

UNITED WAY DAY OF ACTION

2019 REPORT ASIA PACIFIC



IMPACT



7,506
volunteers



6,200+
beneficiaries

**This year we celebrated
United Way Day of Action
in 9 different locations
across Asia-Pacific.**



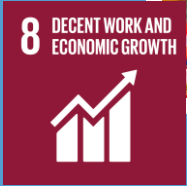
THE UNITED NATIONS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS are a universal call to action to end poverty. Through this year's Day of Action, United Way provided opportunities for people in Asia to give their time and talent to make progress towards these goals.

Hong Kong



Taekwondo event for underprivileged students.

Financial literacy kit making by Principal employees.



Kuala Lumpur

Shanghai



Migrant children are given football training by international coaches.

Baroda, India



Seed Ball Making.

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LIFE
ON LAND



Bengaluru, India



Recycling of
materials
for learning aids.

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INDUSTRY, INNOVATION
AND INFRASTRUCTURE



Chennai, India



'Know My Ability'
Campaign,
celebrating
differently-abled
people's talents.

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GOOD HEALTH
AND WELL-BEING



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RESPONSIBLE
CONSUMPTION
AND PRODUCTION



Kitchen garden
planting activity in
childcare centers.



Mumbai, India

Recycling by employees
at Praxair Technologies.



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CLIMATE
ACTION



Japan



CHILDHOOD SUCCESS



UNITED WAY OF BENGALURU MOTHERING DREAMS

UW Bengaluru volunteers (mothers and children) from **100 Anganawadis** (learning centers) transformed waste products, such as old tyres and clothes, into educational and playtime materials. [Find out more.](#)

 **5,535**
volunteers

 **3,300**
learning aids



UNITED WAY OF HYDERABAD SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

UW Hyderabad organized 7 different activities in local government schools, ranging from painting the classrooms, to making eco-friendly sanitary bags. [Learn more.](#)

 **272**
volunteers

 **1,827**
volunteer hours



CHILDHOOD SUCCESS



UWW HK REGIONAL OFFICE TAEKWONDO EVENT

3 Taekwondo masters, and 4 other volunteers, held an event for students from an underprivileged school in HK, to learn basic Taekwondo skills for a morning.



100

students
benefitted



UWW CHINA OFFICE COACHES ACROSS CONTINENTS

At Shanghai Aolin Kindergarten, students were given a **2-day training session** in football and other sports activities. The exercise also provided training for the teachers, who learned how to use the power of sport as an educational tool.



ACCESS TO HEALTH



UNITED WAY OF MUMBAI KITCHEN GARDENS

Volunteers planted saplings and seeds of fruits and vegetables in **6 Anganawadis** (childcare centers) in **Mumbai**. These kitchen gardens will supplement the children's diets and help them to learn about healthy eating. Volunteers also created learning materials for children.

[Find out more.](#)



volunteers



UNITED WAY OF CHENNAI KNOW YOUR ABILITY

Through a series of **5 activities** catered to those people who are differently abled, **UW of Chennai** is challenging the stigmas around disability. Activities included lessons in sign language, painting, recording audio books and yoga. [Learn more.](#)



1,276
volunteer hours



ECONOMIC MOBILITY



PRINCIPAL FOUNDATION FINANCIAL LITERACY KITS

Principal Foundation's first financial literacy kit pilot involved employee volunteers building financial literacy kits for high school students. Each bag contained key tools, such as a storybook about saving money.



85

volunteers



200

financial
literacy kits



170

volunteer hours



COMMUNITY INITIATIVES



UNITED WAY OF BARODA MEGA SEED BALL MAKING

At **UW Baroda**'s event, volunteers ranging from 12 to 80 years old came together to make seed balls, an initial stage of tree planting. The seed balls comprised of 13 different types of tree and each volunteer took responsibility for planting one tree in the year and taking care of it. [Learn more.](#)

 **15,000+**
seed balls

 **400**
volunteers



PRAXAIR TECHNOLOGIES RECYCLING & HORTICULTURE

Praxair Surface Technologies K.K. employees from two factories volunteered to help combat climate change and protect biodiversity, by cleaning up trash and cultivating plants.



 **PRAXAIR**
SURFACE TECHNOLOGIES

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