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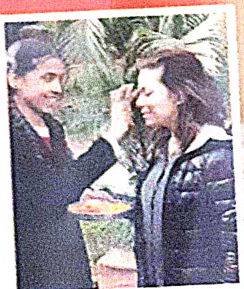
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## Eva comes to Gurgaon for a cause

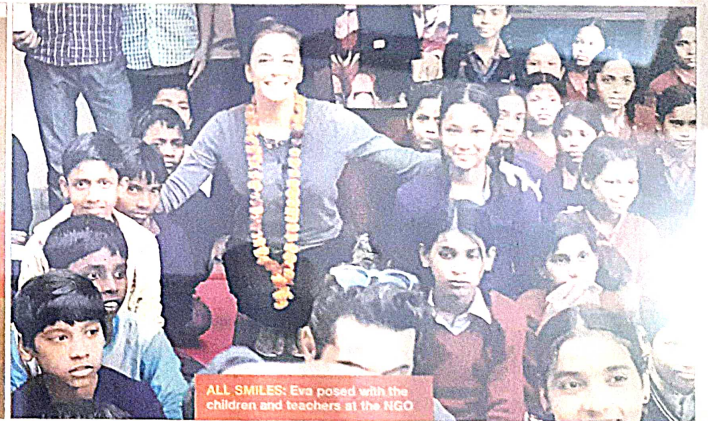
*Desperate Housewives* actress Eva Longoria is the latest Hollywood star to visit India for a charitable cause. Though on a personal trip, she spent time with kids at an NGO here on Tuesday



The actress shared this picture of her arrival on Twitter



Eva taking an English class with the kids



ALL SMILES: Eva posed with the children and teachers at the NGO

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Newly engaged Eva Longoria has joined the list of Hollywood stars to visit India this year to support a cause. In October, it was Leonardo DiCaprio, who came to Delhi for a day to profile Sumita Narain of CSE for a documentary on climate change. Then *Coldplay* frontman Chris Martin was here for The Global Poverty Project and he also visited shums in the

city. Now it's *Desperate Housewives* star Eva Longoria, who is here with her fiancé Jose Antonio Baston. She spent a day with underprivileged children at an NGO here, Harmony House. She reached the NGO at around 4pm on Tuesday, and spent an hour understanding the way the centre functions. Eva, who is known for her charity and philanthropic work, had announced her arrival in India via Twitter. She received a traditional Indian welcome - she was seen

sporting a *tika* on her forehead in a picture she posted online. She also posted pictures with children from the NGO.

Talking about her India visit, Gaurav Sinha, who runs the NGO with his wife Lucy Briscoe, says, "My wife and I know Eva personally - we met her last year in Dubai and then again in Monaco. Eva's trip to India is a personal one, but she made a special effort to visit the centre."

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