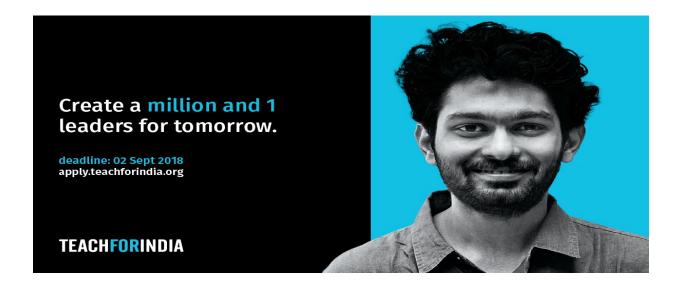
Teach for India Fellowship drive for BE 2019 batch (all branches)

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About The Company-

Every day we are all exposed to issues and problems like increasing crime rates, gender discrimination, poverty etc in our ever expanding society. What are we doing about these issues to build a better nation? Can we provide a platform to the youth of our country to build their future and our nation at the same time? The answer is <u>YES!</u> The Teach For India Fellowship program is the perfect platform that blends creating social impact with self-development. We at Teach For India are looking to enrich the next generation of problem solvers with an experience of a lifetime. An experience that will not only alter the course of their lives but also the lives of at least 40 children. Being a part of the Fellowship program gives you an opportunity to grow as a leader by providing an excellent education to children who need it the most, in turn transforming their lives.



The Teach For India Fellowship strives to transform the lives of students by unlocking their potential and working in the communities they are from. Whilst making an impact in the lives of the children, you will develop your leadership skills and become part of a select network of committed, passionate, lifelong leaders working to fight educational inequity and become a bigger, better version of yourself.

It is a two year, full-time, salaried commitment to teach and lead students in under-resourced schools. We currently have over 1100 Fellows, spread across 7 cities, in 900 classrooms, impacting close to 38,000 children, and all working together to realise our vision that one day, all children will attain an excellent education.

Click on the image below to hear our beloved alumni Zafar's take on the Teach For India Fellowship experience:



I look forward to seeing your application soon and hope you take up this opportunity of a lifetime. I am available to offer any assistance you may need or answer any questions you may have.

Here is the link to apply. If you're experiencing any trouble, please feel free to give me a call or drop me an email!

The Applications for the 2019 Fellowship Program are now **OPEN!** Please note that the FIRST deadline for the 2019 Fellowship is on **Sunday**, **02 September**, **2018**.

A few highlights!

- Teach For India Fellows are a diverse set of individuals coming from **over 300 institutions** who demonstrate intellectual curiosity, creative thinking, and a desire to take on challenges.
- Teach For India has a strong **Alumni network of over 2500** individuals. About 15-20% Alumni also go on to pursue higher studies in various fields such as public policy, education and business from top graduate schools such as Harvard, TISS, Colombia and ISB.
- Teach For India is a part of the global 'Teach For All' network that operates in **46 countries**, has **83,000 Fellows** and **56,000 Alumni**. This means while you're serving here in India, you'll also be part of a worldwide network for change.
- Teach For India Fellows will be paid a salary of Rs. 19,000 per month. If required to relocate from their home city, Fellows will be given a housing allowance ranging from Rs.5500 to 10,000, depending on the city in which they will stay. In addition, Fellows will receive an allowance for school supplies.

Note-Please fine the below of rounds and fellowship details.

Dear Potential Fellow,

1. The Selection Process - Video LINK!

The Teach For India selection process has three/four stages depending on your application. The entire process takes 5-6 weeks from the application deadline. Every round is an elimination round so be sure to bring your best self at every stage. Through this comprehensive process we want to get to know YOU. It is non-competitive but highly selective. The selection process is as follows:

- a) The Online Application wherein you have registered for the Fellowship but haven't completed the entire process. Registration/application Link LINK!
- b) AMCAT Online Test (This section gets unlocked within minutes of submitting your application and you'll have only 4 days from the time you submit your application to complete it.)
- c) Phone Review: You may or may not have a phone interview. We usually do phone interviews if we need to seek clarity on an aspect of your application.
- d) Final Assessment Center Round
 - 5 minute teaching sample: we supply you with a range of topics and grade levels (e.g. 6th grade Science, 2nd grade Maths)
 - Critical thinking activity
 - Group Discussion
 - 1-on-1 interview

2. Application Pointers

The Interest and Professional Experiences Sections:

- This is your opportunity to tell what you have been doing in the last few years. In this section we are looking to learn about your professional experience/ extracurriculars that you have participated in. It does not need to be only in social service or education sector roles.
- You only have enough space to tell us about three of them. Pick the three that are most relevant to your personal and professional growth and leadership. Look at this from the perspective of your application reader. Have you mentioned everything about the role/position that will give the reader a complete story?
- The application is designed for us to get to know you as best as possible. The more details you give us the better opportunity we will have to do this. Do not just tell us about the role you were in, tell us how you got assigned to that role and what your responsibilities were in that role and what you achieved

3. The Essays:

(There is no upper word limit. Strong and crisp essays usually contain 500-600 words each)

Essay-1

Leadership

Leadership is an act which ensures that the impact is two-fold. Firstly, on your development and secondly on the development of people in your TEAM or surroundings. Ensure the story that you share is covering both aspects of impact. The following questions may help with your essay:

- Have you ever made an important contribution to your work/society/college wherein you had to lead a team or you had led a person to success on a specific goal?
- What plan/strategy did you make to achieve the goal?
- What was the outcome? How did completing this goal had an influence on your and other's life/work?

Essay-2

Perseverance

In this essay we want one story from your last 2-4 years which displays your perseverance. It has to be a professional example. Did you achieve something which was so difficult that you almost quit but you continued and displayed high amounts of perseverance. Is your example impacting on two fronts- you and the people around. The following questions might help you with the essay:

- What has been the biggest challenge in your professional/extracurricular life and how much have you persevered to overcome it?
- What kind of challenges did you face during this experience?
- How did you plan to overcome these challenges? What worked for you? What didn't work?
- What was the final outcome of it? What was the impact it had on you and others?

Essay-3

Motivation

What flaws/gaps do you see in the current education system? What is your vision for an excellent education? How will you achieve this vision in the classroom when you do get selected?

- What is your motivation to join the Teach For India Fellowship?
- What kind of education would you want for your own children? Keeping this type of education in mind, how would you plan for the 40 students that you are going to lead during Fellowship? How would you transfer your own learning experience to them? How would you transform their lives in these 2 years that the impact stays with them for long-term?
- Are you thinking about life post-fellowship? Are there any broad interests that you would want to pursue? How would you still continue to fight against educational inequity in your own capacity, even after these two years?

Additionally,

• Spend 15-20 minutes on our website. Make sure you have a good understanding of our vision, our mission and

the work we do at Teach For India!

- Do you have questions? Flip through the FAQ page.
- Step into some of our <u>magical classrooms</u>.
- Proofread your essays.
- Send them to someone who knows them well and ask them if it tells your story.

Thanks and Regards,

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