



LORETO RAINBOW HOME –ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT(2025–2026)

APRIL,25 to MARCH,2026

ONLINE MEETING PRESENTATION

ON 5TH MAY,2026



RESIDENTIAL HOMES - CHILDREN STATUS (2025-2026)

Home	Planned Capacity	Children at Start	Children at End (March 2026)	Increase / Decrease	Why Numbers Changed
Bowbazar Rainbow	100	98	69	-29	5 moved to Future Programme, 3 returned to families, 21 exited due to age progression, CBC transition, aftercare, and voluntary exit
Sealdah Rainbow	70	75	69	-6	5 returned to families, 1 individual exit, 1 long-term absentee, 1 transfer in from LCE
Entally Rainbow		135	131	-4	4 moved to future programme and CBC transition

MAJOR ACTIVITIES

NUTRITION IMPROVEMENT AND HEALTH CARE

Loreto Rainbow Homes ensure balanced, regular meals with extra care for underweight children, supported by staff, children, and community donations.

Nutrition Status	No severe malnutrition; few underweight children receiving extra care
Daily Meals	Regular balanced meals cooked in homes
Milk & Fruits	Given regularly to support growth
Protein Intake	Eggs, fish, and chicken provided weekly
Special Support	Extra food, vitamins, and monitoring for underweight children
Menu Planning	Menu changed regularly with children's involvement
Food Support	Donations and school support improve meal quality
Children's Role	Food committees help in distribution and monitoring
Extra Care	Special nutrition during illness and festivals





HEALTH AND MEDICAL UPDATE



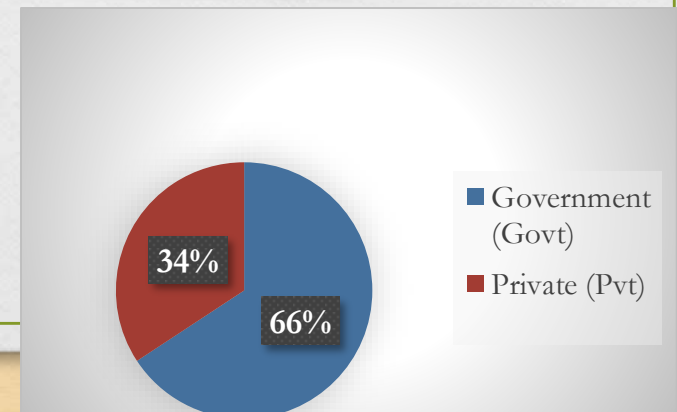
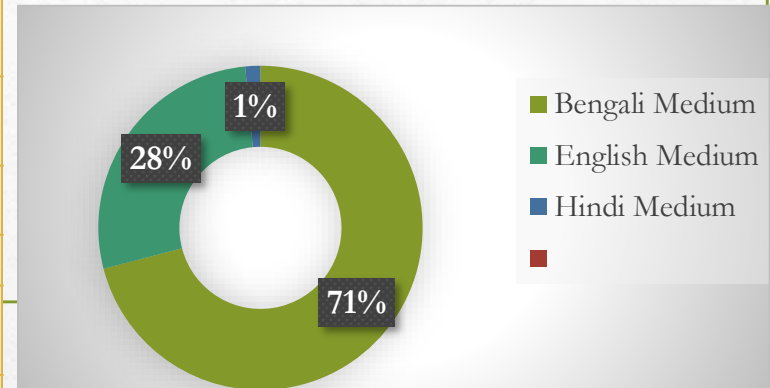
Home	Health Status	Major Illness / Cases	Health Check-ups & Camps (Linkages)	Monitoring & Prevention	Key Improvements / Outcomes
Bowbazar	Overall stable	50→30 sick cases; malaria, measles (1), ENT, skin	Premananda Memorial Hospital; Leprosy Mission; Dr Batra inst, National Homeo laboratory, Govt. NRS and Medical College, KMC	Regular malarial tests, deworming, mosquito control, hygiene care, quarterly height weight BMI check up	Underweight improved; malaria treated; better hygiene awareness weekly basis ,
Sealdah	Good overall health	2 malaria (P. vivax), minor cases (pox, injury, eczema)	Premananda Leprosy Mission Hospital; KMC; NRS Hospital	Quarterly check-ups, deworming, awareness sessions	5/10 underweight improved; all malaria tests (KMC) negative earlier; quick emergency care
Entally	Fairly good	Malaria, typhoid, abdomen issues, scabies, fever	Leprosy Mission Trust India; FPAI; NRS Hospital; KMC; Poddar Nursing Home	Regular BMI checks; monthly for underweight; hygiene maintained	Early diagnosis (typhoid case); regular treatment; strong awareness sessions

Awareness Type	Key Topics	Resource Person / Linkage
Menstrual Hygiene	Menstrual care, anemia awareness	UNITY; New Evening Star Club; Health In-charge
General Health & Hygiene	Cleanliness, personal hygiene, self-care	Premananda Leprosy Mission Hospital; Indian Prosthodontic society, KMC; Coordinators
Nutrition & Healthy Living	Balanced diet, healthy habits	Ms. Snigdha Sircar
Disease Prevention	Malaria, TB awareness, seasonal illness	Premananda Leprosy Mission Hospital; KMC, Dr Batra
First Aid	Basic emergency care	Home Team
Food & Hygiene Practices	Safe food, sanitation, hygiene habits	BHUMI Volunteers; Health Staff
Lifestyle & Wellness	Healthy lifestyle, daily routines	World Health Day sessions; Health Camps
Adolescent Health	Menstrual awareness, hygiene education	Health In-charge; Partner Organizations



ACADEMICS AND SCHOOL ENGAGEMENT

School Name	No. of Girls
Lee Memorial High School(SEMI GOVT)-BENG MEDIUM	42
Loreto Day School Sealdah(pvt)-ENG MEDIUM	39
Baptist Girls School(GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	36
Entally Hindu Balika Vidyalaya(GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	32
Metropolitan Girls School(GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	29
Loreto St Mary's(SEMI GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	21
St. George's School(PVT)-ENGLISH MEDIUM	12
St. Anne's School(SEMI GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	10
Metropolitan Main Institute(GOVT)-ENGLISH MEDIUM	10
Bhutnath School(GOVT)-BENGALI MEDIUM	8
Lee Memorial Primary School(SEMI GOVT)-BENG MEDIUM	7
Loreto Convent(PVT)- ENG MEDIUM	5
Sabitri Pathsala(SEMI GOVT)-HINDI MEDIUM	4
Girindra Balika Vidyalaya (H.S.)-GOVT-BENGALI MEDIUM	3
Loreto House(PVT)-ENG MEDIUM	3
Loreto Elliot Road(PVT)-ENG MEDIUM	2
Sakhawat Memorial Govt. Girls School-BENG MEDIUM	1
Loreto Day School (NIOS) (PVT)-ENG MEDIUM	1



Academic Overview – Loreto Rainbow Homes

(April 2025 – March 2026)

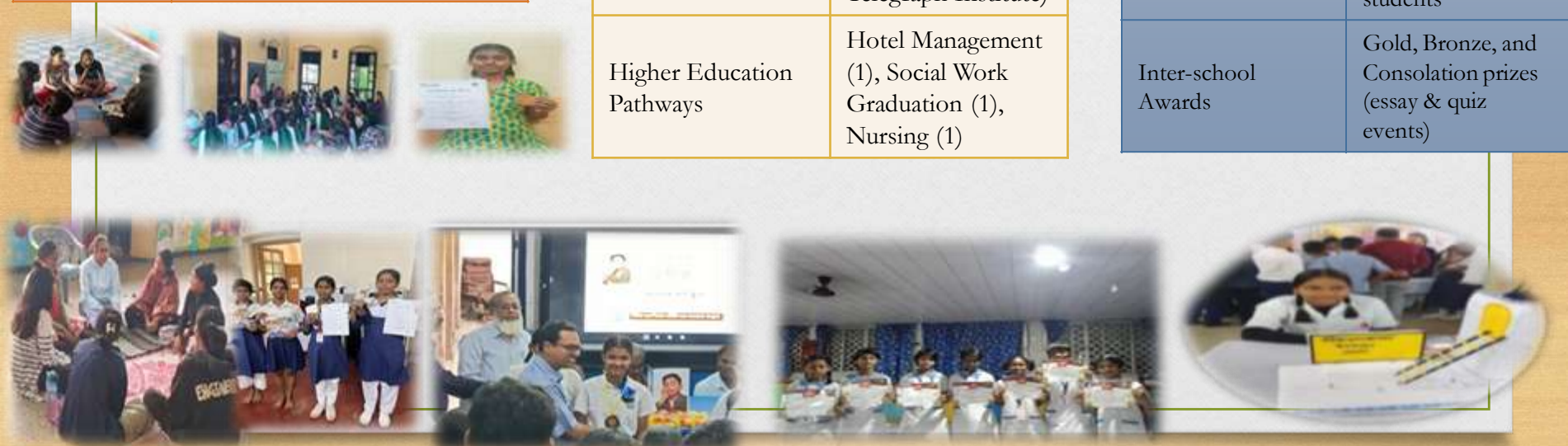
Key Area	Main Highlights (Data-Based Summary)
Remedial Education Support	6–14 remedial teachers across homes; subject-wise support (Class II–X); special educator support for 3–6+ learning difficulty cases
Counselling & Special Education	3 days/week counselling; weekly special education for 5–6 girls; focus on emotional well-being, behaviour, learning gaps
School Results & Exams	Class X & XII board participation (multiple homes); HS results up to 70%–73.33% ; majority promoted to next class
Scholarships & Progression	Minority, Kanyashree, TarunerSwapno applications; Primary Scholarship qualifiers; continued academic promotions
Volunteer & Institutional Support	LORETO SCHOOL -Teach One Each One, Bhumi (English support), Cognizant (coding & AI), TFI (remedial teaching)
Skill Development & Digital Learning	Computer training, communicative English, coding, AI classes, unplugged coding sessions for seniors
Academic Achievements	National essay competition 1st prize; science fair participation; arithmetic contest qualification; medals & certificates in inter-school events
Learning Methodology	Individual remedial plans, peer learning, structured timetables, mock tests, day-wise lesson plans
School Coordination	Regular school meetings, exam monitoring, reintegration support after absences
Vocational & Higher Education	Office assistant course (George Telegraph Institute), graduation in social work, nursing, hotel management pathways
Holistic Education Activities	Debates, quizzes, art & science exhibitions, awareness on child marriage, health, consumer rights
Success Outcomes	Improved board results, mainstreaming success, better academic confidence, transition to higher education & vocational training

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Category	Achievement Data
Class X Board Exam	Multiple girls appeared; results awaited / successful promotion reported
Class XII (HS)	2 girls appeared; results up to 70% & 73.33%
Pass & Promotion	Majority of students promoted to next class across schools
Primary Scholarship	2 girls qualified (Class IV – West Bengal Primary Scholarship)
Exam Participation	Madhyamik 2026 – multiple candidates; unit tests & school exams completed

Area	Achievement Data
Computer Training	3 girls completed computer + communicative English course
Coding & Digital Learning	AI & unplugged coding sessions for senior students
Vocational Training	1 girl enrolled in office assistant course (George Telegraph Institute)
Higher Education Pathways	Hotel Management (1), Social Work Graduation (1), Nursing (1)

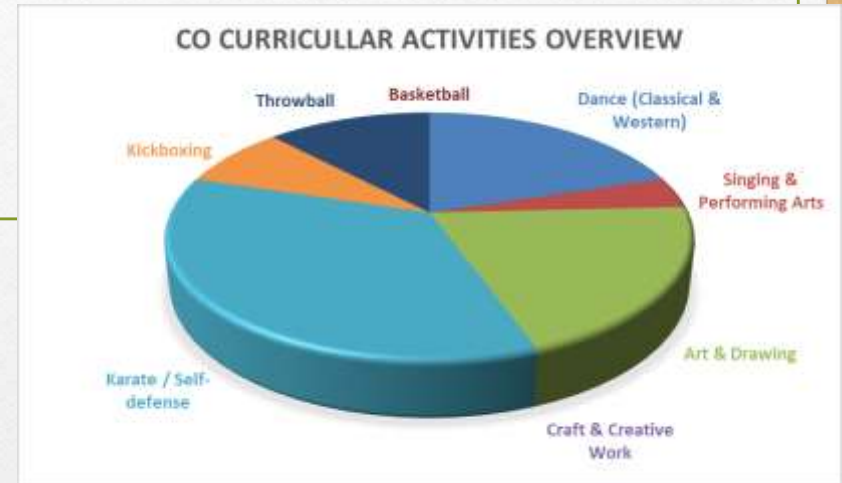
Competition Type	Achievement Data
National Essay Competition	1st Prize winner (1 student)
Arithmetic Genius Contest	1 student qualified for 2nd round
Science Fair	Student presentation on plastic pollution
Quiz Competition	3rd Prize (Taltala Girls High School – 3 students participated)
Art & Science Exhibition	Active participation from multiple students
Inter-school Awards	Gold, Bronze, and Consolation prizes (essay & quiz events)



Co-Curricular Activities Achievement

Overview

Activity Area	Participation Data	Key Achievements	Trainer / Linkages
Dance (Classical & Western)	20+ girls	Performances in events; skill development in multiple forms	Internal Trainers
Singing & Performing Arts	4+ girls	Participation in cultural programs	Internal Support
Art & Drawing	20+ girls	Awards in drawing competition; exhibition participation	Bhumi Artoons, IGNITE, IIM Kolkata
Craft & Creative Work	Group participation	Handmade crafts, charity items, décor making	U&I, Internal Team
Karate / Self-defense	15-35 girls	18 girls cleared belt exams	Mr. Avijit Mitra
Kickboxing	8+ girls	Gold & Silver medals; state & national participation	Khelo India, WAKO India, Mr. P. Mitra
Throwball	12 girls	1 child played at championship level; strong team performance	Internal / School Events
Basketball	10 girls	Participation in district & national level tournaments	District Associations
Rugby (Khelo Rugby)	Group participation	Team-building and leadership skills	Khelo Rugby
Athletics / Sports Events	Multiple participants	1st, 2nd, 3rd positions; Best Athlete awards	School Sports Meets



LIFE SKILL AND VALUE EDUCATION

OVERVIEW AND OUTCOME

Area	Key Details (Data-Based)
Partner Organizations / Resource Persons	Bhumi Volunteers; Deepani Encore LLP (Srija Majhi, Abiha Islam); UNITY; Ms. Sugandha Chowdhury; St. Xavier's College; Loreto B.Ed students; Internal Staff
Core Topics Covered	Social media safety; time management; child rights (1098); menstrual hygiene; mental wellness; climate change; career awareness
Value Education Themes	Respect, empathy, honesty, discipline, responsibility, healthy relationships
Life Skill Focus Areas	Emotional regulation; mindfulness; decision-making; problem-solving; communication; self-esteem & peer pressure handling
Age-wise Approach	Juniors: discipline & habits; Middle group: behaviour & mindfulness; Seniors: leadership, relationships, career readiness
Special Sessions Conducted	Responsibility ; Emotional regulation ; Mindfulness, Problem-solving, Financial literacy ; Relationship building
Creative & Interactive Methods	Storytelling, PPT/videos, group discussions, kite making, emoji drawing, safety circle activities
Awareness & Well-being Sessions	Mental wellness orientation; menstrual hygiene; motivational sessions for exam students
Participation & Exposure	Udaan workshop (adolescents & staff); sessions by City Desk & college volunteers
Outcomes Observed	Improved emotional expression, confidence, and behaviour; better awareness of rights & safety; stronger decision-making and interpersonal skills; clarity in career goals



EXPOSURE VISITS AND OUTING



Sector	Key Visits / Activities	Objective of Visit
Educational Exposure	Indian Museum, Birla Planetarium, Book Fair, Max Mueller Bhavan screening	Enhance general knowledge, learning beyond classroom
Career Awareness	Yogayog Bhavan Post Office, ATDC College (Fashion Design), Muchipara Police Station	Introduce career options, civic systems, and workplace exposure
Cultural & Heritage	Victoria Memorial, St. Cathedral Church, Durga Puja Pandal visits	Build cultural awareness and appreciation of heritage
Workshops & Skill Development	Rainbow North Udaan (Nabadwip), Art workshops, Charity Market	Develop life skills, creativity, leadership, and teamwork
International Exposure	Interaction with Spain & Ireland students	Build global awareness, communication, and confidence
Recreational & Social Learning	Movie outing (Tanvi The Great), Fabrique HOTEL VISIT,	Promote relaxation, social bonding, and value-based learning
Institutional & Awareness Visits	Premananda Leprosy Mission Hospital, Kolkata Police event	Awareness on health, social issues, and safety
Sports Exposure	Sports Authority of India visit (archery, self-defense)	Encourage fitness, discipline, and sports interest
Community & Social Awareness	Sishu Mela (St. Xavier's University), German Consulate Charity Market	Promote social responsibility and community participation



Celebrations & Festivals Overview

Celebrations were conducted to promote cultural awareness, values, unity, gratitude, and national identity, while encouraging participation and joyful learning.

Month	Type of Celebration	Festival / Event	Objective (Short Summary)
April	Regional / Cultural	Bengali New Year, Easter	Cultural identity, gratitude, family bonding
May	National / Social	May Day, Mother's Day	Respect for work, appreciation for caregivers
June-July	Religious / Awareness	Rath Yatra, Doctors' Day	Cultural learning, health awareness, gratitude
August	National / Social	Independence Day, Raksha Bandhan, Friendship Day	Patriotism, bonding, unity, relationships
September	Commemorative	Teachers' Day, World Literacy Day	Respect for education, importance of literacy
October	Regional / Religious	Durga Puja, Mahalaya	Cultural heritage, creativity, celebration
November	National / Children Focus	Children's Day, Vande Mataram Celebration	Child rights, joy, patriotism
December	Religious / Social	Christmas, Nativity Feast, Charity Events	Sharing, compassion, community bonding
January	National / Value-based	Republic Day, National Youth Day, Netaji Jayanti, Saraswati Puja, Mary Ward Week	Patriotism, youth inspiration, values, learning
February	Cultural / Awareness	International Mother Language Day	Respect for language diversity and culture
March	Social / Empowerment	Women's Day, Community Celebrations	Women empowerment, inclusion, confidence



Children Participation & Leadership – Progress

- Active participation in educational, cultural, and life-skill activities improved confidence and self-expression.
- Regular platforms like Bal Sabha, Dainik Sabha, and monthly meetings encouraged children to share opinions and take decisions.
- Formation of committees (with rotating captains & vice-captains) strengthened leadership, responsibility, and teamwork.
- Sister Group system built peer support, bonding, and care among younger and older children.
- Engagement in programmes by Bhumi & Deepani Encore LLP enhanced awareness on social issues, values, and personal development.
- Children led sessions on hygiene, environment, discipline, and child rights, promoting ownership and initiative.
- Participation in school events, competitions, and public programmes improved confidence and presentation skills.
- Exposure visits and external interactions broadened perspectives and communication abilities.
- Creative activities (art, drama, storytelling) strengthened teamwork and leadership skills.
- Senior girls actively mentored juniors, promoting peer learning and guidance.
- Suggestion box system ensured children's voices were heard safely.





PARENTS ENGAGEMENT

- Monthly Parents' Meetings held regularly (last Saturday) to share updates on children's education, health, hygiene, nutrition, and behaviour.
- Awareness sessions conducted on key issues like child marriage, addiction, family planning, personal hygiene, digital awareness, and emotional well-being.
- Strong communication system maintained through meetings, home visits, and regular follow-ups with parents/guardians.
- Parental involvement encouraged in school activities, celebrations, and decision-making for children's care and development.
- Support for documentation: Guidance on bank accounts, birth certificates, and safe record-keeping to improve access to services.
- Health & safety coordination: Parents informed and involved in medical decisions and treatment follow-ups.
- Personalized support provided through individual interactions addressing behavioural and mental health concerns of children.
- Pre-holiday orientations & workshops conducted for parents on emotional development, safe boundaries, and parenting practices.

Overall Outcome:-

Consistent family engagement strengthened trust, shared responsibility, and a supportive environment, contributing to the holistic development and well-being of children.

Team Training & Capacity Building – Monthly Summary

Capacity building focused on child protection, planning, digital skills, communication, and staff well-being, with support from key organizations and experts

Month	Major Training Focus	Resource Person / Organization	Key Outcome
May 2025	Long-Term Strategy	Rainbow Homes / Smile Foundation	Future planning and strategic direction
June 2025	Team Mentoring & Well-being	Internal / Senior Team	Improved emotional well-being and role clarity
July 2025	Capacity Building & Child Protection	Ms. Mereca, Sr. Priyanka; CNLU Patna	Better strategy mapping, documentation, child safety understanding
August 2025	Financial Strategy	Rainbow Homes National Office	Strengthened financial planning and sustainability
September 2025	Reflection & Digital Skills	Heartfulness Organization; Cognizant (Mr. Swarna)	Team well-being and improved Excel skills
October 2025	Gender & Documentation	City Desk Education Coordinator; TFI Fellows	Gender sensitivity and reporting skills improved
November 2025	Child Protection & Fundraising	Rainbow Homes Technical Team; Cognizant; Smile Foundation	Stronger communication, CPP knowledge, fundraising strategy
December 2025	Reporting System Training	Rainbow Homes Programme	Improved online reporting and documentation
January 2026	Vocational & AI Training	YA Development Centre; Rukmini Trust; Career DNA	Exposure to skill-building and AI concepts
February 2026	Child Protection Training	Rainbow Homes National Office	Strengthened safeguarding and protection practices



Home-wise Staff and Volunteers Structure (Designation-based Summary)

Designation / Role	Bowbazar (Apr–Sep 25)	Bowbazar (Oct–Mar 26)	Sealdah (Apr–Mar)	Entally (Apr–Mar)
Coordinator	Transition phase-1	1	1	1
Social Mobiliser	1 New joined	CONTINUE	1	Included in team
Future Focal Person	1	CONITUE	1	1
Health In-charge	Transition PHASE-1	1	—	1
Home In-charge 1 AND 2	2	2 (food & PERSONAL BELONGING stock roles)	—	1
Remedial Teachers	6	Support continued	4	15
Special Educator	1 (CONTINUE FOR ALL HOME)	—	-	—
Counsellor	1	CONTINUE	1	2
Home Mothers	4	Continued support	3	8
Sports AND DANCE Trainers	2	CONTINUE	Karate & Throwball (2)	KICK BOXING trainer (VOLUN)
Volunteers / Part-time Support	Bhumi , Deepani , Loreto college and St xavier's college and university,spain volunteers etc	Continued	Same	Same



DONOR ENGAGEMENT

Area / Objective	Key Partners / Well-wishers	Support Provided	Purpose / Outcome
Educational Support	St. Xavier's College, Loreto College, TFI, Bhumi, Cognizant	Remedial teaching, AI & coding, life skill sessions, internships	Improved academic performance, digital literacy, and skill development
Health & Well-being	Premananda Leprosy Mission Hospital, NRS Hospital, KMC, Rotary club ,Dr. Batra's Clinic	Health camps, check-ups, medicines, awareness sessions	Preventive healthcare and timely treatment
Nutrition & Daily Needs	All Govt School, Mr. Mirza, Ms. Nikita Chowdhury, Ms. Shyamashree	Mid-day meals, dry ration, bread, toiletries, clothing	Ensured nutrition, hygiene, and basic needs
Child Engagement & Exposure	Spain & Irish Volunteers, SXU Interns, Rotary Club, inner wheel club , Kick boxing kolkata	Cultural exchange, activities, art, storytelling	Increased confidence, creativity, and social exposure
Infrastructure Support	Loreto Day School Sealdah, Inner Wheel Club, TATA AIG	Maintenance, electricity, study space, materials	Strengthened living and learning environment
Financial & Material Aid	Individual donors (Dr. Avinash Gupta, Poonam Khatoria, others)	Stationery, winter wear, gifts, sponsorship	Resource support and continuity of care
Emotional & Community Support	Interns, Sisters, volunteers, international visitors	Mentoring, celebrations, bonding activities	Improved emotional well-being and sense of belonging



KEY CHALLENGES

1. Emotional & Behavioural Challenges

- Difficulty adjusting to staff changes and caregiving transitions
- Emotional stress after returning from home visits/holidays
- Occasional low motivation and behavioural concerns

2. Space & Infrastructure Constraints

- Limited living space for a large number of children
- Overcrowding affecting comfort and daily management

3. Resource & Funding Limitations

- Limited funds impacting food variety and nutrition support
- Constraints in arranging emergency healthcare

4. Documentation & Access Barriers

- Lack of ID documents delaying scholarships and benefits
- Administrative delays in accessing services

5. Health-related Challenges

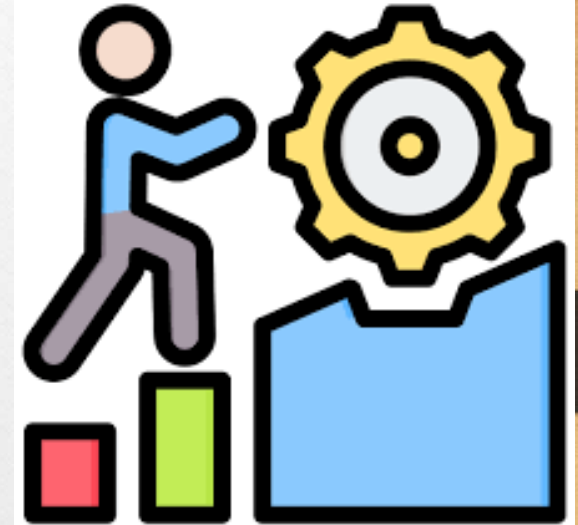
- Seasonal illnesses (infections, malaria risk)
- Need for continuous medical monitoring and support

6. Family & Social Environment Issues

- Unsafe or unstable home environments during holidays
- Family-related uncertainties affecting children's well-being

7. Management Challenges (Large Group Care)

- Managing a high number of children with diverse needs
- Increased responsibility on staff and senior children



“Angel’s Journey of Resilience: From Emotional Struggles to Strength Through Support, and Reconnection”

Angel, (real name not share) a 17-year-old student of Class X at St. George’s School, has shown remarkable strength and growth despite facing deep emotional challenges, including abandonment, family instability, and difficulties in acceptance from her mother. She is talented in drawing, art and craft, and group dance coordination, which have become important outlets for her expression and confidence-building. After a long period, her mother was traced about six months ago, and since then continuous efforts have been made to rebuild their relationship while supporting Angel’s emotional well-being. Alongside this, she has been facing documentation challenges for her NIOS enrollment, but with active parental involvement, school support, and consistent guidance from LRHF management, the process is gradually progressing. Though she often struggles with feelings of loneliness and emotional hurt, the consistent care, counselling, and supportive environment have ensured she never feels abandoned, as she strongly believes the home stands by her. Efforts are ongoing to strengthen the mother–child bond, with gradual positive steps such as short home visits and her mother’s increasing involvement in documentation and encouragement. Angel’s journey reflects resilience and hope, showing how sustained support, patience, and care can help a child move forward despite ongoing challenges.



We sincerely thanks all of our staff members, partners, donors, volunteers, and families for their unwavering support in making this Annual Progress possible. All our dedication, care, and collaboration have strengthened every aspect of the children's growth—from education and health to emotional well-being . Despite challenges, the resilience and progress of the children continue to inspire us. With deep gratitude and hope, we look forward to continuing this shared journey of nurturing, protecting, and empowering every child.

