

The Idea

As a tribute to Mahatma Gandhi on his 150th Birth Anniversary year, Indian Political Action Committee (I-PAC) launched the **National Agenda Forum (NAF)**. NAF, a pan-India platform, is a humble attempt to **resurrect the conversation around Gandhiji's 18-point Constructive Programme** and use it to **re-imagine & co-create an actionable agenda** for contemporary India. NAF was launched with the aim to mobilize the citizens of India for 4 key action points:

**SHARE
THE VISION**



**SET
THE AGENDA**



**CHOOSE
THE LEADER**



**CAMPAIGN
FOR INDIA**

The Execution

NAF was **launched on 29 June, 2018** by more than 25,000 Youth Associates from 1,788 colleges spread over 530 districts across India. Over the course of two months, **57 lac+ people** participated in the online voting process. NAF received immense support from all quarters including **1 lac+ Youth Associates**, distinguished personalities including eminent Gandhians, Padma Awardees, Sports Champions, prominent TV & Film Celebrities and Civil Society Organizations.

Few NAF Milestones:

1. NAF Field Dialogues were held in 777 colleges across 84 districts
2. 2 Insta-Meets were organized in partnership with UNESCO-MGIEP at Hyderabad & Chennai
3. 5000 Dabbawalas sported NAF badges and delivered tiffins with NAF tags all over Mumbai
4. As a finale, NAF Dialogue (webinar) was hosted at the I-PAC office featuring 6 distinguished personalities

57,79,269
**NAF
Participants**
throughout the Country

1,04,446
**Youth
Associates**
from 7500+ colleges

364
**Distinguished
Personalities**
from across 6 countries

343
**Civil Society
Organizations**
across 210 cities




NAF Results

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1. The Top 10 priorities chosen by people for India are:

1 Women Ensure social, political and economic empowerment of women realizing that men and women are partners with equal rights	2 Kisans Protect the interests of farmers and help them become self-reliant without exploiting them for political purposes	3 Economic Equality To ensure sustainable growth and progress, reduce economic inequality and promote equitable development with a humane approach	4 Students Develop an ecosystem for youth to meaningfully participate, engage and make an effective contribution in nation building	5 Education in health & hygiene Empower citizens with knowledge and practice to ensure access to clean water, food and air for themselves and the community
6 Communal Unity Ensure national integration and communal harmony rooted in personal friendship with and respect for persons of other faiths and communities	7 Provincial Languages Promote the usage of Indian languages to improve capabilities of its citizens to understand and communicate	8 New or basic education Make children 'model citizens' and help them realize a glorious future with education rooted in Indian culture and its realities	9 Village Sanitation Strengthen the sense of sanitation as a virtue to make habitations a "model of cleanliness" and eliminate open defecation	10 Adult Education Support continuing education with an aim to tackle ignorance, broaden world view and acquire skills to increase employability

2. Leaders best suited to adopt and execute the peoples' agenda are:

Top 2 Leaders		The Top 4 Chief Ministers			
					
1 Narendra Modi	2 Rahul Gandhi	Arvind Kejriwal	Mamata Banerjee	Naveen Patnaik	Nitish Kumar

Results reflect the voter's choice on a leader best suited to adopt and execute people's agenda and is not necessarily a reflection of popularity.*

People nominated Non-Political Personalities who they feel should join active politics:

1. Aamir Khan	2. Akshay Kumar	3. Anna Hazare	4. Baba Ramdev	5. Kailash Satyarthi
6. MS Dhoni	7. Raghuram Rajan	8. Ratan Tata	9. Ravish Kumar	10. Sourav Ganguly

in an alphabetical order*

The Way Forward

Together with its 1 Lac+ youth associates who have opted to campaign for India and the NAF eco-system of supporters, I-PAC will:

1. Strive to take the peoples' agenda to the masses, especially the youth, to ensure that they remain informed and engaged on the key priorities for the country rooted in Gandhian ideals
2. Ensure that the peoples' agenda is a part of key priorities for any political party it chooses to work with in the future by getting it adopted in their official manifesto