

A Spirit of Service ... Making it real in RS Schools



<p>With malnourishment a significant local problem Students at St. Andrew's School Turi in Kenya run a porridge kitchen for local children which they finance by selling their photography</p>	<p>Students at Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya in India run an ongoing project, which provides a means of manufacturing low-cost sanitary pads for women in need, both in local communities and in disaster relief</p>	<p>At Belgrano Day School in Argentina students created a community knitting group to bring the community together and make blankets and other homewares for the financially disadvantaged.</p>	<p>Finding an education gap between local rural and urban students, at St Paul's Coeducational College in Hong Kong the students worked with rural communities to set up free access to online resources and mentor students.</p>	<p>Following the 2007 earthquake in Peru Students at Markham College regularly volunteer as part of the school's 10-year House building project which began with disaster relief: food, clothing & fundraising</p>	<p>At Chittagong Grammar School (CGS) in Bangladesh, students volunteer as classroom assistants in the school's after-hours community school attended by under-privileged children, often from the streets</p>
<p>Students at AKS Lytham in the UK run "Bring me Sunshine" events that connect with elderly people in the community to combat social isolation and enable experience and skills to be shared between ages</p>	<p>To combat the erosion of natural habitats and promote pride in the community students at the Shri Ram School Aravali in India hand-make and deploy seed bombs to generate wildflower growth</p>	<p>To combat the spread of waste Students at the International School of Kenya carry out community lotter-picks and then recycle the plastic into items like jewellery, keychains and frisbees to sell.</p>	<p>At Rothsay Netherwood in Canada, students are leading a "Schools for Schools" project to convert shipping containers into classrooms building a school in the Kalinago Territory of Dominica impacted by Hurricane Maria</p>	<p>At Southport School in Australia students organise and run a wide range of fundraising initiatives to finance the purchase and distribution of birthing kits in developing countries</p>	<p>Ermitage International School of France, Emerald Heights International School in Indore and Herlufsholm Skole, Denmark work together to collect glasses and run an annual Eye-health clinic and Camp in India</p>
<p>Students at Scotch College Perth in Australia work with Balga Senior High School to assist refugee students recently arrived in Australia to become proficient English language speakers</p>	<p>For decades Penryn College in South Africa has run an outreach programme of coaching mentoring, educational programmes and learning resources with disadvantaged local communities</p>	<p>Chadwick Schools in the USA and Korea have established a long-term relationship providing school supplies, clothing, sports equipment and mentoring for children at an orphanage on Yeongjongdo Island</p>	<p>Students at Keimei Gakuen School in Japan collect and sort rubbish separating out bottle caps which they donate to a charity that re-sells the plastics and uses the money to pay for vaccines for children in the developing world.</p>	<p>A student at Samworth Church Academy in the UK raises funds for a charity called Rethink Mental Illness, which fights for equality, rights, fairness and quality of life for those affected by mental illness, and carers/ family/ friends.</p>	<p>Students at The Rockhampton Grammar School in Australia work in conjunction with Marine Park authorities and CoralWatch to carry out monitoring and research at fringing coral reefs off Great Keppel Island.</p>
<p>Students from Sunshine Montessori School in Canada have set up a "Toasty Toes" campaign in which they collect donated socks and distribute them people living on the streets</p>	<p>At Dhirubhai Ambani International School in India an emergency-relief task force led by trained students offers early-response disaster management for under-served rural communities.</p>	<p>Students at Salem School in Germany run a nationally-accredited "Junior Fire Brigade" for which students complete a year of training as part of a force that is on-call for emergency alarm</p>	<p>Students at Hotchkiss School in America host mental health awareness events and conversations having set up a chapter of "Bring Change to Mind" a national non-profit that promotes mental health awareness</p>	<p>Christ's College in New Zealand has established a plant nursery of around 25 native species and have been replanting areas of nature reserves following the 2010 and 2011 earthquakes</p>	<p>Students at Emerald Heights International School in India ran an awareness-raising campaign about cancer symptoms and causes, creating a 'self-help' mobile app to educate people about their own susceptibility</p>