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PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

HOME PROPOSAL: MĀYĀ HOUSE

HELP BUILD A VULNERABLE CHILDREN'S HOME IN POKHARA, NEPAL



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Who We Are

We envision a world free from human trafficking and exploitation, where **every person is able to reach their potential.**



What We Do

We partner with communities at risk of human trafficking to deliver **life-changing and sustainable education projects.**



Thank you for considering this life-changing partnership opportunity with Give Freedom International.

Your help today would empower our Field Partner 3 Angels Nepal to construct a stand-alone building encompassing two new, permanent homes for vulnerable children in Pokhara who have been rescued from trafficking, or who are considered high-risk, and urgently need somewhere to live.



Your generosity will give children a safe place to call home

You are invited to fully fund the construction of Māyā House in Pokhara, one of 14 vulnerable children's homes where trafficked and at-risk children can live, learn, laugh and thrive.

At any given time, up to 10 young girls under the age of 12 will call Māyā House their home. Our Field Partner's home-based model of care will provide the girls with two qualified carers who will offer loving support and guidance, along with teachers who are available to help with learning and development. Overseen by these qualified and experienced carers, the new homes will give children shelter, nutritious food, education, medical care and love for as long as they need it.

This vulnerable children's home is being constructed as part of The Pokhara Project, a large-scale and long-term sustainable building project being carried out in partnership with 3 Angels Nepal. Construction on the new homes will begin once funding for the entire building project has been raised. This is expected to take place in the coming years. [You can find out more at givefreedom.org.au/pokhara](https://givefreedom.org.au/pokhara)

***All Australian donations are fully tax deductible**



Māyā House

Location:

Pokhara, Nepal

Who will live in this home?

Girls under 12 years old

Number of occupants:

Maximum 10 at any given time

Cost to fully fund this home:
\$125,000*

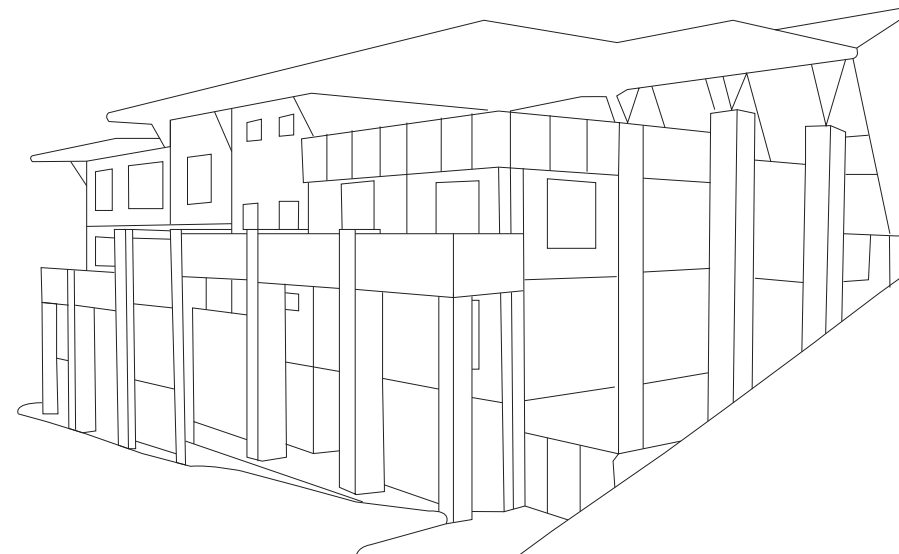


Vulnerable children's homes— more than bricks and mortar

The vulnerable children's homes will be built in collaboration with our Field Partner 3 Angels Nepal as part of The Pokhara Project. Overseen by qualified carers, the new homes will be a refuge where trafficked or at-risk girls and boys can find safety and belonging, form lifelong friendships—and have the freedom to simply be kids, free from the threat of trafficking.

It's our Field Partner's hope and priority that girls and boys rescued from trafficking can be safely reunited with their families. Until this is possible, the homes provide a place where they can nurture their curiosity through formal schooling and grow healthy and strong with holistic health support.

Your support will provide children with more than just four walls.



You will be giving children:



A place to belong



**Education and
empowerment**



Love and safety



Holistic healthcare



**Counselling and
mentoring**



**Play and development
opportunities**



Nutritious food



**Friendship and
connection**

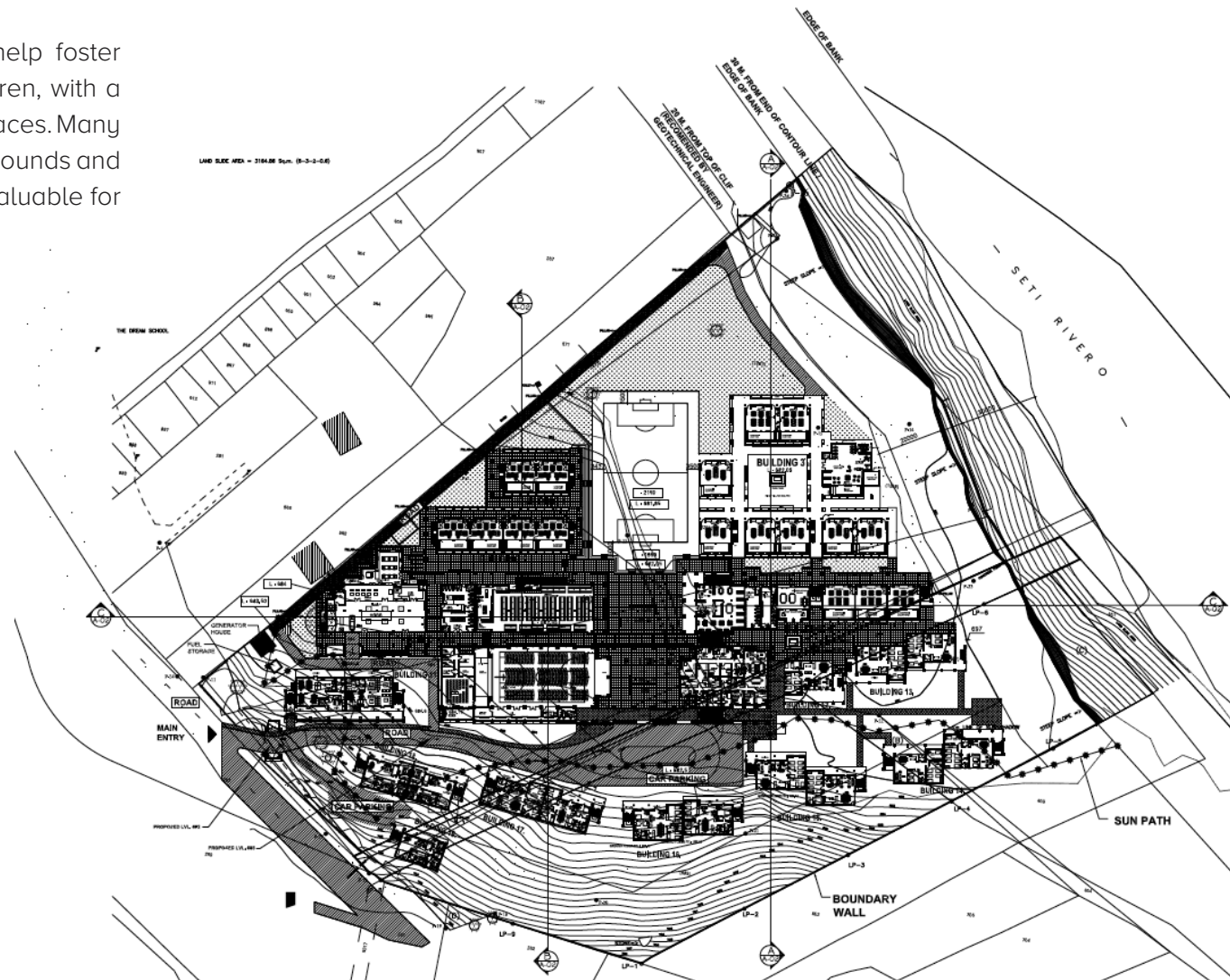


**Access to formal
schooling**



Fostering community and connection

The homes have been architecturally designed to help foster friendship and a sense of community among the children, with a central village green and plenty of shared community spaces. Many boys and girls come to the homes from traumatic backgrounds and situations. Having a place to belong and connect is invaluable for their healthy development and self-esteem.





Human trafficking's youngest victims

Every child deserves to be cherished, protected and loved. And yet tragically, children are among those most likely to be trafficked, sold into forced labour or sexually exploited. At a time of life when they should be free to play and learn, these children are thrust into situations of unimaginable fear, abuse and deprivation.

Learn more about human trafficking at givefreedom.org.au/learn

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CHILDREN

Worldwide, almost **one-third** of trafficking victims are children.

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GIRLS

Worldwide, **two out of every three** child trafficking victims are girls.

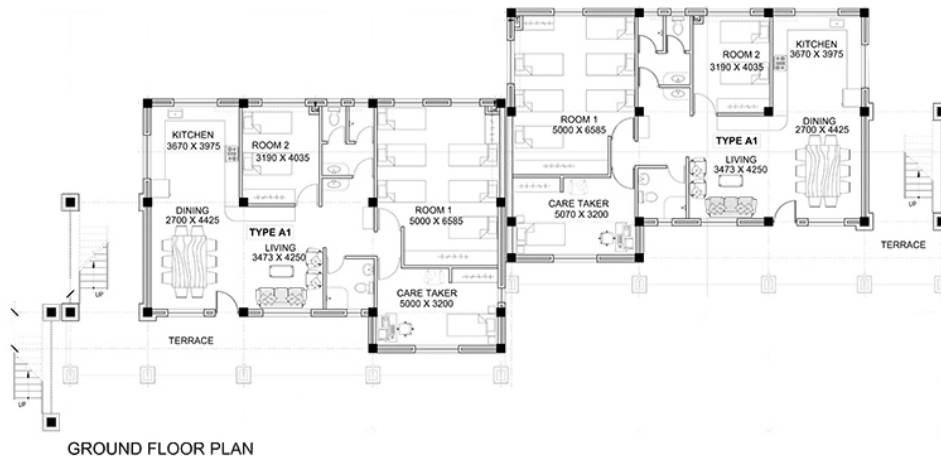
150
CHILDREN

The new homes will provide up to **150 children** at a time with shelter, safety and support.



The proposed floor plan

This architectural plan shows how Āsā House and Māyā House will be constructed side-by-side within the one building. The homes will offer shared communal areas for socialising and learning, along with private spaces such as separate bedrooms for the children and carers. Each house will accommodate around 10-12 children at any given time.

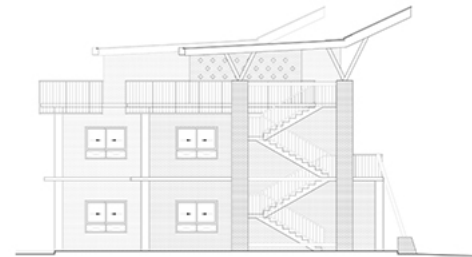




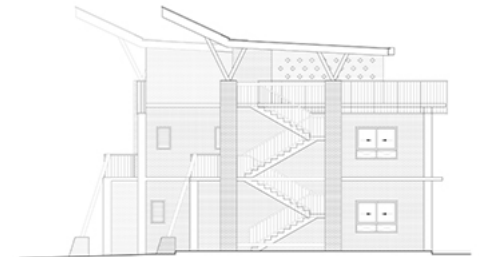
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SOUTH ELEVATION



WEST ELEVATION

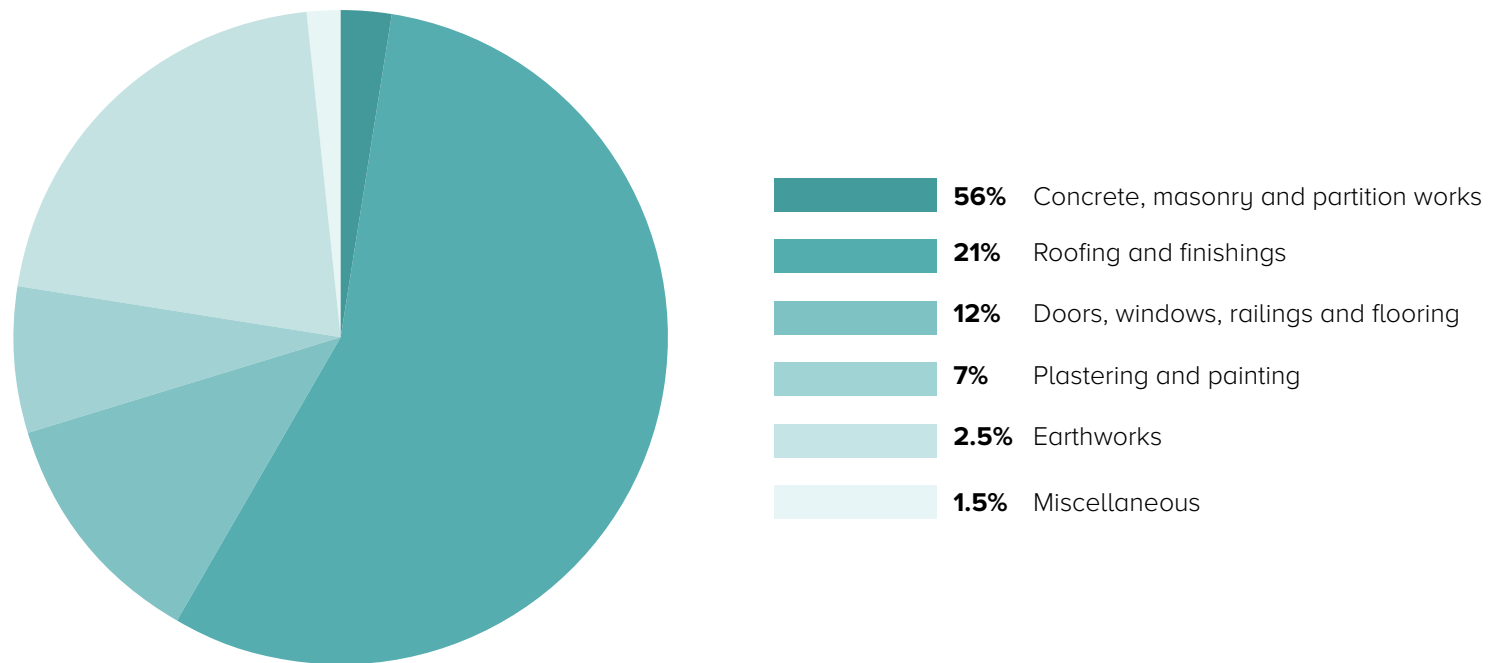


EAST ELEVATION



The proposed budget

This budget break-down is based on actual, current costs to build a vulnerable children's home as part of The Pokhara Project. However, costs may vary slightly across the 14 different homes and may also change based on factors such as fluctuating currency conversion rates as well as changes in the local prices of building materials and labour.





Watch Mira's* story

When the child trafficking crisis escalated in her community, Mira* found safety and long-term support at a vulnerable children's home run by our Field Partner, 3 Angels Nepal.

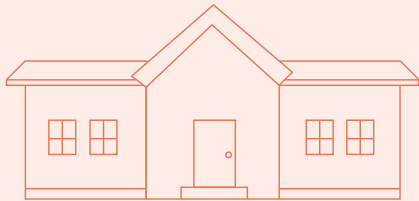


Watch Mira's* story



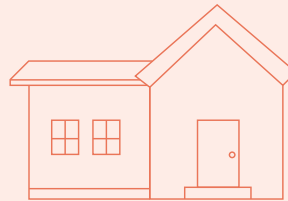
Three ways to support this home

Funding an entire vulnerable children's home is a wonderful way to leave a lasting legacy and make a difference for multiple children in need of a loving place to live. You can also choose to fund the entire building, which will include two new homes—for example, Āśā House and Māyā House—or elect to part-fund the build with an amount of your choice.



Fully fund this building

You can fully fund the whole building, which includes two new homes, for **\$250,000**. Each new vulnerable children's home will typically be built in a pair, with two homes per building. The specially designed earthquake-proof building will include both private and communal living spaces, protecting children's safety and privacy while fostering a sense of community and belonging.



Fully fund a home

You can fully fund the construction of this home for **\$125,000**. Your support would cover the cost of everything from foundations to finishings, providing children with a quality space they can feel proud about. There are 14 homes planned for construction in total; you can select the home you would like to fully fund.



Your choice: Part-fund a home

You can also choose to part-fund this home with an amount of your choice. Every gift is gratefully received and, with every dollar going directly to the field, each single gift makes a big difference. If you choose to part-fund a home, your gift would be pooled with other supporters' gifts to cover the building project as a whole.



Our promise to you

Your generosity would be maximised by our 100% Giving Model, which guarantees that every dollar you give goes directly to the field. Our model is highly unique among Australian charities and is made possible by our generous Give Freedom Foundation members, who cover all operating costs, including fundraising and administration.



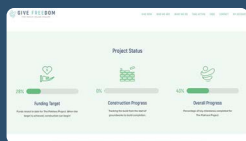
The Pokhara Project

The vulnerable children's homes will be constructed as part of The Pokhara Project, a sustainable building project that will also include a self-funding school, women's safe haven, a community medical centre and vocational training facilities.

So far, the land for the new facilities has been purchased and the architectural designs are ready to go. Now we need to raise the funds needed to complete the build.

To ensure the most efficient and cost-effective building process, we will wait until The Pokhara Project is fully funded before construction begins, including for the vulnerable children's homes, which may be a few years down the track.

The Pokhara Project will take time and resources to do well—and for good reason! This project will be built to last long-term, providing shelter, holistic care and education to vulnerable children for many, many generations to come. But the sooner we reach our funding goals, the sooner construction can begin.



View the project's
status, objectives
and timeline



View the architect's
3D model



This nine acres of land along the Seti River at the foothills of the Annapurna Ranges will be the long-term home of our Field Partner, 3 Angels Nepal



Watch Sejun's* story

Sejun was three years old when his mother was convicted of using and selling drugs. Both went to prison—but thankfully, Sejun was offered a place at a 3 Angels Nepal vulnerable children's home.



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Questions?

Our partnership managers are available to answer your questions and talk with you about this giving opportunity in more detail. You can contact them on **1300 081 190** or **partners@givefreedom.org.au**

Ready to give?

Thank you! Your generosity will make a significant and lasting impact in the lives of vulnerable children. You can give online now or contact our partnership managers for more ways to give. Simply call **1300 081 190** or email **partners@givefreedom.org.au**

Thank you!

