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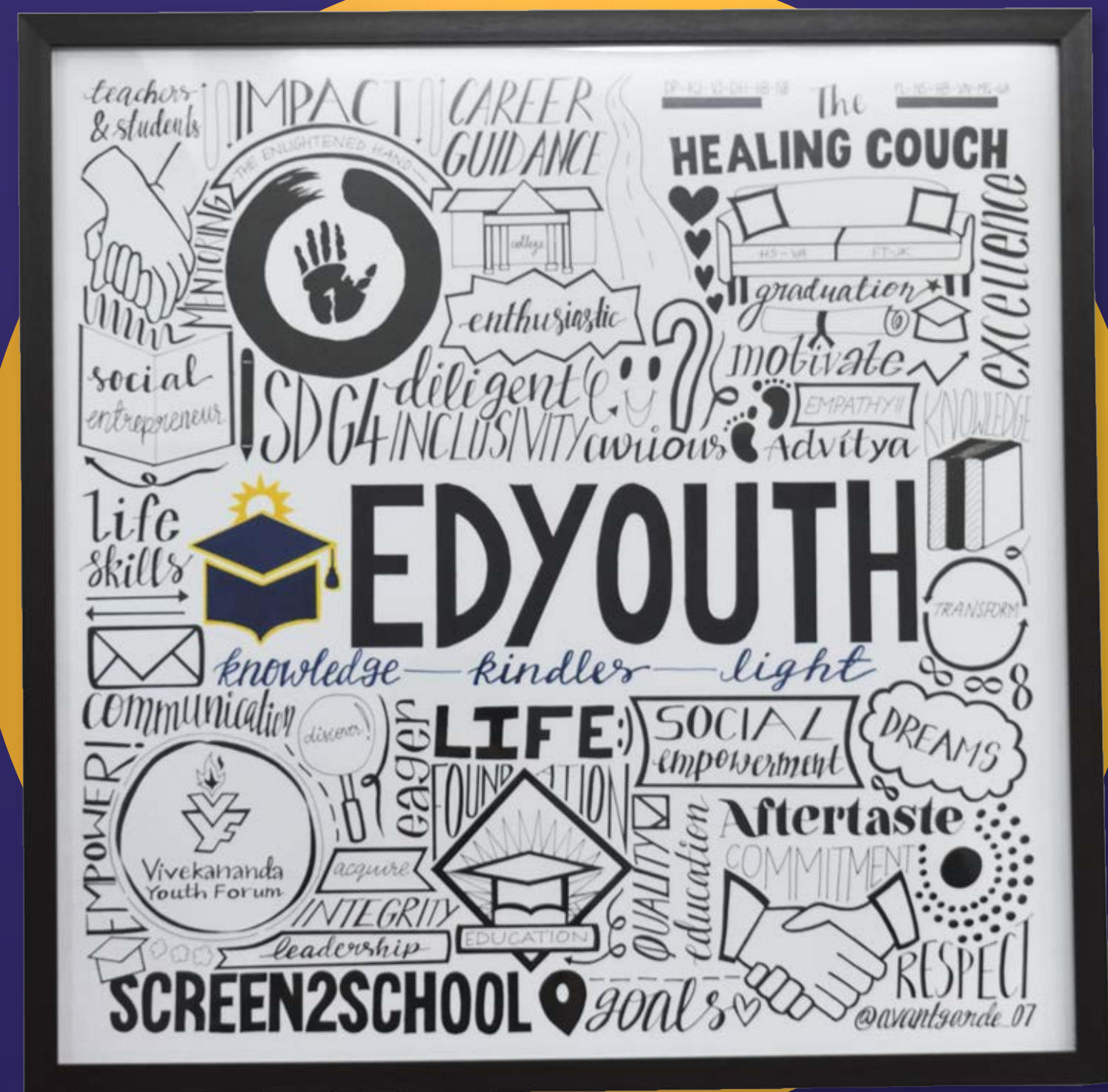
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# ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23

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# *From the Founder's Desk*

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Greetings from edYouth Learning Foundation (ELF)!

The past year has been a remarkable one, filled with numerous achievements and milestones! As the world adapted to the "new normal", our learning environment witnessed a transformative "wave", offering diverse growth opportunities to our students. We are proud to share that all our grade 12 HSC students have emerged victorious in their first-ever Board examinations with flying colours.

To commemorate this exceptional achievement, we introduced and organized the inaugural ELFA - EdYouth Learning Foundation Awards 2023, a joyous evening dedicated to honouring the performance of our toppers and rankers!

None of this would have been possible without the support of various stakeholders who have passionately contributed to our mission of empowering the "Youth of edYouth". By providing affordable education, mentorship & vocational guidance, we have been able to guide 63 students across three of our offline centres in Juhu and Malad through the dedication of 26 mentors.

Understanding the importance of enhancing the career paths of our students, we conducted personalized one-on-one career counselling sessions and administered aptitude tests for all grade 12 graduates. Furthermore, to reinforce the "Learn & Earn" model beyond HSC, we have facilitated internship opportunities for some of our students, offering them a first-hand experience of the corporate world.

As the journey continues, we celebrate the upcoming graduation of two students who have appeared for their TYBCom exams. Their success fills us with immense pride and serves as a testament to the transformative power of education.

While we embark on a new academic year, the demand among the community to join edYouth has grown exponentially. Together, let us continue to inspire and empower the "Youth of edYouth" to reach new heights of success and prosperity!

*-Vidur Dhabaria & Jayshree Dhabaria*

# About the Organisation

**edYouth** is a learning centre for the youth, by the youth! We take a practical approach in trying to address the problems that are prevalent today. Our learning platform leverages the subject expertise of youngsters from premier institutions & connects them with students who can make the best use of the same. We provide personality development training, access to extracurricular activities, career guidance, & insightful mentorship, that fill the gaps in their development & ensure holistic growth for each student.

Our work aligns with the SDG 4 of the United Nations, which views quality education as a human right and seeks to achieve inclusive & equitable education along with lifelong learning opportunities. The subsidized fee structure for students from economically weaker sections ensures equitable & inclusive access to our services.





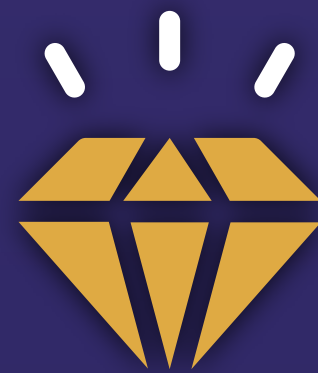
## Vision

Enabling a secure career path for every youth through education and life skills learning.



## Mission

Empowering youth by providing affordable education along with mentorship & vocational guidance.



## Inspiration

The ideals and vision of Swami Vivekananda are a great source of inspiration for EdYouth and its work. Swamiji believed that true knowledge was the path towards liberation itself. He was a great advocate of inclusive education for everyone, a fact he stressed through his words and deeds.

His idea of education was beyond mere learning from books, but was a more holistic conception of education. The life and teachings of Swami Vivekananda will continue to be a guiding light for EdYouth in its vision to ensure inclusive and quality education for each student.



*“We want that education by which character is formed, strength of mind is increased, the intellect is expanded, and by which one can stand on one’s own feet.”*

*- Swami Vivekananda*

Access to quality education for **Marginalised Communities is difficult**



and this creates a road block to pursue their dreams.



## The Problem

Due to lack of awareness, economic backwardness, or social realities,



Access to Quality Education & opportunities is **DENIED!**

## Solution & Impact

Access to quality education among youth from marginalized communities being unavailable creates a roadblock for them to pursue their dreams. Through our primary research in the slums of Nehru Nagar, Juhu, we found that there is a major need for academic handhold support through delivery of quality education and mentoring.

In sync with the NEP 2020, we believe that the idea of inclusivity & equitable learning will convert every challenge into an opportunity.

edYouth is thus a learning center for the youth and by the youth. We rigorously conduct daily academic classes coupled with counseling & mentorship from time to time. We also provide access to extracurricular activities, events and celebrations to create a vibrant atmosphere among the dynamic youth.



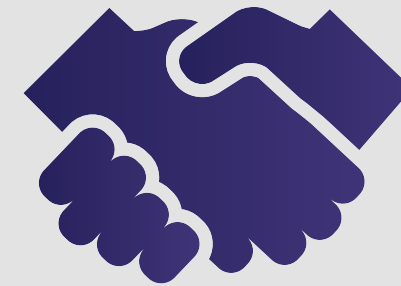
# Impact 2022-23



**63**  
STUDENTS



**28**  
MENTORS



**11**  
PARTNERS



**5**  
INTERNS



**3**  
OFFLINE CENTRES



# Highlights of the Year



June 2022

- **Financial Literacy Workshop:** In collaboration with Screen2School, a Digital & Financial Literacy workshop was conducted for all our students.



- **World Environment Day - Tree Plantation Drive with AGAH:** Our team was invited by Aga Khan Agency for Habitat to Celebrate World Environment Day. 1,000 saplings were planted followed by interactions with environmentalists.



- **Happiness Workshop:** A unique workshop on the topic “What is Happiness?” was conducted by Life Coach Mr. Jay Mehta. This workshop helped our students realize the various sources of happiness and believing that happiness lies within themselves.



- **NMIMS WeCare Civic Engagement Internship:** The School of Business Management, NMIMS, Mumbai, has incorporated the We Care: Civic Engagement Internship as a part of the MBA curriculum since 2010. The internship aims to develop students' observational and analytical skills to examine the underlying causes, current solutions, and cascading effects of social issues. 2 students were placed with ELF for a period of 3 months. The interns prepared academic resources for ELF beneficiaries and assisted in day to day activities.



## July 2022

- **Virtual Orientation for DAIS Students - Collaboration with ELF:** Continuing our partnership with DAIS our founder virtually addressed the Grade 11 DAIS students and shared the various activities they could implement for our students
- **Collaboration with Vivekananda Youth Forum (VYF) for Aashayein'22**  
We collaborated with VYF for training the children for an inter-NGO Dance Competition held during "Aashayein". Aashayein, organised by Jamnabai Narsee School's Alumni Association is an annual get together cum competition for NGO children in Mumbai. The children were trained by the founders of the renowned dance company - One.Stop.Dance. The children stood "FIRST" among 20 participating NGOs.



## August 2022

- **Independence Day Celebrations and Community Visit:** All students and mentors celebrated our country's 75th year of independence with grandeur. A special program was spearheaded comprising of singing, dancing, poem recitation and a fun filled treasure hunt. Post the celebrations, our team attended a flag hoisting program in the community.



## October 2022

- **Sunday Streets:** Making it a Sunday to remember, our gang of students travelled down to Churchgate to have some fun and chill on the sidelines of the Queens Necklace! From random gigs, to cycling, walking and photo booths, our students loved every bit of the Sunday Streets! Cherry on the cake - a hot South Indian snack on the streets of SoBo!
- **Commencement of new Center:** As demand for edYouth's classes increased, we collaborated with Mehul Sir Classes in the same premises and used their classroom for edYouth's classes.
- **Navratri with Goonjj - Aakash Thakkar & Team:** ELF students and mentors were invited to witness the Garba beats on the 8th day of the Navratri festival by Goonjj (the musical band) at Ajivasan Hall, Juhu. It was indeed a memorable musical evening for all, as 4 of our students bagged the "Best Dancer" Award too!



## November 2022

- **Informative Session with JW Marriot:** Organised by our partner NGO - Vivekananda Youth Forum at Jamnabai Narsee School, grade 12 students attended an orientation session organised by JW Marriott group of hotels. Ms. Sanghmitra, Head HR, JW Marriott Juhu alongwith F&B Head - Mr. Flavius spoke to the students about the Hospitality sector, career opportunities and shared their experiences.



## December 2022

- **Commencement of Prelims at Jamnabai Narsee School:** In order to obtain sufficient writing practice before Board Exams in a post-COVID era, ELF arranged Prelim exams at Jamnabai Narsee School for grade 12 students for 2 months



## January 2023

- **Football Match:** Our NGO partner - Vivekananda Youth Forum invited our students to witness the enthralling ISL Match between Mumbai City FC and Kerala Blasters at Mumbai Sports Arena. 50 students witnessed the match LIVE and sweet memories of victory by our home team.
- **National Youth Day Celebrations:** Commemorating Swami Vivekananda's Birth Anniversary which is celebrated as "National Youth Day", a "Drawing & Elocution Competition" was organised for our young students! The event was judged by Youth Icons - Ayaan Karmali, Vaman Shenoy, Sakshi Kirpalani, Krutika Sheth, Dr. Krish Dudani, Vanika Sangtani, Riya Behl and Sreesreshta Nair.
- **TedxNM Session:** Team TedNM invited edYouth students to witness NM College's premier TedNM talk held at Mukesh Patel Auditorium. It was a much needed inspiring session for our grade 12 students who were gearing up to appear for their Board exams.



# January 2023

## VISIT TO FETE'23 AT DHIRUBAI AMBANI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

- Since ELF's inception, as part of the school's CAS Program, every Friday grade 11 DAIS students visit ELF. The CAS program includes conducting engaging sessions of riddles, games, English & Math activities & teaching subject specific concepts.
- On January 14, 2023 ELF was invited to Fete'23 - the Annual Fair at the school premises. Our students performed a 3 minute dance mashup in front of an audience of over 1000 attendees. Students from DAIS raised funds from the EDYOUTH stall wherein visitors played games in return for their tickets. Through this, they raised Rs. 52,040/- . We are grateful to DAIS and the dedicated students for all their efforts.



## February 2023

- **Commencement of Board Exams:** Preparations in Full Swing - Day & Night!



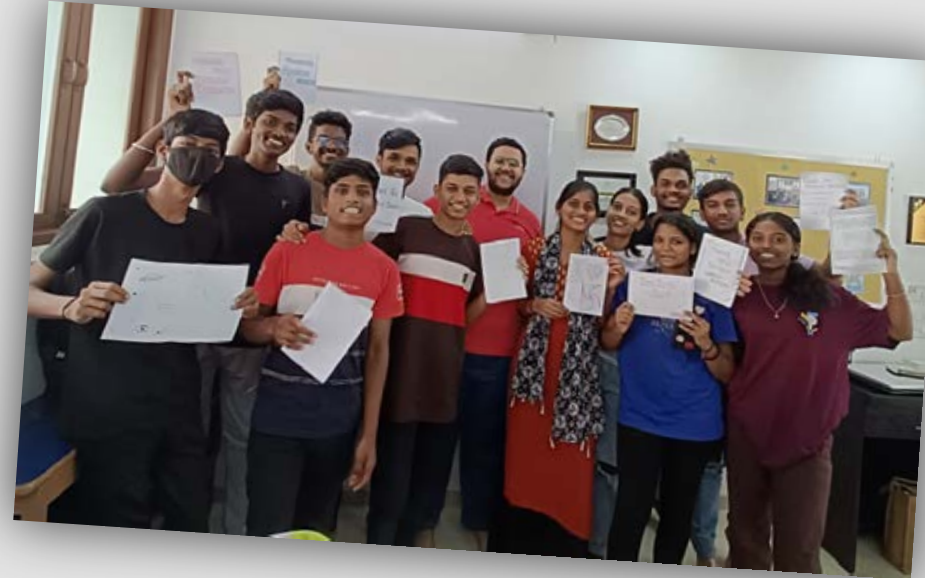
## March 2023

- **Aptitude test:** As soon as the Board exams ended, we conducted Aptitude Tests with our partner organization - The Healing Couch for 14 students.
- **Personalised Counselling:** 1 on 1 feedback session and the results of the Aptitude Test were discussed with each student. Additionally, their career path post 12th grade was chalked out and prepared.



## April 2023

**Communication and soft skill training:** With an aim to develop the soft skills and polish English communication, we organised a 3-day workshop led by Mr. Aakash Vasaikar - a certified NABET Trainer.



## May 2023

- **Career Guidance Session:** In order to attain a comprehensive understanding and make an informed decision for our students' graduation courses, ELF invited Dr. Sadaf Hashmi, an esteemed academician possessing over 15 years of specialized knowledge within the financial sector. Leveraging her expertise, Dr. Hashmi meticulously assessed each student's individual interests and aptitudes, aligning them with the array of available courses. By providing invaluable guidance, she assisted the students in curating a concise list of prospective courses.



# Congratulations

to **ALL** our **HSC** students.

## Rocking Results

### COMMERCE

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Sakshi Bangal        | 82.00% |
| Deepak Yadav         | 80.00% |
| Tarun Madiwal        | 78.00% |
| Jyotikumari Mahato   | 76.67% |
| Sujal Chipte         | 74.83% |
| Ravi Gupta           | 74.00% |
| Kajal Kanojiya       | 72.00% |
| Umabharti Sonnaila   | 68.67% |
| Lokeshwaran Devendra | 68.33% |
| Monika Dhangar       | 67.67% |
| Shidram Poojari      | 66.50% |
| Pravin Devendran     | 61.50% |
| Manjunath Dhangar    | 58.83% |
| Shaista Shaikh       | 58.50% |
| Urmila Vishwakarma   | 50.83% |
| Mamta Dusamudi       | 46.00% |
| Nandani Jaiswal      | 42.50% |
| Shivalinga Dhangar   | 40.17% |
| Ashraf Shaikh        | 39.33% |

### SCIENCE

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| Vidhi Powar  | 56.83% |
| Sakshi Solam | 56.83% |
| Sahil Surve  | 50.83% |

### ARTS

|                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Kalaivani Ganesan | 70.83% |
| Pramila Gupta     | 48.67% |
| Anushree Govalkar | 43.33% |



## Subject Toppers

### MATHEMATICS

|              |        |
|--------------|--------|
| JYOTI MAHATO | 79/100 |
| UMABHARTI    | 62/100 |

### ECONOMICS

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| TARUN MADIWAL | 89/100 |
| SAKSHI BANGAL | 88/100 |
| RAVI GUPTA    | 83/100 |

### OCM

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| DEEPAK YADAV  | 88/100 |
| SAKSHI BANGAL | 82/100 |
| TARUN MADIWAL | 81/100 |

### ENGLISH

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| DEEPAK YADAV  | 79/100 |
| SAKSHI BANGAL | 78/100 |
| SUJAL CHIPTE  | 73/100 |

### SP

|               |        |
|---------------|--------|
| DEEPAK YADAV  | 92/100 |
| RAVI GUPTA    | 90/100 |
| SUJAL CHIPTE  | 84/100 |
| TARUN MADIWAL | 84/100 |

### BOOK-KEEPING & ACCOUNTANCY

|                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| SAKSHI BANGAL   | 81/100 |
| JYOTI MAHATO    | 79/100 |
| SHIDRAM POOJARI | 76/100 |

# ELFA'23

EDYOUTH LEARNING FOUNDATION'S AWARDS 2023

To applaud the hardwork and rocking results of our students, we introduced "ELFA".which was held on June 18, 2023 at The Empress Court, Vile Parle. Trophies were awarded to rankers and subject toppers in addition to certificates of appreciation which were awarded to all the students.



# Mentor Highlights

Teaching at ELF has been a fulfilling experience for me. I have had the opportunity to make a positive impact on the lives of the students by adapting various teaching methods to meet the unique needs of the students.

Rishita Jain

Teachers can change lives with just the right mix of chalk and challenges! My experience has been awesome. Students were always thirsty for knowledge, which made every day a blast. It really reminded me why I got into teaching in the first place - there's nothing quite like seeing the spark of understanding in a student's eyes when they grasp a difficult concept!

Akhil Patil

Studying accountancy for many years and then teaching the same to students was an unparalleled experience! The interest shown by the students and hardwork put in by all students has paid off well!

Nirali Rita

EDYOUTH's journey has been really special to me and the enthusiasm of the students made it much better! They were my inspiration throughout the journey and their obedience added more life to the teaching experience. So glad to have been associated with ELF!

Aishwarya Solanki

Each of our Economics class was not only about studies, but also about discussing current affairs coupled with jokes revolving around the hottest topic in our country "India's Population"

Naman Wadhwa

# Our Mentors

- Afroz Hashmi
- Aishwarya Solanki
- Akhil Patil
- CA Manthan Dhabriya
- CA Aishwarya Jain

- Chinki Saw
- Dr. Anshul Doctor
- Dr. Krish Dudani
- Dr. Mamta Jha
- Fareeha Naik

- Harshvardhan Saraf
- Hazel Gogri
- Hetvi Shah
- Isha Saraf
- Jaina Gala

- Kushal Mehta
- Leesa Rathi
- Muskan Sayyed
- Naman Wadhwa
- Nirali Rita
- Pooja Kenia



- Rahul Singh
- Rashi Shah
- Rishita Jain
- Sancharee Matthey
- Stuti Jain
- Tanvi Sakunia
- Yash Gupta

# Student Analysis



TOTAL NO.  
OF STUDENTS

63



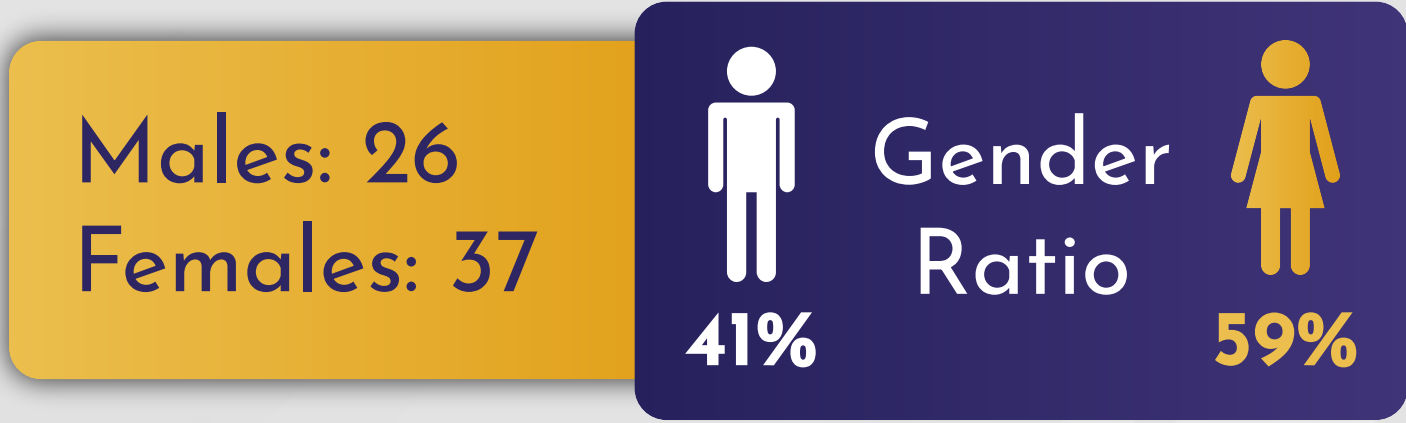
COMMERCE



ARTS



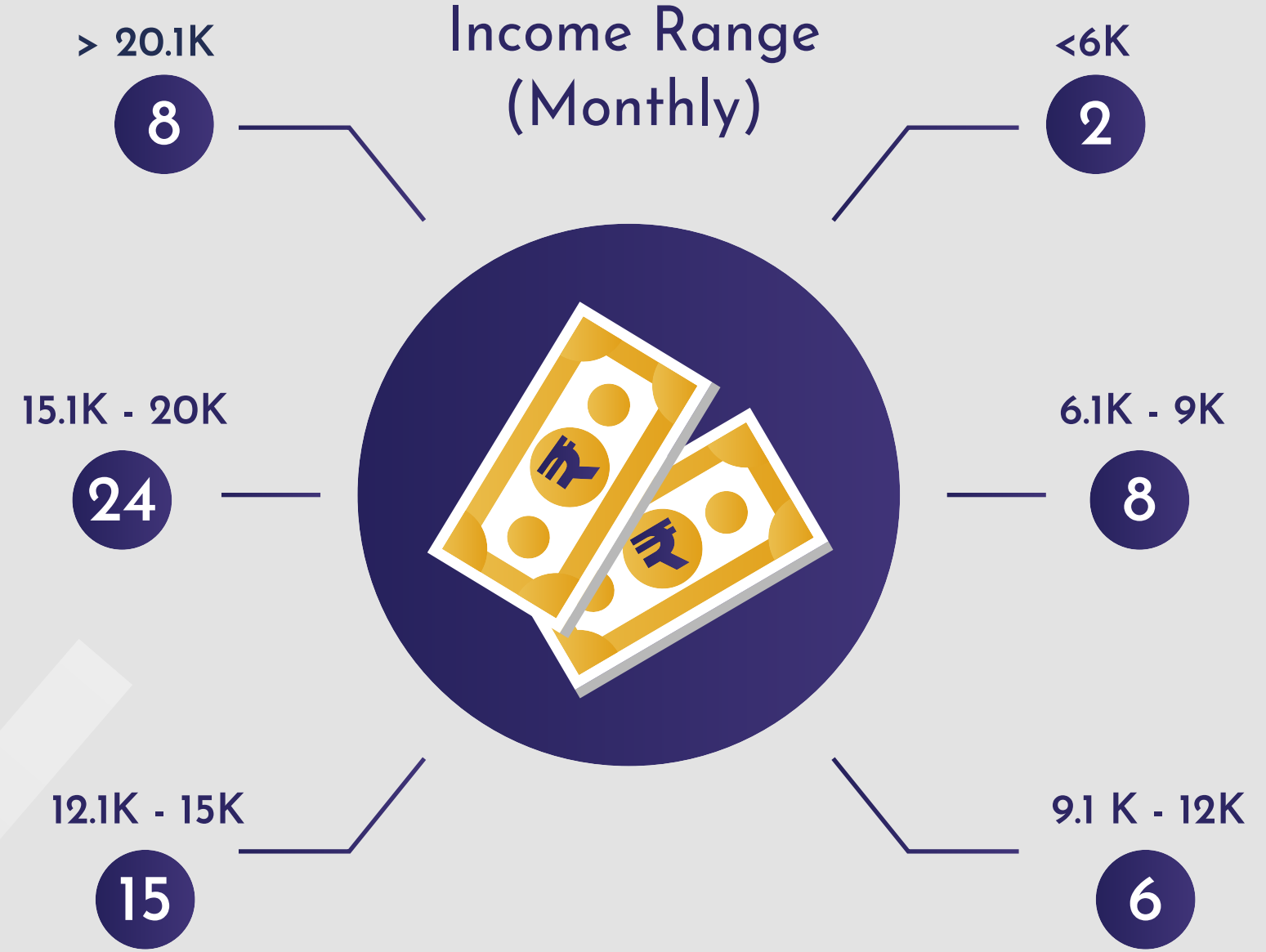
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Family Size

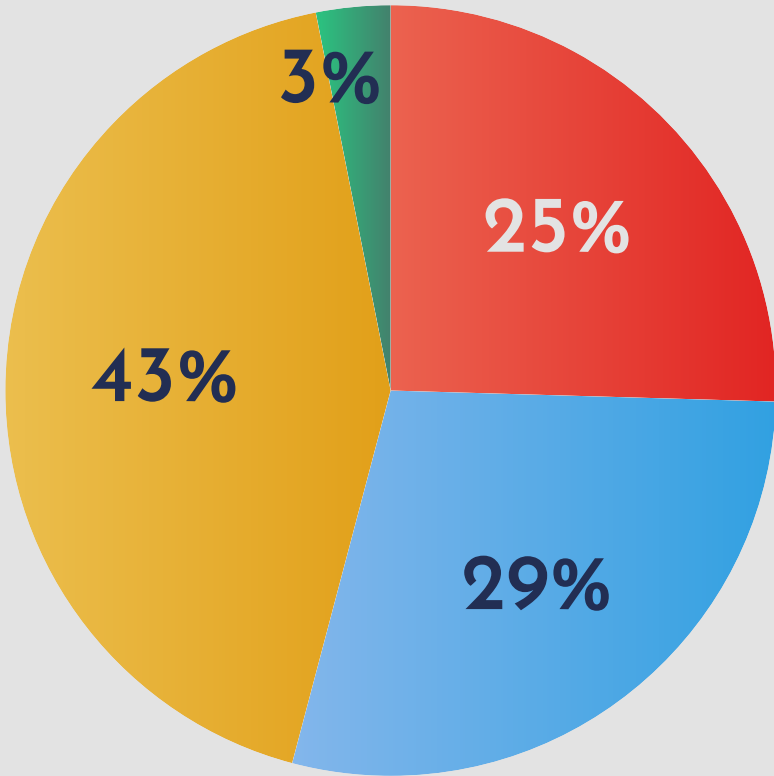


Income Range  
(Monthly)



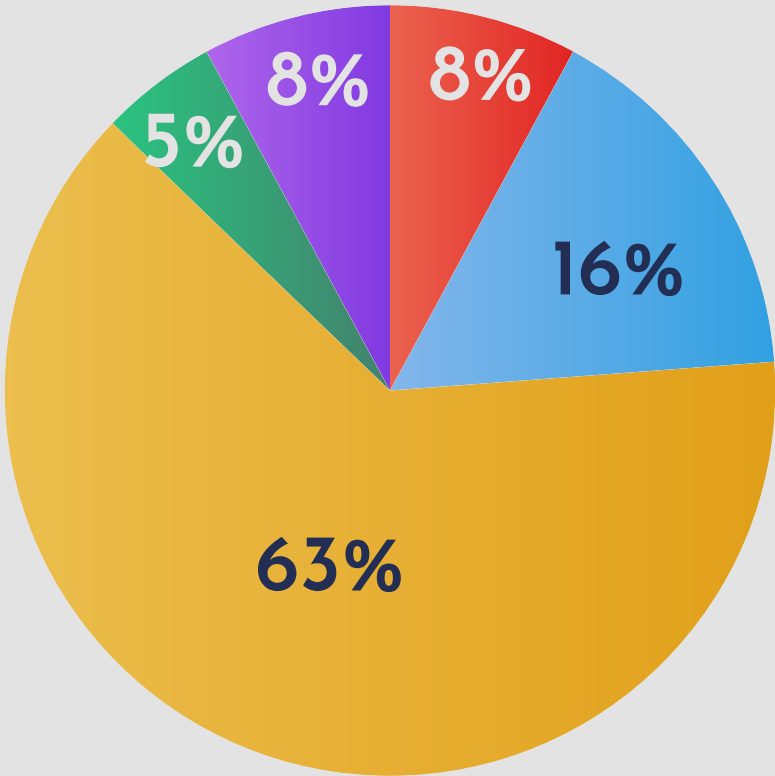
# Student Analysis

Mother's Education



Primary Education    Secondary Education (upto 10th Std.)  
Graduate    Illiterate

Father's Education



Primary Education    Secondary Education (upto 10th Std.)  
N/A    Graduate    Illiterate

Mother's Occupation

|   |         |   |           |    |           |
|---|---------|---|-----------|----|-----------|
| 4 | Artist  | 4 | Business  | 3  | Cooking   |
| 2 | Service | 8 | Househelp | 42 | Housewife |

Father's Occupation

|   |             |    |         |   |               |
|---|-------------|----|---------|---|---------------|
| 7 | Businessman | 16 | Driver  | 4 | BMC Labourer  |
| 2 | Unemployed  | 20 | Service | 3 | House-keeping |
| 8 | Passed Away | 3  | Painter |   |               |

# Student Highlights

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I learnt values like respect and discipline. Regular classes helped me to improve my writing skills. I was very happy that I chose ELF.

Tarun Madiwal

I was little scared initially but I really enjoyed studying at ELF and have created memories for a life time. The notes given for theory subjects helped me to attempt my papers well.

Umabharti Sonnaila

Initially, I had problems in understanding concepts. ELF helped me to understand them and improved my learning skills.

Manjunath Dhangar

ELF was always open for self-study and practice sessions. The best part about ELF is that it is 5 minutes away from my house.

Kajal Kanojiya

Never seen a class like ELF where apart from studies we also got exposure to the outside world. I love ELF.

Ravi Gupta

ELF is the place where I got my courage & confidence to speak with others. Here every student help each other & ask doubts without any hesitation. We also got notes with unique codes given which really helped us.

Pravin Devendra

# Student Highlights

Personalized teaching helped me to understand concepts and sail through the exams. I also learnt punctuality and some communication skills.

Mamta Dussamudi

I joined ELF because of the wonderful infrastructure it offers - air conditioned classrooms, spacious benches and the positive vibes which motivated us to study.

Lokesh Devendra



# Our Partners



**DHIRUBHAI AMBANI  
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**  
ESTD. 2003



**Jamnabai Narsee  
School**



**Mehul Sir Classes**



# *Team edYouth 2022-23*



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DIRECTOR



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COORDINATOR



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CONSULTANT &  
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TO PURSUE EDUCATION AND TURN THEIR DREAMS INTO REALITY!





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