

# SPARSHA CHARITABLE TRUST

CARE FOR HUMANITY...

**"EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION IS THE KEY  
TO THE BETTERMENT OF SOCIETY." – MARIA  
MONTESSORI**



MAY 2025  
MONTH



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Dear Friends, Supporters, and Changemakers,

This May was not just another month – it was a milestone in Sparsha's journey. As we celebrated 25 years of our work with children, youth, and communities, I felt a deep sense of gratitude and responsibility. What started as a small initiative rooted in compassion has now blossomed into a movement of care, education, and empowerment.



In our Shiksha Program, Reshma's journey from a shy child to a confident participant highlights the importance of early education. Our Sanskar Program fostered literacy, creativity, and fitness during summer, while our Swayam youth achieved impressive academic results with a 99% SSC and 90% HSC pass rate, showcasing their dedication and support from mentors. The Saksham Program enhanced family engagement, helping parents and teachers navigate digital challenges together. This month also emphasized our partnerships, with contributions from Apnalaya, the Rotary Club, and volunteers like Mohit, adding innovation to our classrooms. As we move forward, let's continue fostering care, community, and courage for every child's chance to succeed.

With gratitude,  
Sarika Desai  
CEO, Sparsha Charitable Trust

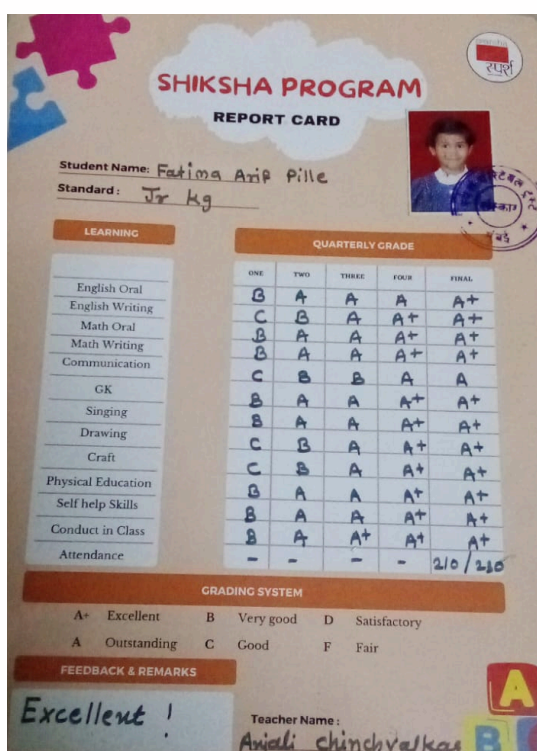
# SHIKSHA PROGRAM

## Our Activities in March 2025



Reshma Kadam, a bright young girl from Kokari Mahada Chawl, has been a part of the Sparsha family for the past two years. When she first joined our Shiksha program, she was shy and hesitant, unfamiliar with studies, and afraid to step into the classroom environment. With the patient guidance of Anjali Ma'am and the nurturing atmosphere at Sparsha,

Reshma slowly found her confidence. She learned not only how to study but also how to express herself. Today, Reshma Kadam is a confident learner, actively participating in all activities and even delivering speeches during events – something she never imagined doing before. Now promoted to the 1st standard, Reshma is transitioning into Sparsha's Sanskar Program, where her journey of learning and personal growth will continue. Reshma's story is a shining example of how consistent care and support can transform a child's life.



We celebrate the successful completion of the academic year by all students in the Shiksha program and prepare to welcome 15 new learners through an upcoming enrollment drive. Our dedicated teachers are planning and organizing to create a nurturing environment for a smooth transition. We express gratitude to our supporters for helping build strong foundations for early education and aim to make learning accessible to every child.

# SANSKAR PROGRAM

## Our Activities in March 2025



On May 7, 2025, students under the Sanskar Program took a meaningful step forward in their learning journey. Through guided reading sessions, they practiced reading small three- to four-letter words. This marks a strong foundation in their early literacy skills.

On May 13, 2025, students of the Sanskar program turned their summer vacation into a celebration of fitness and fun through a vibrant Sports Day. Playing badminton and many other games highlighted the importance of holistic child development.



On May 19, Sanskar program students turned their summer break into a celebration of creativity. Through the art of greeting card making, they expressed emotions, built focus, and explored their imagination in the most beautiful way.

# SWAYAM PROGRAM

## Our Activities in March 2025

On May 13, 2025, under the Swayam program, our students had the opportunity to explore the world of coding with Mohit Kadam, a dedicated student from ITC College. Mohit's engaging teaching style made complex concepts accessible and exciting. We're grateful for his time and effort in empowering our students with digital skills.



In May 2025, 99% of our SSC students passed with flying colors, and our HSC students secured an impressive 90% success rate. This achievement is a reflection of their hard work, the dedication of our educators, and your continued support. Let's continue to empower dreams through education!



On May 29, 2025, Swayam program students participated in a hands-on session with an electronic quiz board, led by ITI students. This peer-led initiative promoted curiosity, teamwork, and technical skills, part of Sparsha's mission to empower youth through practical education and mentorship. Collaborative learning fosters innovation and bridges knowledge.



# SAKSHAM PROGRAM

## Our Activities in March 2025



On 5th May 2025, Sparsha Charitable Trust had the privilege of participating in a partnership program hosted by Apnalaya. The meeting brought together Apnalaya's partner NGOs to share their impactful work. It was a valuable platform for collaboration, learning, and strengthening our shared mission for community development.

At the recent Parent-Teacher Meeting, teachers shared personal backgrounds and inspirations while engaging in meaningful discussions about children's needs and support. This meeting fostered trust and understanding, aiming to create a nurturing environment where every child feels seen, heard, and supported.



In this month's parent meeting, we discussed the impact of screen time and technology on children. Parents were guided on setting healthy boundaries and encouraging offline activities to support balanced development.

# OUR GRATITUDE

## Our Activities in March 2025

On May 26, 2025, Sparsha Charitable Trust successfully organized a food distribution session, benefiting 120 students across our centers. This initiative ensured that children received nourishing meals, reinforcing our commitment to their holistic well-being.



We are grateful to the Rotary Club for their generous donation on 21st May 2025. The drive supported our children with essential clothes, books, stationery, and learning materials. This thoughtful contribution will go a long way in empowering young minds through education. Thank you for standing with us in shaping brighter futures.

On May 31st, Sparsha Charitable Trust celebrated its 25th Anniversary, marking a milestone of compassion and community transformation. The event featured vibrant student performances and an inspiring speech from the CEO about the Trust's journey and vision. Teachers and students were recognized for their dedication, highlighting the progress made and the potential for future achievements together.

