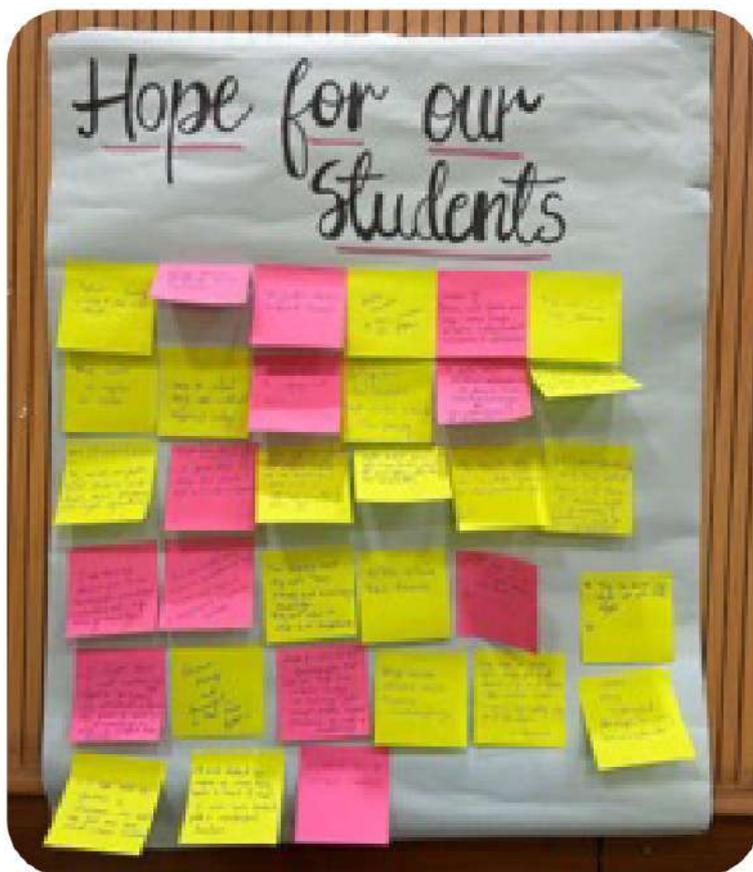


NEWS UPDATE

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“ *The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence.* ”
- **Rabindra Nath Tagore**



As we begin FY 2025-26, we are delighted to bring you the highlights from an inspiring first quarter. Between April and June 2025, our work has continued to reflect our deep commitment to nurturing young minds through quality education and holistic development. This edition of our newsletter captures the momentum we've built—featuring impactful stories, milestones achieved, and a glimpse into what lies ahead. We hope these updates energize your support and reaffirm our shared vision of a brighter, more equitable future.

Festival of Young Minds

Our NGO partner The Education Alliance envisioned the LInX Program (Learning through Industry Exposure), which is an industry-linked learning initiative aimed at providing students with industry exposure and facilitating ongoing industry engagement. The LInX Program is designed to bridge the gap between classroom learning and practical application, fostering an immersive experience in a professional environment and facilitating the development of industry-relevant skills. In this quarter, the LInX Program was launched as Summer internships / industry immersion experiences for Grade 12 students of Schools of Specialised Excellence with leading organizations and industry experts in their chosen domain of specialisation.



Students participating in Rangmanch summer camp (Teach for India)



Students created story books by themselves showcasing creativity and growing confidence in literacy (Kshamtalaya Foundation)



Football camp for student in the community (Khelo Tennis India Foundation)

Virtual Community of Practice



To address the challenge of sustained engagement post teacher training sessions, our NGO partner Simple Education Foundation initiated an online Community of Practice (CoP) through WhatsApp Groups. The CoP aims to build a network of teachers interested in using theatre as a pedagogical tool in their classrooms. It served as a collaborative space for continuous learning, idea exchange, and peer support.

Masterclass for Mentors

Our NGO partners Simple Education Foundation, Labhya Foundation, Kshamtalaya Foundation and The Circle designed and anchored capacity building sessions for mentor teachers in implementing effective Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN) pedagogies, social emotional learning skills etc. These sessions imparted tested and proven pedagogical strategies to strongly impact student learning.



Master trainer sharing language teaching strategy after a practice time (Simple Education Foundation)



Creating school vision exercise with Head of School (Kshamtalaya Foundation)



Orientation session on social emotional learning for field staff (Labhya Foundation)

Convergence for systemic transformation

This quarter, our NGO partners Teach For India, Foster and Forge Foundation, Kshamtalaya Foundation deepened its partnerships with government bodies to strengthen educational impact.



Permission secured to work with 40 government schools in Delhi (Teach for India)



Quarterly review meeting district government officials in Rajasthan (Kshamtalaya Foundation)

Convergence for systemic transformation



During the past quarter, our NGO partner The Circle organised global school visits to South Africa and UK schools for The Incubation entrepreneurs to explore innovative learning models in different parts of the world. These immersive experiences gave entrepreneurs a global perspective on innovation in education and allowed them to reflect on their own work in light of international best practices. Incubation program is a two-year, fully paid, program for entrepreneurs with the courage and commitment to redesign and launch innovative learning experiences for India's children.

Learning by Doing

Whether it's learning a new skill, creating art, coding or engaging in community projects, these experiential activities spark curiosity, deepen understanding, and build real-world skills. In the quarter students from our partner NGO schools took out time for discovery, creativity, and joyful learning that will stay with them long.



Snapshot of students during interactive live VIRSA classes (Routes 2 Roots)



A student of Delhi government school, earned an International Certificate in Coding (The Education Alliance)

Breaking Barriers: A Mother's First Visit to School

In the community, often the parents of children are informal wage workers and unable to attend parent teacher meetings as their daily wage gets impacted.



When Kshamtalaya Foundation visited a parent's home this quarter as part of the Mega Parent Teacher Meeting campaign, she welcomed the representatives warmly but said softly, "How can I leave my work? And I don't even know how to speak in a school meeting." She shared that she works as a daily wage laborer under MNREGA. Missing even half a day of work means losing her day's income, which made it hard for her to come to school. She also felt unsure thinking PTMs were not meant for people like her. With consistent follow-ups and warm conversations, she finally agreed. For the first time, Kamla Bai attended a PTM. She sat through the meeting, visited her child's classroom, and even

spoke to the team. In a quiet moment, she stood up and shared her reason for not coming earlier. Her honesty touched everyone in the room. That day was special not just for Kamla Bai, but for her child who saw their mother at school for the very first time. It reminded us how a small effort to connect can lead to big changes.

In quarter 1 FY 2025-26, MIF supported the education of 1 lakh+ students, 3500+ teachers. 42.23 lakh beneficiaries have been impacted since 2019 under MIF 2.0

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