

# Friends of Children Trust

Empowering through Education



## Annual Day 2012

23<sup>rd</sup> Sep

# Agenda

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# Our Vision

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## Our Philosophy

Every child has the right to lead a quality life through a quality education.

## Our Goal

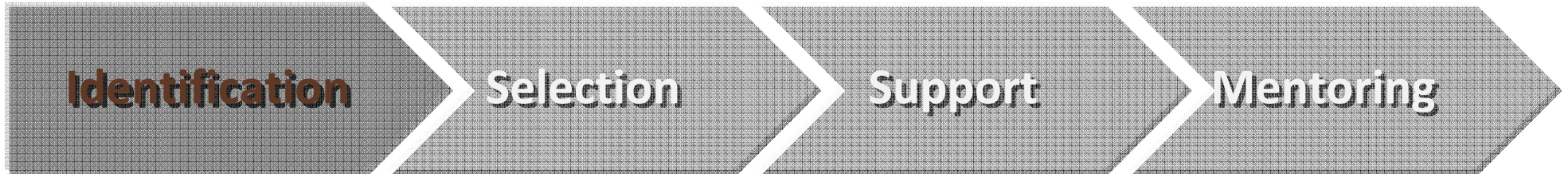
A better future for children from the economically weaker sections of the society through education.



# Our Process

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Students from the nearby communities approach us directly

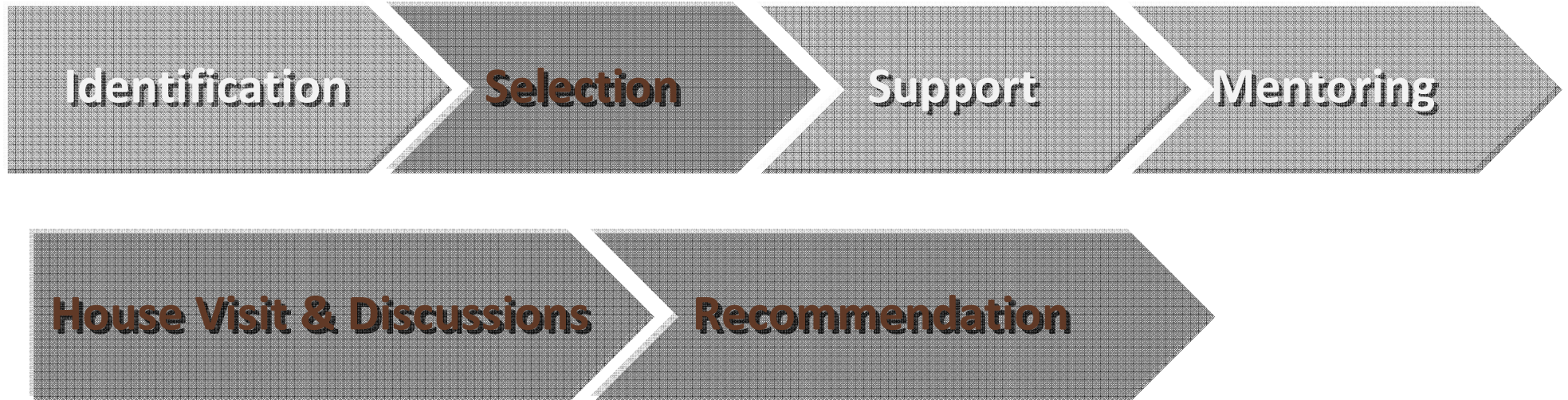
## References

- ✓ Schools
- ✓ Current Students and Alumni
- ✓ Prerana
- ✓ Volunteers, Friends and Donors

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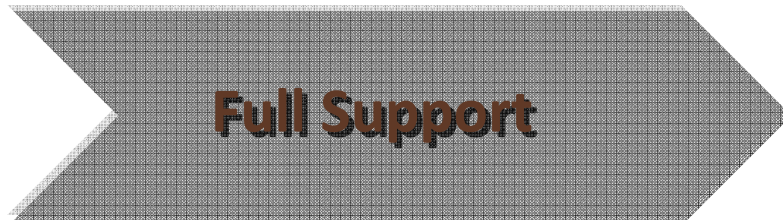
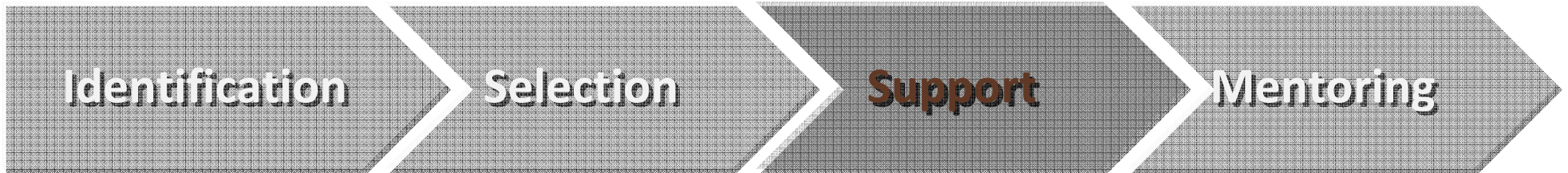


- ✓ Initial discussion with the student
- ✓ House visit to understand the condition of the home
- ✓ Discussion with the parents

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- ✓ College fees
- ✓ Books
- ✓ Other courses
- ✓ Bus Pass
- ✓ Health aid

# Our Process

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Identification

Selection

Support

**Mentoring**

**Nine Tenth of education is mentoring**

Weekend sessions at St. Teresa's

- ✓ Goal setting
- ✓ Academic
- ✓ Personality development

Mentor matrix

- ✓ 2:9 volunteer-student ratio

# The Year Flew By

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## - Highlights

- ✓ Regular Mentoring – All Sunday's
- ✓ Keeping in touch with passed out students – Alumni Group, Placement Assistance
- ✓ Attracted new volunteers
- ✓ Computer/Technical Skills Training
- ✓ Student Retention: We were able to convince the family of a 2nd year BCom student's family to not get her married until the completion of her course
- ✓ Over 80% placement record – B. Com (14/18), B. Sc. – (1/3 - 2 pursuing MSc), Nursing (1/1), B. Ed. (1/1) and B.A (1/1)

# The Year Flew By

## - Activities/Events

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### Day2Day

#### Internal

- ✓ 1. Personality Development
- ✓ 2. English
- ✓ 3. Aptitude
- ✓ 4. Doubt Clearing in Subjects

#### External

- ✓ Computer Skills (Tally, Excel, Any training needed)
- ✓ Resume Writing and Mock Interviews
- ✓ Full and Part-time Jobs
- ✓ Personality Development – GFS in Shimoga

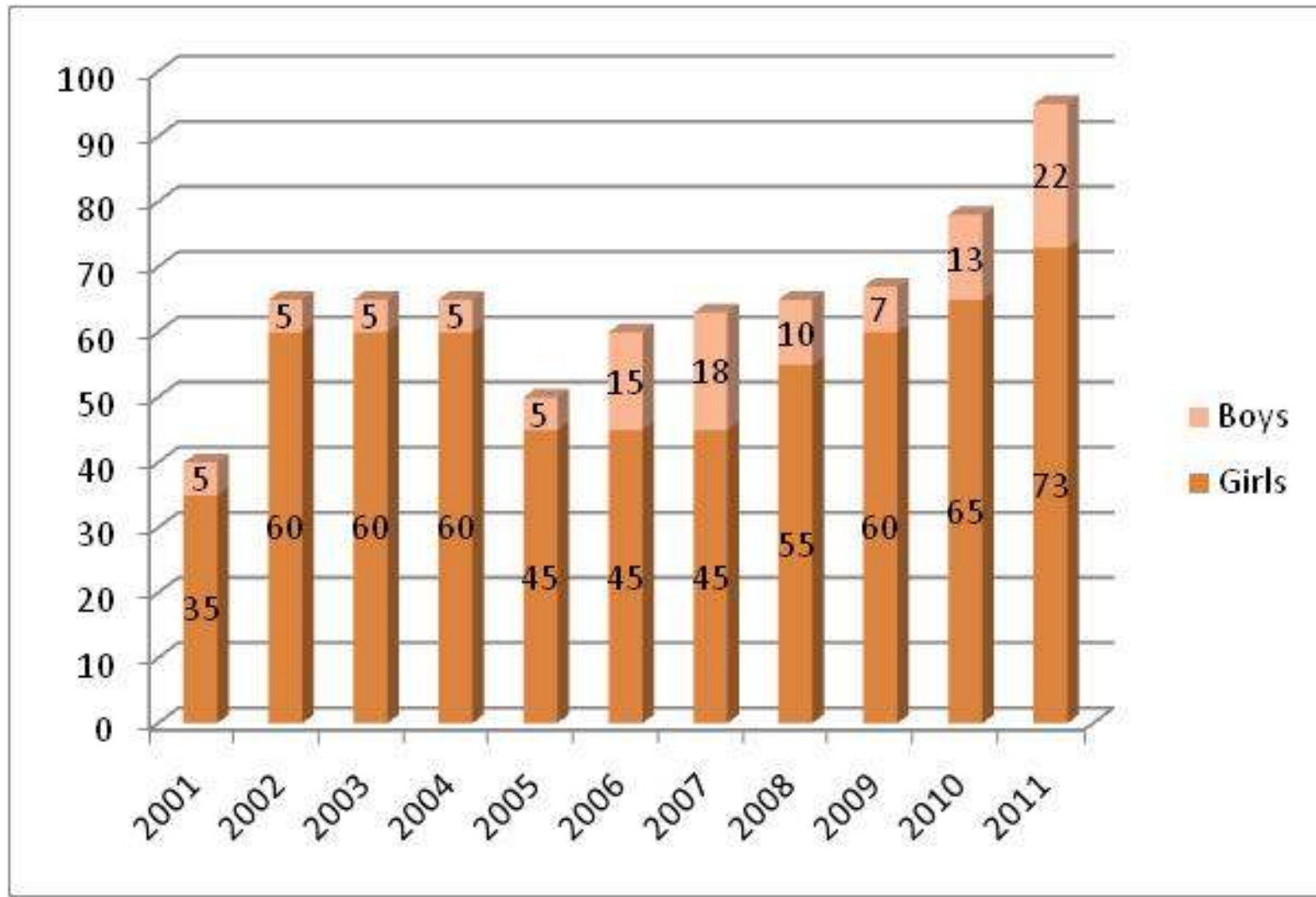
### Events

- ✓ Fresher's Day
- ✓ Parent's Day
- ✓ Birthday Celebrations
- ✓ Annual Quiz
- ✓ Annual Day

# The Year Flew By

## - Overall Student Strength

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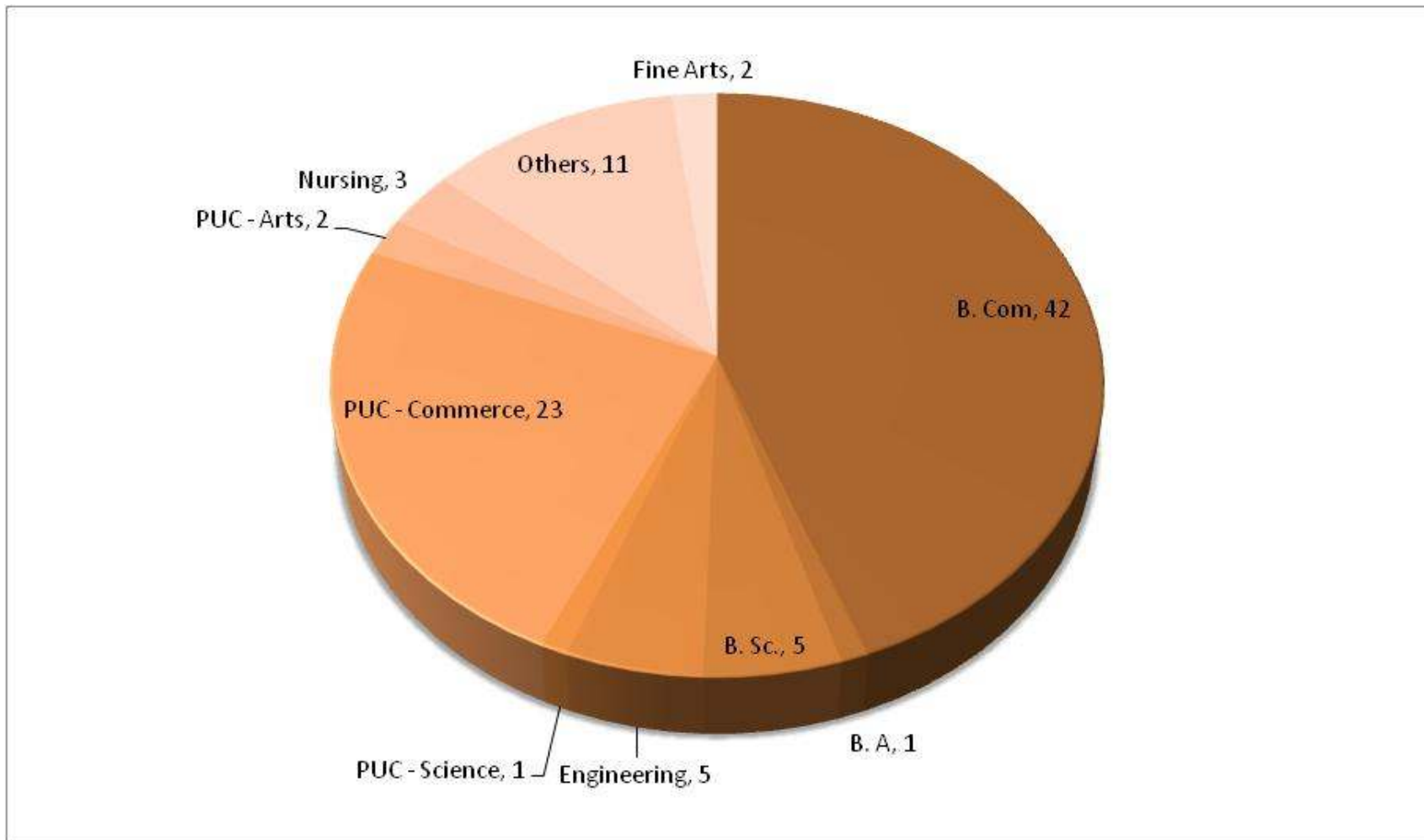


# The Year Flew By

## - Course-wise Student Strength

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**Total Students: 95**

# The Year Flew By

## - Funding Usage

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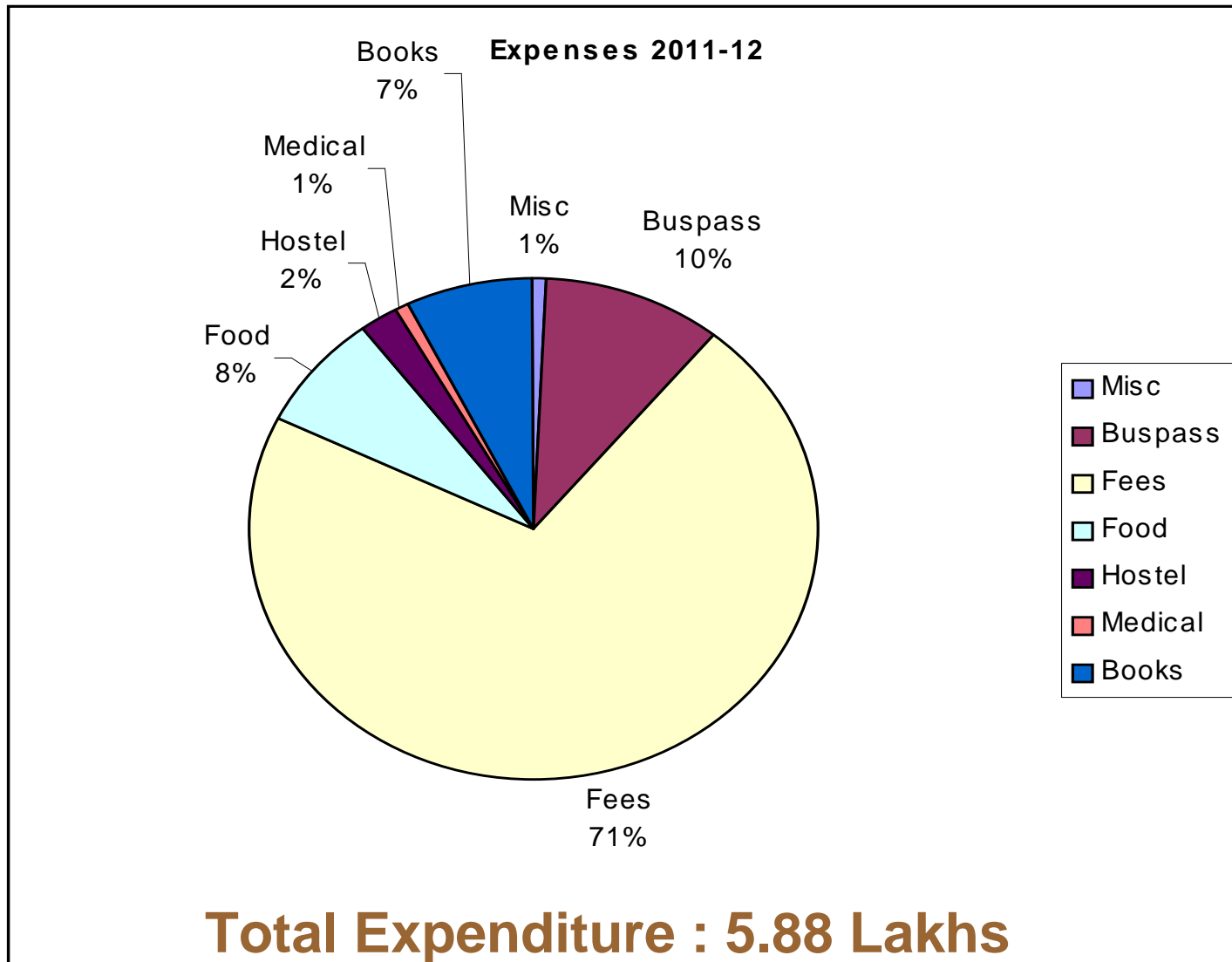
- ✓ Fund raising is through “Personal Contacts”
- ✓ The funding is used for
  - ✓ Fees
  - ✓ Books
  - ✓ Bus pass
  - ✓ Lunch expenses for the children
  - ✓ Health Aid

**We have no overheads**

# The Year Flew By

## - Financials

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# The Year Flew By

## - Challenges

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Challenges	Workarounds
Basic computer skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Working with AmiCorp and Edenred</li><li>✓ Training in Tally from external agency</li></ul>
Jobs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Interaction with the various organization</li><li>✓ This is still a challenge and we are looking for more support from every corner</li></ul>
Tracking of students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Mentor Matrix – Dedicated Mentors for every batch</li></ul>
Lack of Volunteers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Looking for more volunteers for<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Mentoring</li><li>✓ Personality development</li><li>✓ English classes</li><li>✓ Commerce/Science streams</li><li>✓ Skill training</li></ul></li></ul>

# The Year Flew By

## - Success Stories

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- ✓ Jobs in Reputed Companies like Infosys, Bharati Airtel, Northern Trust, Edenred and other private organizations
- ✓ One final year B. Com student passed Inter-Chartered Accountancy intermediate course
- ✓ One B. Com 2<sup>nd</sup> year student qualifying CPT of CA
- ✓ A student with M. Sc, M. Phil degree cleared UPSC prelims, but could not clear her mains, has secured a job as a lecturer in Bangalore University, while she continues to prepare for UPSC.

# The Year Flew By

## - II PUC

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- ✓ **Veena R (86%)**
- ✓ **Sowmya BK (82.5%)**
- ✓ **Jhancyrani M (82%)**
- ✓ Lavanya K
- ✓ Pavan Kumar R
- ✓ Uma
- ✓ Arvind S
- ✓ Usha S
- ✓ Gayatri S
- ✓ Suman
- ✓ Chaitra S

# The Year Flew By

## - Graduates

✓ **Saraswati (74%)**

**Vinod (74%)**

✓ **Lakshmi MG (73%)**

✓ Divya NP

✓ Divya N

✓ Latha

✓ Chaitra

✓ Pushpa

✓ Jyothi

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✓ Sreedevika M

✓ Nirmala R

✓ Lakshmi M

✓ Shyamala M

✓ Rajalakshmi

✓ Arun Kumar B

✓ Kasturi

✓ Lakshmi K

✓ Kavya

# The Year Flew By

## - Our Inspirations

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### **Veena**

Topped among the PU students despite health issues + Proactively giving us feedback

### **Girish**

Taking initiatives regularly to organise talks+ involving other students in various activities

### **Latha and Divya**

Come back as volunteers

### **Pavan**

A support to the other students + Helped other batchmates during the admission process going to the colleges with them

### **Sreedevika**

Proactively giving us feedback and coming back as volunteer

### **Honnubai**

Maintaining good relations with teachers from previous college and enabling our students to get admission

# The Year Ahead

## - Planned Activities

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- ✓ Medical Camps
- ✓ Special Talks
- ✓ Personality Development sessions
- ✓ Parent Interactions
- ✓ Outing
- ✓ Resume Writing and Mock Interviews
- ✓ Excel & Tally

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## - Financials

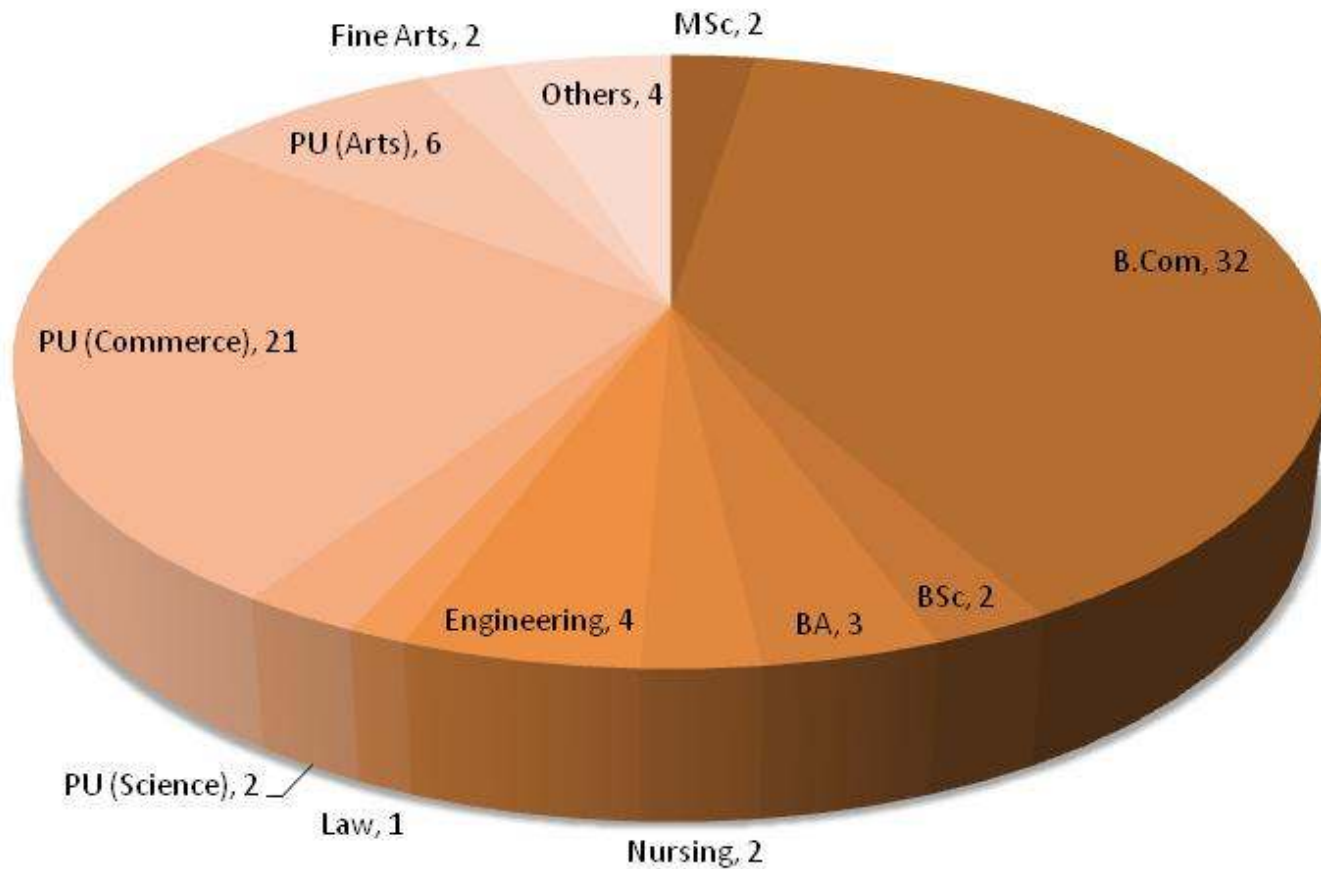
- ✓ Funding Required – INR 8,00,000/-
  - ✓ Expenses in Q1 – INR 3,91,000 /-
- ✓ Opening Balance for the Year 2012 – INR 1,60,484/-
- ✓ Donations received in Year 2012 – INR 5,34,400/-

# The Year Ahead

## - Students

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**Total Students: 81**

# Our Special Thanks

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- ✓ St. Teresa Girls High School
- ✓ IISc, Ms. Anjula Gurtoo
- ✓ Amicorp and Edenred(Arif)
- ✓ One world, One family
- ✓ Colleges - MES College and Christ College
- ✓ Graduate Finishing School (Vidyaposhak)
- ✓ IQuest
- ✓ Renu Kotian (Resume Writing Workshop)
- ✓ Donors
- ✓ Student Volunteers
- ✓ Students!

# Thank You

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