



SEWA INTERNATIONAL

**TOILET AND HYGIENE PROJECT
FOR THE GIRL CHILD**

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Need Analysis - West Bengal

Table 1: Selected school details in Alipurduar District of West Bengal with the number of beneficiaries and the number of required toilets.

S.No.	Region	Name of the school	No of boys	No of girls	Total	No of toilets
1	West Bengal	Banchugamari Tin Non BFP School	69	42	111	1

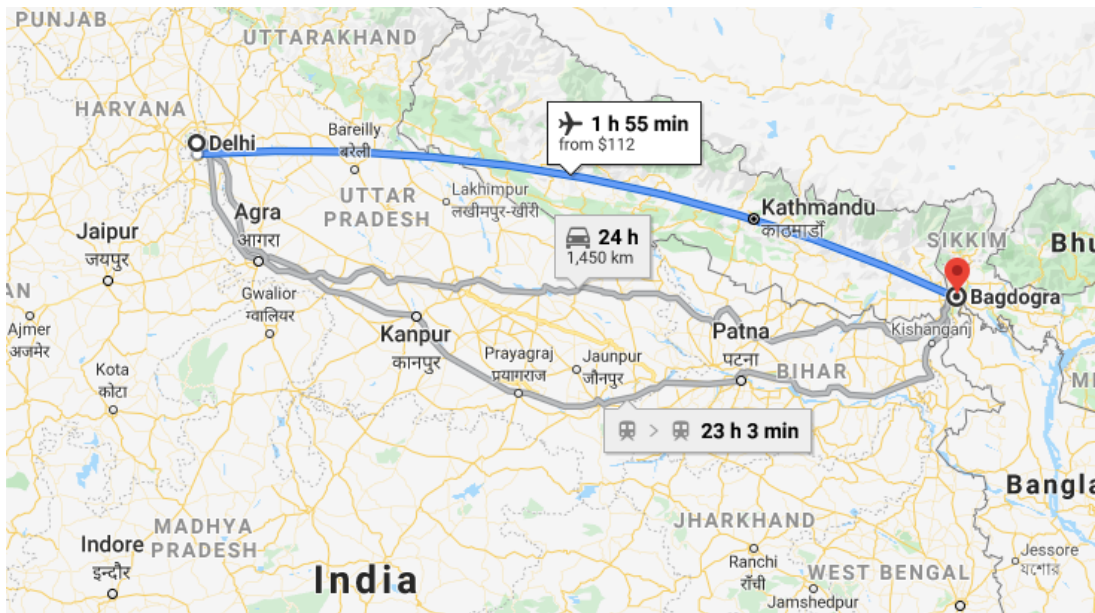
Sewa International's Toilet and Hygiene Project for the Girl Child was conceived to provide sanitation facilities to girls who belong to the vulnerable section of Indian society so that they can overcome social and cultural norms of the till now accepted practice of open defecation outside of the home.

There are several 'rights' given to citizens of India but the right to a safe, secure, and healthy life at home and in schools is not one of them. Thus, we believe a "Right to Sanitation Facilities", especially for our women and girl children who face several challenges everyday just to attend nature calls in a safe and secure environment, is much needed.

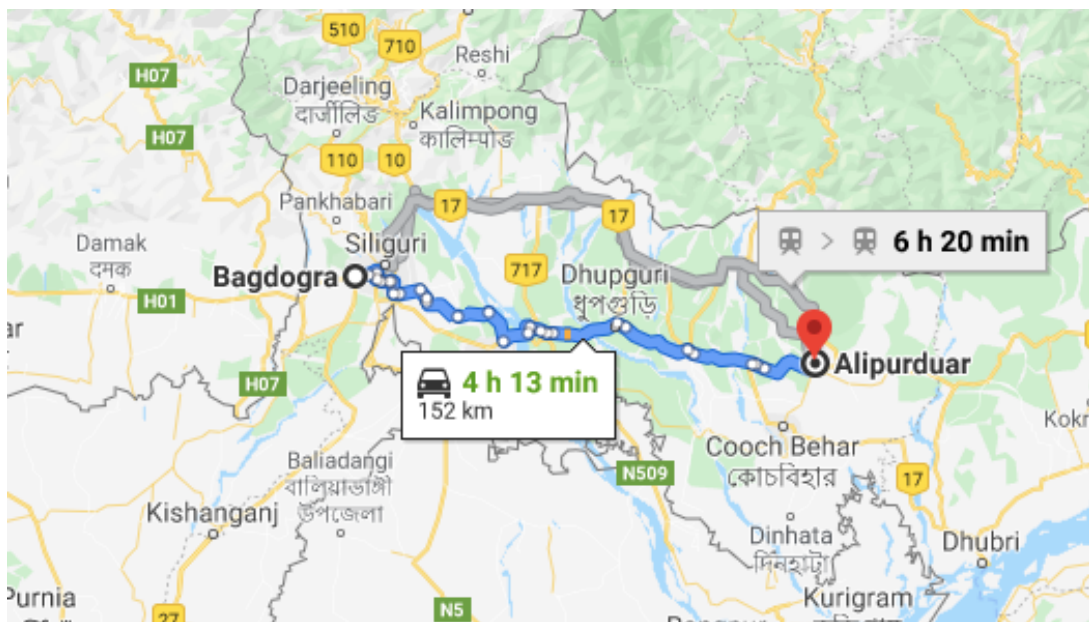
We are committed to providing such toilet facilities in communities, neighborhoods, and schools, where they are not available so that we can ensure both dignity and safety to women and girl children.

Project Location

*The aerial distance between New Delhi and Bagdogra, West Bengal is 1120 kms.



*The road distance between Alipurduar and Bagdogra, West Bengal is 152 kms



Picture Gallery



Sewa Criteria for Identification of Schools:

1. Schools constructed on government legal land and the school authorities should provide up to date school construction documents.
2. No objection certificate issued by the governing authorities for toilet installations.
3. Unavailability of functional toilets in the school premises.
4. A higher ratio of girl students in the school.
5. Total strength of the school to be a minimum of 50.
6. Support from school authorities and local government/municipal bodies during construction and long term maintenance of the toilets.
7. Provision for water supply for the newly installed toilets or support from school/government/local bodies/individuals for making such a provision.
8. Provision for the sewage system.
9. Availability of space within the school campus for the installation of toilets.

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