



The Work of Building a Nation Starts in the Classroom

Who we are

Teach For Malaysia is an independent, not-for-profit organisation, on a mission to give all children the opportunity to realise their potential through quality education. We partner with the Ministry of Education to reach high-need public schools. It is one of the 60 partners of the prestigious global education network. Teach For All.

Since 2012, Teach For Malaysia has been building a transformational movement in our education system by placing the country's most promising leaders as full-time teachers in some of Malaysia's most high-need schools to combat education inequity through our flagship programme called the Fellowship. In 2020, we expanded our work to also train and coach in-service public school STEM teachers through the 2-year Program Duta Guru (PDG).

Teach For Malaysia is a 2022 Merdeka Award Recipient under the Education & Community Category. The Merdeka Award is Malaysia's premier award for excellence founded by PETRONAS, ExxonMobil and Shell in 2007.

Since our launch in 2012, our movement of 474 Fellows, 583 PDG teachers and Alumni has impacted over 330,285 students in 893 schools across the country.

Vision

One day, all children in Malaysia will have the opportunity to realise their potential through quality education.

Mission

To build a movement of leaders in the education ecosystem to empower all children in Malaysia to realise their potential.

Student Vision

A Malaysia where all children are empowered to be leaders of their own learning, their future and the future of Malaysia.

Student Learning Vision

- I know what I've learned so far and where I am at now.
- I know what I want to learn and I'm aware of how much I need to progress.
- I know who can help me and what I can do to get to where I want to.

Our Beliefs

- We believe all children should receive a quality education that enables them to create their own future, but not all children have that opportunity due to their socio-economic background.
 - Our Student Vision is what happens when each child realises their potential. Quality
 education means each student can realise our Student Learning Vision: students are
 empowered to lead their own learning.
- We believe education inequity affects all of us as it weakens our collective economic and social well-being. **Unless we all win in education, we all lose.**
- We believe we need leadership at every level to collectively transform the Malaysian education system.

Our Work

We invite everyone who is passionate about education to join our national community of leaders. We recruit, develop and support:

- Youth leaders who make impact as full-time teachers in some of Malaysia's most high need schools and beyond.
- In-service teachers to upskill themselves through high quality professional development.
- Students to be leaders of their own learning and the future that they want to see, through leadership development opportunities.
- Alumni to continue playing an active role, bringing positive impact to education in their respective career paths.
- Community Mobilisation education initiatives through enabling networking, sharing of resources, advocacy and incubation of innovation.

Our Aim

By 2030, TFM is a movement of 30,000 leaders working collectively to enable children from underserved communities in all parts of the country to realise their potential through quality education.

In order to achieve transformation, we need to reach a critical mass, which is reaching 10% of Malaysia's 3.2 million population through 30,000 Leaders and each Leader can influence at least 100 persons.

From the start, leadership has been at the core of the TFM's Student Vision: "A Malaysia where all students are empowered to be leaders of their own learning, their future, and the future of Malaysia."

This sprung from the traditional perception of leadership as a skill acquired through participation in extracurricular activities to evolve into a transformational and entrepreneurial approach to solving issues within students' local communities, to the vision it is today.

Our Impact

We see our impact through:

1. STUDENTS

330,285

Students impacted

38%

More Academic Growth (in comparison to the average growth rate in the school, for students taught by Fellows)

>778

131

Student Leaders Student-led initiatives with 34,676 Beneficiaries

2. SCHOOLS & COMMUNITIES

893

Schools partnered across all states in Malaysia 97.2%

Schools are satisfied with TFM Fellows and feel they have contributed to the betterment of the school

88%

Of principals recognised that Program Duta Guru teachers have brought positive impact among other teachers

3. SYSTEM

72%

Alumni continue to work in the broader education

and social sector

32%

stayed on teaching in MOE schools alongside all of the Duta Guru Alumni.

219

education initiatives created in the community **12**

social enterprises are founded /led/staffed by Alumni & TFM Staff

>10

Nationwide Initiatives for **Education Recovery** in collaboration with partners & Alumni

Our Partners

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