



SKETS HOPE CENTRE



**SHANTI DEVI MITTAL
FOUNDATION**



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ABOUT

Shanti Devi Mittal Foundation (the "Trust")

Shanti Devi Mittal Foundation was formed by Suresh Mittal in the name of his mother Smt. Shanti Devi Mittal in 2017.

The trustees include Sh. Suresh Mittal who is a Settlor for the trust. CA Nitin Mittal is mentor to this foundation and assist in various activities of the foundation.

Trust is a registered trust and duly approved by Income Tax Department vide registration number CIT (EXEMPTION), DELHI/12AA/2019-20/A/10289 dated 30th August 2019. The trust has full-fledged centre for free vocational training and students education apart from general public welfare.



SKETS Hope Centre

100% charitable school for under privileged children and adults which has following facilities:

- i. Computer Lab for free computer classes imparting computer education to around 100 persons.
- ii. Sewing and Tailoring centre for free classes for women giving training to around 60 women
- iii. Free Coaching classes from class 3rd to class 7th imparting education to 200 students
- iv. Beautician Centre for free classes for women giving training to around 60 women

SKETS Hope Centre was founded in 2019 with a vision of imparting knowledge & self-sufficient monetizable skills to the underprivileged section of the society. A 3,500 SqFt. facility with a capacity of accommodating 500+ students at a time along with the necessary required infrastructure was set up in East Delhi by Shanti Mittal Devi Foundation.



WHAT WE DO

1. Computer Education

Today computers are used in various fields like business, pharmacy, music, education, engineering, management, defense and transportation as they help to ease certain tasks, provide information faster, and speed up the work. Our centre generate the computer saksharta /skills with the scenario of modern digital literacy, modern infrastructure as well as with the awareness session. The objective of our centre is to reach out to the weaker section of the society from disadvantaged backgrounds, which do not have the exposure to Information Technology like others. IT training in professional institutes is unaffordable for them. The computers are provided in a ratio of 10:1, i.e. 10 students per computer for better understanding and experience. The student teacher ratio is 15:1 to give proper attention to each student.



Our Success Stories

Alisha is a 19 year old girl from bylanes of Mandawali area in East Delhi. Her father is a carpenter. Her family comprises of 5 members. There are hardly any educational or health care facilities where she is living in the slum. After living for years in these dismal surroundings which lacked basic amenities she began to educate herself and she contacted us through one of our promotional program. Our centre provides remedial education to the children residing in nearby slums, as well as vocational training to people, especially the women/girls residing in the community. Alisha after completing our course is doing typing Job in a company nearby. She believes that her social and economic life has become better.



Simran is a 18 years old girl from Mandawali area of East Delhi. Her father works in a garment shop. She belonged to a joint family with total 5 members in the family. She had to depend on others for recommendation to get a earning job which is an embarrassment situation for her. She began to educate herself by attending our computer classes which gave young women like her the possibility of obtaining employment in the field. She reported that after getting trained in computer skills, there has been an



increase in her self confidence. She has also been able to overcome the element of shyness and embarrassment. She is now working as on the job trainee in some computer classes.

Ankit is a 18 year old boy from East Delhi. His father is working as a driver with total 5 members in his family. No idea what to do in his life, no future planning just a school pass out roaming around with his friends in Delhi, one day he came to our contact through our other social work initiative. Our centre aims to identify and bridge existing learning gaps, further widened by the growing digital divide. We aim to share our knowledge in providing affordable technological knowledge to students from low-income communities. Ankit benefited through our centre is now working as helper in a near by cyber cafe, earning for his future studies.



Amreen, a 20 year old daughter of motor mechanic from East Delhi in a family of 7 members learn about our centre from various sources as our learning centre continues to provide value education to children, who come for non-formal background. In our centre children are not only taught different skills but in current tech savvy world they are also exposed to computers world. With the help of our centre, Amreen is today working as computer teacher in a private institute. The teachers in our centre use the forum to inculcate certain values, appraise students about health and hygiene, good manners, importance of punctuality etc. which are helping them getting better job opportunities.



2. Tailoring and Stitching

People do not think necessary providing opportunities to the women & adolescent girls for modern education & vocational skills in India. SKETS Hope Centre has a dedicated centre to impart tailoring and stitching skills to the women. Trust is running morning and evening batches of classes which help students to start their journey in the world of sewing. The classes are designed to help beginners to comfortably start sewing clothes. There are tremendous opportunities for the women to get suitable employment in fashion and related industry. Additional, it will improve their entrepreneurship and employment skills & empower them taking decision about themselves.



Make them self-reliant, so that they can start a small self-sustaining business and enhance employability.

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Kumkum, a 22 years old girl belongs to a poor labour family of 5 members from a slum area in East Delhi. Her father is a plumber. In the slum areas, the girls in the family are treated with a hostile attitude of discrimination. She faced opposition from those who controlled allotment of resources in her family. She has education up to 10th class. She was doing small stitching jobs at home. When asked she said that it was her desire to learn professional tailoring and get decent employment. She joined our tailoring and stitching classes. It helped her to earn decent money and in future to get placement in different small scale units or to start self-employment unit with local resources. The good part is she has aspiring thoughts for herself now.



Seema is a 35 years old woman. Her family members worked as labour in Mandawali area of East Delhi. Seema had studied up to class VII. Seema could agonizingly feel that in her 35 years of life in these conditions, she could not earn sufficient money. During pandemic their financial conditions worsened. They lived in an atmosphere of fear, stress and conflict. Family had no freedom, mobility and their voice was not heard as they were only a low class family of daily wage labourer. She contacted our NGO and with little efforts and training, she started making masks during the pandemic from home. This helped her earning decent amount of money to take care of her financial problems.



Sana, An 18 year old girl from East Delhi, living in a family of 6 members with limited income sources found a job as a house maid but was not happy with the job, loses confidence in herself. She decided to join tailoring and stitching classes in the evening. It also helped her gaining confidence. She is now more open, confident and without any fear. The encouraging part is that now she had aspirations for herself and clarity about what she wanted and how she would overcome the obstacles in life. She is now earning doing stitching work from home. She now lives with new hope for herself and for her community. She now understands the importance of good education, health, nutrition, hygiene and sanitation.



Geeta aged 32, lives with her husband in a family of 5 members in Mandawali area of East Delhi. Her husband is working as stitching machine mechanic. The family size is large, hard to survive in a city like Delhi without more than one earning member. Words like social and financial empowerment are foreign to her. Despite many hurdles in her path she was determined and motivated to move ahead in life. She came to us through her husband as he is a stitching machine mechanic. Now she is earning handsome money with the help of her tailoring and stitching skills. The economic situation of the family is becoming stable now.



3. Coaching classes

People living in slums are poor and have no hope of better tomorrow. SKETS Hope Centre runs free coaching classes for underprivileged children. As of now, the centre conducts classes from 3rd to 7th standard with more than 250 students. The teacher student ratio in the classes is 1:20. Under this program trained and experienced teachers run daily classes and mentor underprivileged children who are under difficult circumstances, such as child labour, children of poorest of the parents, street and runaway children, children with rare disabilities and slum children.

We also provide help, advice and guidance to their families, so that children are able to remain focused towards their studies. Our centre respond in student's immediate needs, challenges posed by the socio-economic differences at the community level. We have a holistic approach to child development, and have created a learning culture which encourages students to inquire, explore, solve, evaluate and think after learning. We start with building confidence and motivate students to remain interested in their studies. The four subjects taught are Hindi, English, Mathematics and Science for 2 hours daily.

Healthy snacks such as a fruit (in summers) and gajak or groundnuts (in winters) are given after the class to the students to provide nutritional support too. Regular activities like festivals with distribution of sweets, painting competitions, fancy dress competitions, republic day & independence day celebrations etc. are conducted to encourage them and to boost their confidence level.



4. Beauty Parlour Centre (To commence from February 2021)

India has large young population, only rare of the Indian labour force in the age group of 20-24 years has obtained vocational skills through formal means. A majority of Indian women workforce does not possess marketable skills which is an impediment in getting decent employment and improving their economic condition. To fill the above gap our trust is setting up a vocational skill centre to train women as a beautician.

Centre through this project will strive to make them self-reliant, restore their dignity and empower them. It will meet need of family & generate livelihood opportunities. They would be taught about makeup, hair styling and related services with hands on training. The set up for the beautician centre is getting ready and we hope to be operational by February 2021.



5. SKETS Hope Centre Corona Relief Efforts

SKETS Hope Centre created multiple social campaigns alongside with its trustees and staff from Shanti Mittal Devi Foundation to help people during pandemic. Apart from this SKETS Hope Centre contributed towards PM Care fund and other multiple donations to the local NGOs. Three laptops have also been donated to support the children for online classes.

The team from Shanti Mittal Devi Foundation and SKETS Hope Centre went on a full scale social fight against corona through awareness & distribution programs. We have distributed 50,000 + masks and still counting since corona outbreak as on December 20.



During lockdown, when there was scarcity of masks, we were preparing reusable cloth masks with special permissions to operate and distributing them at Delhi government food centers, NGO's, door to door distribution, local MCD councilors, vegetable markets, weekly markets, local police stations etc. It was a uphill task to arrange raw cloth, threads, elastic etc. due to lockdown, however we managed to arrange the materials and supported the community. The employment was also generated where ladies were paid for stitching masks, it was very helpful to support them when every day has been a struggle due to income instability during pandemic.

संकट की घड़ी में महिलाओं को मिल रहा रोजगार

जबकि सामान्य, पूरी दिल्ली: संकट की घड़ी में कोरोना वायरस से बचाव के लिए मास्क की मांग बढ़ गई है। एक मास्क बनाने में भी कच्चे आटे से जूझना पड़ता है। जल्द ही मास्क बनाने की योजना को और से अच पर से अचर निकालने पर मुस्क धारणा उभारने के लिए, जिन के बाद इससे किमा भी बढ़ गई है। कई लोग इसे लव रेट से ज्यादा कोमत पर भी बेच रहे हैं। वहीं प्लास्टिक में से भी मास्क को पर पर बना हुआ मास्क का मास्क इस्तेमाल करने की बात भी लोगों को सुच परदे आई है। कई जिले होकर कई समाजसेवी ने महिलाओं से मास्क बनाने शुरू कर

- महिलाओं से मास्क तैयार करना रही सामाजिक संस्था शक्ति। देखें फिलाल फाउंडेशन
- को से जहाँ हजार परक तैयार होने के बाद रोमा निशुलक दिखना



SKETS Hope Centre is performing its part during this pandemic by providing free 2000 bottles hand sanitizers and free food ration to socially and economically backward section of society. Sanitization machines with chemicals were also distributed to carry sanitizations in the neighbourhoods. There have been regular visits to our centre by local NGO's, Delhi Police, media, beneficiaries etc. for seeking support for the cause and we are always coming forward to help in best possible way.

Awareness program also were done for the pandemic related issues by doing door to door campaign. Daily wage labourer's, auto rickshaw drivers, house helps, general public and thousands of others were at a huge risk of contracting Covid-19, with possibly grave consequences. Our team proactively participated in educating them about the preventive measures , social distancing, hygiene etc.

We are involved in fight against COVID-19 by spreading the information of the disease transmission and preventive measures required. SKETS Hope Centre, in all ways; respects, salute and stands with front line Corona warriors.



Vision & Mission

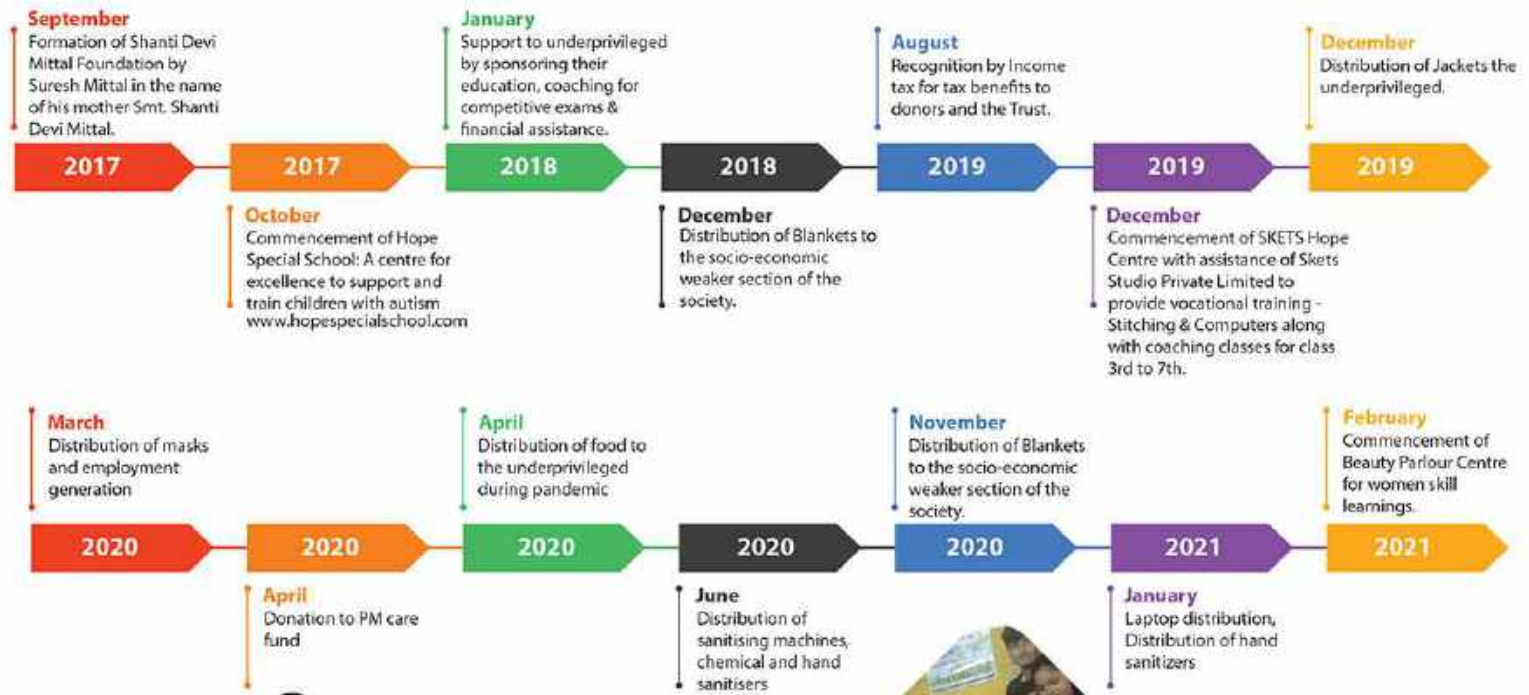
We want a society of hope and opportunities, where the problems of socio-economic weaker section is overcome, people live with dignity and economic security.

Our mission is to ensure social and economic development of the underprivileged through our policies, programs and practices. So that they can become self-reliant and active agent of social change in the community.

" We Hope! We educate ! We teach! We train! We support! "



Our Journey So Far



TRUSTEE AND SUPPORTERS

Suresh Mittal (Founder Trustee)

Our founder Shri Suresh Mittal is an individual who by his very nature has always been one who carries compassion and empathy in his heart for the underprivileged. It is because of this innate quality that he has been supporting causes and people in need throughout his working life. He is a pharmacist by education, an entrepreneur/businessman by profession and a philanthropist by heart. He is the former director of a bank and has also headed several trade associations at the State and National levels.



Setting up this organization was an a natural progression for him with the aim to carry along many more like minded individuals like himself towards a noble goal. He is a firm believer in the combined strength of a group which catalyses and multiplies the efforts of any individual endeavor. He founded **Shanti Devi Mittal Foundation** with this vision as the Settlor for this trust.

He opines that Education and Vocational Training is the cornerstone for bringing about a lasting change in the lives of underprivileged youth as beneficiaries become Independent / Atmanirbhar.

CA Nitin Mittal (Mentor)

CA Nitin Mittal is Chartered Accountant by profession and also a law graduate by education. He has been running his thriving Chartered Accountancy firm with a sizeable team for over 2 decades. He too has a keen interest in participation in activities that are for the benefit of people beyond himself and contribute towards the well being of society. He is also an active Mason who leads a number of activities of the Society. He works in the role of Mentor of the foundation.

He has been instrumental in identifying the needs of the Foundation and ensuring its completion. He is extensively involved in fund raising activities and manages social media for the trust along with all accounting & legal needs. His contribution towards running of the projects of the Foundation cannot be over emphasized.

Nitin made exemplary selfless efforts in serving the society during the Covid pandemic when everything was under lockdown. He took commendable initiatives by getting Cloth Masks stitched and distributed, undertook Sanitizer distribution, employment generation efforts and Public Awareness campaigns and many other similar activities.



Skets Studio Private Limited (Patron in Chief)

Ms. Nimisha Bansal, Mr. Neeraj Bansal & Mr. Shamit Bansal are promoters of the World's largest architectural Company "Skets Studio Private Limited". They are large hearted Technology professionals and great philanthropists. They have whole heartedly supported our belief in education and vocational training needs for the underprivileged and have been supporting our foundation financially through their company's CSR fund.



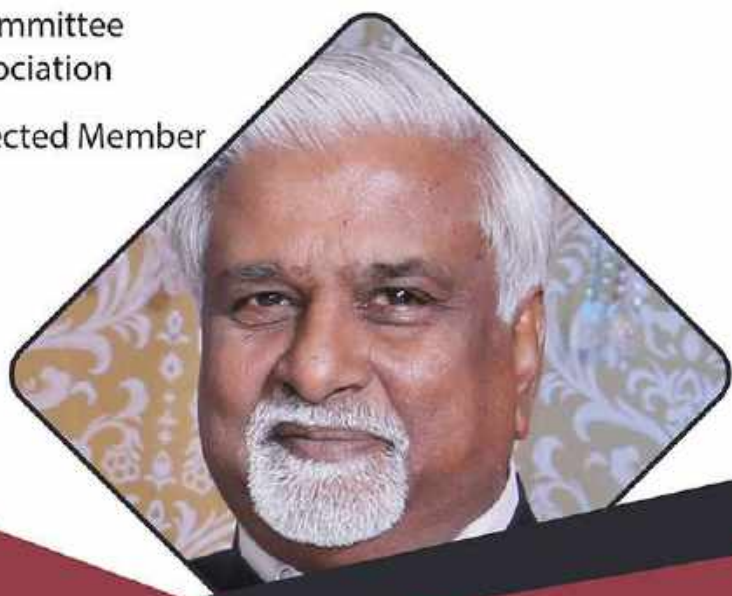
The Skets Team is also actively involved with us as volunteers for supporting various social causes like public awareness campaigns on safety measures, distribution of masks, sanitizers & dry ration during the Covid pandemic. They also work towards encouraging beneficiaries to take up vocational courses (stitching and computer) also motivate students in coaching classes to make maxim use of the opportunity encourage their near & dear ones to enroll as well. The Skets team has proved to be a really strong pillar of strength for our organization and are an indispensable part of the team.

Suresh Bindal (Patron)

Shri Suresh Bindal is also an important Patron of the Trust and has played a vital role in giving a direction to our efforts. The trust has benefitted immensely from his vast experience in public service and philanthropic activities. His constant guidance and encouragement along with help in overcoming certain hurdles in execution of our projects has played a pivotal role in our success thus far. He is a well known personality in East Delhi due to his affiliation and active participation in various organizations. He hold the following august offices

- National Vice President - Sanskar Bharti
- Founder - Indraprastha Aggarwal Samaj
- President - Indraprastha Societies Mahasangh
- General Secretary - Ipex Bhawan
- President - Indraprastha Ramlila Committee
- Past President - National Mercantile Association

He is also a prestigious Agraranta Awardee and Elected Member of Delhi Sehkari Awas Vit Nigam Limited.



An Appeal

It all started with Hope Special School in 2017. In order to educate and support the children who are affected by autism and many other problems. Parents with special children have many dreams about their children and they would like to give everything which is needed for a child in the childhood. But some times they are not able to provide the facilities due to lack of resources. This school is currently non operational due to Covid-19. We want the school to be reopen this year after Covid-19 with better learning facilities for children.

SKETS Hope Centre was founded in 2019 with a vision of imparting knowledge, education & vocational skills to the underprivileged section of the society. The goal is to remove the monetary factor and make children get free of cost education and the same way women should get skill based training.

As the Covid-19 crisis continues to loom over us in 2020. Our centre helped cater to their food, hand sanitizers, blankets, jackets and masks requirements with employment generation for women.

Now we are relocating to a better and bigger 3500 square feet centre which will accommodate not only coaching classes for students but also vocational courses for computers, stitching and beauty parlour. There are plans to add women self-defence classes, other vocational courses like dhoop/agarbatti making, candle making etc. going forward.

Our centre needs your help on a regular basis to keep the support operational, Any amount, small or large, will go a long way towards ensuring that teams have the resources to reach every person in need and distress. We, therefore, request you to donate to support our noble cause. We are sure you won't disappoint us. You are welcome to visit the centre and bless us. Eagerly awaiting a positive response from your side!!!

You would get tax exemptions for the donations u/s 80G of The Income Tax Act. We would like to thank you in advance for your support.

You can make donations as follows:

1. Make an online donation : <https://eazypay.icicibank.com/eazypayLink?P1=AYTtQYEmobcEJV8iheQJzQ==>
2. Call us @ 98101 47514
3. Email to shantidmittalfoundation@gmail.com
4. Deposit cheque with following bank information

Name of Beneficiary	Shanti Devi Mittal Foundation
Account Number	402105000060
Bank and Branch	ICICI Bank, South Extension-I, New Delhi
IFSC	ICIC0004021





अग्रवाल समाज के आजीवन सदस्य श्री सुरेश मित्तल जी एवं श्री नितिन मित्तल जी द्वारा भारत के भविष्य के निर्माण में एक कदम

रविवार 1 दिसम्बर, 2019 ईस्ट स्कूल ब्लॉक, मंडावली दिल्ली में शान्ति देवी मित्तल फाउंडेशन द्वारा स्थापित व संचालित तथा स्केट्स स्टूडियो द्वारा प्रेषित निःशुल्क कौशल सुविधा एवं कोचिंग सेंटर का शुभारंभ किया गया।

उद्घाटन समारोह की अध्यक्षता श्री नीरज बंसल, एम. डी. स्टूडियो ने की। इस अवसर पर पूर्व उपमहापौर श्री महेंद्र सिंह शशि चांदना, नीता रावता, अपर्णा गोयल, पूर्व सिंह, मंजू गुप्ता, समाज सेवी बलदेव गुप्ता, का संचालन प्रमोद अग्रवाल ने किया।



निर्माण किया गया है बच्चों के बैठने गए हैं। दो शिफ्ट में बच्चों को लिए प्रशिक्षित शिक्षकों को शान्ति देवी मित्तल फाउंडेशन विशेष बच्चों व उनकी

मुख्य अतिथि प्रोजेक्ट को बंसल का है।



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