



# **Role Description Uttarakhand Operations Associate**

#### Overview

Role Title	Operations Associate, Uttarakhand
Number of openings	1-2
Role Level	2-5 years of prior relevant work experience
Туре	Full-time
Location	Could be based in U S Nagar, Dehradun or Haldwani. Exact base location will be confirmed towards the end of the selection process. The role will entail significant Intra & interstate travel across India depending on programs.
Compensation	Pay will match Indian non-profit norms and similar organizations, discussed in our last selection round.
<b>Desired Joining Date</b>	ASAP; Serious candidates are encouraged to apply right away.
Process to apply	Please fill out the Google Form mentioned below <a href="https://forms.gle/XfsFfwPkuW3pBvu29">https://forms.gle/XfsFfwPkuW3pBvu29</a>

#### About Labhya

Labhya is an India-based nonprofit that enables children from vulnerable backgrounds with the necessary skills to cope with poverty & become effective learners through **Social-Emotional Learning (SEL)**. Labhya is a globally recognised non-profit supported by organisations like Harvard University, Nudge, DRK Foundation, The Commonwealth, UNICEF, and UNDP among other organisations.

Labhya is a dynamic and agile organisation that partners with Indian State Governments to co-create and ensure the implementation of SEL programs at scale. We are one of India's fastest-growing nonprofits dedicated to co-create programs that will impact **30 Million vulnerable children by 2030.** 

Currently, Labhya has partnered with the Governments of Delhi, Uttarakhand, Tripura to co-create and ensure the implementation of programs that **impact 2.4 Million children** across 22,000+ government schools in India daily. Our programs, namely the **'Happiness** 





Curriculum' and 'Anandam Pathyacharya' and 'Saharsh' are the world's largest and India's first at-scale well-being programs.

## We expect the following from you for this role:

\*All the below-mentioned tasks would be key to your role. The following requirements are not mentioned in order of priority.

- 1. Maintain and build new relationships and strengthen existing relationships with State/District/Block/School-level government officials in Uttarakhand.
- 2. Develop strong working relationships with district Anandam coordinators Head Teachers, and teachers in selected schools of change
- 3. Support Labhya in the development of strong relationships and documentation of the on-ground impact by collecting on-ground stories of change
- 4. Act as an anchor of the program between State government officials and Labhya's Curriculum & Training team. Liaison and coordination with the concerned government officials regularly.
- 5. Work closely with the assigned schools of change in intensive capacity building, program implementation and evaluation efforts.
- 6. Support Labhya in the collection of on-ground monitoring and evaluation data through the conduction of baselines and endlines in schools of change
- 7. Facilitate teacher training sessions to build capacity and prepare detailed training modules (develop interactive lesson plans/activities for different training programs) for teachers in schools of change as per need
- 8. Work closely with the assigned State Lead to support in the completion of any tasks related to the effective state-wide implementation of the program as per need.
- 9. Work closely with the program and fundraising teams of Labhya to ensure the conduction of impact visits of partners, stakeholders, Labhya team members and funders as needed.
- 10. Support any requests that may come from time to time from any State/district/block/school level officials we will directly work with.
- 11. Work closely alongside the district level team at Labhya to manage and coordinate the support structures for the program at the district level.
- 12. Regular (3-5 per week) school visits to observe and support the school in program implementation.

## **Qualifications & Skills / Experience / Characteristics**

- 1. Fluent in both Hindi & English (Written and spoken) (non-negotiable)
- 2. Willingness to relocate to the said districts in Uttarakhand. (non-negotiable)
- 3. On-ground experience with children and youth. (non-negotiable)





- 4. Prior experience of working with school officials or government officials *(non-negotiable)*
- 5. Bachelors/Masters in education, social science, or equivalent.
- 6. At least 2-5 years of experience in working with government stakeholders, teacher training programs facilitation and liaisoning.
- 7. An understanding of Social Emotional Learning, mental health, psycho-social development psychology will be preferred.
- 8. Comfortable with logistical event planning.
- 9. Possesses strong relationship building, communication, and organisational skills.
- 10. Prior experience in managing multiple stakeholders for projects.
- 11. Ability to handle multiple projects/ tasks and experience in handling processes end to end
- 12. Ability to solve problems using particular lenses, best practices, and frameworks.
- 13. Working proficiency in Google Docs, Google Sheets, Google Slide, etc
- 14. Willingness to learn and grow together with the team.

## **Current Team**

Our team consists of professionals, educators, SEL experts, and entrepreneurs from prestigious institutions like Harvard University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) USA, Azim Premji University, Delhi University, Ernst & Young and KPMG.

At Labhya, we support and foster an environment where questions are always encouraged and collaboration is recognized. We are a home for you if you want to help build something that will enable millions of children to become lifelong learners through systems-level change. You'd also be able to develop your skills and profile by working with an accomplished leadership team and being a part of very rapid growth.

### Further, Labhya's values are:

- An agile and supportive team that is driven by a problem solving attitude
- Focusing on the well-being of children and trusting their potential
- Working processes that enable efficiency, constant growth and innovation
- SEL Programs that are driven by proximity and expertise
- Creating systemic and sustainable change in public education systems through partnership