• As the world's largest developing country with 1.4 billion people, China had long been plagued by poverty at a scale and severity rarely seen in the world.

• Over the past seven decades, 850 million Chinese have been lifted out of poverty, accounting for over 70% of the world's poverty reduction.
• Since the 18th CPC National Congress in 2012, China has fought a decisive battle against poverty that is unprecedented in scale and intensity.

• In the past eight years, the 98.99 million rural people living below the current poverty line have shed off poverty.

• China fulfilled its goal of eradicating absolute poverty in 2020 and met the target of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development 10 years ahead of time.
Achivements in China's Poverty Alleviation
Better Living Standards

- Higher income & better benefits
- Adequate food & clothing
- Access to compulsory education, basic medical services & safe housing

Achievements in China's poverty alleviation
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Economic & Social Progress

- Upgraded infrastructure
- Improved public services
- Development of local industries
- Better ecological environment

Achievements in China’s poverty alleviation
Changes in the People

- Higher morale
- Stronger ownership for poverty reduction
- Broader horizons
- Better social etiquette

Achievements in China’s poverty alleviation
Protection of Disadvantaged Groups

- Women
- Children
- The elderly
- People with disabilities

Achievements in China’s poverty alleviation
Better Community-level Governance

- More effective self-management at many villages
- Inflow of human capital
- Improved social governance

Achievements in China’s poverty alleviation
Strategy: Targeted poverty alleviation
In what ways is the strategy “targeted”?

- Accurately identify who are in need of help
- Design locally-adapted poverty alleviation programs
- Ensure efficient use of poverty alleviation funds
- Adopt need-oriented measures for each poor household
- Appoint capable and experienced officials as chiefs of poor villages
- Deliver real results

**Strategy: Targeted Poverty Alleviation**
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Whom to Help

Criteria for Identifying the Poor

Households
- Income
- Housing
- Education
- Housing

Villages
- Poverty incidence
- Per capita net income
- Income from businesses run by village collectives

Register in National Poverty Alleviation Information System
Who to Offer Help

- A management network with clearly defined roles for each level of government
- Performance evaluation and incentives for poverty alleviation officials
- Establishing resident working teams with capable & experienced officials responsible for each poor village and household

Strategy: Targeted Poverty Alleviation
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How to Help

Five-pronged measures:

- Boosting the economy to create jobs
- Relocating the poor from inhospitable areas
- Eco-compensation
- Improving education
- Providing subsistence allowances
When & How to De-register

- Following clear standards & procedures for deregistering from the poor list
- Public review, government examination & third-party evaluation for de-registration
- A nationwide survey to assess the real effects of poverty alleviation (2020-early 2021)

**Strategy: Targeted Poverty Alleviation**
How to Prevent Relapse

- For counties, preferential policies will remain in place for five years after de-registration.
- For households, regular checkups, dynamic monitoring and continuous support will follow.

Strategy: Targeted Poverty Alleviation
Let's Tackle Poverty

- Put the people at the center
- Highlight poverty alleviation in the governance of China
- Eliminate poverty through development
- Based on the reality
- Bring into play the people's initiative
- Pool resources to form synergy

Experience: A new path of poverty alleviation
For a community with a shared future for mankind

- Support other developing countries
- Belt and Road Initiative
- Implement international cooperation programs
- Share in experience

China’s International Outreach in Poverty Alleviation
Eliminating extreme poverty represents a milestone in the history of the Chinese nation, and a major contribution to global poverty reduction and to human development and progress.
Poverty is not predestined, nor is it unconquerable.
China's experience shows that in tackling poverty, courage, vision, sense of responsibility, and commitment are the most essential.
Eliminating extreme poverty is not the end, but the beginning of a new life and a new journey.