NAVNEET FOUNDATION

FOR IT IS IN GIVING THAT WE RECEIVE

Connecting Communities, Sustaining Lives.



Annual Report 2025-26.

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The Ripple Effect:
Local Partnership, Sustainable Impact



In this new age of global challenges, systemic transformation requires multiple forces. We believe that sustainability cannot be achieved by remaining in silos, but through collective and joint efforts. It requires a strategic alignment of policies, resources, and most importantly community.

Proudly carrying forward Navneet's 60+ years legacy of humanitarian groundwork, this year's report focuses on **'The Ripple Effect'** created by moving beyond traditional boundaries. We are exploring new, integrated avenues by trying to involve the community and local authorities or local Govt. bodies in most /each of our programmes and create a sustainable ecosystem.

Our efforts are directed towards building strategic alliances that leverage the unique strengths of every partner, transforming collective capabilities into powerful tools for social and environmental stability.



We believe sustainability is the foundation of an unbreakable future, powered by self - reliant ecosystem.

The Core Role of the Community

We are moving beyond traditional boundaries to involve community members and local government bodies as **active co-creators** of their own development. By shifting from a "top-down" approach to one rooted in local participation, we achieve:



Ownership and Accountability:

When people help design the solutions, they take responsibility for maintaining them, transforming outside interventions into **self-reliant ecosystems.**

Leveraging Local Knowledge:

Communities possess deep insights into their environment and culture, allowing us to implement strategies that are culturally acceptable and contextually relevant.

Shared Responsibility:

We are building a legacy where every stakeholder private, public, and community is accountable for the long-term success of social and environmental initiatives.

Our shift this year was from "managing projects" to **"building ecosystems."** We focused on **Co-Invested Resilience,** where we don't just "fill gaps" in services; we redesign the systems that created those gaps in the first place. Whether it is climate-smart infrastructure or digital literacy, our programmes are designed to be self-sustaining, ensuring they continue to thrive long after the initial implementation phase.

LETTER FROM THE BOARD



The world today faces complex challenges that no single organisation, institution, or government can solve alone. From climate change and environmental degradation to education, healthcare, and livelihoods, lasting solutions require collaboration, shared responsibility, and active participation from the communities they are intended to serve.

At Navneet Foundation, this belief has shaped our approach for over six decades. As we continue Navneet's legacy of service, we recognise that sustainable development is not only about creating impact today but also about enabling communities to sustain that impact for years to come.

Across our programmes, we have increasingly focused on working alongside local communities, government bodies, grassroots organisations, and other partners. We have learnt that when people are involved in identifying challenges and implementing solutions, they develop a sense of ownership that strengthens outcomes and ensures long-term continuity.

Nature offers one of the best examples of sustainability. A forest thrives not because of a single tree, but because every element within it supports the other.

In much the same way, meaningful social change grows stronger when different stakeholders contribute their strengths towards a common purpose.

This philosophy guides our work across education, health, environmental conservation, animal welfare, and community development. Our objective is not only to implement programmes but also to strengthen local capacities, encourage shared ownership, and build systems that continue to benefit communities long after our direct involvement.

We extend our sincere gratitude to our partners, government departments, volunteers, community leaders, and every individual who has contributed to this journey. Your trust and collaboration continue to inspire us.

Together, we are creating stronger communities, resilient systems, and a future where development is sustained not by one organisation alone, but by the collective commitment of many.

- Anil Dungarshi Gala
- Gnanesh Dungarshi Gala
- Sandeep Shantilal Gala
- Bipin Amarchand Gala
- Raju Harakhchand Gala
- Shailendra Jitendra Gala

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VISION, MISSION AND VALUES

VISION:

To ignite a movement committed to fostering sustainable societal development by empowering both individuals and communities.

MISSION:

Cultivating an enabling environment to empower the underprivileged by increasing access to resources, building capacity and developing skills to create equal opportunity for community participation ultimately driving positive impact and sustainable development.

VALUES:



OUR APPROACH

01
Community First
We involve the community at every stage so the programme meets their real needs.

02
Understanding Local Needs
We talk to people, conduct surveys, and hold group discussions to understand local problems and opportunities.

03
Planning Together
Community members help plan activities and solutions so they feel connected and responsible for the programme.

04
Encouraging Local Leadership
We support local leaders, volunteers, and groups to take charge and guide activities.

05
Training & Skill Development
We provide training and awareness programmes to help people manage and continue initiatives on their own.

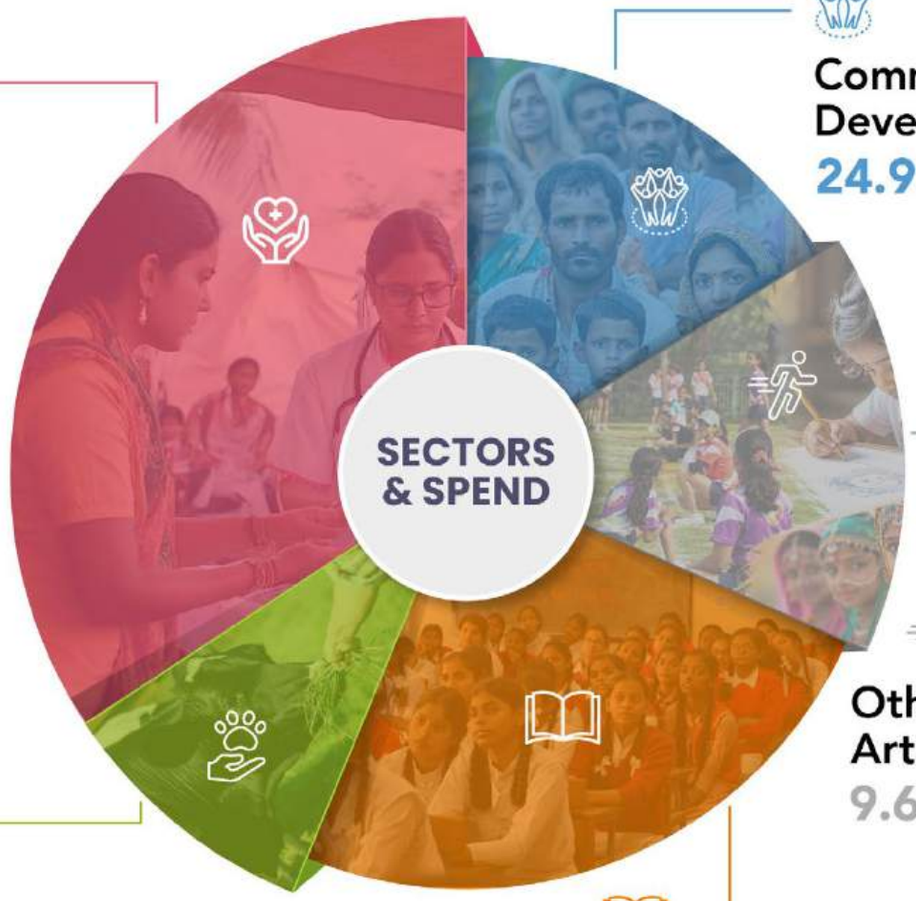
06
Working Together
NF, community and the government work together and share responsibilities.

07
Focus on Long-Term Sustainability
We promote solutions that are socially, economically, and environmentally sustainable.

08
Building Partnerships & Support
We connect with CSR partners, government schemes, donors, and local supporters to strengthen the programme.

09
Regular Monitoring & Improvement
We review progress regularly, take feedback from the community, and improve the programme when needed.

SECTORS & SPEND



Medical & Health
32.03%

Community Development
24.99%

Others (Sports & Art & Culture)
9.69%

Education
28.19%

Animal Welfare
5.11%







Education

At Navneet, we believe education creates opportunities and enables every child to succeed. Through early childhood education, digital learning, teacher training, learning support, skill-building, and several other initiatives, we focus on building inclusive and impactful education programmes that are sustainable, community-driven, and designed to become self-reliant over time.

At Navneet Foundation, we work closely with local communities to strengthen capacities, encourage ownership, and develop long-term strategies that enable quality education initiatives to continue independently and sustainably.

Total Benificiaries

45,580



01

Digital Learning

Smart Education for Every Child



The Digital Learning programme at Navneet Foundation uses technology to make learning more engaging and effective **in Government schools** across Maharashtra and Gujarat. Interactive digital content helps students understand concepts more easily & encourages greater participation in the classroom.

The digital education initiative is implemented in collaboration with like-minded corporates and allied stakeholders. Over the years, Digital education has reached over 10,50,000 students through 8,700+ schools. This year over 17,800 students in 55 schools benefitted through our digital learning programme.

10,50,000+
Total students benefitted

8,700+
Schools covered

17,800+
Students in 55 schools this year

The programme aims to strengthen classroom learning by integrating digital tools and interactive educational content into everyday teaching practices. Students are provided access to a wide range of digital learning resources including animations, quizzes, games, videos, and multimedia presentations that make learning more engaging, participatory, and easier to understand.

Key Outcomes:



Access to quality digital resources



Interactive & engaging classrooms



Greater student participation



Better academic performance



Enhanced teaching practices



Improved attendance & retention

02

NavDisha – Teacher Empowerment

Developing Educators, Inspiring Change



Navneet Foundation envisages a future where every child has access to quality education and meaningful learning opportunities. .

To further this commitment, Navneet Foundation through its Teacher training focuses on strengthening educators' skills, knowledge, and teaching practices through continuous learning and exposure to modern educational approaches. The initiative supports teachers in creating more engaging, inclusive, and learner-focused classroom experiences through online and offline workshops, trainings, and the **NavDisha** digital platform. More than 520 hands on trainings have been conducted since 2016 by the Foundation for teachers in Maharashtra, benefitting over 35000 educators.

During the current academic year, 106 workshops were conducted across Maharashtra, reaching approximately 5,909 teachers through a range of capacity-building and training programmes. In line with the goal of supporting education in remote and tribal areas, the initiative expanded its reach to regions such as Dindori, Karad, Osmanabad, Kuhi, Palghar, and Badlapur.

Annual Workshop Overview

(April 2025 - March 2026)

5,909 Participants

106 Workshops conducted

6 Regions

Mumbai
Leads in Participants

Government Scholarship
was the most delivered topic

The workshops focused on reinforcing teachers' subject expertise and classroom practices through exposure to new age and innovative teaching methodologies in Mathematics, English, and Scholarship preparation. Teachers were also oriented to the key principles and vision of the National Education Policy (NEP 2020), enabling them to align their teaching methods with evolving educational priorities.





Number of Teacher Beneficiaries - Subject Wise

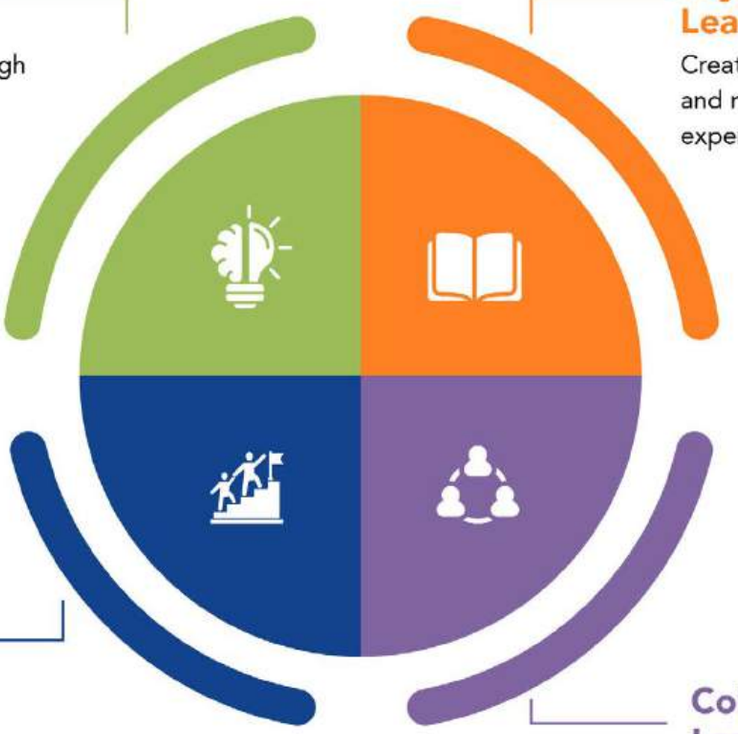
- Govt. Scholarship Exam — 2852
- NEP - 2020 — 1241
- English workshop (Primary) — 761
- Math workshop (Primary) — 666
- School Leadership Development — 389

Through these efforts, the initiative has contributed towards enhancing educators' capacities, promoting improved pedagogical practices, and supporting a more engaging and effective learning environment for students.

Focus Areas:

Teacher Skill Enhancement
Empowering educators through continuous learning and professional growth.

Joyful Learning Methods
Creating engaging, inclusive and meaningful learning experiences for every learner.



Leadership Development
Nurturing leaders to inspire, innovate and create positive impact.

Collaborative Learning Culture
Building a culture of trust, teamwork and shared growth.

NavDisha, a flagship initiative of Navneet Foundation, is a digital platform that supports teachers through articles, blogs, podcasts, self-development resources, government circulars, and online learning sessions on innovative teaching practices and educational technology. The portal also offers expert guidance, downloadable certificates, and free personalized "Tr." visiting cards for registered users.

With over 12,000 registered educators, NavDisha is now also available as a mobile application, making learning resources easily accessible anytime, anywhere.

To strengthen the Teachers' Training Programme, annual and online sessions were conducted for Regional Coordinators and Resource Persons, covering workshop reviews, subject-specific training, activity-based learning, and best teaching practices. An interaction with National Awardee teacher Mr. Sandipan Jagdale further enriched the programme with insights from his teaching journey.

The team also visited Jalindar Nagar Z.P. Primary School near Khed, Pune, recognised among the World's Top 10 Schools by T4 Education, England, to felicitate the school and document its innovative educational practices.

The Teachers' Training Programme has also contributed to improved student performance in competitive examinations across the programme regions.

NAVDISHA LINK : https://navdisha.navneet.com/



03

Quality Education Initiatives

Building Strong Foundations



Early Childhood Education

Building on the progress made in the previous year, the **Early Childhood Education (ECE)** programme continued to strengthen Anganwadis by enhancing the capacities of Anganwadi Workers (AWWs) and Helpers (AWHs) through structured training programmes, regular mentoring, and parent engagement initiatives.

During the year, the programme expanded significantly by adding **90+ Anganwadi Centres (AWCs),** taking the total coverage to **144+ AWCs** and benefiting approximately **3,600 children,** along with **144 AWWs and AWHs each.**

The capacity-building programme focused on strengthening knowledge and practical skills through sessions on:



Parent Awareness Meetings: Regular meetings were conducted to sensitise parents on the importance of Early Childhood Education, regular attendance, nutrition, and their role in supporting their child's development. These interactions strengthened parent engagement with Anganwadis, resulting in improved enrolment, regular attendance, and greater participation in early learning activities.



To create a stimulating and child-friendly learning environment, Navneet Foundation provided age-appropriate **Teaching-Learning Materials (TLMs)** that support the five key domains of **Early Childhood Education.** These included educational charts, indoor and outdoor play materials such as balls and hopscotch kits, children's learning kits, crayons, watercolours, poem and storybooks, and instructional displays for Anganwadis. These resources encouraged activity-based learning, creativity, language development, motor skills, and cognitive growth, contributing to the holistic development of young children.



Key Outcomes:



STEM Learning

Creating Hands-on Learning Opportunities

We promote hands-on learning through Science, Mathematics, Language, Technical, and Computer Laboratories that transform classroom concepts into practical experiences. These learning spaces foster curiosity, creativity, analytical thinking, digital confidence, and future-ready skills.

Impact Areas:



Experiential learning



Critical thinking and creativity



Improved literacy and numeracy



Digital literacy and technology skills



Future-ready skills

During the year, the programme reached over **1,161 students** through engaging STEM sessions. Additional Mathematics and Science outreach workshops in Mumbai Municipal Schools benefited **1,209** and **978 children** respectively.

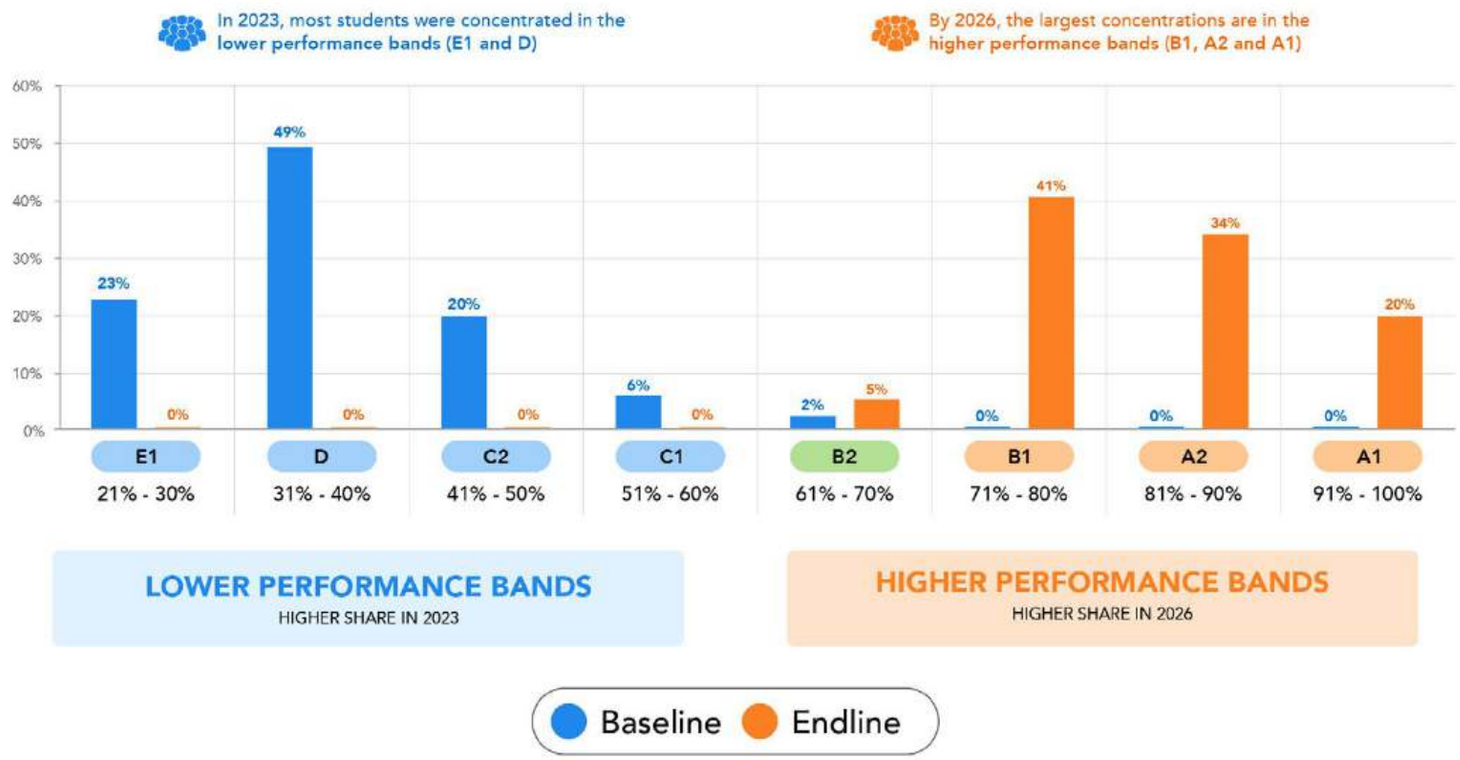
The newly introduced **Computer Lab Programme** engaged over **450 children,** strengthening digital literacy, confidence, and interest in technology.

Specialised workshops on **Design Thinking, 3D Printing, PCB Designing, Rapid Prototyping, Idea to Market, and Open Makerspace Sessions** reached over **400 students, educators, innovators, and community members,** building practical skills, creativity, problem-solving abilities, and entrepreneurial thinking while promoting innovation through experiential learning.



The following chart depicts a clear improvement in children's Science Lab performance following the implementation of the innovative intervention, with a significant shift from lower performance bands in the 2023 baseline to higher performance levels by 2026.

Science Lab Performance @ School Level



Educational Support:

Navneet Foundation supported over 1671 underprivileged students across Maharashtra and Gujarat by providing school bags, books, and stationery to encourage continuous learning and academic participation.

To create safer and better learning spaces, renovation and maintenance support was extended to Zilla Parishad and charitable schools, benefiting 1203 children through improved school infrastructure and child-friendly environments.

Educational Aid:

Believing that education can transform lives and communities, the Foundation also supported 1325 students from underserved backgrounds, including children with special needs, by assisting with school and college fees during 2025-26.

Navneet Foundation has initiated a digital platform to support students pursuing higher education in India and abroad by facilitating access to scholarships interest-free loans. It also aims to provide mentoring, counselling, and alumni guidance through a unified application system. During the year, the initiative benefited 1,147 students.

The Boy Who Refused to Be Invisible – Raju's Journey to the Mainstream

Three years ago, Raju, the son of migrant labourer Kumar Singh from MP, arrived at a construction site in Gujarat with his family. Very shy and very frightened, he initially attended the construction site school being supported by Navneet Foundation, mainly for shelter and safety. Under the guidance and efforts of dedicated teaching team of the site school, Raju's fear slowly disappeared and he gradually gained confidence through patient care, play, and individual attention. Despite the challenge of adjusting from his native dialect to Gujarati, he learned the alphabet, solved maths problems, and actively participated in cultural programmes.



Recognising Raju's growing confidence, abilities, and eagerness to learn, his father expressed a heartfelt wish for him to attend a regular school and secure a better future. Seeing his potential, the team supported his admission by helping arrange the required affidavits, complete government formalities, and overcome administrative hurdles despite the absence of previous school records.

Raju's admission to Grade 4 in a government school was a major milestone in his journey. From a shy migrant child seeking shelter to a confident student attending a regular mainstream school, his story shows how trust, support, and inclusive education can make a difference. The initiative not only helped him learn but also built his confidence, restored his dignity, and gave him hope for a better future.

Health & Medical Care

Accessible Healthcare, Compassionate Support

Navneet Foundation works towards improving access to affordable and quality healthcare for underserved communities through medical support, healthcare infrastructure, partnerships, awareness programmes, and specialised care initiatives. Our approach focuses on prevention, early diagnosis, treatment, and long-term well-being.

Total Benificiaries

3,31,605



01

Maternal and Child Healthcare

Strengthening Maternal and Child Health and Nutritional Practices

Navneet Foundation is working to improve maternal and child health outcomes across 34 villages in the Vasai-Virar Block by addressing critical challenges such as maternal anemia, early pregnancy, malnutrition, and low birth weight. The programme supports pregnant and lactating women through nutrition interventions, health counselling, timely medical referrals, and strengthened access to essential maternal healthcare services. By combining preventive healthcare with community awareness and government collaboration, the initiative aims to ensure healthier pregnancies, safer deliveries, and improved well-being for both mothers and infants.





01.

Improve Hb Levels

Improve haemoglobin (Hb) levels among pregnant and lactating women



02.

Healthy Weight Gain

Promote healthy weight gain throughout pregnancy and lactation.



Programme Objectives



03.

Reduce Low-Birth-Weight Cases

Reduce the incidence of low-birth-weight babies



04.

Nutrition Awareness & Counselling

Strengthen nutrition awareness and encourage healthy maternal practices through regular counselling sessions for women and their families.

Key Interventions

- Distributed monthly supplementary nutrition kits through Anganwadi Workers (AWWs) and Anganwadi Centres (AWCs).
- Facilitated iron supplementation and FCM injections for anaemic expectant mothers.
- Supported sonography, antenatal check-ups, and referral services for high-risk cases.
- Conducted regular home visits and individual and family counselling sessions.
- Promoted kitchen gardens to improve household access to nutritious foods.

TOTAL BENEFICIARY

Total Pregnant & Lactating Women: 317









Building Sustainable Health Practices

To ensure long-term impact beyond direct interventions, the programme focuses on strengthening the local healthcare ecosystem and promoting lasting behavioural change through:

Capacity Building of ASHAs and ANMs:

Enhancing the knowledge and skills of frontline healthcare workers to improve maternal and child health services.



Behaviour Change Communication (BCC):

Engaging women, spouses and family members—particularly partners and in-laws—to encourage informed health, nutrition, and caregiving practices that support maternal and child well-being.



Focused Healthcare Interventions

Cancer Care

Early Detection, Better Care

To strengthen access to cancer diagnosis and treatment, the Navneet Cancer Care Centre continues to provide affordable PET-CT and specialised diagnostic services, ensuring quality and timely care for patients. Alongside medical support, the Centre promotes awareness of early detection and preventive healthcare, further strengthening cancer care service delivery.





Impact Highlights:

- **4346 patients** supported through affordable PET-CT, **835+ patients** through radiation therapy, and specialised cancer diagnostic and care services.

- The Foundation supported integrated cervical and breast cancer screening and sensitisation programmes, reaching over **1,880 individuals** through screening and awareness initiatives. These efforts enhanced awareness of early detection while improving access to preventive healthcare and timely diagnosis.

This has led to increased cancer screening through mammography and Pap Smears, higher HPV vaccination coverage, earlier detection, and improved treatment outcomes. It has also strengthened community awareness, encouraged timely healthcare-seeking behaviour, and enhanced patients' emotional well-being through counselling and support.

Kidney Care & Dialysis Support

Improving Access to Lifesaving Treatment

The Foundation supports kidney patients through dialysis services, medicines, awareness programmes, counselling, and guidance on organ donation and transplantation.

By ensuring continuity of care and reducing financial barriers, we aim to enable patients to manage their condition with dignity while improving access to quality treatment, informed decision-making, and long-term health outcomes.





Impact Highlights:

- **578+ patients** supported with free dialysis.
- **35337+** affordable and quality nephrology services were offered to economically weaker patients.
- Counselling and awareness initiatives for patients and families.

03

Strengthening Healthcare Infrastructure

Quality Healthcare Closer to Communities

Navneet Foundation supports development of medical centres and healthcare facilities across Maharashtra and Gujarat through infrastructure enhancement and advanced medical equipment. Services include dental care, ENT, orthopaedics, gynaecology, sonography, colonoscopy and more.













Impact Highlights:

- **202000+** individuals benefited.
- Improved access to specialised healthcare services.
- Solar-powered hospital support under green initiative.

04

Medical Camps & Outreach Services

Taking Healthcare to Underserved Communities

Navneet Foundation supports organisation of regular rural medical camps to provide accessible and affordable healthcare services in remote regions. These camps offer consultations, surgeries, screenings, diagnostics, and follow-up care through experienced medical professionals and partner hospitals.



Navneet Mega Medical Camp

This medical camp is a large-scale annual medico-surgical camp delivering free healthcare consultations, diagnostic services, and surgical interventions across multiple medical specialities to residents of more than 400 villages of Kutch, Gujarat. The initiative improves access to quality healthcare for underserved communities by bringing specialised medical services closer to those who need them most.

The services during this camp include:



Impact Highlights:

- **4000+** patients treated.
- **450 - 500** surgeries conducted.

Eye Care & Cataract Support

Understanding the limited availability of quality eye care services, Navneet Foundation supports the organisation of eye-care camps that improve access to essential vision care for underserved communities. These camps provide comprehensive eye screenings, specialist consultations, free medicines, and referral support for cataract and other sight-restoring surgeries, helping prevent avoidable vision impairment and improve quality of life.



Impact Highlights:

- **2685+** patients screened.
- **2479+** eye surgeries supported.



Dental Health Camps

Navneet Foundation supported series of free dental camps which provide oral health check-ups, preventive care, and treatments to underserved communities in Gujarat. Through these camps, patients received dental examinations and essential treatments, including scaling and tooth extractions. Patients requiring advanced care were referred for further treatment, ensuring that they continued to receive the care they needed.



Impact Highlights

793 individuals received **free dental check-ups**

126 patients treated for **dental ailments**

Root canal and **dental cleaning** services provided

05

Nutrition & Wellness

Nourishing Health, Supporting Recovery

Recognising the importance of nutrition in overall well-being and recovery, the Foundation supports nutrition programmes for vulnerable groups including patients, malnourished children, adolescent girls, visually challenged individuals, and special-needs children.



Impact Highlights:

8850+ individuals supported through nutrition initiatives.

Nutritional counselling and awareness sessions conducted.

Residential nutrition support for **150+ differently-abled girls.**

TB Nutrition Support

The Foundation supported **305 tuberculosis patients** by providing nutrition kits, counselling, and hygiene awareness through healthcare partnerships aligned with the Pradhan Mantri TB Mukt Bharat Abhiyan. Recognising that adequate nutrition is essential for successful TB treatment and recovery, the initiative helped improve patients' overall well-being and treatment adherence. Counselling and awareness sessions also encouraged healthy practices, reduced the risk of disease transmission, and reinforced the importance of completing the full course of treatment.



Impact Highlights:

- **1250** nutrition kits distributed
- **50+** counselling sessions conducted

Medical Assistance

To reduce the financial burden of treatment, Navneet Foundation supported **172 under-resourced patients** by covering costs of surgeries, treatments, and emergency medical care, including cardiac interventions. The Foundation also facilitated access to medical insurance for economically weaker families.

On World Health Day, Navneet Foundation was honoured by the Zilla Parishad, Palghar, and felicitated by the Chief Executive Officer in recognition of its impactful contributions to community health.





SUCCESS STORY

A Journey from High-Risk Twin Pregnancy to Safe Delivery

Vanita Chavan (Name Changed), a 23-year-old from Pachurkha village under Bhatane PHC, was identified as a high-risk twin pregnancy in her fourth month, with a critically low haemoglobin level of 4.5 g/dL, posing serious risks to her and her babies.

With the support of an ASHA worker, Vanita was referred for medical treatment and blood transfusion. Alongside medical intervention, the Navneet Foundation MCH team counselled her and her family on the importance of adequate nutrition during her twin pregnancy, encouraging regular, balanced meals and the use of home farm-grown vegetables, green leafy vegetables, fruits, and pulses to improve her dietary intake.

Navneet Foundation under its MCH programme provided Vanita with **supplementary nutrition kits,** along with continued nutrition counseling and follow-up. Her husband ensured continuity of the supplementary nutrition kit, even when she moved to her maternal home, by delivering the kits there personally.

Gradually, Vanita's Hb level improved from **4.5 g/dL to 10.5 g/dL,** while her weight increased to **42.8 kg** by November 2025. This improvement occurred alongside medical treatment, blood transfusions, prescribed supplements and Navneet Foundation's dietary support.

On **14 November 2025,** Vanita delivered twin girls weighing **2.2 kg and 2.4 kg,** respectively.

Vanita's journey highlights the importance of early risk identification, timely medical care, nutrition support, and family involvement. Navneet Foundation's counselling, supplementary nutrition, and follow-ups reinforced healthy practices throughout her pregnancy.

Community Development

Empowering Communities for Sustainable Growth

Navneet Foundation works towards strengthening communities through sustainable livelihoods, women empowerment, infrastructure support, and inclusion of vulnerable groups. Our initiatives focus on creating self-reliant communities through participation, skill-building, and access to opportunities.

Total Benificiaries

2,30,696



01

Sustainable Livelihoods & Agriculture

Supporting Farmers, Improving Incomes

The Foundation promotes year-round income opportunities for farming communities by encouraging better utilisation of agricultural land and sustainable farming practices. Vegetable seeds, fruit plants and saplings were distributed to farmer families across Maharashtra and Gujarat to support additional income generation during non-farming seasons.

Training programmes on modern farming techniques, organic farming, watershed management, mulching and drip irrigation were also conducted to improve crop productivity and resource conservation.







AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMMES

The project strengthened farmers' livelihoods by improving access to quality inputs and promoting modern, sustainable farming practices. Farmers, particularly women, were mobilised and trained in vegetable cultivation, kitchen gardening, organic farming, crop planning, and efficient water use.

Before the intervention, farmers relied on traditional, rain-fed farming with limited awareness of modern practices such as drip irrigation, mulching, and multi-cropping. Inadequate irrigation, poor water management, and limited access to quality seeds and saplings resulted in low productivity, seasonal cultivation, underutilized land, and reduced incomes.

The Foundation addressed these challenges through targeted interventions to improve farming practices, strengthen livelihoods, and enhance household incomes.



- **Vegetable seeds and fruit plant distribution :** As an income-generation initiative, farmers were provided with quality vegetable and flower seeds and saplings, including approximately **81625 saplings + 40000+** Marigold, brinjal, and chilli and Onion saplings. This support enabled them to cultivate their farmland throughout the year, diversify agricultural activities, and enhance their household income with surplus produce
- Technique Trainings on various topics were conducted including farming techniques, easy farming methods, organic fertilizer preparation, rice seed production, soil testing and Crop Management.
- Exposure visits to **high yield - low effort farms** for learning best practices.
- Navneet Foundation connected farmers with government welfare schemes by facilitating access to the PM Krishi Sinchan Yojana for drip irrigation equipment and supporting their registration with ATMA to avail horticulture and animal husbandry benefits through the lottery system.
- Group Pond - Water management for Community Farming included enhancing existing pond capacity from **15 lakh litres to 45 lakh litres,** making water available to **26 farmers** for agricultural use.

Overall, these interventions have supported over **41,950** farmers and their families, reaching approximately **2,09,775** individuals.



The project promotes long-term sustainability by enabling farmers to adopt improved and organic farming practices, prepare seedlings and bio-inputs locally, and reduce dependence on external resources. Strengthened market linkages, collective marketing, and the development of master farmers will support continued knowledge sharing, better incomes, and self-reliant farming communities.

NON - AGRICULTURAL PROGRAMMES

To support women's financial independence, Self-Help Groups (SHGs) can be formed and supported through skill development, financial assistance, and market access to help them start small businesses.



Navneet Foundation facilitated the formation of **390+ Micro Credit Groups,** each consisting of 10–20 women who collectively save small amounts and provide collateral-free micro-loans to one another. These community-based financial groups have empowered women to start and expand small-scale enterprises such as ***cutlery shops, vegetable vending, mobile vegetable carts, and cottage industries like papad making, jute bag production, diya and lamp making, home based snacks production and plate making unit.*** The foundation arranged expert sessions on marketing strategies and manufacturing process to strengthen the groups. As a mentor, Navneet Foundation has helped them identify markets and good quality raw material.

The micro-credit support has also enabled women to invest in livelihood-enhancing assets and agricultural inputs, including the purchase of cows, seeds, and fertilizers. By improving access to timely and affordable credit, the initiative has strengthened household incomes, enhanced livelihood opportunities, and contributed to a better quality of life for women and their families.

4031+ families are being supported through these interventions reaching out to approx. **20150+** individuals.



02

Water Management For Community

Navneet Foundation supported the development of **3 Borewells** to improve access to safe and clean drinking water and ensure sustainable water availability for daily needs to communities in 3 villages Khorichapada, Konadvapada, and Sonave. Implemented **in collaboration with the local government and community,** the initiative helps reduce seasonal water scarcity and the burden of water collection, particularly for women and children, while promoting better health and hygiene.








The borewells utilise the area's natural slope to facilitate water flow through pipelines, minimising the need for additional pumping.

Borewells are installed near the existing source to improve water availability. The natural slope of the area helps water flow through pipelines with good pressure without requiring additional pumping.

- **One tap is provided for every five families** to ensure fair and easy access.
- **Three water storage tanks** are installed and connected to three borewells to maintain a consistent water supply.

The initiative benefits Overall 1070+ individual

03

Support for Elderly, physically challenged and Special Needs Individuals

Encouraging Inclusion & Independence

Navneet Foundation supports elderly individuals, physically challenged and differently-abled individuals through access to therapies, special education, assistive support, and developmental opportunities aimed at improving independence and quality of life.



- **171 elderly,** physically challenged and differently abled individuals supported.
- Access provided to **educational** and **therapeutic** resources.
- Promotion of inclusive and accessible environments.

Despite the challenges they face, many individuals have displayed extraordinary resilience and achieved inspiring milestones. In recognition of their indomitable spirit and unwavering determination, the Foundation honours and felicitates few of these exceptional individuals and organisations, celebrating their achievements and encouraging them to continue their inspiring journey with the same dedication and zeal.

Community Infrastructure Support

Strengthening Community Well-being







The Foundation continues to strengthen community infrastructure by supporting the development and maintenance of community welfare institutions, student accommodation facilities, sanitation infrastructure, and charitable service centres across Maharashtra and Gujarat.

This year, key interventions included the construction of an emergency ward, a multipurpose hall at a community centre, solar lighting systems for households, the renovation and maintenance of sanatorium rooms, and the development of a crematorium. These initiatives enhanced access to essential services, improved community facilities, and benefited over **520 individuals.**

The Foundation extended need-based support to individuals and communities through initiatives that promoted youth development, cared for orphaned and abandoned girls, and strengthened social well-being. During the year, 47 vulnerable children and youth received support to access opportunities for growth, care, and development.
The Foundation also facilitated de-addiction treatment and rehabilitation support for over 1,200 individuals affected by alcohol and tobacco addiction, helping them move towards healthier and more productive lives.

Additionally, the Foundation supported **105 individuals** and families in moving closer to home ownership, enabling access to safe and permanent housing. This contributed to greater security, stability, financial well-being, and an improved quality of life, while providing families with a stronger foundation for the future.

A New Beginning: When Water Came Closer to Home

For Sangita Pandit Tumbda and her family, fetching water was once a daily challenge. Like many families in Khorichapada, they had to depend on distant water sources to meet their household needs. Carrying water took time and effort, leaving less time for other daily responsibilities. The task was very arduous, especially during the summer when she had to walk miles in scorching heat to fetch water and return with filled and heavy water buckets and pots.

With the support of Navneet Foundation, three bore wells and a village water supply network were installed in 3 villages Kondava Pada, Khorichapada and Sonave, bringing water closer to 179 families, including Sangita Tumbda's family.

Access to water closer to home has made daily life more convenient for Sangita and other families. The time and effort spent fetching water are now be directed towards household responsibilities, children's education and livelihood activities. It is a great source of peace of mind, particularly during the summer months when water scarcity makes everyday life more difficult.

Through this initiative, Navneet Foundation has helped bring an essential resource closer to the community. For Sangita and 178 other families, this change is a reminder that when water comes closer to home, opportunities for a better life come closer too.



Animal Welfare

Caring for Animals with Compassion

Navneet Foundation is committed to promoting compassionate care for abandoned, injured, and stray animals across Maharashtra and Gujarat.

Total Benificiaries

8,582+



The Foundation supports rescue, treatment, rehabilitation, and shelter initiatives by providing food, medicines, vaccinations, and essential healthcare, while also strengthening animal care infrastructure to ensure safe, healthy, and dignified living conditions.

- **5,410+** rescued, abandoned, and stray animals supported
- Medical treatment, nourishment, and vaccination provided to improve animal health and well-being
- Supported the development of an animal shelter, benefiting over **3,180 animals** through enhanced care and rehabilitation facilities



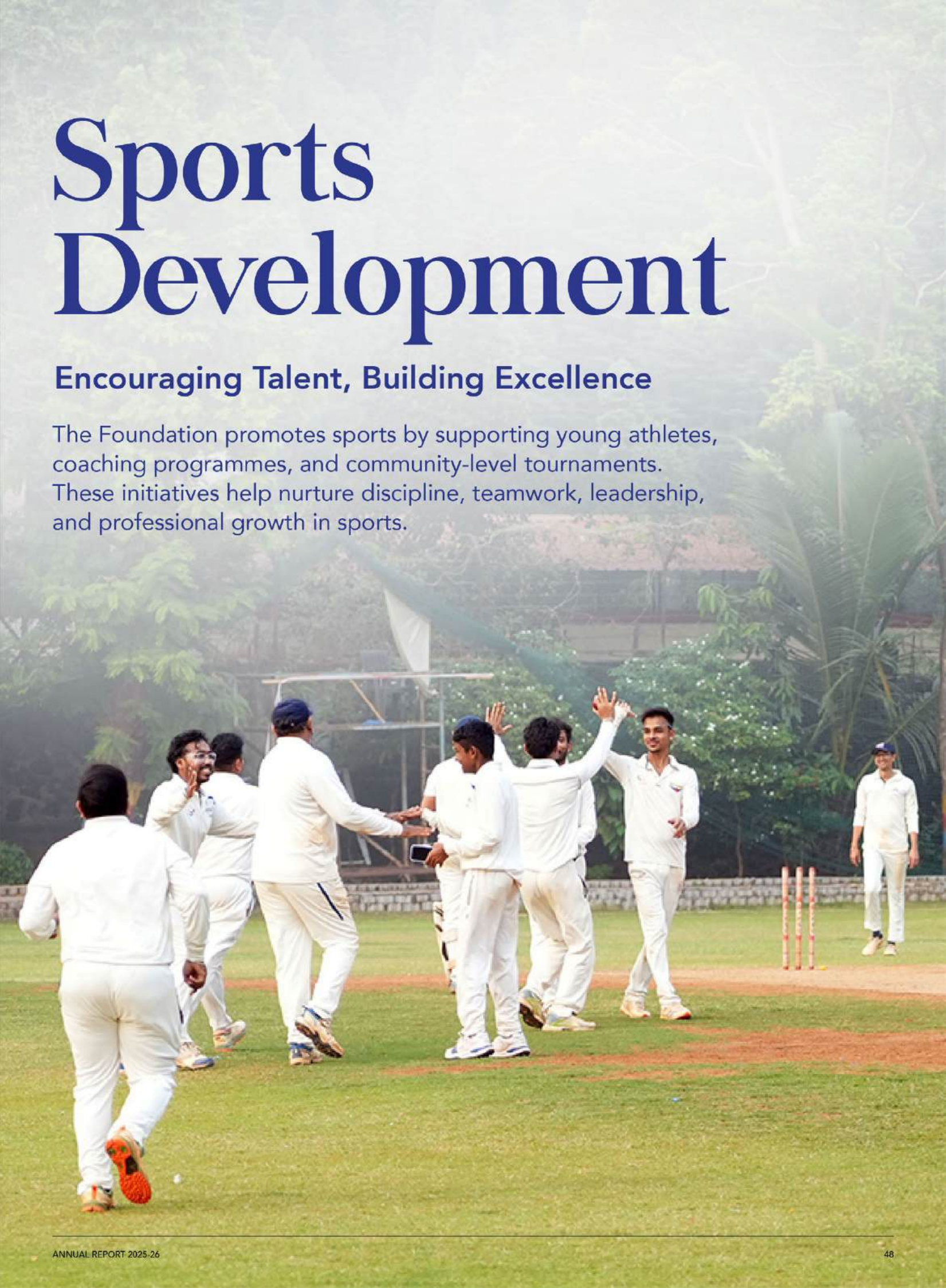





Sports Development

Encouraging Talent, Building Excellence

The Foundation promotes sports by supporting young athletes, coaching programmes, and community-level tournaments. These initiatives help nurture discipline, teamwork, leadership, and professional growth in sports.



Athlete Support & Development

Navneet Foundation supports promising athletes with financial and developmental assistance for training, coaching, equipment, and competitive opportunities. By reducing barriers to participation, the initiative enables sportspersons to pursue excellence, build confidence and resilience, and compete at state, national, and international levels, contributing to the growth of India's sporting ecosystem.



Naisha Bhatoye (Badminton)

National Championship	—	Silver Medalist 17
World Ranking	—	9 (under 19) – Highest Rank - 5
World Ranking	—	197 WS
All India Senior Rank	—	50

2 Gold, 1 Silver, 3 Bronze , 2 Pre Quartes and 1 QF





Diya Chitale (Table Tennis)

World Ranking as on 31st March 2026

Women Singles	–	WR 94
Women Doubles	–	WR 20
Mixed Doubles	–	WR 6

India Rank 3 in Women Singles as on 31st March 2025

22 international tournaments

4 Golds, 3 Silvers, 3 Bronze and Qualified for the prestigious year end event WTT Finals 2025, for Mixed Doubles – **the first time ever any Indian player / pair has qualified for this event**





Aum Gujrati (Skating)

2 GOLD MEDALS at

63rd National Roller Skating Competition

in Vishakapatnam in Dec 2025'

Only girl from Maharashtra to reach National in the sport of Roller Freestyle Skating.



Alongside their sporting pursuits, the girls remain committed to their education, dedicating time to their studies and excelling academically in their respective grades.

TEAM SPORTS

Cricket Club

Navneet Foundation provides support to nurture emerging cricketing talent through structured coaching, expert mentorship, and quality sporting resources. The programme develops technical skills alongside discipline, teamwork, resilience, confidence, and leadership, while providing young players with opportunities for competitive exposure and growth.

In 2025–26, training support was extended to **385 young cricketers,** including 125 new and 260 continuing players. The players participated in **75 matches,** demonstrating their skills, teamwork, and commitment to the sport. The girls' teams participated in **24 matches,** while the **U-13 team competed in 16 matches under the Navneet Premier League** and the **U-16 team participated in approximately 12 matches,** providing valuable exposure to competitive cricket.



Women players represented Mumbai in Women's Senior BCCI matches, contributed as an MCA Scorer during IPL 2025, and were selected for the MCA Women's Summer Camp. Among the men's players, one was selected for the Mumbai University Team and three for the MCA Summer Camp.



- **385** young cricketers trained.
- 75 matches played across age groups.
- Women's Senior team held B division while competing in Dr. H. D. Kanga League.
- 2 Senior Women's team members Soumya Singh and Sakshi Tawde were selected for Mumbai and Goa senior teams respectively.

Navneet Cricket Cup

For over four decades, Navneet has supported the annual Navneet Cricket Cup, creating a platform that brings together cricket enthusiasts across generations and communities. The tournament promotes participation, sportsmanship, teamwork, and community engagement through the shared spirit of cricket.



This year, the tournament witnessed participation from over **1,100 players** across age groups, including men, women, and senior citizens from diverse socio-economic backgrounds. With **166 matches** played, the tournament provided an inclusive sporting platform while fostering camaraderie, meaningful connections, and a strong sense of community.

Art & Culture

Preserving Heritage & Traditional Art Forms

Navneet Foundation supports initiatives that preserve traditional music, folk art, and cultural heritage by connecting young learners with experienced artists and cultural practitioners. Objective of this project is to preserve and document the traditional musical forms and knowledge that have been passed down through generations. Through training programmes and cultural festivals, students are encouraged to learn and carry forward traditional art forms and local heritage.



The strategic activities focus on;



Strengthening skills of Folk Musicians



Preserving Endangered Traditions



Creating Professional Opportunities



In 2016, when the concept of Riyaz Shala was first introduced, the young boys of Ratanpar village became part of this inspiring initiative. Through this platform, they not only learned music but also honed their skills, nurtured their talent, and developed a deeper connection with their cultural roots.

Today, these talented musicians perform at Dholavira, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, sharing the rich folk traditions of the region with visitors from across the world. Their journey from eager learners at Riyaz Shala to accomplished folk artists is a proud moment for Navneet Foundation and the entire community and a testament to the power of nurturing local talent.

- **629 students** reached across **7 schools.**
- **6 Workshops.**
- **17 artists** and **123 students** participated in documentation.
- Revival and promotion of **rare folk music traditions.**
- **Cultural festivals** organised to encourage young artists.

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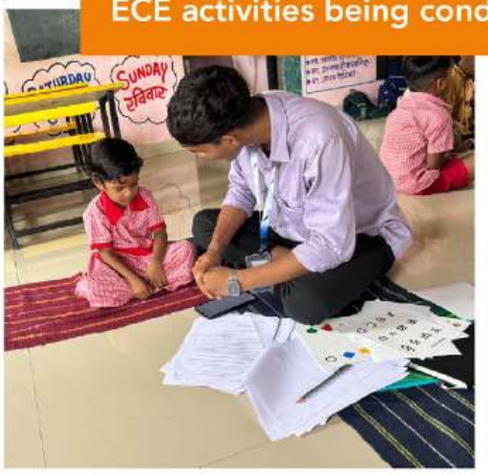
Holistic ECE nurtures every dimension of a child's development
ECE activities being conducted in various Anganwadi centres in Vasai – Virar Taluka










Importance of Nutrition during pregnancy



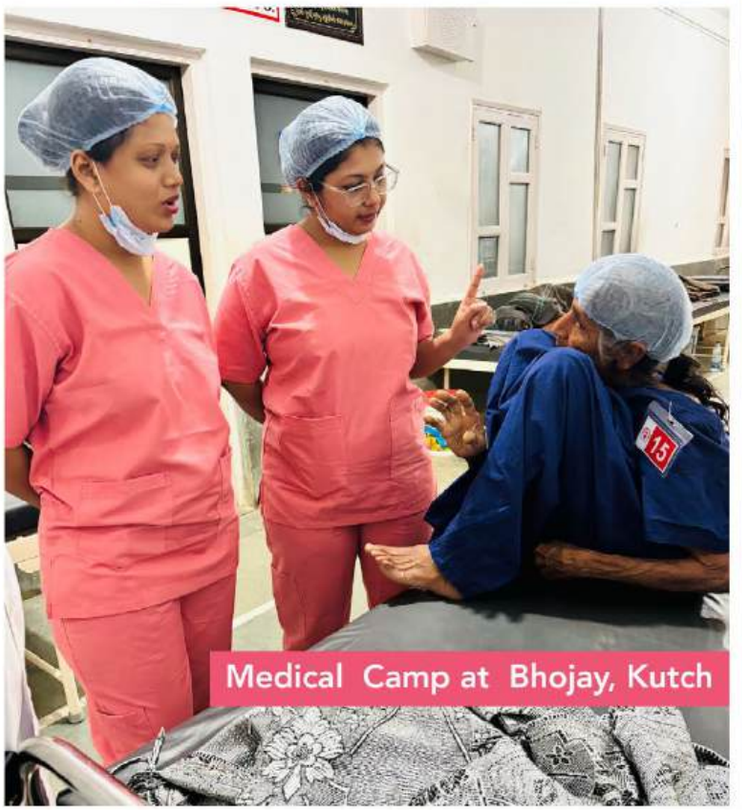
Nutrition Kit for TB Patients



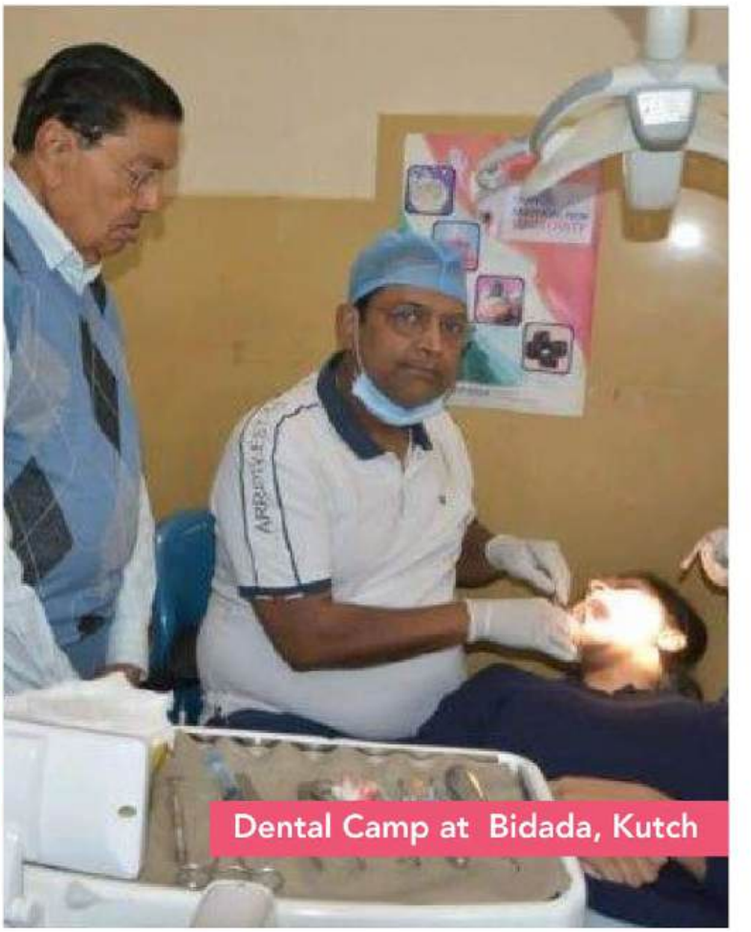
Dialysis centre supported by Navneet Foundation



Eye camp at Govindpur



Medical Camp at Bhojay, Kutch



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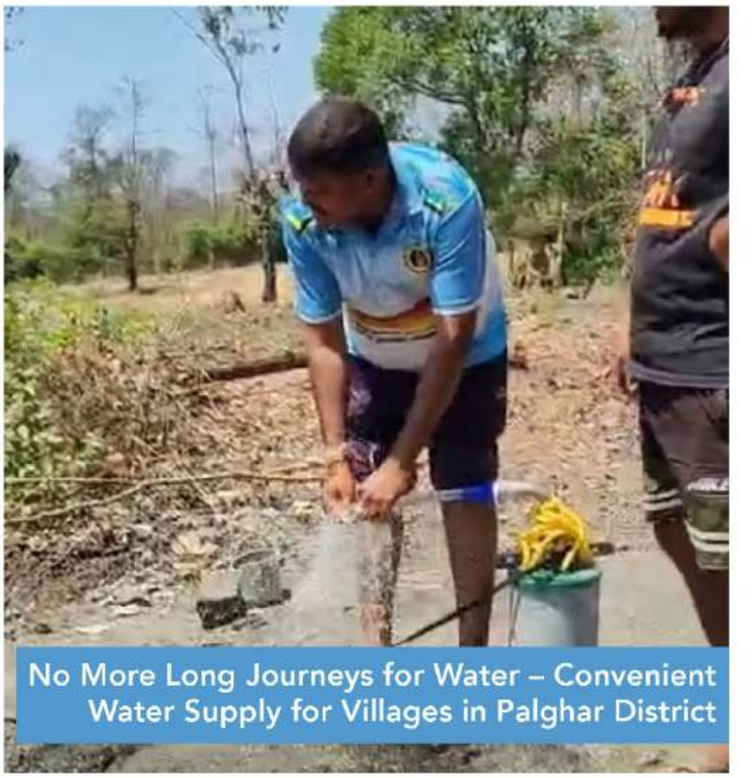

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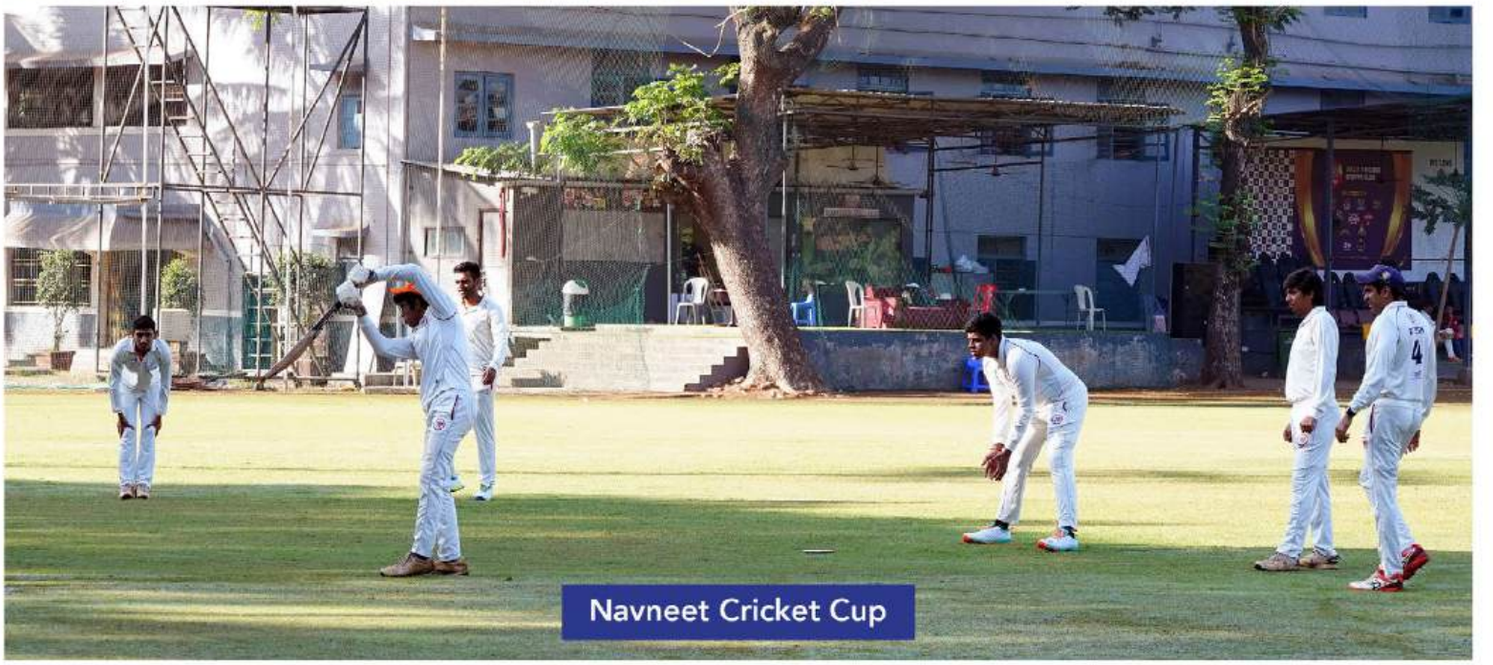
Multicrop yields with the help of easy farming techniques learnt at farmer workshops



Anil Gala with Navneet Cricket Cup Management Team





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