Understanding  
and addressing the gaps that exist in  
sectors of our society





Participants presenting the need for the social initiatives around the topic of Education, Environment and Gender Equality



Day 8

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Individual Action Project presentation and  
School beautification initiative



Participants presenting about their individual action projects that they will be implementing in their communities when they reach back home.





Gratitude!!!

## Youth Declaration on Equality, Environment and Education



We, the participants of Summer School for social transformation, gathered at Manthan sansthan in Kotri village in Rajasthan, join our voices and efforts to create a just, peaceful and sustainable society.

Together, we represent the national constituency of young people determined to take action to make this world a better place for not just us, but for the future generation as well.

We, the youth of India dream of a world where people are treated equally without distinction of any kind, such as race, colour, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth or other status.

We would like to live in a World where everyone gets equal opportunities and resources.

We pledge to commit our abilities, efforts, and heart to create an equal society.

We understand the climate emergency and call for urgent action to protect the environment, people and all living and non-living elements in the nature.

We would take initiatives for bringing together youth who are ready to be a climate warrior and thereby give birth to a collective. We pledge to join the climate action initiatives led by global climate leaders.

We, the collective Youth Voice, identify education and capacity development as the major means of addressing global challenges.

We demand the policymakers to provide Education required by human beings to be able to survive, to develop their full capacities, to live and work in dignity, to participate fully in development, to improve the quality of their lives, to make informed decisions and to enjoy all the economic, social, political, cultural and civic rights.

We urge creating sustained and transparent dialogue – at all levels—between youth and decision makers so that our ideas are both heard and implemented.



## Day 9

Celebration and beginning of a new journey as an Active Citizen



Today is the beginning of the next chapter.

And then  
they changed  
the world....

