



**SRI SATHYA SAI INSTITUTE OF
EDUCARE
SOUTH AFRICA (SSSIESA)**

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The Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Educare (SSSIESA) is part of a world-wide network of educational institutions, established to promote the principles and programs of Sathya Sai Education in Human Values (SSEHV) at primary, secondary and tertiary levels through both formal and non-formal channels of education including SSEHV community education.

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MISSION

The Institute offers programmes and professional guidance to the community at the primary, secondary, tertiary and community levels based on Sathya Sai Education in Human Values through both formal and non-formal education.

The Mission will be achieved through the following:

- ✚ Establishing a universal understanding of the spiritual principles underlying education based on the teachings of Sri Sathya Sai Baba.
- ✚ Offering SSSEHV teacher training programmes.
- ✚ Enhancing awareness, understanding and promotion of SSSEHV with the establishment and governance of Sathya Sai Schools in South Africa based on the philosophy of Educare and the pedagogy of integral education.
- ✚ Offering community outreach training and development programmes based on SSEHV
- ✚ Collaborate with other training and community organisations to promote the principles and philosophy of SSSEHV.
- ✚ Engaging in research activities relating to SSSEHV.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Sri Sathya Sai Education in Human Values (SSSEHV) is a program for the general public, suitable for ages five through to adulthood, based upon the Five Universal Human Values: **Truth, Right Conduct, Peace, Love and Nonviolence.**

THE PRINCIPLES OF THE PHILOSOPHY OF SRI SATHYA SAI EDUCATION: EDUCARE

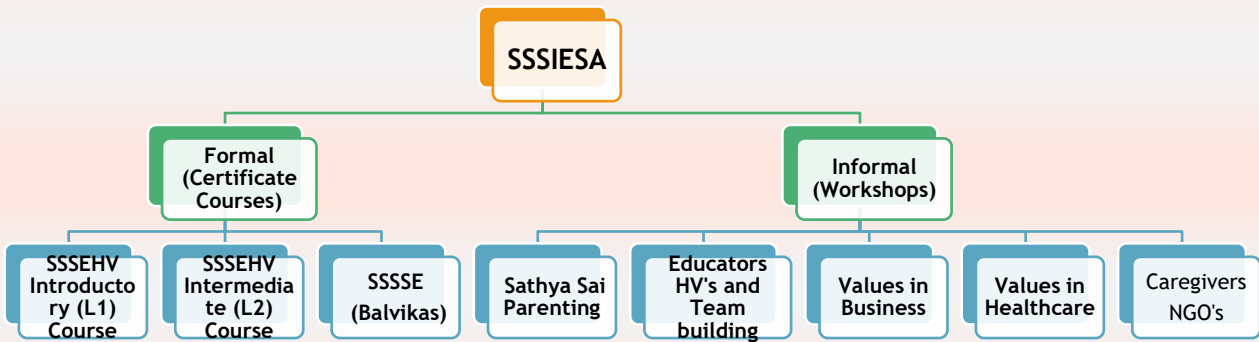
- ✚ Divinity is Love, and it is the undercurrent of all human values;
- ✚ Educare sprouts the inherent human values and translates them into action in daily life;
- ✚ The purpose of education is for living a fully human and spiritual life;
- ✚ The end of education is character and character manifests itself as the unity of

thought, word, and deed.

THE PEDAGOGY OF SATHYA SAI EDUCATION: INTEGRAL EDUCATION

- + The Five Teaching Techniques, and other compatible teaching strategies;
- + The Direct and Indirect Models of Implementation;
- + An Environment and Culture of Love;
- + Teacher as Exemplar;
- + Selfless Service Projects;
- + The Core Tenets of: Unity of Faiths, 3HV (Unity of Head, Heart and Hand), Unity in Diversity, and Ceiling on Desires.

CURRENT OFFERINGS



SSSEHV INTRODUCTORY CERTIFICATE, LEVEL 1

[*\(Fully online version\)*](#)

The course is open to anyone interested in becoming familiar with the essential principles of Sri Sathya Sai Education and applying them in one's personal life and profession. Conclusion of Course 1 qualifies all for participation in community SSSEHV programs. The target group is school teachers, other professionals from the various walks of life and members of the Sathya Sai Global Council who are interested in applying human values in their daily living and for the benefit of society.

This is usually offered on weekends over five to seven sessions of five hours each. Candidates enrolled for this program are required to complete short written assignments, individual or group presentations and a mini-service project benefitting the community / environment.

SSSEHV INTERMEDIATE CERTIFICATE, LEVEL 2

(Fully online version)

Course 2 takes the learning and experience to a more in-depth level of understanding and application. This course focusses on individual transformation. Students are required to constantly put into practise the core tenets of Sri Sathya Sai Educare, using the 5 transformation techniques and other compatible strategies in whatever setting they find themselves in. The assignments are designed to help them achieve the goal of understanding their purpose in life and being agents of change in society.

INFORMAL SSSEHV WORKSHOPS

- ✚ Youth Leadership and Teambuilding
- ✚ Educator / School Orientation
- ✚ Sathya Sai Parenting
- ✚ ValuesIn Business
- ✚ ValuesIn Healthcare
- ✚ Educare For SSSGC Officers, members
- ✚ Educare For SSSGC Public Outreach/ Community Adoption Workers
- ✚ Public Meetingsin Educare

LEADERSHIP & TEAM BUILDING PROGRAMS FOR LEARNERS AND PREFECTS

This is a two-day program. It can be done on 2 consecutive days OR Day 1 followed by: Day 2 after lapse of some time. The latter approach appears to be favoured by most schools recently. Starting in 2014 the program has been offered to Prefects and learners of grade 6 & 7. For the first time this year due to requests from schools the program will be rolled out to grades 4 & 5. The programs, predicated on the five universal values of TRUTH, RIGHT CONDUCT, PEACE, LOVE & NON-VIOLENCE, follow International Guidelines.

LEADERSHIP & TEAM BUILDING PROGRAMS FOR EDUCATORS AND STAFF

Having commenced in 2015, this program is gaining popularity in both public as well as special schools. This program is/can be offered in various formats/ modalities building up eventually to an introductory certificate program covering 36 notional hours. These formats start with a one or two-day leadership and team building programs. They may be done on a weekday or on weekends. Following up on these we can offer 2-4 hours of afternoon programs. We then offer the full introductory certificate programs as mentioned above over 7 sessions of five hours.

SRI SATHYA SAI PARENTING PROGRAMS

The target group for these programs are the PARENTS of SSE or School learners or PARENTS of the general community. These programs are also offered as full certificate programs or stand-alone workshop style which may ultimately lead to an Introductory Certificate in the Sathya Sai Parenting Program.

VALUES IN BUSINESS

This program is designed to benefit entrepreneurs, small and medium business owners and managers and managers in a corporate environment. Community organisations and NGOs also find this program valuable. The program is offered in a workshop style of 6 hours and may lead ultimately to a certificate in VALUES IN BUSINESS.

VALUES FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS

These are offered either as stand-alone leadership and team building workshop OR a certificate program for Health Care workers or a combination there of.

NB: All training is offered free of charge

GOALS OF SSEHV IN PARTNERSHIP SCHOOLS

- ✚ To forge a partnership with public and private schools for the purpose of integrating Si Sathya Sai Education in Human Values in the curriculum, the classroom and the daily activities (and co-curricular activities) of the school.
- ✚ To provide support, guidance, and supervision to all SSSEHV Programmes in schools, including those which have not yet reached the partnership stage; the memorandum of agreement should outline the time-frame for achieving full partnership.
- ✚ To ensure sustainability and promote the quality of the SSSEHV program.
- ✚ To support individual professional teachers who have taken the SSSEHV Introductory Certificate and are interested in bringing SSSEHV into their classroom, and non-professional school volunteers who have completed SSSEHV Intermediate Certificate.

GOALS OF SSEHV IN THE COMMUNITY

- ✚ To forge relationships within the community and community organizations for purposes of providing SSSEHV Programmes to children, parents, youth, and adults.
- ✚ To create SSSEHV Programmes, such as after-school child care, weekend 'schools' or 'clubs', that are not affiliated with outside organizations.
- ✚ To ensure sustainability and promote the quality of the SSSEHV Programme.
- ✚ To support and provide oversight of SSSEHV Programme initiatives (for children of non-Sai devotees) within the Sri Sathya Sai Organization.

DEVELOPING PARTNERSHIPS

Project Proposals may be developed with schools of community organizations based on incremental steps towards implementing the full Programme; those steps should be outlined in the Proposal, with a projected date for full partnership. It is often best to begin with a small pilot project that involves only some of the staff and teachers; project expansion will be determined by the on-going needs assessment by SSSIESA.

A memorandum of agreement, or letter of commitment, between the administrator in charge of the school or community organization, and the SSSIESA, will outline the short and long-term goals and conditions of the Programme.

SSSIESA may develop **partnerships** with other educational institutions such as teachers' colleges, universities, and local or national authorities for public education, for the purpose of the integration of SSSEHV into those programs.

RESEARCH

Ongoing research on the impact of value-based education.

PUBLICATIONS

SSSEHV Training manuals for students and facilitators are available. Website resources are available.

COMMUNICATION AND MARKETING

Website

Prospectus, Marketing brochures, Videos

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