

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AP	Annual Performance
ARNEC	Asia-Pacific Regional Network for Early Childhood
AWW	Anganwadi Worker
CASEL	Collaborative to Advance Social, and Emotional Learning
CBSE	Central Board of School Education
CSWB	Central Social Welfare Board
DISE	District Information System for Education
DWCD	Department of Women and Child Development
ECCD	Early Childhood Care and Development
ECCE	Early Childhood Care and Education
ECD	Early Childhood Development
ECE	Early Childhood Education
EDN	End of Decade Note
EFA	Education for All
EI	Emotional Intelligence
EVS	Environmental Studies
FGD	Focus Group Discussion
GD	Group Discussion
GIDC	Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation
IAPE	Indian association for pre-school education
ICDS	Integrated Child Development Services
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IEC	Information Education Communication
KG	Kinder Garten
LKG	Lower Kinder Garten
NCERT	National Council of Education, Research and Training
NCF	National Curriculum Framework

NPA	National Plan of Action
NPE	National Policy on Education
PBL	Project Based Learning
RTE	Right to Education
SEED	Seeding Early Education Institute
SEL	Social Emotional Learning
SELP	Socio-Emotional Learning Programme
SES	Socio-emotional status
SPAC	State Plan of Action for Children
SSA	SarvaShikshaAbhiyan
UKG	Upper Kinder Garten.
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Fund
VMC	Vadodara Municipal Corporation
ZPD	Zone of Proximal Development