

Once again I am very proud to bring to all the stakeholders and well-wishers of the iF family the synopsis of the work done and achievements of our children and the foundation for the year 2010-2011. This year has been an even full year with iF starting its transformation process including fine-tuning in programme strategy and execution, changes in the trust board and also changes in the organisation.

*It is a highly motivating feeling that we are not alone and there are so many people who share our small pains and HUGE joys! Keeping with our fairly new tradition of 'keep it simple and stupid', this annual report too is designed to give you the insight in an easily digestible format. Please feel free to write to me directly if you have any queries and I **WILL** come back with the details ASAP.*

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Testimonials:

Tieto Corporation is a proud sponsor of Identity Foundation (iF). iF's excellent and cost efficient work, helping underprivileged children in India, fits very well with our CSR work and social sponsoring activities, where we focus on education for young people. We are very impressed by the results iF has achieved in their educational and social training activities. We are convinced that education is an important prerequisite for developing both people and societies, and we are happy to help iF in their important mission." *Carl-Harald Andersson (Senior Vice President, Tieto Corporation)*

IndiaCo is pleased to report that through Identity Foundation, we have touched the lives of numerous children and contributed to a better future for them. Our Vice-Chairman and Managing Director continues to be personally committed to Identity Foundation's activities in Pune...IndiaCo and its employees continue to contribute a part of their monthly salary to Identity Foundation..." Quote: IndiaCo Annual Report (*Ref. Rahul Patwardhan, VC & Managing Director*)



Programme: Support Classes

(Previously Non formal Educations - NFE)

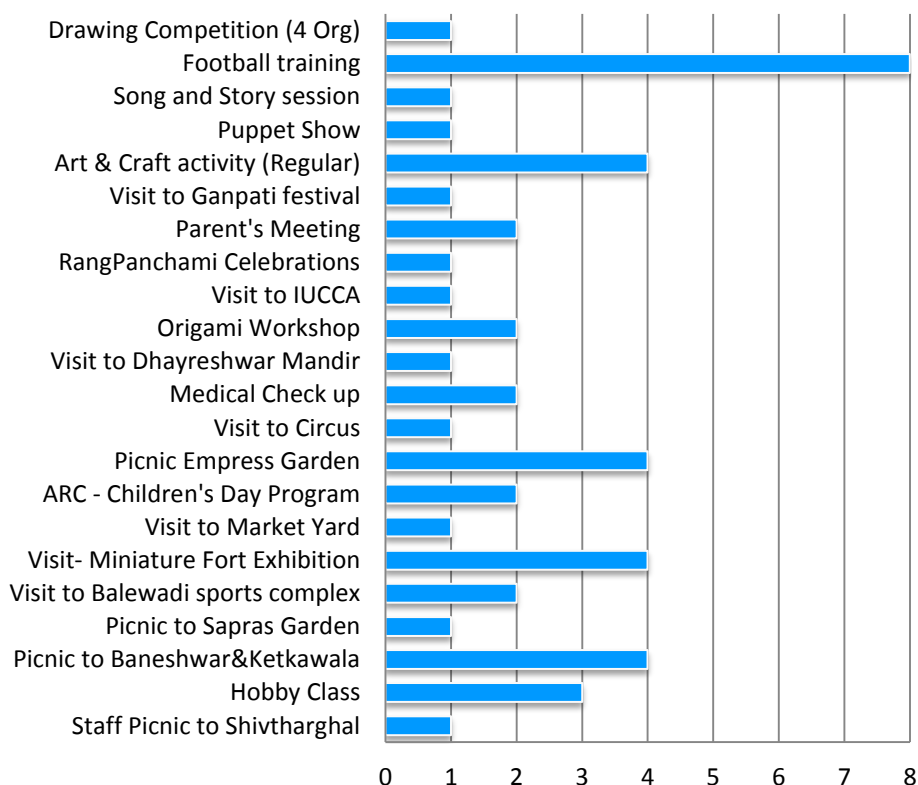
This year the NFE programme transformed to Support Classes programme. The Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) aimed at and made it mandatory for all children between 6 - 14 years of age to be enrolled in school during the year 2010. This is very much in line with our belief that the NFE programme is a bridge to prepare children who have been deprived of mainstream educational opportunity to get into formal schools. For the past few years we have been enrolling children in schools and providing them with fill-gap Support Classes and other engagements, to help them cope with regular school work. At two of our previous NFE centres, Ramwadi and Kalyani Nagar, we run the Support Classes programme.

Support Class coverage for both the centres:

	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Total
Regular												
Boys	22	23	19	20	20	19	20	19	20	20	19	221
Girls	25	23	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	21	24	240
Irregular												
Boys	2	3	4	4	5	9	7	6	9	9	4	61
Girls	3	10	9	8	4	14	11	10	16	16	7	106

Other Engagements:

As part of the Support Classes different activities were organized for the children. These were in addition to assisting the children with the school curriculum.



Programme: Mobile Learning & Infotainment Centre (MLIC)

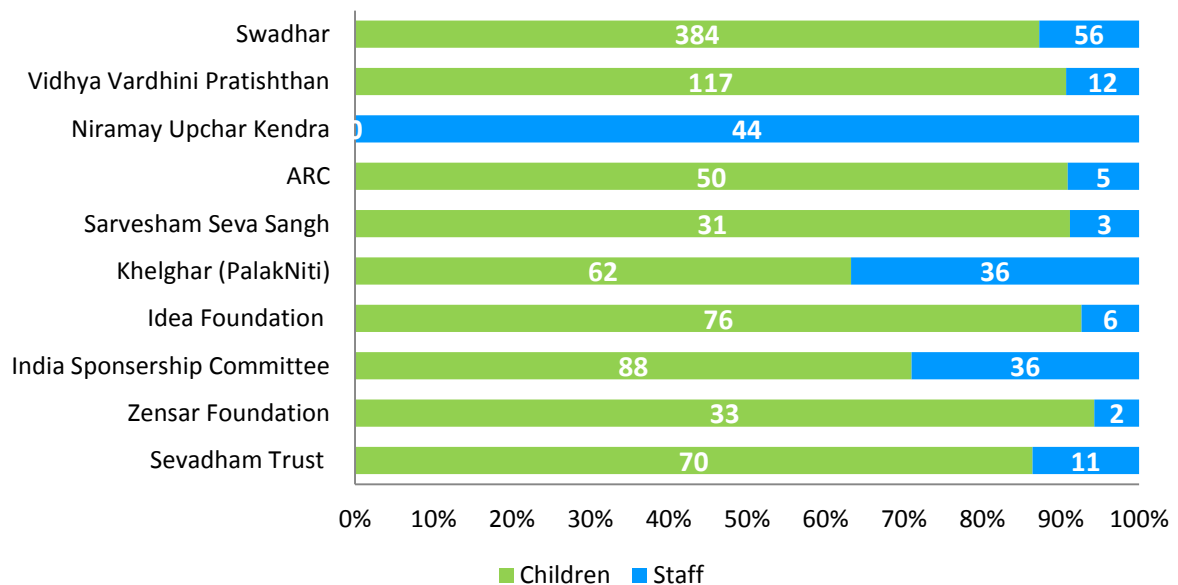
The MLICs have served to fulfill an important need of Identity Foundation as well as other NGOs that we collaborate with. It is being used for doing a wide range of activities associated with underprivileged children.

Activities under MLIC project:

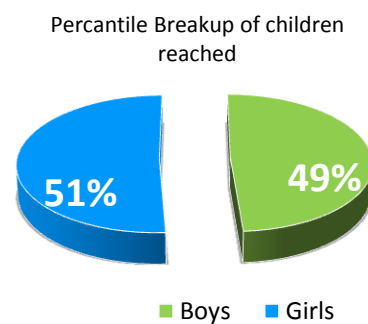
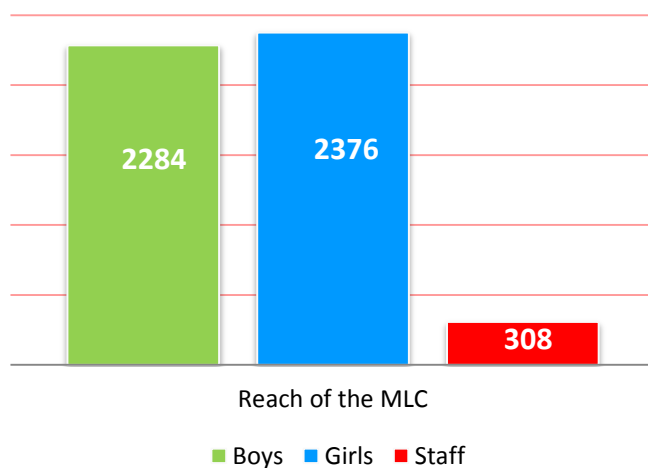
- Conduct Support Classes in communities
- Serves as infotainment centre for children (movie shows and picnic)
- Tie up with other organization for movie shows, picnics, etc.
- Transport children to school and back – for Identity Foundation as well as other organisations.

Tieto Corporation is the primary sponsor of this program.

Partnering NGO engagements:



School Pick-up-Drops:



Programme: Reading Class

The organization has been conducting reading classes since 2006 in the municipal schools. Presently the reading classes are conducted in 6 municipal schools. A team of animators (referred to as “book fairies”) carry a large range of books with them to the school during the school hours and assist the students between the 1st and 4th grade in reading them. The book fairies go to each class once a week for one hour. The children are divided into groups based on their reading levels (reading levels are determined through a pre-test and also 2 post-tests are conducted to find the change in reading levels). Books are distributed as per these reading levels. In addition, several activities such as songs, stories, word games etc. are also used to build the interest of children in reading.

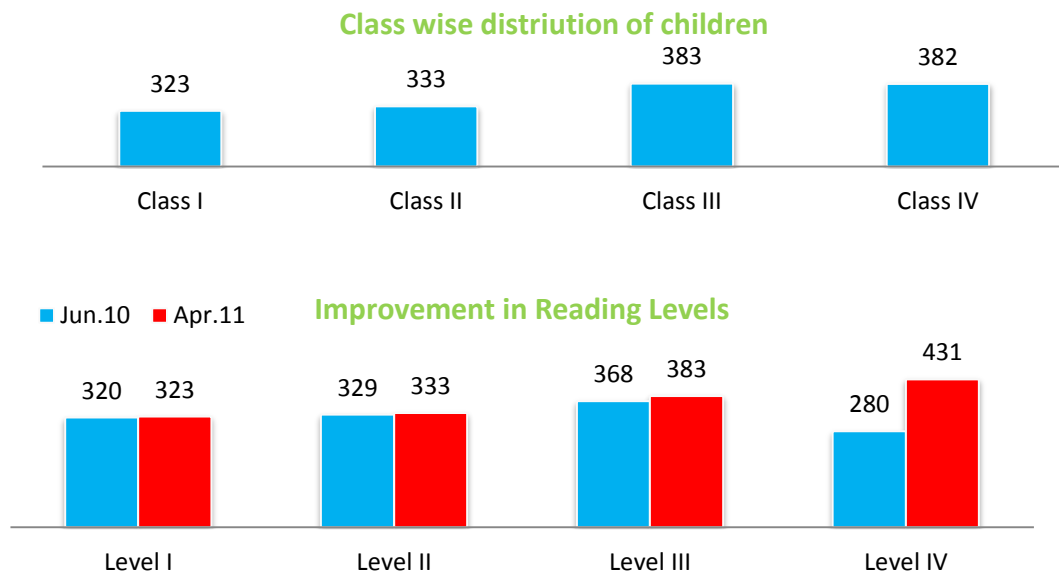
Objectives:

- Developing reading skills of children.
- Inculcating reading habits.
- Child development through stimulating the child’s capacities.
- Encouraging children’s participation in all activities.

Highlights:

Books used: 1292, Schools covered: 6, & total children reached: 1421; The book fairies have also participated in several trainings on storytelling, use of puppets, songs, language games, etc.

Credit Suisse is the primary Sponsor of this programme.



Annexure: Photos

Mobile Learning & Infotainment Centre



Foot ball



Support Classes



Drawing Competition



Overflowing Reading Class session 😊



MLIC Engagement



Our Institutional Partners & Supporters

