

TEWS UPDATE APRIL-JUNE 2023



The goal of education is not to increase the amount of knowledge but to create the possibilities for a child to invent and discover, to create pupils who are capable of doing new things.

 \sim Jean Piaget

As the last rays of summer fade away and the sounds of raindrops pitter-patter on window panes, we are thrilled to welcome you back with updates from another exciting quarter at Max India Foundation. As we gather our collective energy and enthusiasm, we look forward to embarking on a journey of growth, learning, and making a positive impact on the lives of the young minds we serve. With great anticipation, we present to you our newsletter this quarter, filled with updates, opportunities, and inspiring stories that highlight the profound impact of education and our commitment to fostering a brighter future for all.



Teacher Leadership

By empowering teachers to take the lead and reimagine their classrooms, our NGO partners-Simple Education Foundation, Kshamtalaya Foundation, Madhi Foundation, Shiksharth Trust, Labhya Foundation and Foster and Forge Foundation-have gained valuable insights into effective strategies for improving Foundational Literacy and Numeracy. This quarter, these teacher leaders have set guidelines and fostered a collaborative environment to share best practices and address challenges collectively.







- 1) Capacity Building on Facilitation for Mission Buniyaad Mentor Teachers (Simple Education Foundation)
- Capacity building workshops with Shikshadoot in Bijapur, Chhattisgarh (Shiksharth Trust)
- 3) Comprehensive capacity building program for government teachers in Chennai (Madhi Foundation)

In Tandem with the state government

Our NGO partner **The Education Alliance** has started working with the State government of Punjab and appointed a team member in the **Quality and Innovation cell**. Punjab Chief Minister Fellowship, Mission Samrath, School of Eminence and summer camp are some of the initiatives which were designed and operationalised by the cell this quarter.





Summer in Full Swing

This summer our partners Teach for India, Project Why, Shiksharth, Naadvistaar organised Summer Camps for students. The children experienced a transformative journey of joy, learning, and holistic development and learned dance, drama, fashion show, art and craft, music and best out of waste. The students have grown in self-confidence, communication, teamwork, and self-expression, and have developed essential life skills that will serve them well into the future.









- 1) Students learning to play Jembe during summer vacations (Teach for India)
- 2) Students doing art work using material from nature (Shiksharth Trust)
- 3) Student displaying art and craft material made during summer camp (Project Why)
- 4) Students learning tabla during Naadvriksh summer camp (Naadvistaar)

Kshamta Utsav

Our partner Kshamtalaya Foundation conducted 4 learning festivals this quarter in the rural blocks of Udaipur in the state of **Rajasthan**. These **learning festivals** have different **learning studios such as Folk Arts of India, Handicrafts, Theatre, Board Game Design & Music and Composition**. Each studio integrated the Learning Outcomes - basic minimum expectations of FLN, Creative confidence & studio-specific skills such as Handicrafts focussed on improving dexterity & teaching children interesting knots.





Wall of Fame

We are delighted to announce that our partners have attained remarkable milestones and played a significant role in accomplishing noteworthy achievements this quarter. Our NGO partner **Kshamtalaya Foundation** won the **Top 10 position in the World's Best School prize for community collaboration**, for their remarkable **Family Champion Program**, which promotes holistic education. MIF partner **Labhya Foundation** has been selected as 1 of 8 high impact organizations in the 100x Impact Accelerator, setup by London School of Economics. Labhya has been termed a "**Social Unicorn**" by 100x. Also our partner **Routes 2 Roots** got registered with the National Stock Exchange and was recognized by the **Limca Book of Records** as the largest digital learning organization.









Shining Spotlight

Here is a showcase of inspiring talents and achievements within school walls.



- 1) Online music classes in celebration of World music day (Routes 2 Roots)
- 2) Students of AASRA Trust showcasing art work on World earth day
- 3) and 4) School of Specialised Excellence in Delhi organised sports specific trainings and its first annual arts exhibition (The Education Alliance)

On the design of induction training of government school teachers

"During my time, there was no induction training and it took me many years to understand my roles and responsibilities and the Delhi education system. I consider all new educators in Delhi government schools lucky to have such a comprehensive induction training (by Simple Education Foundation) and I think it will help them immensely in understanding their role and also giving them the right skills and mindsets to handle being a new teacher in a government school. I thoroughly enjoyed facilitating sessions for them which were beautifully designed. This is the first time that an Induction Handbook, with all rules, regulations, government structures, safety and engagement strategies, has been printed for the teachers. Wonderful initiative" - *Suman Yadav, Mentor Teacher*



In quarter 1 FY 2023-24, MIF supported the education of 10 million students, 1.23 million teachers and 25 fellows (teacher leaders). 33 million beneficiaries have been impacted since 2019 under MIF 2.0

SEE Learning India Update

Hindi Translated Curricula are here!!!

The 3 SEE Learning® curricula are now available in Hindi, the third most spoken language in the world. This will help make SEE Learning® more accessible to those educators who were unable to use the English curricula. The SEE Learning® Companion has also been translated and is being reviewed. Stay tuned for its release!

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