



REAP QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

Q2: APRIL TO JUNE 2026

LEARNING, EMPOWERING, TRANSFORMING LIVES

DEAR SUPPORTERS AND WELL WISHERS,

The second quarter has been marked by meaningful progress as REAP continued to empower children, youth, and communities through education and skill development.

From inaugurating our new Learning Center at Aatkoneshwar Nagar and conducting the Future Tech Summer Bootcamp to receiving the STEM.org Accredited™ Educational Experience recognition, we strengthened our commitment to quality education.

We also celebrated the success of our RISE Hospitality graduates and expanded our community outreach through Labour Card support and safety initiatives.

These milestones were made possible through your continued trust and support. Thank you for being a valued partner in transforming lives and creating brighter futures.

Warm regards,

Joy Fernandes
Director, REAP

➤ REAP'S STEM Impact

BUILDING FUTURE INNOVATORS THROUGH STEM EDUCATION

During April–June 2026, REAP strengthened its STEM education initiatives by enhancing trainer capacity, developing innovative learning content, and expanding technology-based learning opportunities for students across community learning centres and partner schools.

Quarter Highlights



FUTURE TECH SUMMER BOOTCAMP 2026

Held from 9–19 May 2026, the Future Tech Summer Bootcamp brought hands-on STEM learning to **Bhaskar Nagar, Waghoba Nagar, Shivaji Nagar, and Jai Bhim Nagar REAP Learning Centres.**



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STUDENTS EXPLORED



Scratch
Programming



MIT App
Inventor



Tinker cad
3D Design



AR & VR



180+
STUDENTS
PARTICIPATED

Curious minds explored future-ready skills through hands-on learning.



35+
INTERACTIVE
SESSIONS

Engaging, project-based sessions designed to inspire and build skills.



120+
HOURS OF
LEARNING

Extensive learning time spent on building, coding, designing and innovating.



FUTURE-READY
SKILLS

Coding, 3D design, app development and emerging technology activities.



HANDS-ON
EXPERIENCE

Learning by doing in a fun, creative and collaborative environment.



4 LEARNING
CENTRES

Bhaskar Nagar, Waghoba Nagar, Shivaji Nagar, Jai Bhim Nagar.

HANDS-ON PROJECTS

01



Snowman
Design

02



Domino Run
Simulation

03



Rocket using
Codeblocks

04



Text-to-Speech
App

05



Talking Tom
App

06



Single & Multiple
Bouncing Ball Apps

07



Odd & Even
Number Game

08



Jumping Chick
Game

PREPARING EDUCATORS FOR BETTER LEARNING

To ensure high-quality STEM education, REAP invested in continuous trainer development through:

- **Train-the-Trainer (TTT) Programme**
- **Grade-wise technical training sessions**
- **New trainer orientation**
- **Hands-on classroom demonstrations**
- **Curriculum implementation support**



STRENGTHENING STEM ACROSS SCHOOLS

During this quarter, REAP also:

- **Conducted Mathematics & Science activity evaluations**
- **Completed Impact Analysis for partner schools**
- **Developed and refined STEM curriculum**
- **Prepared teacher guides and learning resources**
- **Coordinated implementation across five school clusters**
- **Monitored programme quality and learning outcomes**



STEM.ORG ACCREDITED™ EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

REAP proudly earned the STEM.org Accredited™ Educational Experience recognition, a prestigious global accreditation for excellence in STEM education. This achievement reflects our commitment to delivering high-quality, hands-on learning experiences that inspire innovation and future-ready skills. It motivates us to continue expanding accessible STEM education and empowering the next generation.

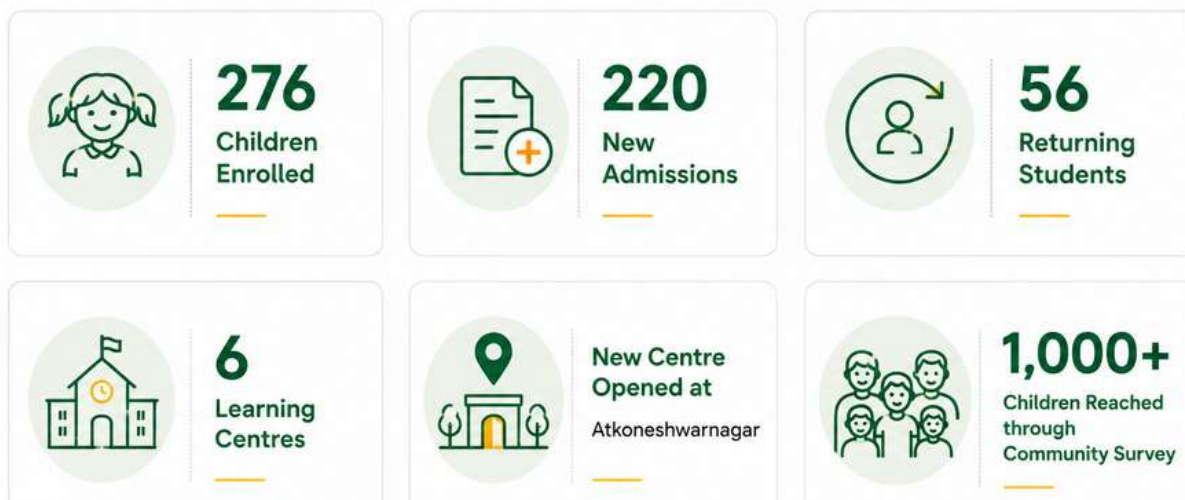


➤ Early Childhood Education

This quarter focused on preparing our Early Childhood Education (ECE) centres for the new academic year. Through community surveys, parent engagement, and admission drives, REAP welcomed hundreds of young learners into joyful, safe, and stimulating classrooms where they begin their learning journey.



QUARTER AT A GLANCE



PREPARING FOR A JOYFUL LEARNING JOURNEY

To ensure every child receives the best start to their education, REAP completed several academic preparations before the new session.

Programme Highlights

- ✓ Three-month curriculum prepared
- ✓ Play-based learning activities revised
- ✓ Teaching-learning materials developed
- ✓ Literacy & numeracy resources prepared
- ✓ Baseline assessment tools developed
- ✓ Standardised monitoring and reporting systems introduced



INAUGURATION OF REAP LEARNING CENTER AT AATKONESHWAR NAGAR, KALWA (E)

REAP inaugurated its new Learning Centre at Aatkoneshwar Nagar, Kalwa (East), expanding access to quality education for children in the community. The centre was inaugurated by REAP Director Joy Fernandes in the presence of STEM Director Noel Pinto and local Corporator Raju Patil, along with parents, children, and community members. The new centre will provide a safe, nurturing environment that supports children's early learning and holistic development.



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Community Survey & Parent Meetings

BACK TO SCHOOL CELEBRATION AT REAP ECE CENTERS

The new academic year began with a joyful Back to School Celebration across REAP's seven ECE Centres. Through fun-filled activities and games, children were warmly welcomed, helping them begin their learning journey with confidence and excitement.



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► Foundational Learning

REAP's Foundational Learning Programme continued preparing children for academic success by strengthening literacy, numeracy, and English communication skills. During the quarter, community outreach, admissions, curriculum development, and classroom readiness activities ensured a strong start to the new academic year.

QUARTER AT A GLANCE



BUILDING STRONG FOUNDATIONS FOR LEARNING

To strengthen classroom learning, REAP completed extensive academic preparations before the new session.

- ✓ Curriculum revised for Grades 2, 3, 4 & 6
- ✓ Teaching-learning materials prepared
- ✓ Activity-based classroom resources developed
- ✓ Baseline assessment tools created
- ✓ Teacher competency examination conducted



ENGLISH SPEAKING SUMMER CLASSES

A Special English Speaking Programme was conducted across six batches in four learning centres, helping children improve their communication skills through interactive and activity-based sessions. The programme concluded with student assessments to measure learning outcomes.



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WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY CELEBRATION 5 JUNE 2026

On World Environment Day, REAP students led a community awareness rally promoting cleanliness and eco-friendly practices, inspiring children and residents to work together for a greener, more sustainable future.



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INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY CELEBRATION

On International Yoga Day, REAP students participated in a special yoga session held at Parsik Nagar, Kalwa (West). Guided by experienced instructors, the session promoted physical fitness, mental well-being, and healthy lifestyle habits through yoga and mindfulness.



➤ Computer Programme

To enhance digital learning, REAP upgraded computer laboratories, revised lesson plans, and developed bilingual teaching-learning materials. These preparations ensure students have access to engaging, technology-enabled learning experiences from the start of the academic year.



➤ Teacher Capacity Building

REAP continued to invest in teacher development through English language classes, competency assessments, orientation sessions, and curriculum training. These initiatives strengthened teachers' communication, classroom practices, and instructional skills, ensuring they are well-prepared to deliver engaging, high-quality learning experiences throughout the academic year.



18 Teachers Assessed

Comprehensive assessment of teaching competencies to support growth and professional development.



English Language Classes

Strengthening communication skills and confidence through interactive and practical English sessions.



Curriculum Orientation

In-depth orientation on curriculum structure, teaching strategies, and learning outcomes.



Teacher Competency Assessment

Structured evaluation to measure teaching effectiveness and identify areas for continuous improvement.



**READY FOR THE
2026-27
ACADEMIC YEAR**



**STRONGER
TEACHERS**



**BETTER
LEARNING**



**HIGHER
IMPACT**



**BRIGHTER
FUTURES**

➤ RISE (REAP Institute for Skill & Empowerment)

RISE HOSPITALITY CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY

REAP celebrated the successful completion of the RISE Hospitality Training Program with a Certificate Distribution Ceremony, recognizing students who completed the three-month course and successfully passed their final assessments.

The program equipped participants with industry-relevant skills, practical experience, and the confidence to pursue careers in hospitality. During the ceremony, graduates proudly shared their success stories, with students now working at **Tibbs Frankie**, **Pizzeria 14.41**, and **The Chef Kitchen**, while others have taken up freelance catering assignments. One graduate has also begun planning an independent fast-food venture.

Their achievements highlight the transformative impact of skill-based education in creating pathways to sustainable livelihoods. We extend our sincere gratitude to Optshine for their valuable partnership and continued support in making this initiative possible.



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PLACED WITH LEADING EMPLOYERS

Several students were placed with reputed employers such as:



MONTHLY EARNINGS
RANGE BETWEEN

₹10,000 – ₹20,000

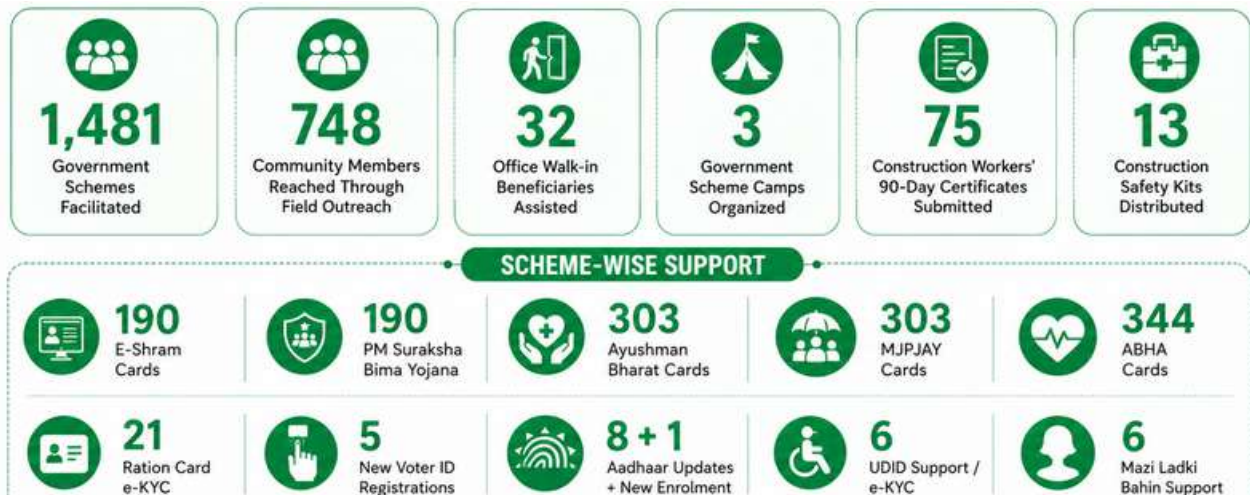


FREELANCE CATERING
ASSIGNMENTS GENERATE
UP TO

₹14,000
PER EVENT

REAP Community Outreach

Throughout the second quarter, REAP Community Outreach connected vulnerable communities with essential government welfare schemes through field visits, awareness camps, and one-on-one support. By working closely with government departments and local stakeholders, the team helped families access healthcare, labour welfare, identity documentation, and social security benefits. These initiatives continue to improve access to vital services and strengthen community well-being.



REAP HELPS CONSTRUCTION WORKERS ACCESS GOVERNMENT SAFETY KIT SCHEME

REAP supported construction workers in accessing the Government Safety Kit Scheme by identifying eligible beneficiaries, assisting with documentation, completing applications, and coordinating with the Labour Department throughout the process.



13 construction workers successfully received safety kits, improving workplace safety and helping them access an important labour welfare benefit.

➤ Looking Ahead

As we move into the next quarter, REAP will continue expanding access to quality education, strengthening community outreach, and empowering children and youth through innovative learning and skill development.

A major focus will be expanding our STEM Education Program across **BMC schools in Mumbai**, making hands-on, experiential STEM learning accessible to more children and ensuring every child has the opportunity to develop future-ready skills.

With the continued support of our donors, partners, volunteers, and well-wishers, we look forward to creating more opportunities, transforming more lives, and building brighter futures for every child and community.



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