

Concept Note

Khoj India

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The Great Indian Treasure Hunt

Embark on a transformative 6-week journey across India with Khoj indiaa youth-led initiative that combines exploration, learning, and meaningful social action.

Over the course of six weeks, participants will live with grassroots organizations, engage with diverse communities, and contribute to real social and environmental solutions. More than a program, it is a journey that challenges your comfort zones, nurtures leadership, and strengthens the ability to work in diverse teams.

This isn't just about seeing new places—it's about seeing yourself differently, discovering your potential, and reimagining your role in shaping a compassionate and sustainable future.

What is Khoj India?

Philosophy

Khoj India is a youth-led initiative that empowers young people to explore their potential, live resourcRooted in the Gandhian philosophy of Swaraj (self-rule), Khoj creates immersive learning journeys where youth step out of their comfort zones and engage directly with grassroots realities. Through travel, volunteering, and community living, participants cultivate self-awareness, teamwork, and leadership while contributing to social and environmental change efully, and take responsibility for shaping a better world.

Our Journey & Partnerships

The Great Indian Treasure Hunt is flagship program led by Khoj India, a registered non-profit organization. The initiative is incubated at NSRCEL, IIM Bangalore and incepted at kanthari International Institute, Kerala. Our knowledge partner and associate partner is The Ignite Foundation.

So far, we have collaborated with 25+ organizations across 13 states in India, building strong relationships with grassroots groups, social enterprises, and community-led initiatives that enrich the learning journey for our participants.















Journey Overview

Multi-State Exploration

Travel across 3+states, immersing yourself in India's vibrant and diverse cultures

Grassroots Learning

Learn directly from6+grassroots organizations working on real social challenges

Community Impact

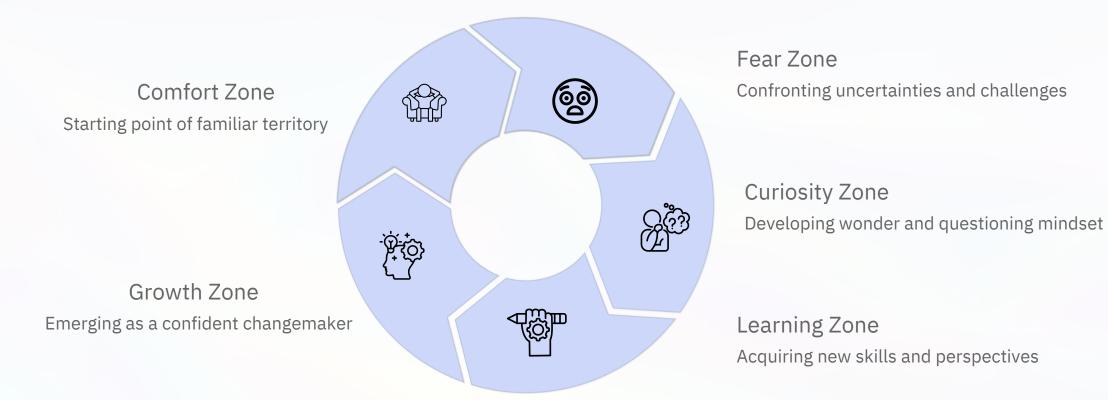
Take active part in community projects that create tangible, lasting impact

Holistic Engagement

Engagein social and environmental initiatives, cultural exchanges, and handson grassroots work



The 6-Week Transformation Experience



Over 6 weeks, participants move through five distinct zones within themselves, building skills in leadership, teamwork, problem-solving, and resourceful living. The journey includes weekly interactions with national and international changemakers, reflective learning circles, and hands-on skill-building workshops.

Who Can Apply?

Open to All

Youth aged 18 to 36 from all walks of life no barriers based on income, qualifications, work history, or disability. We believe in inclusive opportunity for transformation.

Commitment Required

Participants must be committed to completing the full 6-week program and ready to embrace the challenges and opportunities that come with intensive experiential learning.

Growth Mindset

We seek open-minded, adaptable individuals ready to step outside their comfort zone, embrace diverse settings, and engage as curious, proactive learners who value collaboration.

If this sounds like you, you're ready to be a Khoji!





What's Included

Accommodation & Meals

Basic accomadation and food shall be provided throughout the journey. Living together in shared spaces creates a sense of community, where participants support each other like a family.

Complete Travel

We arrange all transportation for program placements across multiple states. Based on availability, different modes of travel—trains, buses, shared jeeps, or local transport shall be used.

Expert Mentorship

Throughout the journey, participants are supported by experienced mentors. They provide constant guidance, helping you reflect on your experiences, navigate challenges, and sharpen your leadership skills.

Step into the journey—Khoj handles the rest. From safety and logistics to cultural experiences, we provide all essential support so you can stay fully focused on what matters: learning, transformation, and impact.

Program Contribution & Support Options



The program cost covers facilitation, accommodation, food, travel, training, mentoring, safety, cultural activities, and logistics.

50%

Fundraising Goal

We're actively fundraising to cover half the cost for each participant

6

Scholarship Levels

Multiple scholarship categories available based on financial need

75%

Maximum Scholarship

With 75% scholarship - making it accessible to maximum participants

Scholarship Level	Coverage	Your Contribution
Maximum Support	75%	₹ 18,750
High Support	70%	₹ 22,500
Good Support	65%	₹ 26,250
Moderate Support	60%	₹ 30,000
Basic Support	50%	₹ 37,500
Full Contribution	0 %	₹ 75,000

Scholarships are limited. Your contribution helps us make this journey possible for more young changemakers. If you are able, we encourage you to contribute at a higher level so that others with financial constraints can also participate.





































Ready to Begin Your Journey?

Only 12 Spots Available

Selection is on a first-come, first-serve basis. Don't miss this opportunity to be part of a transformative experience that will reshape your perspective and unlock your potential as a changemaker.

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CLICK TO APPLY

The journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step. Take yours with Khoj India and discover the changemaker within you.

