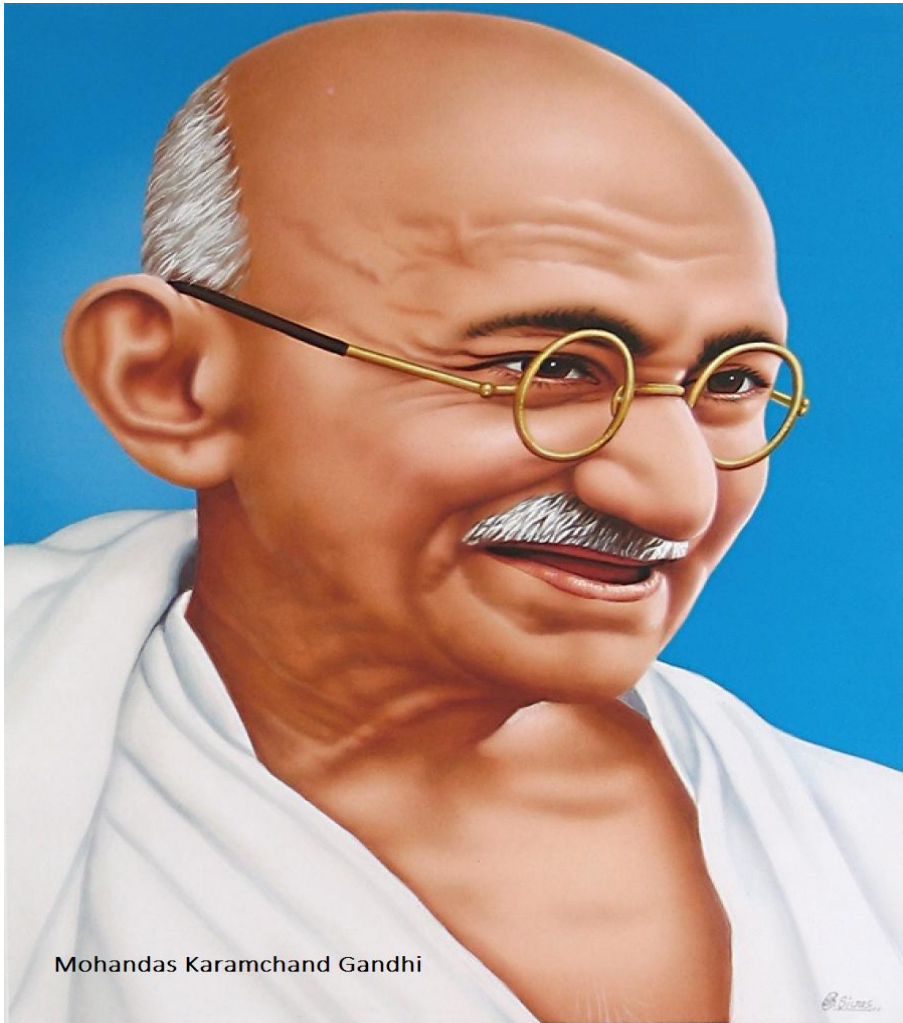


Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi



Born	Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi 2 October 1869 Porbandar, Kathiawar Agency, British Indian Empire
Died	30 January 1948 (aged 78) New Delhi, India
Cause of death	Assassination by shooting
Resting place	Cremated at Rajghat, Delhi. 28.6415°N 77.2483°E
Other names	Mahatma Gandhi, Bapu, Gandhiji
Ethnicity	Gujarati
Alma mater	Alfred High School, Rajkot, Samaldas College, Bhavnagar, University College, London(UCL)
Known for	Leadership of Indian independence movement. Philosophy of Satyagraha, Ahimsa or nonviolence. pacifism

Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi was the preeminent leader of [Indian independence movement](#) in [British-ruled India](#). Employing [nonviolent civil disobedience](#), Gandhi led India to independence and inspired movements for civil rights and freedom across the world. The [honorific](#) Mahatma ([Sanskrit](#): "high-souled", "venerable")—applied to him first in 1914 in South Africa,—is now used worldwide. He is also called Bapu ([Gujarati](#): endearment for "father", "papa") in India.



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