

## **79<sup>th</sup> Edition of Know India Programme (KIP)**

Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India is organizing 79<sup>th</sup> Edition of Know India Programme from 24 November to 13 December 2024. The primary objective of the KIP is to foster a closer connection between Indian diaspora youth and their ancestral homeland by augmenting their understanding of India. The Programme provides a platform for the Person of Indian Origin/ youth to familiarize themselves with the contemporary India, during about three week 'knowledge tourism' programme providing them an exposure to different aspects of the growth and development of India. The programme is open to youth of Indian origin (PIO/OCI excluding Non-Resident Indians) of 21-35 years and are proposed to be taken to several important places of interest across the country within the 21 day period so that they are able to acquaint and update themselves on the impressive and rapid developments in diverse sectors being made by the Government of India under **Atmanirbhar Bharat** as part of it's sustained stride towards a **Viksit Bharat** by 2047. Indian Diaspora youth selected for the programme will be provided full hospitality in India and 90% of the total cost of international airfare.

A Flyer of KIP is attached. The last date for submission of applications by the interested youth members of the Indian diaspora for the 79<sup>th</sup> KIP is 21<sup>st</sup> October 2024. Interested individuals may apply to the High Commission of Gaborone in the format given below.

Name	Gender	D.O.B (DD/MM/ YEAR)	Passport No.	Email ID	Contact No.	Profession