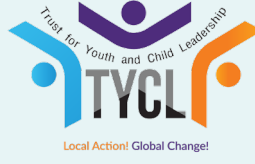


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# LOCAL ACTION! GLOBAL CHANGE!

**T**YCL is a youth-led non-profit organization started and run by college students from Puducherry and Tamil Nadu. Its aim is to bring positive change in youth, children and their community through safe, inclusive, participative and innovative leadership models. TYCL creates safe and engaging spaces for young people and their allies to develop their whole selves (emotional, mental, spiritual, social, physical, etc.), focusing on four aspects of development:

- Addressing local and global *community* issues
- Recognizing and cultivating *personal and collective power*
- Building relationships and mentorship *across borders*
- Accessing the tools necessary to *transform* their own lives in the community and in collaboration with others



# VISION FOR PUDUCHERRY BY 2030:

# 0

*Violence Against Children  
Youth Suicide  
Anti-Environmental  
Behaviour among  
youngsters*







# OVERALL IMPACT

**55,560**  
*YOUTH*

**525**  
*FAMILIES*

**850**  
*CHILDREN*

**12**  
*COMMUNITIES*

## *IMPACT GOALS*

**0**

VIOLENCE AGAINST  
CHILDREN  
YOUTH SUICIDE  
ANTI-ENVIRONMENTAL  
BEHAVIOUR AMONG  
YOUNGSTERS

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## ***Partner Organizations***

MUGHIL Social Welfare Organization, Puducherry

Joly Home, Puducherry

New Era of Children's Collective (CC), Chinna Muthaliyar Chavady Village

Children Development Centre (CDC), Dubrayapet.

## ***Policies***

### CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

We have a strict policy to ensure that child safety and well-being are our top priority. Volunteers are given extensive training before any engagement with children and youth.

### UNIVERSAL INCLUSION POLICY

Of all genders and abilities. TYCL believes first and foremost in creating safe and inclusive spaces for all.

## ***Board Members***



***Dr. SIVA MATHIAZHAGAN***

Co-founder &  
Managing Trustee



***Mr. JUGAL KISHOR G***

Co-founder & Trustee



***Mr. BARATHI BASU C***

Co-founder & Trustee



***Mr. MOHAN R***

Executive Director

Our New Executives: ***MS. SIVASHANKARI / MS. NANDHINI / MR. JOYSON / MR. SARAVANAN***



# OUR MODEL

*TYCL AIMS TO IMPACT NOT JUST CHILDREN, BUT ENTIRE COMMUNITIES. WE EMPLOY A UNIQUE MODEL THAT FOCUSES ON THREE PILLARS:*

## CHILDREN

When communities suffer, children suffer more than anyone else. A community can be measured by how well children are protected and cared for. Our Children's Summer Camp aims to bring joy into the lives of at-risk children. Children also have a vast body of untapped creativity and energy which can be harnessed to make them leaders of change. Programmes like N'KaNa, Eco-system based leadership, and Children's Incubation House give children the knowledge, skills, and platform to express their ideas and transform their own communities in the ways they believe are necessary.

## YOUTH

Our organization is completely volunteer-run and survives on the efforts of former and current university students. We believe in a system of two-way growth, in which we also provide youth with guidance and platforms for their ideas and creative projects, in exchange for their extensive work with at-risk children. We also recognize that certain community issues, such as alcohol use and suicide rates heavily impact youth and we are committed to addressing these problems in our communities, with programmes like our youth helpline.

## COMMUNITY

TYCL strives to involve the entire community, in accordance with the belief that children and youth have much to learn from older people in their community, as well as the belief that it is our duty to raise awareness and be engaged with intergenerational issues in our area through INAGI.



# CHILDREN



**THE 1950s**  
*William H. Murray with Nancy H. Murray*

From the quiet, conservative, unassuming American of the early, postwar years to the vibrant, idealistic, and restless youth of the 1950s, this book tells the story of a decade that shaped the modern world. The 1950s saw the rise of the nuclear family, the dawn of television, the rise of the Cold War, and the birth of the modern American dream. This book is a comprehensive history of the decade, from the political and social changes to the cultural and artistic movements that defined the era. It is a must-read for anyone interested in the history of the United States.

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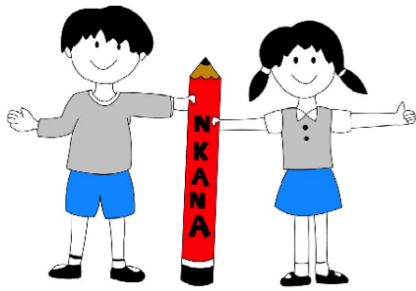


# PROJECTS



- *Occur on a regular basis throughout the year*
- *Facilitated by our Volunteers, a group of dedicated college students.*





# N'KANA MENTORING

*N'KANA (MY SISTER AND BROTHER) IS A MENTORSHIP PROGRAM THAT CONNECTS PROFESSIONALS WITH CHILDREN IN NEED AND RISK.*

**O**ur mission is to establish a strong positive relationship that will act as a critical guiding force in the youth's development, helping them to achieve their goals and dreams. Each project relationship consists of a mentee (Child), a Mentor (Professional) and a volunteer (college Student). Mentors act as exemplary role models for commitment to education, career decisions and social behavior. Student Volunteers facilitate the mentor-mentee relationship. The identities and dream of our youth are affirmed by the consistent support of mentors, volunteers and donors. To coordinate the initiative effectively a part time fellowship was created and appointed a fellow with stipend. N'KANA has been actively running with 10 children and 10 volunteers. This project was supported by SAPNA FOUNDATION.



**10** STUDENT VOLUNTEERS

**10** CHILDREN PARTICIPANTS





**ECO-SYSTEM BASED LEADERSHIP**

*Are You a Youth...?*

Do you know where you are in each of the Circle /Blocks..?

*You wanna know your Abilities..?*

**JOIN US!**

# ECOSYSTEM-BASED LEADERSHIP

*ECOSYSTEM-BASED LEADERSHIP HELPS A CHILD ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS:*

- Where do I belong ?
- How do I position myself in the growing *community and systems around me* ?
- What is my *role* in my community ?
- Who is my trustworthy person in the community ?
- Where do my heritage *values* come from?



*WE CARRY OUT TWO SET OF ECOSYSTEM-BASED LEADERSHIP WORKSHOPS THAT USE ACTIVITY-BASED LEARNING TOOLS TO HELP CHILDREN AND YOUTH TO ANALYZE AND UNDERSTAND THEIR ECO-SYSTEM, SO THAT THEY WILL BE BETTER POSITIONED TO CHANGE THEIR BEHAVIORS AND ACHIEVE THEIR GOALS. OUR SPECIAL THANKS TO SATYA SPECIAL SCHOOL AND ILAINGNARGAL EDUCATION CENTRE, AUROVILLE FOR THEIR VENUE SUPPORT.*



**25** YOUTH PARTICIPANTS

**35** CHILDREN PARTICIPANTS



# PROGRAMMES



- *Standalone, large scale events*
- *Usually repeat once or a handful of times annually*
- *Facilitated by our fellow and student volunteers*





# SUMMER CAMP

This year camp focused on exploring transitional values of Arts, sports and let the children to practice them in day-to-day life. The Children's camp was organised from 14th May, 2018 to 19th May, 2018 at Pondicherry University.

We explored the camp through learning:

- Traditional Art form
- Knowledge towards Science
- Traditional Sports
- Traditional foods

90 children and 30 volunteers were participated in the camp. Children from New Era Children Collective, Child Development Center, Satya Special School, Aathiyam community, Gypsy Community, Samugam Foundation and Pondicherry Science Forum. Funds were mobilised locally to cover the cost of the camp.



# POSTER AND COMIC BOOK WORKSHOP



*ENCOURAGING THE CHILDREN TO WRITE AND DRAW THEIR OWN LIFE STORY OR THEIR CREATIVE STORY.*

**A** story telling session was conducted to the children of Jaly Home and they were given basic knowledge to create a story in their own way. The children were asked to write their own story. After the completion of story writing they were taught to present their stories in a comic. The continuous two weekend workshop was helpful for the children to project their emotions in an art form. The creativity of many children were found and it motivated others to be creative too.

# INTERNATIONAL CHILD RIGHTS DAY



## STUDENTS MOTIVATION WORKSHOP

*MIND HANDLING TECHNIQUES FOR THE GOVERNMENT SCHOOL STUDENTS WHO WERE APPEARING FOR THE PUBLIC EXAM (X ,XI,XII STANDARD).*

**T**o promote positive mental health and improve focus on study inspite of many distractions of adolescence , we conducted a workshop for the ninth, tenth, eleventh and twelfth standard students of Kottakuppam higher secondary school on the topic of 'Stress management and Mind handling techniques' to reduce exam fear ,academic stress and to improve attention and focus on studies. The session was facilitated by **Ms.Rekha Padmanaban**, an Icononic motivational speaker and mental health educator in Tamilnadu. In the same workshop some visual imagery practice, breath exercise-cum-meditation with positive affirmations were taught. Along with that physical, psychological and emotional aspects of sex, reproduction and related mind distractions were educated. The session was observed helpful for the students as well as the teachers.



**200** STUDENTS

**30** TEACHERS



# CONSULTATION MEET ON REDUCING THE BURDEN OF SCHOOL CURRICULUM



**T**rust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL) and Satya Special School jointly organized one-day Puducherry State Consultation meeting on ‘Reducing the burden of School Curriculum’ at the Sri Aurobindo Ashram Society Conference Hall. The experts have proposed a curriculum that is both child-friendly and education-based rather than examination oriented. The main purpose of this meeting is to suggest measures that would help create a child-centered and friendly education system besides ensuring inclusive and affordable education for impoverished and children with special needs. The suggestions and final report-cum-recommendations have been sent to the NCERT and the Tamil Nadu School Education Department.





# JEITHU KATUVOM

**J**eithu Katuvom is a Tamil phrase meaning “win and prove.” The Jeithu Katuvom program seeks to instill this kind of motivation 10th, 11th and 12th standard students who must take government board exams. We help our students to understand the importance of these exams, provide them with tips to face the exams confidently, and mentor them on preparing for future careers.



Jeithu Katuvom is held three times each year, before the quarterly, half-annual, and annual exams. The program is run in our centers and also at Thanthai Periyar Govt Girls Higher Secondary School in Ariyankuppam, Puducherry. Over 300+ students have participated, and the success of the program is seen in the students’ exam scores.





# TYCL IS A PART OF ANNUAL STATUS OF EDUCATION REPORT



30

VILLAGES

7

DAYS

40

STUDENT  
VOLUNTEERS



**T**he Annual Status of Education Report (ASER), is the largest citizen-led annual survey of children in rural India. Facilitated by Pratham and conducted every year since 2005, the survey seeks to understand children's status of schooling and basic learning in India. This year (2018) ASER is collaborated with TYCL in order to conduct the survey in primary Government schools which are located in rural part of Puducherry region. The outcome of the survey plays a vital role in education policy input, both nationally and internationally.



**YOUTH**





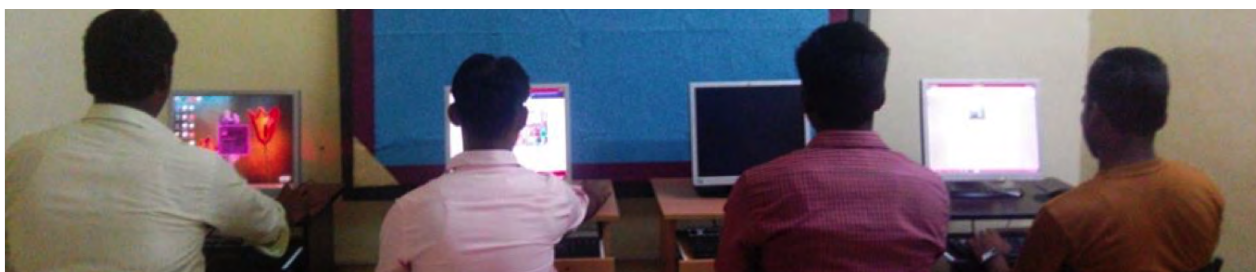
# PROJECTS





# YOUTH RESOURCE CENTER

**T**he Youth Resource Center (YRC) offers a range of free services for young people, who can drop in any time for information or assistance. The YRC also offers computer classes and computers for personal use. The YRC aims to provide a space for youth to build their self-confidence, and get the necessary tools to kick-start their careers and lead lives of peace and prosperity.



# YOUTH-LED ORGANISATION FOUNDER CIRCLE



**T**YCL organised “Puducherry Youth - Led Organisation Founders Circle” with the theme of “Care-Knowledge-Share”. In which 6 Youth - Led organisation founders participated and shared their knowledge, offered support and seeking support to address their needs. This meeting was a milestone for Youth Helpline to reach young people and initiate collaboration with other like minded organisation.

**260** STUDENT / YOUTH VISITORS **90** CHILDREN PARTICIPANTS



# YOUTH HELPLINE

In the year 2018, we received 288 calls from young people of Puducherry in the age group of 14 to 35 years, which is 257% higher than last year. Out of 288 callers, nearly 50% (141) of them directly benefited from Youth Helpline services. In order to measure the impact of Youth Helpline in Puducherry, we have sourced information from Puducherry State Crime Record Bureau, which highlights a 6.8% reduction in the rate of suicide and a 55% reduction in the rate of suicide attempts in the UT of Puducherry.

The Youth Helpline team directly reached 3000+ youth through college/school/community/club presentations and sensitised them on positive mental health with the assistance of psychiatrists from the National Mental Health Program, Govt. of Puducherry. We reached 50,000+ youth indirectly through our promotional materials, news adds, events, and targeted campaigns.

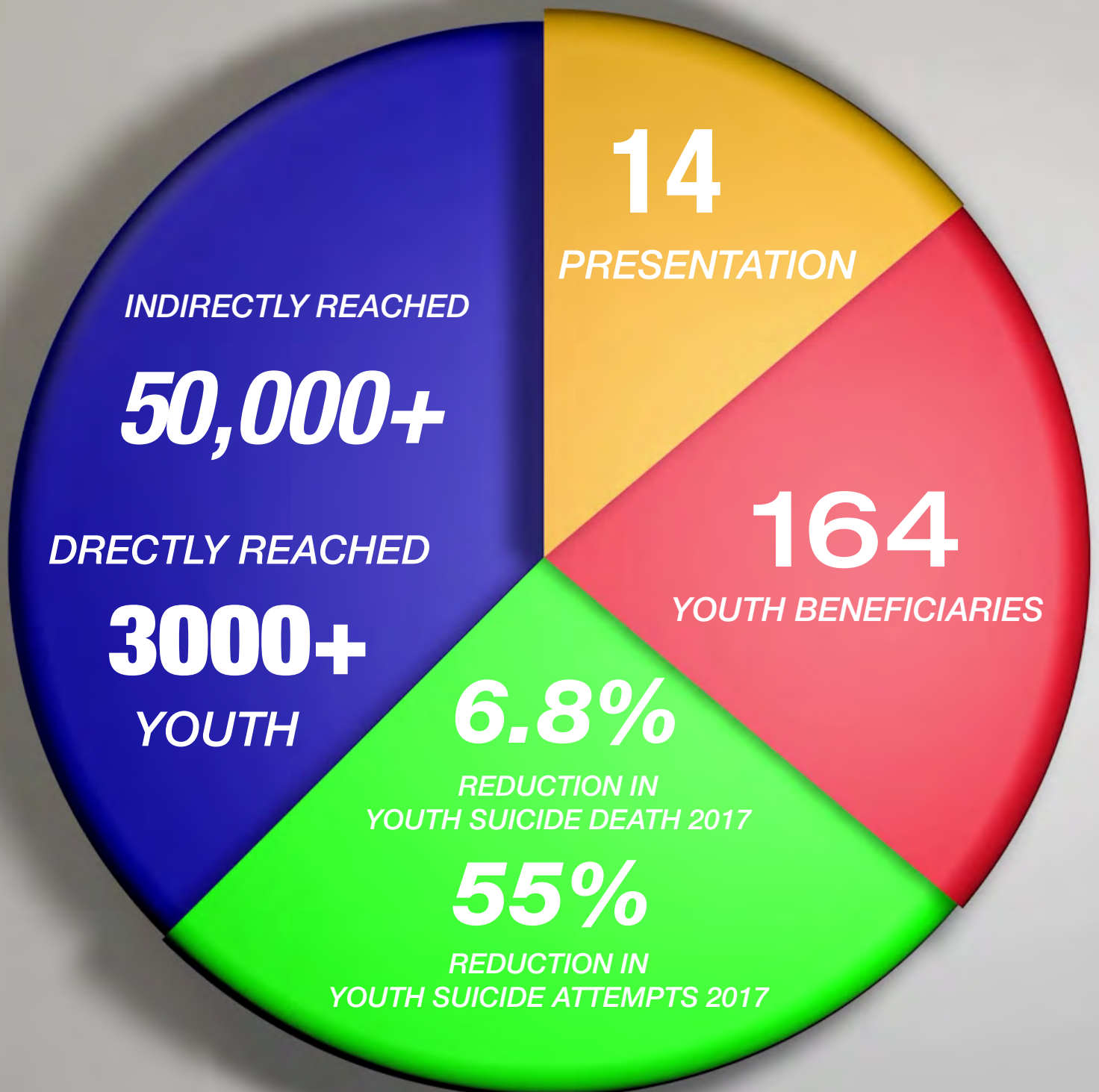
*THE YOUTH SUICIDE RATE IN PONDICHERRY IS 4 TIMES GREATER THAN THE GLOBAL AVERAGE.*





YOUTH HELPLINE

# BY THE NUMBERS





# PROGRAMMES





# OPEN HOUSE FOR LOCAL GLOBAL ORGANIZATIONS

**O**pen door for volunteers and NGOs in Puducherry, organised by France Volontaires and Trust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL), at Maison Colombani. This was an event to showcase different NGOs to the students. There are NGOs working among youth, for environment, women's empowerment, for the welfare of special children, etc. The youngsters are facing problems while joining work as they have no workplace experience or skills. This is the need of the hour. Volunteering for NGOs provides an exposure to workplace.

This was an opportunity to build a synergy between local students, volunteers, and NGOs. This was also a platform to take the unique practices of the NGOs to the people. It is mandatory to engage local college students, volunteers and community people for the sustainability for the social initiatives. The Labour Commissioner Mr. Vallavan had an interaction with student volunteers and NGOs to fill the skill and human resource gap. Special thanks to FRANCE VOLONTRAIRES for this collaboration.



**100** YOUTH **25** DEVELOPEMENT ORGANSATION



# INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY



**T**rust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL) organized “International Youth Day Celebration” at Hotel Vijayentra on 11th August 2018 in order to emphasize the importance of Safe Spaces for Youth in Puducherry and our nation. As a first part of our youth day celebration, “Young Social Change Maker Award – 2018” was presented to Mr. N. Manikandan, Founder, Kalam Trust – Puducherry for his skillful efforts in free ambulance services in rural Puducherry. Special jury award was given to the following person namely Mr. Badhrinath for his alternate pedagogy for children’s education through “Thulir Training Academy”. Namma Villupuram team was also given special jury award for their services rendered in cleaning the public places at Villupuram and supporting education of kids from low-income background. Ms. Jonisha, a trans-woman was given special TYCL award for her service rendered to transgenders community by creating awareness and counselling for their community people. As a second part of youth day celebrations “The She Tales” written by Ms. Prajisha Jayaprakasan published by Dream Space Publications – A Unit of Trust for Youth and Child Leadership was launched by Ms. Madhumitha Gomthinayagam, HR Professional and Social Activist and the first copy of the book was received by Mr. Suresh Raj, Tahsildar, Oulagaret Region. As a final part of celebration, “Ratham – A Step towards Accessibility” and the first inclusive sign language Enabled short film jointly produced by Trust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL) and Satya Special School. This short film was launched by Ms. Chitra Shah, Director, Satya Special School and Mr. Karun, Radio Jockey, 92.7 Big FM.



**14** VOLUNTEERS

**4** PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

# PUDUCHERRY GIRLS LEAD GIRLS



The government of Puducherry, Women and Child Development Department, Puducherry State Resource Centre for Women, and Trust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL) jointly organized “Puducherry Girls Lead Girls” a holistic self-defence training program for

Puducherry girls. This was first-ever effort to organize a comprehensive self-defence training in six different aspects like Physical, Emotional, socio-legal, Sexual, Online and Intellectual self-defence for Puducherry girls in the age group of 18-25 years. The Puducherry Girls Lead Girls program drastically improved girls’ self-esteem and courage, and their skills in setting boundaries, dealing with conflict, de-escalating violence and preventive techniques. Trust for Youth and Child Leadership has developed a Holistic Self-Defence Curriculum with the support of external experts. The curriculum consists of physical, emotional, online, intellectual self-defence, social knowledge building, socio-legal skills development. Puducherry Girls Lead Girls was held from 21-May-2018 to 25-May-2018 at Co-operative College of Education, Puducherry.

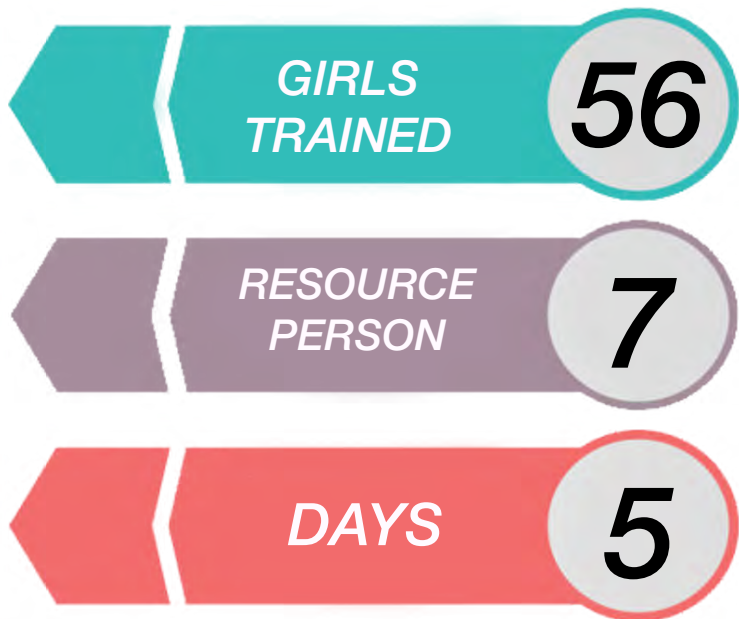
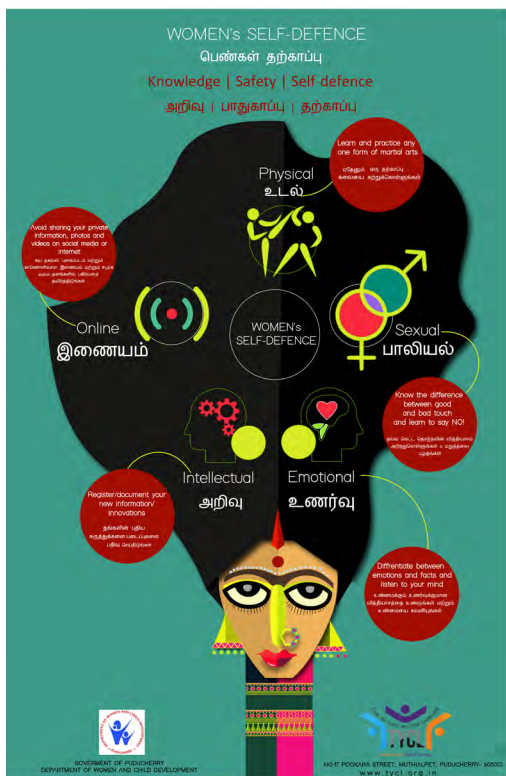
## OUTCOME AND IMPACT

*The pre and post-tests were done to measure the impact of the training program. The program developed fifty-six girls’ self-esteem and courage, and build their skills in setting boundaries, dealing with conflict, de-escalating violence and face the situation with confidence. Learn more [TYCL | Girls Lead Girls 2018](#)*



Puducherry Girls Lead Girls

# BY THE NUMBERS



# WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY 2018



**P**uducherry Youth Helpline has organized a four days of awareness programs on the occasion of World Suicide Prevention Day -2018 “Working Together to Prevent Suicide”. The main objective is to sensitize about youth helpline and to create awareness and educate about preventing suicide. List of programs organized was given below:

**INSIDE OUT** – *Special talk on Suicide Prevention to NSS student volunteers.*

**SIGNATURE CAMPAIGN** – *Take 5 steps 2 Save Lives to general public.*

**SPEAK UP PONDY** – *Towards positive Mental Health to Aarupadai Veedu Medical College students.*

**SPEAK UP PONDY** – *Is Big FM 92.7 program to promote Youth Helpline.*

 **PROJECT IMPACT** 4 DAYS 4 PROGRAMS 5,000+ REACHED





# NEHRU YUVA KENDRA SANGATHAN VISIT TO TYCL

**N**ewly recruited thirty youth district coordinators from Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NKYS) an autonomous organisation under Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports within the Government of India, had visited TYCL to explore our work. We made a presentation sharing our experiences working with Children, Youth and Communities and the issues they confront. District youth coordinators were very inspired and keen to work with certain projects like Youth Helpline, N’KaNa and INAGI. The whole NKYS team expressed their interest to replicate Youth Helpline in other states of the Nation and extended their personal financial contribution to TYCL.

# HARVESTING YOUTH LEADERSHIP



*HARVESTING YOUTH LEADERSHIP IS AN ANNUAL STRATEGIC WORKSHOP AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH YEAR THAT IS AIMED AT CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE YOUTH STUDENT VOLUNTEERS.*

**T**he sessions help guide the volunteers to get clarity and enrich their knowledge about volunteering. The programme also focuses on fostering team spirit, coordination skills, and strategic planning for the coming year.

The programme works to harvest the youths' inbuilt talents and incorporate their feedback into TYCL HYL's yearly strategy, thus bringing their ideas to the broader Pondicherry society.

## WORKSHOP SPEAKERS



MR. KARTHIKEYAN



MS. SHEETHAL



MR. BHARATHI KANNAN



**150** VOLUNTEERS REGISTERED

**85** VOLUNTEER PARTICIPANTS



# PUDUCHERRY YOUTH MODEL ELECTION MANIFESTO-2019

**P**uducherry Youth Model Election Manifesto - 2019 is purely Puducherry youth initiative to understand young people's needs and expectations. This is the second edition and the previous one was published for State Assembly Election -2016. TYCL have taken an effort to identify the real needs and precise expectations of youth and their communities.

The needs of young people and offers of the Government and political parties has a huge gap in terms of participatory Democratic development. In order to fill that development gap, TYCL has initiated to prepare a manifesto from youth's lens towards "Youth Participative Governance" in Puducherry. This process is not to blame or criticize the political parties and Government. It's purely to understand the needs and expectations of the young people and submit the same to all leading political parties and future Govt. to prevent future challenges of young people of the UT of Puducherry.

We strongly believe that this manifesto will be useful to the political parties and upcoming new government to have a better understanding of young people and their perspective towards society and government to establish "Youth Participative in Governance" in Puducherry with participation of Youth. The Parlimentry election manifesto were submitted to Chief Minister V.Narayanasamy on behalf of Congress Party and N.Rangasamy on behalf of N.R Congress Party.



# PUDUCHERRY STATE LEVEL CONSULTATION ON “LOCALIZING UN YOUTH STRATEGY-2030”



**T**YCL – Youth Helpline has organised Puducherry State - Level Youth Consultation on the theme “Localising UN Youth Strategy 2030” towards holistic youth development in Puducherry. The consultation was focused on Youth Education, Employment, Health, Social Inclusion & Culture, and youth civic & political participation. Thirty local young people from different walks of life had participated and expressed their problems they face in day – to - day life and also shared few ideas to overcome those issues. The consultation helped us to develop a holistic youth action plan for Puducherry.



# COMMUNITY





# PLANTABLE PENCILS

**THE PLANTABLE PAPER PENCIL**

**MATERIAL**

- MADE FROM USED NEWSPAPER
- 100% WOOD FREE
- WRITING MATERIAL IS GRAPHITE AND CLAY
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The pencil has a seed bomb attached to the back which when mixed with soil and water, activates the seed.

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 PUDUCHERRY YOUTH HELPLINE  
**9655507090**  
A space for youth feelings





# PERMANENT RESIDENCE FOR AATHIYAN COMMUNITY PEOPLE



## INAGI INITIATIVE

**W**e are re-starting and expanding our INAGI initiative, which uses film to empower underprivileged communities in rural areas. Our Youth Film Club will visit villages and use video equipment to visually capture the Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Threats (SWOT) of the communities. The films will then be screened in the village at an interactive session to discuss ways to transform weaknesses and threats into strengths and opportunities.



**T**wenty-two temporary thatched houses were built to have a dignified permanent settlement for the community members in the new plots. Now, every family has their own house to live in. On 29th June 2018 the new village (Bhagath Singh Nagar) was inaugurated by Vanoor Thasildar with all other Government officials. The Govt. came forward to build a permanent Green House to these families in the future. Quality water and electricity connection with streetlight has been installed.

### Next Steps

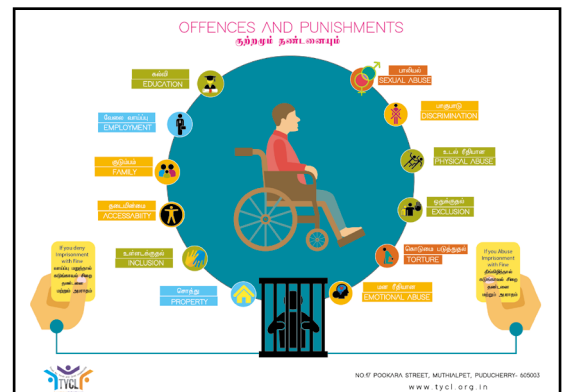
**T**YCL is planning to connect adult community members with social entrepreneurship associates to ensure a dignified livelihood for them and completely stop them from begging. Adult members will be connected to potential local dignified jobs.

There is a need for a community hall to be built to do a school follow-up (Tuition) with children and livelihood centre for women at the village.

There is no community toilet and open defecation is prevailing in the community. TYCL is also planning to have a community health camp and to construct a toilet to the community members to ensure personal hygiene of the community members.

# POSTER LAUNCH OF RIGHTS OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

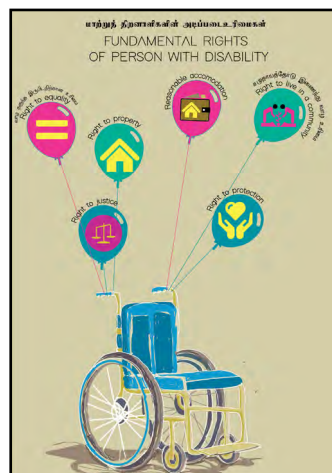
**T**YCL and Satya Special School jointly launched four posters on the rights of persons with disabilities based on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. The posters exhibiting the fundamental rights for equal opportunities, educational rights, employment rights, and punishments and offenses under this legislation. These posters were launched by Lt. Governor of Puducherry and the same has been disseminated across Puducherry and Tamil Nadu through like-minded organizations and Government departments.



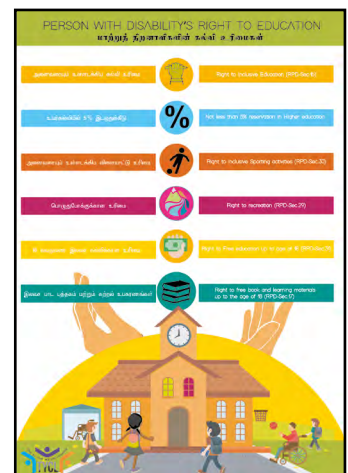
Offences And Punishments



Right To Employment For Persons with Disabilities



Fundamental Rights Of Person With Disabilities



Person With Disabilities Right To Education



# PANEL DISCUSSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN THE UT OF PUDUCHERRY

**O**n the occasion of 70th year of human rights day, We (TYCL) organized and facilitated a 'panel discussion' on human rights situation in Pondicherry with the stakeholders working in the field, through governmental and non-governmental organizations. The event was planned and executed with the motto of sensitising human rights and it's situation in puducherry to the public with the support of our honourable guests and their resources. The event was recorded and dessiminated to the public through social media pages and 'Lifestyle media' TV channel. A very good source of knowledge about the current situation of human rights and it's situation in puducherry was created and dessiminated. A large number of people got sensitised about the same as an output of the event. The chief guests who made the discussion special were Dr.Rachana Singh PPS (superintendent of police), Dr.Vidyaa Ramkumar (Chairperson, District local complaints committee, sexual harrassment at workplace, government of puducherry) Ms.Bindu Modi (President,Sathya Special School), Ms.Lakshya (Crisis Coordinator,Sahodaran).



Trust for Youth and Child Leadership  
Observes  
**HUMAN RIGHTS DAY 2018**  
Panel Discussion On Human Rights Situation in Puducherry  
70  
YEARS  
UNIVERSAL  
DECLARATION OF  
HUMAN RIGHTS  
Date & Time : On 8th December 2018, 3.30 PM  
Venue : Eat My Cake!, Romain Rolland St.  
Speakers  
Dr. Rachna Singh PPS  
Superintendent of Police  
Dr. Vidyaa Ramkumar  
Chairperson, District Local Complaints Committee,  
Sexual Harassment at workplace Government of Puducherry  
Ms. Bindu Modi  
President, Sathya Special School  
Ms. Jennifer  
Coordinator, ChildLine 1098  
Ms. Lakshya @ Madhi  
Crisis Coordinator, Sahodaran



# GAJA CYCLONE

*Relief 2018*

*We express our profound gratitude to the Humans of Puducherry and local volunteers who have generously contributed and extended their support for the relief activity of cyclone affected people of Delta.*

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**Villages**



**Families**

**500+**

**3000kg**

**Relief  
Materials**



**Local  
Volunteers**

**25+**





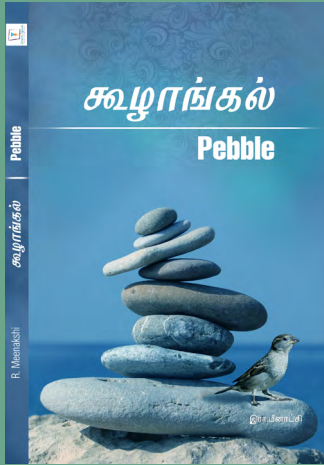
# TYCL GETS SPECIAL CONSULTATION STATUS FROM THE ECOSOC, UN



**T**he Trust for Youth and Child Leadership (TYCL), has been accorded Special Consultative Status with United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC). This is a first for any organization in Puducherry. TYCL representatives participated in the following programs:

- *UNITED NATIONS GENERAL ASSEMBLY*
- *ECOSOC YOUTH FORUM*
- *UN COMMISSION ON WOMEN*
- *UN PERMANENT FORUM ON INDIGENOUS PEOPLE*
- *SOCIAL WORK DAY AT THE UN*
- *UN INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION DAY*
- *ECOSOC FINANCE FOR DEVELOPMENT*

# NEW PUBLICATIONS



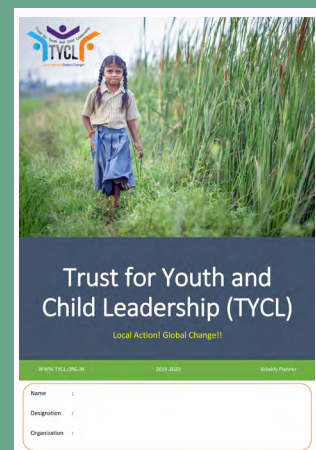
Meenakshi Akka's verse brings an embodied feminist lens to themes such as love, loss, nature and social issues relating to youth, motherhood and conservation. She invites her readers with her words into new perspectives on the connection of the worlds of women with the ways of nature.

Dream Space Creation launched book 'The SHE Tales' -A hybrid short stories that narrates the lives of multiplicities of femmes written by the romance scribbler Ms.Prajisha jayaprakasan will take readers on a new journey to understand the love,lust,relationship,family,sexuality,and violence from the feministic lens.



TYCL and SATYA Special School jointly launched a short film to sensitize government, private, and public about the importance of physical and environmental accessibility for people with disabilities in Puducherry.

TYCL has published customizable weekly planner for TYCL volunteers, development organization staff members and other stakeholders of social change. This planner helps our volunteers to schedule their personal and professional activities and act on time to their tasks.





# FROM THE PRESS



Self-defence training for women from May 21

'Education system should go beyond examination'

Panelists suggest bringing in new curriculum which is inclusive and affordable

Brand connect initiative  
Preventing Youth Suicide

TAMIL NADU  
Leadership workshop on Jan. 12, 13

Helpline gets more calls from job-seekers

Reaching out to youth to build volunteers network

Puducherry NGO gets special status from U.N.

**தினமலர்**  
உண்மையின் உரைகல்

புத்தக அறிவு மட்டுமே தன்னம்பிக்கை தராது  
பெண்களுக்கு கவர்னர் கிரண்டேடி 'அடவைவல்'

தற்கொலை தடுப்பு கையெழுத்து இயக்கம்  
எஸ்.பி., ரட்சனா சிங் துவக்கி வைத்தார்

இளையோர் மாதிரி தேர்தல் அறிக்கை  
நாராயணசாமி, ராங்கசாமியிடம் வழங்கல்

**தீனத் துந்தீ**  
DAILY THANTHI  
வேலிக் தமிழ்

**கினகரன்**

'கிண்டல் செய்தால் இளைஞர்களை தாக்குங்கள்'  
பிரச்சனைகளை எதிர்கொள்ள தயாராக வேண்டும்

தீனத் துந்தீ  
மாவட்ட செய்திகள்  
வரதட்சணை கொடுப்பது சட்டப்படி குற்றம் கவர்னர் கிரண்டேடி பேச்சு

**NDTV**  
தமிழ்

மாற்றத்திற்கான இளைஞர்கள் கொண்டாட்டம்

**மாலைமலர்**

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**OZY**  
WHY DOES A QUIANT TOWN IN INDIA HAVE THE WORLD'S HIGHEST SUICIDE RATE?

# MILESTONES OF TYCL IN THE YEAR 2018-19

**APRIL  
2018**

- Trust for Youth and Child Leadership and Satya Special School jointly organised a Consultation meet on “Reducing the burden of School Curriculum”

**JUNE  
2018**

- Annual N’KaNa Orientation Retreat final day at Dhakshina Chitra.
- Permanent residential status for the people of Aathiyar Community.

**MAY  
2018**

- India’s first ever Girls Lead Girls initiated by TYCL

**AUGUST  
2018**

- Special appreciation and felicitation from our Lt. Governor of Puducherry Dr. Kiran Bedi for TYCL’s volunteer-led innovative social initiatives (NGOs-Volunteer Open House) in Puducherry.
- TYCL proudly presents Ratham – A Step towards Accessibility Tamil Short Film from Dream Space Creations.

**OCTOBER  
2018**

- TYCL is proud to be a part of Annual Status of Education Report – 2018



- TYCL is happy to host a brief discussion cum experience sharing session with the District Coordinators of Nehru Yuva Kendra San gathan - NYKS India along with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development – RGNIYD
- (TYCL) proudly presents the “Panel Discussion on Human Rights Situation in Puducherry”
- Mr. Francis, Presented a research paper on “Youth Suicide Prevention Strategy: Key Learnings from Puducherry Youth Helpline” at the National Conference on Suicide and Self-Harm held at Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

**DECEMBER  
2018**

**JANUARY  
2019**

- Unique weekly planners for local youth and development organizations.
- TYCL International Inc. is now registered as 501(c)3 Not-For-Profit organization in New York, United States of America

- Puducherry State Level Consultation on “Localising United Nations Youth Strategy 2030”

**FEBRUARY  
2019**

**MARCH  
2019**

- Collaboration with Outdoor Talkies for Document Screening and Discussion.





**THANK  
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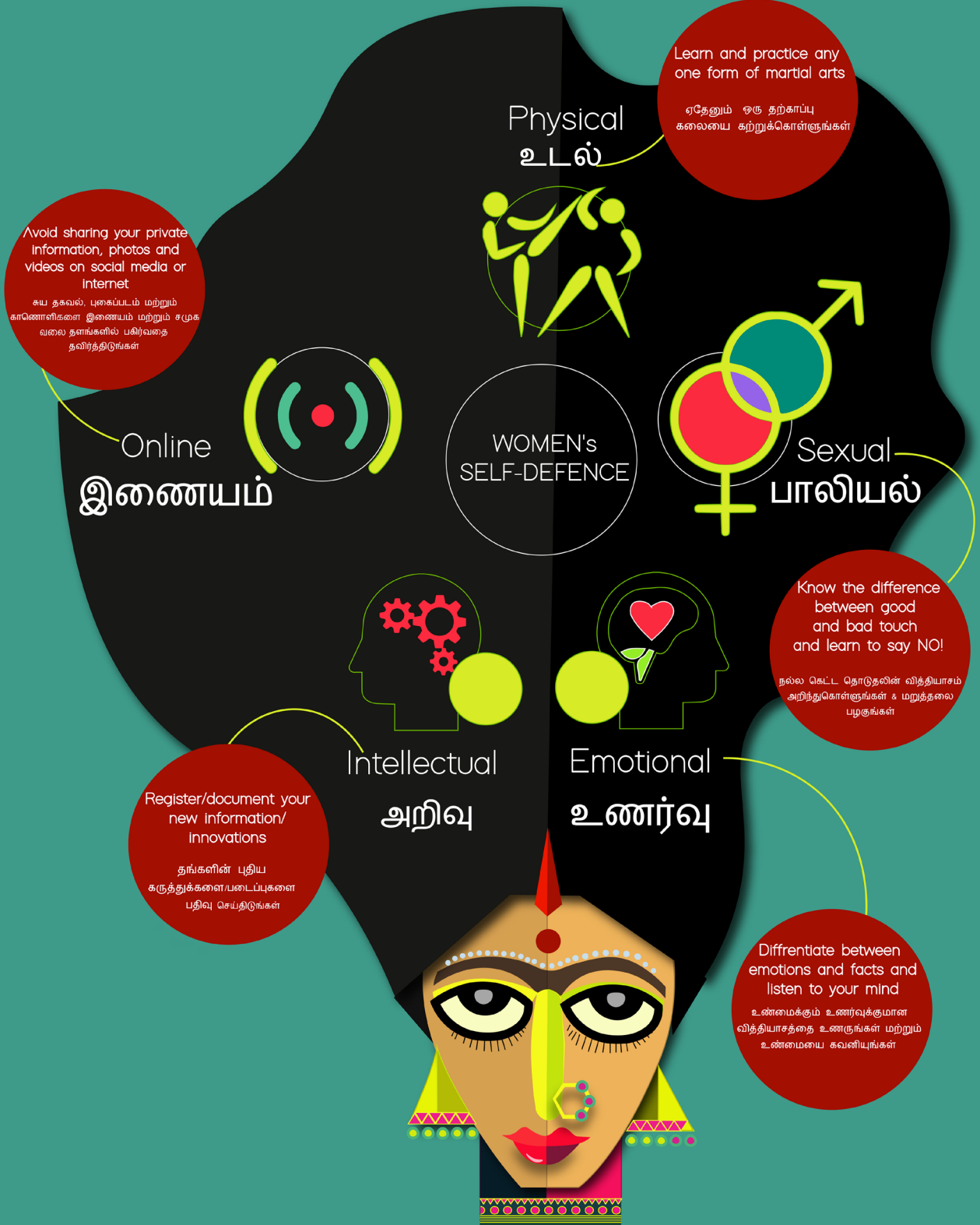


# WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENCE

பெண்கள் தற்காப்பு

Knowledge | Safety | Self-defence

அறிவு | பாதுகாப்பு | தற்காப்பு



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