



Spark-A-Change
FOUNDATION

Annual Report 2024 - 2025



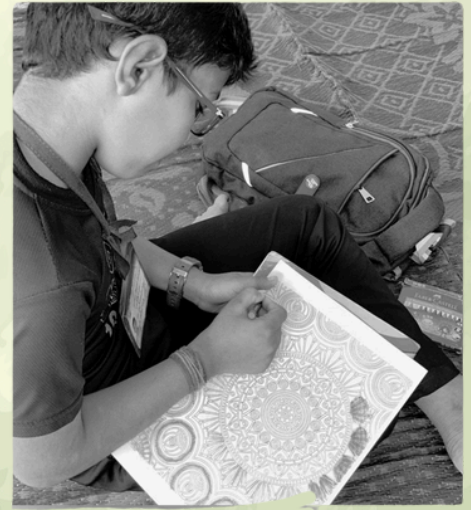


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Founder's Note

DEAR FRIENDS AND SUPPORTERS,



AS WE LOOK BACK ON A MEANINGFUL YEAR, I'M FILLED WITH GRATITUDE FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

THESE PAST YEARS HAVE SHOWN THE POWER OF RESILIENCE AND COLLABORATION IN MAKING QUALITY EDUCATION ACCESSIBLE. WE'VE EXPANDED OUR WORK, CONTINUED EVOLVING OUR PROGRAMS TO MEET THE REAL NEEDS OF STUDENTS AND EDUCATORS.

THE STORIES OF STUDENTS OVERCOMING CHALLENGES AND TEACHERS DRIVING CHANGE KEEP US INSPIRED AND FOCUSED ON OUR MISSION.

IN THE YEAR AHEAD, WE AIM TO DEEPEN OUR IMPACT WITH INTEGRITY, RESPECT, AND EXCELLENCE. THANK YOU FOR BEING SUCH AN ESSENTIAL PART OF THIS JOURNEY. TOGETHER, WE'RE CREATING A FUTURE WHERE EVERY CHILD CAN LEARN, GROW, AND THRIVE.

WARM REGARDS,
NIRMALA & GAURI
FOUNDER & CO-FOUNDER

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

QUALITY EDUCATION FOR SOCIAL IMPACT



OUR PRIMARY FOCUS
ACCESS TO OPPORTUNITIES FOR
QUALITY EDUCATION

3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

GOOD HEALTH & WELL BEING

Education encourages the children to lead healthy lives, understand the importance of hygiene and sanitation. This could also help in comprehending the knowledge to prevent disease. Higher levels of education among girl-children/ mothers improves children's nutrition, and reduces child deaths, maternal mortality and HIV.

5 GENDER EQUALITY

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The education of girl-children impacts generations. We can prevent child marriage, reduce women dying in childbirth and halve number of children dying under the age of five, just by educating girls.

8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

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An increase in the average educational attainment of a country by 1 year increases annual per capita GDP growth by 2-2.5%. Less than 5% of India's workforce has formal skills training, and 122 million new workers will be added by 2030.

Quality education and skill development opportunities can help provide better career options.

10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES

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Education facilitates the structural transformation of the economy and enables educated workers to transition into the non-agricultural sector. Literacy rate in India went up by 9.2% in the past decade and income inequality for India fell from 36.8% in 2010 to 33.6% in 2015.



Empowering children and youth and women through education, skills, and support
– one **spark** at a time

Explore

A look at our key Programs

Anviksha Early Ed

Board Ready

FLP

Saarathi



Anviksha Early Ed

Quality NEP aligned early childhood education to 2,400 children in Nursery, Jr KG, and Sr KG across 48 classrooms, building foundational skills and promoting holistic development.

Foundational Learning Program

An after-school volunteer-led program for 500 students of Grades 1 to 7 to strengthen conceptual skills in English and Math .

It aims to improve their literacy and numeracy skills through a robust curriculum and activities such as art, dance, yoga, and life skills training.



Board Ready

Free tutoring support for over 150 students of grades 8-12 to enable better performance in Board Exams. Workshops on career counseling, digital and employability skills guide them to build future career pathways

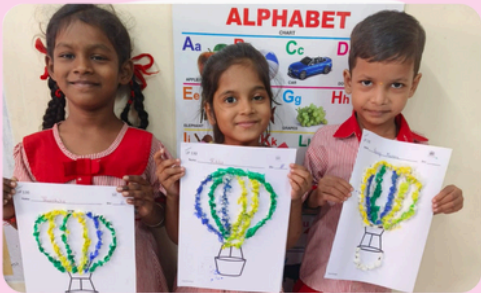


Saarathi

Women Empowerment Program

This initiative focuses on equipping women with valuable skills in Spoken English, Mehendi application, Computer literacy

LEARNING AT ANVIKSHA

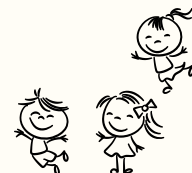


•Our experience in addressing learning gaps strengthened our belief that strong foundational skills in the early years are critical for long-term learning.

•We developed an early years curriculum aligned with NEP and NIPUN guidelines, using fun, low-cost activities to actively engage young learners.

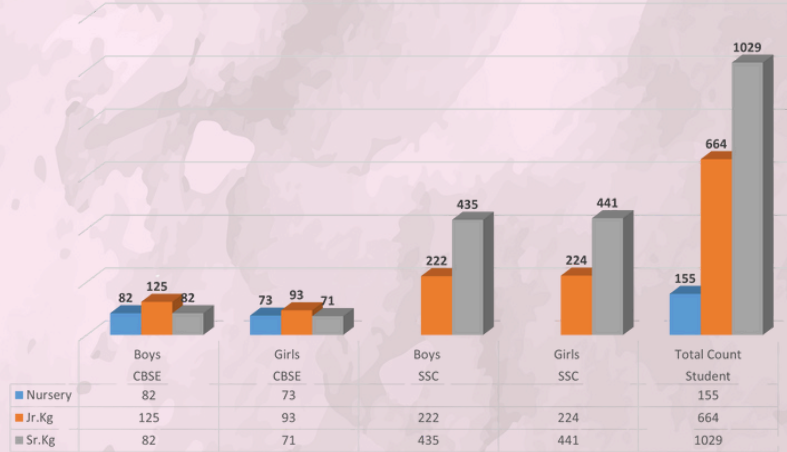
•Through our Preschool Program, we support 2400 children across Nursery, Jr. KG, and Sr. KG in 48 classrooms across 13 BMC schools.

•Focus on continuous teacher training, holistic development through Art, Dance, Yoga, and Life Skills, and active parent engagement via regular workshops and interactions are our mainstays of the program

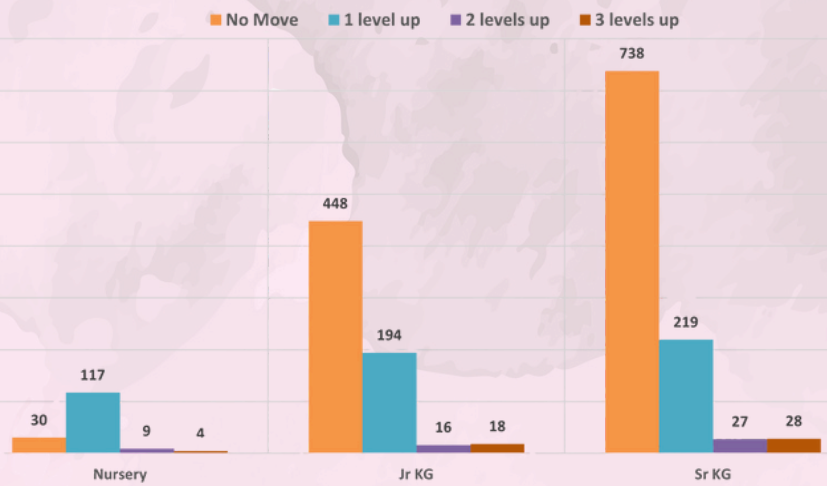


ANVIKSHA EARLY ED DEMOGRAPHICS AND IMPACT GRAPHS

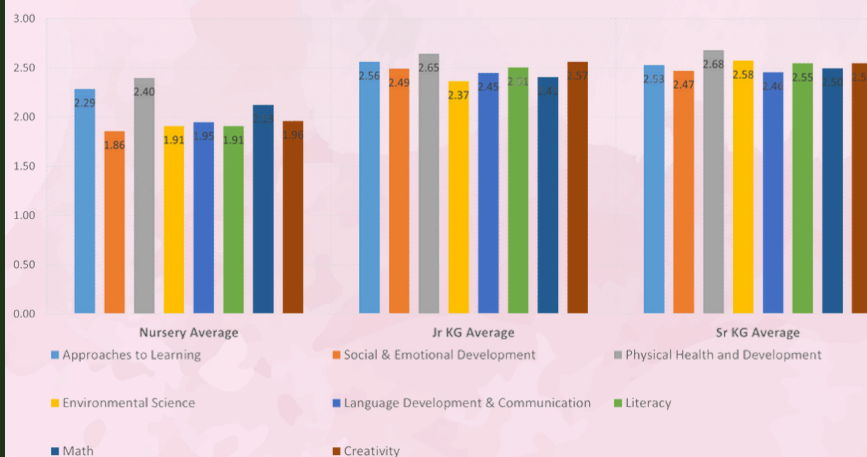
Board / Grade Wise Student Count 2024-2025



Anviksha Early Ed Program Impact



Anviksha Early Ed - Learning Outcomes



- The Anviksha Early Education Program shows positive learning impact, with many students progressing by one or more learning levels across Nursery, Jr KG, and Sr KG.
- Learning outcomes steadily improve from Nursery to Sr KG across all developmental areas, indicating strong foundational skill development.
- Student enrolment remains robust across CBSE and SSC sections, with higher numbers in Jr KG and Sr KG.
- Overall, the data reflects effective program implementation and consistent academic and developmental progress among students.

FOUNDATIONAL LEARNING PROGRAM



The training



The teaching



The fun part

- Our flagship program strengthens foundational English and Math skills for students in grades 1–7 through an activity-based curriculum delivered by trained volunteers.

- We focus on helping children speak, read, write, and comprehend English, while understanding basic math concepts through real-life applications.

- Co-curricular activities such as art, dance, yoga, board games, conversational English, and well-being sessions provide holistic learning.

- The program currently supports 500+ children across 2 learning centres with the help of 150+ volunteers, along with a daily nutritious snack for overall well-being.

FOUNDATIONAL LEARNING PROGRAM DEMOGRAPHICS AND IMPACT GRAPHS

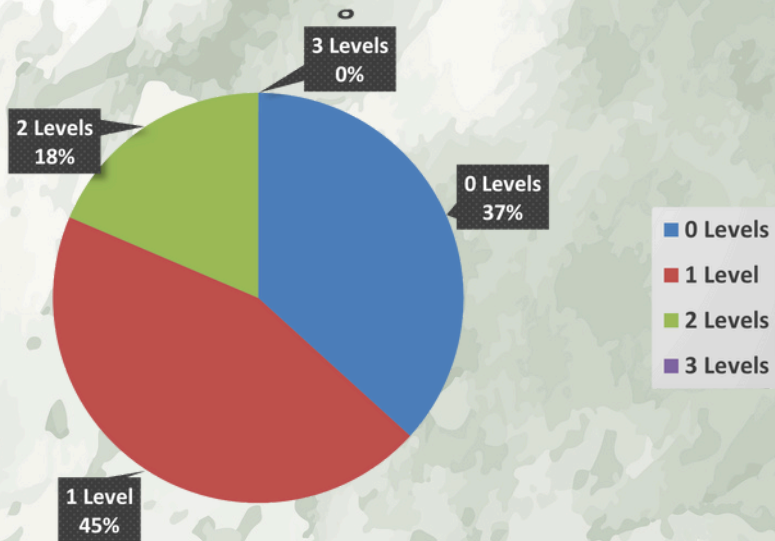
- The FLP English Progress graph shows that a majority of students made measurable progress, with 45% improving by one level and 18% advancing by two levels, reflecting steady gains in language skills.

- The FLP Math Progress graph highlights similar improvement patterns, with 42% of students moving up by one level and 14% by two levels.

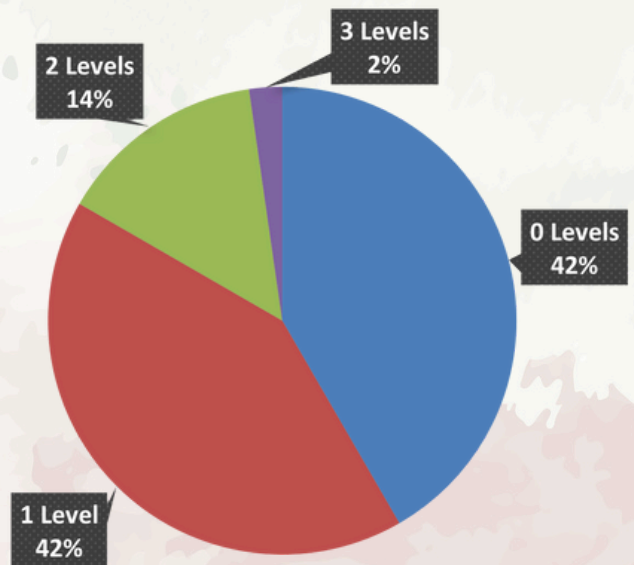
- A small proportion (2%) achieved progress of three levels, indicating significant gains, while 42% remained at the same level.

- Overall, both graphs demonstrate encouraging progress in foundational English and Math learning during 2024–25.

FLP ENGLISH PROGRESS 24 -25



FLP MATH PROGRESS 24 -25



BOARD READY & YOUTH EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM



IDIA Session



Leadership



Exam Kit Distribution

- Board Ready Program equips students with academic support, career guidance, and essential skills to excel in Grade 8-12 board exams.
- Complementing this, the Youth Empowerment Program provides mentoring, internships, vocational training, and scholarships to college students, fostering leadership, and career readiness to drive a meaningful change.



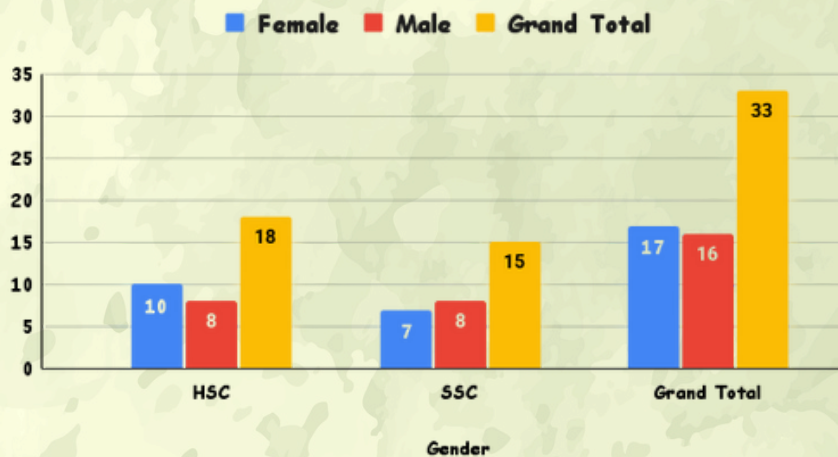
BOARD READY DEMOGRAPHICS AND IMPACT GRAPHS

•A total of 33 students appeared for the SSC and HSC board examinations in 2024–25, including 17 female and 16 male students, with 18 from HSC and 15 from SSC.

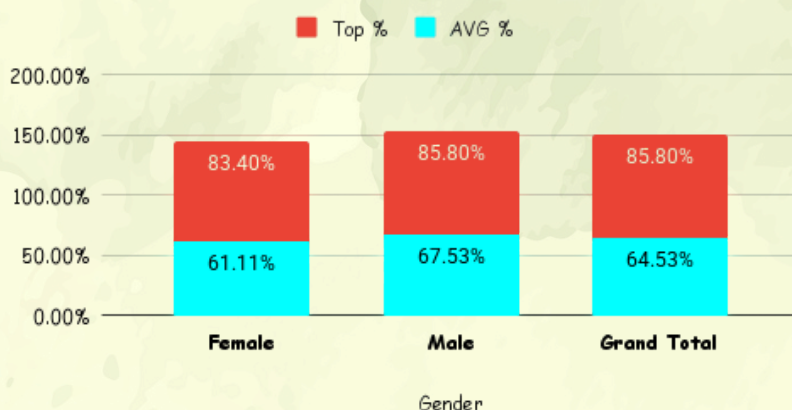
•SSC students achieved an overall average of 64.53% with a top score of 85.80%, while HSC students recorded an average of 57.16% and a highest score of 79.67%.

•Overall, the results highlight the students' consistent effort, dedication, and academic progress in the board examinations.

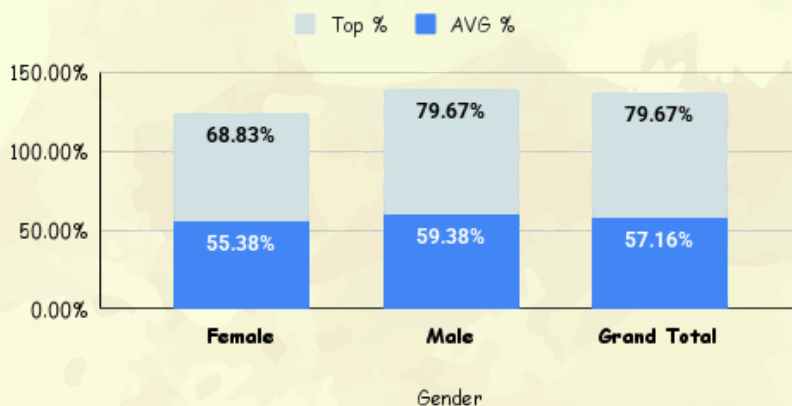
BOARD EXAM STUDENTS IN 2024-25



SSC STUDENTS, AVG % and Top %



HSC STUDENTS, AVG % and Top %



COLLABORATIONS



Diya Painting

We had a wonderful Diwali celebration at our center, thanks to SHL's pre-Diwali activities. The festivities began with a diya painting workshop, allowing children to express their creativity. Each child created a unique diya to take home, spreading joy. A big thank you to SHL for supporting our mission to educate underprivileged children!

Mount Litera Students Visit

Mount litera School students and some teachers visited our RTO Centre on sang a song, danced with students and instructed students to make greeting cards for their loved ones to give on the occasion of Valentine's Day.



Backspaced Tshirt Painting

The Tshirt painting was a vibrant celebration of creativity, where the students expressed their ideas through art. Our Student Tanvi won the T-shirt painting activity conducted at our learning Centres

Heritage Walk by BPT

Heritage walk organised by BPT (Bombay Port Trust). They showed how the ship functions, how it enters the Port, Ship repairing area. They invited our 50 Students of Grade 8th, 9th & 11th and 5 volunteers with the students.



COLLABORATIONS



Jamnabai Students Visit

The Jamnabai students' visit was a warm and engaging experience that encouraged interaction, learning, and meaningful connections in a positive and welcoming environment.

OIS Fair

Our participation at the OIS Fair was a dynamic experience where meaningful interactions and engaging activities helped spread awareness, inspire young minds to drive volunteering engagements



Barry John's Theatre

Our ongoing collaboration with Barry John Theatre has been an enriching experience that fosters self-expression, confidence, and creative growth, inspiring participants to explore their potential and embrace positive change.

ESA - IPL

350 children from SAC were thrilled to witness the IPL match live at Wankhede stadium as part of the ESA initiative of Reliance Foundation.



EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Muso Visit

91 SAC students from grades 2-9 had an enthralling experiential visit to the Museum of Solutions. Thanks to MuSo, they engaged in a multitude of activities across the 7th, 8th, and 9th floor of the museum.

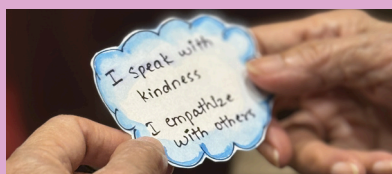


Menstrual Hygiene Session

Students from Jai Hind College conducted a session on Menstrual Hygiene through games and activities for all SAC girls above grades 5, culminating with distribution of sanitary napkins

Summer Camp

Our Annual Summer camp was a fun and enriching experience that fostered creativity, learning, and teamwork, giving participants a space to grow, explore, and create lasting memories.



Volunteer Training Session

An intensive training session on strategies to improve reading and comprehension skills using low cost resources for volunteers of the Foundational Learning Program conducted by Jinal Savla. Highly interactive with engaging activities, enthusiastic participation.



Pottery

Pottery Session Organised for our RTO centre students by Educated Environment. Students enjoyed the session and learned how to make pots, cups etc.

Kathak at Rangsharda

Myra Barot not only taught Kathak to our students, but also got them to perform to a packed auditorium.

A graceful celebration of classical dance, showcasing our cultural heritage with rhythm, expression and storytelling



Tshirt Distribution

Receiving a SAC T-shirt gives our students a sense of ownership, belonging and reinforcing unity within the community.

Project Kaizeen

An initiative focused on continuous growth and positive change, among our youngest learners, encouraging participation through new concepts.



Republic Day

Our enthusiastic Centre Heads Ms. Shilpa & Ms. Sangeeta organized Republic day celebrations through art, rampwalk, patriotic songs etc at their centres.



Holi Celebration

Students of Rutumbara College organized a T-Shirt painting activity for students of our RTO centre to celebrate Holi



Women's Day

Women's Day was a powerful celebration of strength, resilience, and achievement, honoring our special women while inspiring confidence, equality, and empowerment.



Raksha Bandhan

Raksha Bandhan was celebrated with warmth and creativity as students made rakhis, expressing love, care and the spirit of togetherness through their handmade creations.

SPECIAL DAYS



Independence Day

Independence Day was celebrated with pride and patriotism, honoring the spirit of freedom, unity, and the values that bind us together as a nation, at all the centers.

Children's Day

Children's Day was a joyful celebration filled with fun activities, laughter, and learning, honoring the spirit, creativity, and potential of every child.



Teacher's Day

Teachers' Day was a heartfelt celebration recognizing the guidance, dedication, and inspiration of educators, honoring their pivotal role in shaping minds and futures.

Garba Celebration

The Garba celebration was a vibrant and energetic event filled with traditional dance, music, and cultural spirit, bringing everyone together in joy and festivity.



Trainings



Regular training sessions were conducted for SAC volunteers and teachers to strengthen English and Math instruction, along with focused capacity-building for Anviksha teachers. These trainings enhanced teaching skills, activity-based methods, and classroom effectiveness, ensuring better learning outcomes for students.

Picnic



Our annual picnic for teachers and volunteers offered a refreshing opportunity to relax, bond and let their hair down. It strengthened team spirit, boosted morale, and fostered a sense of togetherness beyond the classroom.

COLLABORATORS



JAMNABAI NARSEE
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL



We make IT happen



OBEROI
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL



MUKESH PATEL SCHOOL OF
TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT
& ENGINEERING



DSJC



Durgadevi Saraf
junior college

Collaborations that Create Impact

Collaborations and exposure experiences significantly shape the learning journeys of our beneficiaries. Through music and dance workshops, museum and science visits, celebrations, and stage performances, children gain confidence, discover new interests, see possibilities beyond their immediate circumstances and learn to express themselves beyond textbooks.

Each collaboration contributes to visible growth in curiosity, participation, and self-belief, reinforcing our commitment to holistic development



FINANCIALS 2024-25

THE BOMBAY PUBLIC TRUSTS ACT, 1950							
SCHEDULE - VIII [Vide Rule 17(1)]							
SPARK-A-CHANGE FOUNDATION							
Reg.No P.T.R - E-31084 (Mum)							
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST MARCH 2025							
2023-24 (RS.)	FUNDS & LIABILITIES	2024-25 (RS.)		2023-24 (RS.)	PROPERTY & ASSETS	2024-25 (RS.)	
		(RS.)	(RS.)	(RS.)		(RS.)	(RS.)
	CORPUS FUND				Immovable Properties		
15,000	Trust Fund			1,27,200	Computer & Accessories		83,699
-	Balance as per last Balance Sheet	15,000					
	Add-during the year			1,37,250	Furniture & Fixtures		3,55,749
15,000			15,000	1,78,525	Air Conditioner		1,51,746
	Current Liabilities				Speakers & Accessories		14,441
20,990	Outstanding Liabilities		12,930		Loans & Advances		
29,500	Audit Fees Payable		29,500		Deposits	1,55,437	
	Deposite from IC Student		2,74,000	4,27,657	To Others		1,55,437
	Income Tax Provision for A.y 2016-17		52,237	1,738			
					Income Outstanding		Nil
99,10,477	INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT		1,22,01,679		Cash & Bank Balances		
1,60,81,920	Balance as per last Balance Sheet	99,10,477			Cash balance	35,835	
(61,71,443)	Add/Less: (Deficit)/ Surplus	24,56,097		1,90,498	Balance with Bank	10,02,557	
	Less:- Prior period Adjustment of Income Tax for A.y 2016-17	(1,64,895)		37,35,479	Fixed deposits	87,85,882	
				31,77,620	Mutual Fund	20,00,000	1,18,24,274
				20,00,000			
99,75,967			1,25,85,346	99,75,967			1,25,85,346

UDIN :- 25179843BMMBPP4651

As per our Report Attached

For AFS & Company

Chartered Accountants

FOR SPARK-A-CHANGE FOUNDATION



Anwar Shaikh
Place:- Mumbai
Dated : 25/08/2025



Nismah

Trustee
Place:- Mumbai
Dated : 25/08/2025

Shauki

Trustee
Place:- Mumbai
Dated : 25/08/2025

THE BOMBAY PUBLIC TRUSTS ACT,1950
SCHEDULE - IX [Vide Rule 17(1)]

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INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH, 2025

2023-24 (RS.)	Expenditures	2024-25		2023-24 (RS.)	Incomes	2024-25	
		(RS.)	(RS.)			(RS.)	(RS.)
-	To Expenditure in respect of Properties						
	Rent	-	-	78,287	By Interest (accrued)		-
				3,55,669	Saving Bank Account		97,977
				73,993	Fixed deposits		1,54,377
					Profit from sale of Mutual Funds		-
1,88,945	To Establishment Expenses		4,69,296				
29,500	Audit Fees	29,500		28,74,127	By Donations		1,73,19,540
8,998	Fundraising Expenses	1,24,209			By Income From other sources		-
56,800	Legal & Professional Fees	60,030			By Transfer from Reserves		Nil
3,918	Bank Charges	6,475					
1,216	Miscellaneous Exp	29,009		Nil			
24,739	Conveyance	60,174					
11,249	Postage and Courier exp	18,497					
-	Internet expenses	9,326					
-	Telephone exp	7,422					
52,525	Depreciation Exp	1,24,654					
	To Expenditure on the object of the Trust		1,46,46,501		By Deficit carried over to Balance Sheet		
93,64,574	Educational Program Expenses	1,46,46,501					
(61,71,443)	To Surplus carried over to Balance Sheet		24,56,097				
33,82,076			1,75,71,894	33,82,076			1,75,71,894

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MORE INFORMATION



Trust information

Trust registration number: E31084

PAN: AAPTS1938Q

FCRA registration number: 083781627

80G certificate number: CIT(E)/80G/1184/2016-17

12A registration number: 47759/19.10.2015

Bankers

Account name: SPARK-A-CHANGE FOUNDATION

Bank: HDFC Bank

Branch: Lokhandwala

Account type: Savings

Account number: 50100100619860

FCRA Account - Non-Indian Citizens

Account Name : SPARK-A-CHANGE FOUNDATION

Bank : State Bank of India

Account Number : 40147461808

Account Type : Current

IFSC : SBIN0000691 / **SWIFT :** SBININBB104

Statutory auditors : AFS & COMPANY

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SAC AT GLANCE

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BE A PART OF THE CHANGE

BECOME A VOLUNTEER

We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers
keen to make a difference

TO VOLUNTEER : 9769699123

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