

# NEWSLETTER

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BOOK POST

Warm greetings from MESCO!

October brings a time of growth, new opportunities, and fresh energy. As we share our quarterly newsletter, it's a good time to celebrate our achievements and look forward to what's next.

This edition highlights key developments from the past quarter across our departments—each reflecting MESCO's commitment to purpose and progress.

We are pleased to share that the 57th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of MESCO and the 48th AGM of MES were successfully held on 27th September 2025, attended by committee members, staff, and well-wishers.

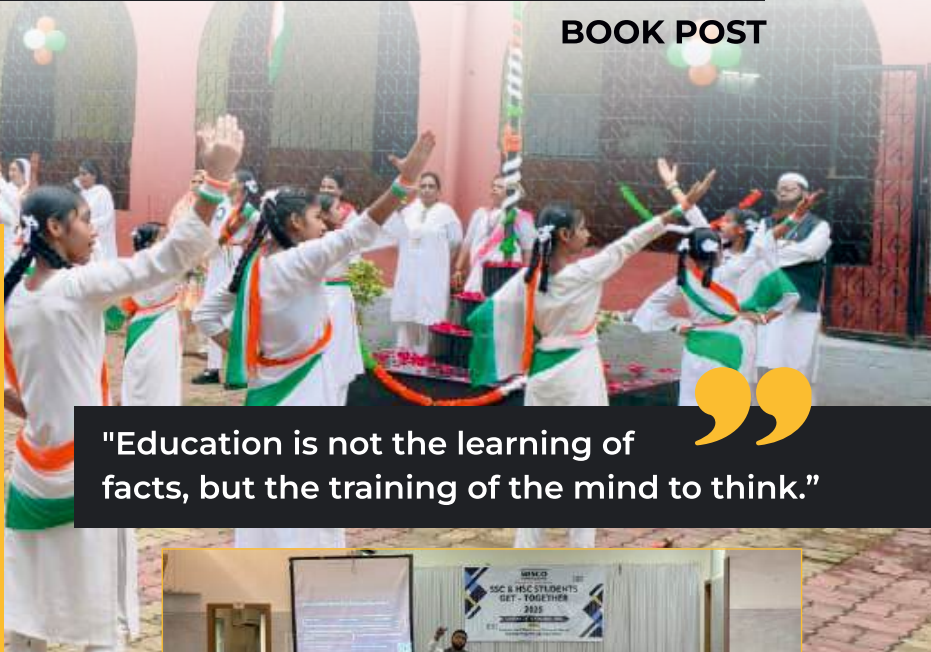
Our Clinics Department launched a Free Thyroid (TSH) Test Drive, conducted at the Mumbra Medical Aid Dispensary every second Monday of the month.

In alignment with our environmental mission, students from MES Crescent and Radiant High School participated in the "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" initiative on 9th July 2025, planting 151 saplings to honor Mother Earth.

A major highlight was the Visionary Principals' Conclave on 23rd August 2025 at Radiant English High School & Jr. College, where 33 schools and 56 educators participated.

We are also humbled by the recognition from Wockhardt Hospital on 31st July 2025 for our continued medical support to underprivileged patients.

We are delighted to announce that MESCO has purchased its own office space, thanks to our donors. This will allow us to redirect rent savings toward expanding our community support.



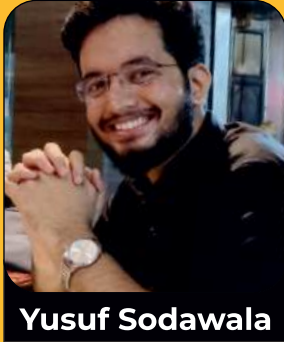
"Education is not the learning of facts, but the training of the mind to think."



## EDUCATION

- Ms. Shabana Khan, Educational Counsellor at MESCO, has been appointed Field Instructor by the College of Social Work, Nirmala Niketan.
- MESCO, in collaboration with the Apex Foundation, has launched a pilot project for NEET aspirants to support students pursuing medical careers.
- As in previous years, students from TISS and College of Social work, Nirmala Niketan have joined MESCO under the internship programme, contributing to various projects.
- An orientation on MESCO's Newspaper Project was conducted at St. Agnes High School, Clare Road, by Ms. Carol Parera, a Nirmala Niketan student.
- A Get-together for SSC and HSC students was held on 21st September 2025, featuring sessions by Mr. Nafees Anwar on Board exam preparation and Mr. Ahsan Sayyed on documentation and scholarships.
- Ms. Shabana Khan has become a Life Member of the National Association of Professional Social Workers in India (NAPSWI).

## SHINING STORIES OF HOPE & SUCCESS



**Yusuf Sodawala**

In retrospect, I feel truly grateful to have been part of MESCO for the past nine years. I joined in 2015 as a 7th grader, and it has been a life-changing journey. Coming from a humble background, with my father employed and my mother a homemaker, continuing my education was often uncertain due to financial challenges and self-doubt and this changed when I became a MESCO student.

MESCO supported me not just financially, but also with guidance and mentorship. They helped me make crucial career decisions and instilled values like perseverance, responsibility, and gratitude—qualities that shaped who I am today. Beyond academics, MESCO's events, especially the Personality Development Camp, offered joy and deep learning.

Today, I have completed my B.Tech in Computer Engineering and working as a Machine Learning Engineer at Quantphi Analytics. None of this would have been possible without MESCO's consistent support. I remain forever thankful.



**Khan Shahnawaz**

I joined MESCO's EAS program in 2012 when I was in class nine. MESCO has truly turned my doubts into confidence and my efforts into success. From hesitant beginnings to proud achievements, this journey would not have been possible without the support, guidance, and mentorship I received from MESCO staff and members.

The various MESCO programs and meet-ups, such as Personality Development and EAS Milap, and the sessions for preparing for board exams, have truly helped my personal and professional growth. MESCO also supported me financially during a time when continuing my studies seemed uncertain.

Today, I am working as an SAP Consultant at Capgemini with six years of experience. I am forever grateful to MESCO for investing in my future and helping me rise against all odds.

## MEDICAL



MESCO extends heartfelt gratitude to all donors, supporters, and CSR partners for their continued trust. This quarter, **284** beneficiaries received aid under the LSMA scheme for major treatments and surgeries, **45** patients got monthly medicines, **59** received help for minor surgeries and diagnostics, and **43** for dialysis support.

### Achievements and programmes

MESCO organized a Six-Month Dialysis Form Distribution Programme on 7th September 2025. A total of **92** patients came for dialysis assistance, out of which **30** were selected through a lottery system & would be supported for six months of dialysis support from MESCO.



MESCO was honored by Wockhardt Hospital on 31st July 2025, in recognition of MESCO's support for needy and deserving patients in their treatment.

### A Ray of Hope for the Shrivastav Family

For the Shrivastav family from Virar, life took a difficult turn when Mr. Saurabh Shrivastav aged 19 years was diagnosed with renal failure in 2023 and began regular dialysis at Shri KVO Jain Dialysis Centre, Nalasopara. With his father working as a mason and earning just Rs. 9,000 per month, meeting both household and medical expenses became nearly impossible for the family of five. Their hardship increased when Saurabh's twin brother, Sagar, was also diagnosed with a kidney ailment in June 2025, requiring medicines worth Rs. 3,000 per month. MESCO extended a helping hand, Saurabh was selected under the Sustained Dialysis scheme, while Sagar began receiving monthly medication support under the Medical Aid scheme. Their parents expressed heartfelt gratitude to MESCO, saying they finally feel relieved and hopeful seeing both their sons recovering with continuous medical assistance.



**Saurabh**

**Sagar**

## CLINICS



- In the last quarter, MESCO's Medical-Aid Dispensary located in Mumbra, successfully provided primary medical care to 4627 patients. Additionally, MESCO's Umair Khopekar Memorial Physiotherapy Centre delivered physiotherapy services to 689 patients.
- We are excited to announce that we are hosting a free thyroid test (TSH) drive at our Medical Aid Dispensary in Mumbra, on the second Monday of every month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. This initiative, supported by Abbott India, aims to raise awareness about thyroid disorders. The clinic department extends its heartfelt gratitude to our sponsors and donors for their generous in-kind contributions.

## RELIEF OF POVERTY



- A Trade Test and Interview were held on 28th September 2025. 51 beneficiaries participated out of which 43 qualified to receive sewing machines in October 2025, empowering women towards self-reliance.

**51** Participants attended the Trade Test

- During every month dry ration kits were distributed to 459 beneficiaries across 10 areas, including special support for the elderly at Kaynaat Old Age Home in Uttan.

**459** Families Supported through Ration Scheme

## SCHOOL ADOPTION



### Key Events of the Quarter

**JULY 1**



**Extra Coaching Classes:** MESCO teachers began special coaching sessions for Std. IX and X students to strengthen academic performance.

**JULY 25**



**Notebook Distribution:** Notebooks were distributed to students of Std. IX and X attending extra classes at R.C Mahim School.

**AUGUST 15**



**Independence Day:** Celebrated at R.C Mahim School with staff and students from all sections.

## MES, CRESCENT SCHOOL

### Key Events of the Quarter

**JULY 5**



**Felicitation Ceremony:** SSC, HSC & MSCIT toppers were honored with prizes and certificates.

**JULY 9**



**Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam:** Students planted 151 saplings to support environmental conservation.

**AUGUST**



**SDGs School Award:** The school was recognized at the Education Leadership Conclave for its innovative approach and commitment to NEP 2020.

**AUGUST 15**



**Independence Day:** Students participated in activities and performances celebrating patriotism.

**SEPTEMBER 14**



**Interschool Competitions:** Students excelled in elocution, peace poster, and ideathon contests.



## MES, RADIANT SCHOOL & JR. CLG.

From 1st July to 24th July 2025, the school organized various activities including Doctor's Day, Investiture Ceremony, Van Mahotsav, World Youth Skills Day, Superhero Day, Fancy Dress & Role Play Competitions, Monsoon Activity, observances of Kargil Vijay Diwas and International Tiger Day, where students actively participated in creative, environmental, patriotic, and skill-based events promoting learning, leadership, and awareness.



On 10th August 2025, Radiant Jr. College's U19 Girls team secured 2nd place in the DSO Mumbai Division Sports held at TMC Stadium, Mumbra, showcasing exceptional teamwork and discipline.

On 15th August 2025 Independence Day was celebrated this event featured flag hoisting, parade, band display, cultural acts, and awareness sessions on senior citizen safety and anti-drug campaigns.



On 23rd August 2025, MES organised the Visionary Principals' Conclave

featuring Dr. Ushavati Shetty and Mrs. Zeenat Syed as the resource persons. The event witnessed participation from 33 schools with 56 delegates from across Maharashtra. Led by Executive Officer Mr. Mohsin Shaikh and the MES team, the conclave received great appreciation from all attendees. Special thanks were extended to Dr. M. A. Khatkhatay for his valuable guidance. The presence of URC Mr. Mushtaq Pathan, CRC Mr. Nadim Baig, Prof. M. Farhaan Makba, and trustees including Mr. Iqbal Virani added immense value to the event.

## MES, NURSERY SCHOOLS

- On 1st August 2025, a dental checkup was held at MES Angels' Paradise Nursery School, Dharavi, by Dr. Afshan Laheji and her team in collaboration with the Indian Dental Association (IDA).



- On 15th August 2025, Independence Day was celebrated as "Leaders' Day" in all nursery schools.



## HOW YOU CAN HELP US

- **INR 8,000/-** - a year will cover a child's School/College fees under Educational Aid (**EA**).
- **INR 25,000/-** - per year helps a meritorious child to continue his/her education under Education Adoption Scheme (**EAS**).
- **INR 60,000/-** - a year ensures professional education for a meritorious student under High Cost Education Scholarship (**HCES**).
- **INR 700/-** - **Single Dialysis** cost for Kidney Failure patient.
- **INR 50,000/-** - Sponsor a Dialysis patient for their 6 months dialysis cost (**6 months dialysis support scheme**).
- **INR 15,000/-** - Enables us to support a patient for their diagnostic tests and monthly medicines for their chronic illness. (**MA**).
- **INR 30,000/-** - Enables us to support a patient for their life saving high cost surgeries and treatments. (**LSMA**).
- **INR 9,000/-** - enable us to provide a **Sewing Machine** to a destitute women in order to make her self reliant.
- **INR 28,000/-** - provides **dry Ration** to deserving families for a whole year.
- **INR 6,000/-** - a year to sponsor a **Nursery Child**.
- **INR 2,25,000/-** - a year, would sponsor a **Nursery School** in a poor locality.
- **INR 2,500 /-** - per year supports a **Municipal School Child** with Mid-Day Meals, Learning Materials, and Holistic Development Programs.

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