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## Parikrma Humanity Foundation

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The Academy of Singapore Teachers (AST) welcomed a delegation of 15 educators from the Parikrma Humanity Foundation (PHF) in India on 29 March 2023.

The foundation has been working closely with the Singapore International Foundation on a five and a half year project to enhance the teaching standards of Mathematics and Science in Karnataka by raising the professional expertise of the teachers, facilitating interactive and active learning classrooms, as well as promoting knowledge sharing between professionals in Singapore and Karnataka's education sector.





A tour of the library READ@Academy



Mrs. Shukla Bose presenting artworks by the students of the Foundation to AST

The mission of PHF is to unleash the potential of underserved children, enabling them to live their life on equal terms and become valuable contributing members of society.

The session, led by Mrs Poh Mun See, ED/AST and Mrs. Shukla Bose, founder of PHF, had a lively exchange of ideas on the transformative power of education, and how more equitable and inclusive education can help students to achieve their potential. There was a recognition that teachers are key, and they thrive best when they have pride in the teaching profession. There was also sharing of approaches to teacher recruitment, professional development for beginning and in-service teachers, and the support provided to teachers.