# Sambhota Tibetan Schools Society

(Run by the Department of Education, CTA, Dharamsala)
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**Name of child:** Tenzin Nyima
**Gender:** F
**Mother's Name:** Tenzin Phakdon
**Mother's Profession:** Housewife
**Place:** Chauntra
**Siblings:** 1

**Admission no:** 1362
**D.O.B:** 19-02-2017
**Father's Name:** Gonpo Topgyal
**Father Profession:** Army
**Class: I'24**
**School:** STS Chauntra

## Life History of the child and the reason for sponsorship:

Since the occupation of Tibet, thousands of Tibetan fled Tibet and embarked on an arduous and perilous journey into exile. Subsequently, they took refuge in India, Nepal, and Bhutan. Inherently, the life of refugees is that of struggle, plagued by impoverishment and an uncertain future. Nevertheless, under the guidance and aegis of His Holiness the 14th Dalai Lama, it was decided that "Education" holds the key to preserve and sustain the Tibetan struggle for a longer time. Therefore, separate schools for Tibetan children were established under the administration of the Department of Education, CTA. The DoE is the apex body that has the mandate to give guidance and oversee the education of the entire Tibetan community in exile. On 16th May 1999, DoE started a new organization (Sambhota Tibetan Schools Society) that would manage the schools which were erstwhile managed directly by the DoE. Sambhota primarily provides education in far-flung areas, providing wholesome education to those less privileged.

Tenzin Nyima studies at our sister school STS Chauntra, Dharamsala, Himachal Pradesh. It has classes from pre-primary to class V. Her parent is illiterate by nature, hence they don't have much choice when it's comes to job prospects. Her father is the lone member of their small family who has a job. He serves in Indian army and only visits their home once a year for a month. The income he generates barely covers their daily necessities, let alone paying the school fee of their childrens. Hence, they want their childrens to study well and has a high hope from them to change the grim lifestyle of their family. They want their children to study well and become self-reliant, unlike themselves.

Nyima is a vivacious little girl and is an extroverted by nature. She is an energetic child and has many friends at her school. Her hobbies includes drawing, colouring, dancing and singing. She is fond of attending school daily and learning new things. Additionally, she likes participating in school co-curricular activities and is quite good in her studies. Her favorite color is pink while rice and lentil is her favourite food. Her favourite subject to learn is Tibetan and Mathematics. Additionally, she is an ambitious child and wishes to become a doctor. Also, she is fond of spending time with her friends and siblings.

Once into the sponsorship program, the academic progress of the child will be updated to the kind sponsor through a letter written by the child herself twice a year. Your kind support to Tibetan refugee children will surely enable our underprivileged children to become a contributing members of our society. Sambhota Tibetan Schools Society, Dharamsala will remain forever grateful to our generous sponsors for their support in education of Tibetan refugee children.

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