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Date: November 05, 2018

To
Listing Department
Listing Department,

BSE Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street,
Mumbai, Maharashtra 400001

Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai, Maharashtra
400051

Dear Sir,

Re: Investors Presentation-Financial Results-Q2 FY 2018-19 -pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

The presentation for the analysts and investors for the conference call scheduled to be held on Monday, November 12, 2018 at 12:00 P.M. to discuss the financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2018 is attached herewith.

The Company shall also disseminate the above information on the website of the Company i.e. www.schandgroup.com.

Request you to kindly take note of the same.

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For S Chand And Company Limited

Jagdeep Singh

Company Secretary

Membership No-A15028

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S. Chand and Company Limited
Q2 – FY2018-19
Results Presentation
November 05, 2018



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 - Indian Education Sector Overview
 - S Chand Group Profile
 - S Chand Historical Financial Performance





Strong focus on improving balance sheet metrics

- Due to the seasonal nature of our business, <u>Q2 historically contributes only a minor portion of our annual revenues</u>.

 Therefore, our focus during the quarter remains on improvement in debtor days, net working capital etc.
 - Our Debtor days has reduced by 53 days QoQ to 178 days (vs. 290 days during Q4FY18 & 231 days in Q1FY19)
 - Our Net Working capital days has reduced by 33 days QoQ to 202 days (vs. 253 days during Q4FY18 & 235 days in Q1FY19)

Update on Chetana Publications LLP acquisition – Going as planned

- In line with our roll up strategy, we announced the acquisition of a beneficial 51% stake in Chetana Publications LLP in August, 2018 with an investment of Rs585m. We are focused on completing the necessary approvals and are planning for a successful integration of Chetana Publications LLP with S Chand during FY19.
- Chetana Publications LLP s a leading state board player in Maharashtra which derives ~85% of revenues during the April- June quarter which is a lean quarter for S Chand. This acquisition should significantly help in reducing the Q4 heavy nature of our business.
- We look forward to driving synergies with the help of our group's leadership position and resources including distribution network, printing infrastructure, preferred paper prices, digital content etc.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS: Q2FY19



- Update on Chhaya Prakashani acquisition of the remaining 26% stake
 - S Chand had acquired 74% stake in Chhaya Prakashani in December, 2016.
 - We are in the process of acquiring additional 26% and taking our stake to 100% in the company during the year.
- Update on restructuring of our business subsidiaries to gain tax efficiency, cost rationalization and improved capital allocation
 - We are in process of implementing a scheme of amalgamation of our subsidiaries Blackie & Son (Calcutta) Private
 Limited, Nirja Publishers & Printers Private Limited. DS Digital Private Limited, Safari Digital Education Initiatives Private
 Limited into S Chand And Company.
 - We look forward to completing this process within the current financial year.

SEASONAL NATURE OF OUR BUSINESS



Less than 10% of annual revenues; Negative WC

Q1 April - June

- Last leg of K-12 sales for new academic session and delivery of books to distributors/ schools.
- New academic session commences in April for CBSE/ ISCE schools.
- Annual paper contracts negotiated.
- Finalisation of title catalogue for next academic year (new and revised titles).
- Sales performance review. (regional/ branches)

Less than 5% of annual revenues; Negative WC

Q2 July - September

- Content revision/ development by editorial team in collaboration with authors.
- Engagement with schools & teachers. (training sessions, workshops, etc.).
- Sample distribution. (September)
- Return of unsold stock from distributors as per contractual agreement.
- Semester 1 (Higher Education) and Test preparation sales based on government vacancy examinations.

Less than 10% of annual revenues; Peak Inventory

Q3 October - December

- Sample distribution and evaluation by schools.
- Printing of back list and best seller titles.
- Final reconciliation and closure of distributor accounts before commencement of season sales.
- Order visibility from schools starts building up.
- Significant sales quarter for HE segment.

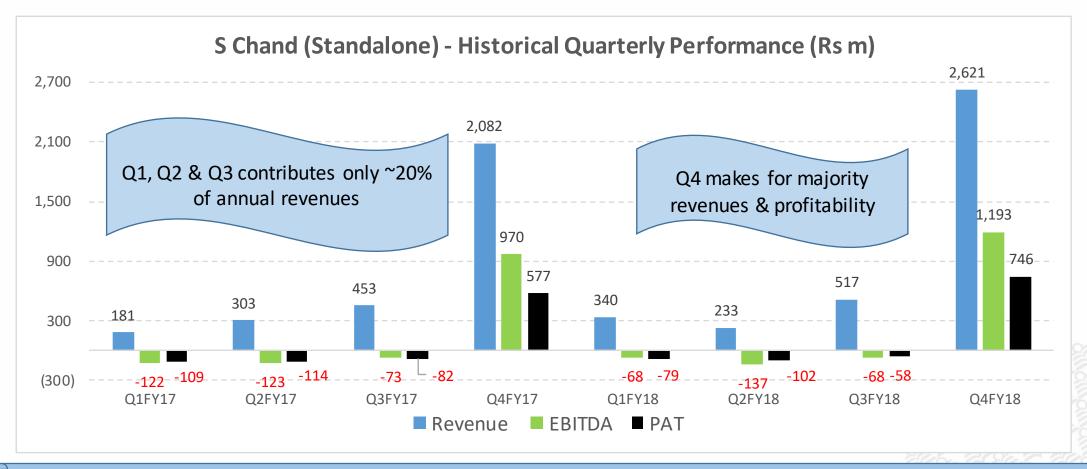
75% to 80% of annual revenues; Peak Receivables

Q4 January - March

- K-12 season sales and delivery to distributors/ schools. (Peak Season)
- Semester 2 (Higher Education) and Test preparation sales based on government vacancy examinations.
- Printing of front list titles.
- Additional printing runs for back list / best seller titles based on demand.

SEASONAL NATURE OF OUR BUSINESS - A PICTURE IS WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS





The chart clearly highlights the seasonal nature of our industry. <u>The company makes up the whole year</u> <u>profits in Q4 after posting negative profitability in the first three quarters</u>.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE: Q2FY19



S Chand and Company Limited (Figures in INR Million)	Consolidated			
	Q2FY19	Q2FY18	FY18	
Revenue from Operations	106	113	7,944	
Other Income	17	15	127	
Revenues	123	127	8,072	
Cost of goods (net of inventory change)	7	58	2562	
Publication expenses	64	55	683	
Selling & distribution expenses	209	154	737	
Employee benefit	367	330	1386	
Other expenses	234	183	650	
EBIDTA	(758)	(652)	2,054	
Depreciation and amortization	55	45	193	
Finance costs	57	44	240	
Profit before tax	(871)	(741)	1,622	
Share of profit/(loss) in associates	(4)	0	(12)	
Exceptional Items	-	-	1	
Tax expenses	(304)	(190)	539	
Profit after taxation	(571)	(551)	1,071	
Earnings per equity share (INR) (for continuing operations)				
Basic	(16.33)	(15.41)	31.14	
Diluted	(16.33)	(15.41)	31.06	

Historical business seasonality played out during the quarter as Q2 is typically the lowest revenue quarter with contribution of only a minor portion of annual revenues.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE: Q2FY19

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	30 Sep 2018	31 Mar 2018	
(₹ in millions)	Unaudited	Audited	
Assets	Onadarea	Addited	
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	1,060	1,074	
Intangible assets	4,067	4,068	
Capital work-in-progress	105	7	
Intangible assets under development	103	61	
Financial assets			
- Investments	238	233	
- Loans	158	93	
- Other financial assets	11	12	
Other non-current assets	276	135	
Deferred tax assets (net)	675	220	
Total non-current assets (A)	6,693	5,903	
Current assets			
Inventories	1,938	1,562	
Financial assets			
- Investments	570	468	
- Loans	50	83	
- Trade receivables	3,866	6,312	
- Cash and cash equivalents	112	665	
- Other financial assets	80	29	
Other current assets	201	139	
Total current assets (B)	6,816	9,259	
Total assets (A+R)	13 500	15 162	
Total assets (A+B)	13,509	15,162	

(₹ in millions)	30 Sep 2018	31 Mar 2018
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Equity and liabilities		
Equity		
Equity share capital	175	175
Other equity		
- Retained earnings	2,224	3,334
- Other reserves	6,490	6,489
Non controlling interests	29	42
Total equity (C)	8,917	10,039
Non-current liabilities		
Financial liabilities		
- Borrowings	165	266
- Trade payables	6	6
- Other financial liabilities	4	3
Net employee defined benefit liabilities	67	70
Other non-current liabilities	8	8
Total non current liabilities (D)	251	353
Current liabilities		
Financial liabilities		
- Borrowings	1,862	1,448
- Trade payables		
- micro enterprises and small enterprises	33	50
- other than micro enterprises and small enterprises	1,394	2,060
- Other financial liabilities	805	730
Net employee defined benefit liabilities	7	267
Other current liabilities	151	222
Other provisions	89	251
Total current liabilities (E)	4,341	4,769
Total equity and liabilities (C+D+E)	13,509	15,162

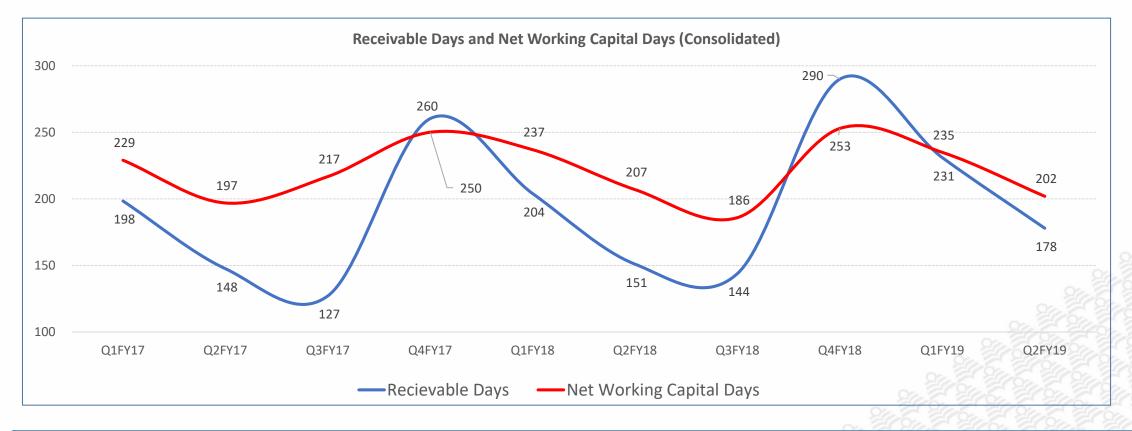
• Net Debt as of 30th Sep 2018 stands at Rs1,494m.

WORKING CAPITAL CYCLE – ELEVATED IN Q4, REDUCTION CONTINUES TILL Q3



Working Capital: Debtors reduced from Rs6,312m as of Q4FY18 to Rs3,866m as of Q2FY19 (vs Rs5,016 in Q1FY19)

- ~ 22% debtor realization during the quarter
- Overall working capital down from peak of 253 days to 202 days



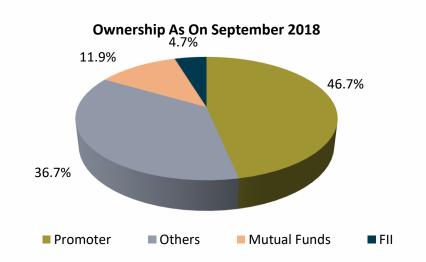
Industry phenomenon of peak receivables in Q4 followed by reduction over following Q1, Q2 and Q3

SHAREHOLDING STRUCTURE



Market Data	As of 2 nd Nov, 2018
Market Capitalization (Rs Mn)	6,930
Price (Rs)	198
No. of shares outstanding (Mn)	34.95
Face Value (Rs.)	5.0

(Source: www.bseindia.com)



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Key Institutional Investors - September 2018	% Holding
Everstone Capital Partners II LLC	9.5%
International Finance Corporation	8.0%
HDFC Mutual Fund	7.1%
Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund	2.9%
Volrado Venture Partners Fund	2.6%
Indus India Fund	1.9%
Sundaram Mutual Funds	1.1%
Eastspring Investments	0.9%

(Source: www.bseindia.com)

LOOKING AHEAD



Q3FY19

- Working with sales teams to focus on the peak season from Dec/Jan onwards.
- Continued focus on reducing receivables while inventory levels would start to increase in order to capitalise on the peak season for the industry.
- Historically, Q3 accounts for less than 10% of the annual revenues of the company

• FY19

- Focused on achieving strong YoY growth for the company as we are enter peak season.
- Closure on the ongoing transactions for Chetana Publications, Chhaya Prakashani and internal reorganization of subsidiaries.





Annexure:

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CHINA - A CASE STUDY IN GROWTH - INDIA EXPECTED TO FOLLOW SUIT

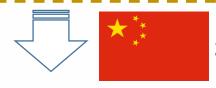


CHINA 2006

- GDP per capita US\$ 2,100.
- Private education market < US\$ 50 Billion*.



- GDP per capita US\$ 1,940
- K-12 market growing at ~ 20%.
- Private education market ~ US\$ 30 Billion*.
- Education market expected to double to US\$ 180 Billion by 2020.



230 MN Student Population 315 MN





CHINA 2017

- GDP per capital US\$ 8,836
- K-12 market doubled in last 5 years.
- Private education market at US\$ 260 Billion, expected to touch US\$ 330 Billion by 2020.
- Largest global educational companies in book publishing, digital and vocational learning. (TAL \$ 21B, New Oriental \$ 15B, China South Publishing \$ 4 B).

INDIA 2025

- GDP per capita expected ~ US\$ 3,600**.
- Over 50% students expected to enroll in private schools.
- Emergence of private education market led by K-12 segment.
- Billion dollar enterprises in education industry.



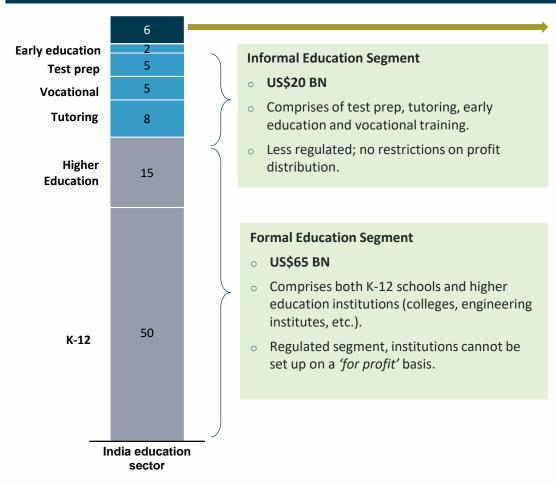


^{*} Industry estimates. ** Per market estimates of GDP being US\$ 5 trillion by 2025.

INDIAN EDUCATION SECTOR - LARGE & GROWING ADDRESSABLE OPPORTUNITY



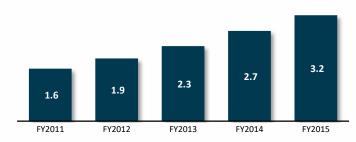
US\$90 BN Market Size for the Indian Education Sector



(Source: Technopak Research Report. Technopak Outlook on India's Schooling Segment June 2017. Nielsen: India Book Market Report 2015)

US\$6 BN Ancillary Education Segment

- S. Chand operates in this segment (K-12/ Higher Education content).
- > Supports formal and informal education segments.
 - Comprises of content, digital content & services like curriculum management.
 - Mostly caters to K-12 & higher education institutions.
- > Less regulated; no restrictions on profit distribution.
- > K-12 ancillary market is a fast growing segment.



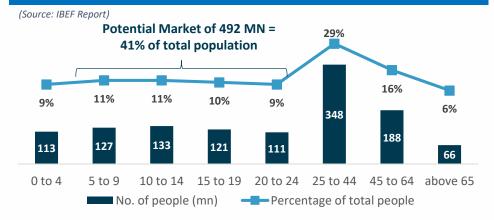
(K-12 ancillary market, US\$ in billion)

- > Robust growth drivers.
 - Eligible K-12 population of about 296 MN students in age group 6 to 17 years.
 - Private unaided schools increased at average rate of 10.4% during 2011-15.
- India has largest education system in the world with over 750 Universities & 35,000 colleges.
- > Highly fragmented segment providing room for growth.

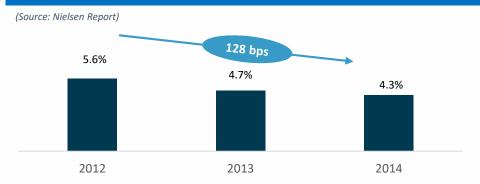
INDIAN EDUCATION SECTOR: INFLECTION POINT, STRONG POTENTIAL



Age-wise population distribution in India: S. Chand target market



Decrease in drop-out rates for primary education in India



Literacy rate improving with higher participation from students

(Source: Technopak's Outlook on India Schooling Segment)

	Estimated Population				
Level of Education	%	2017 (MN)	%	2022 (MN)	
Illiterate	20%	269	18%	250	
Literate but no formal schooling	2%	27	1%	14	
School - Up to 5th standard	35%	471	36%	501	
School - Up to 10th standard	18%	242	18%	250	
School - Up to 12th standard	11%	148	11%	153	
Some college but not graduate	5%	67	5%	70	
Graduate	6%	81	7%	97	
Postgraduate	3%	40	4%	56	
Literate	80%	1076	82%	1141	
Total	100%	1345	100%	1391	

S. Chand well positioned to benefit from sector tailwinds

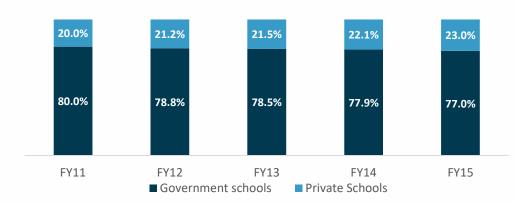
- Gross enrolment ratio and students completing primary & secondary education gradually improving in India.
- Falling dropout rates and increased girls participation led to improvement in literacy rate.
- Government promoting education through various schemes with budgetary support.

PREFERENCE TOWARDS PRIVATE, CENTRAL CURRICULUM SCHOOLS



Private schools market share increasing every year

(Source: IBEF Report)



CBSE & ICSE increasing faster amongst affiliated board schools

Board	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	CAGR
CBSE	11,349	12,337	13,898	14,778	15,933	17,474	19,446	9.4%
ICSE	1,461	1,565	1,678	1,798	1,927	2,181	2,295	7.8%
State Boards	13,16,401	13,63,862	14,47,487	14,65,871	14,60,455	NA	NA	NA
Total	13,29,211	13,77,764	14,63,063	14,63,447	14,78,315	NA	NA	NA

(Source: Nielsen Research Report, School Board reports, DISE)

Indian K-12 education infrastructure

(Source: Technopak's Outlook on India's Schooling Segment)



Preference towards private schools continue to rise

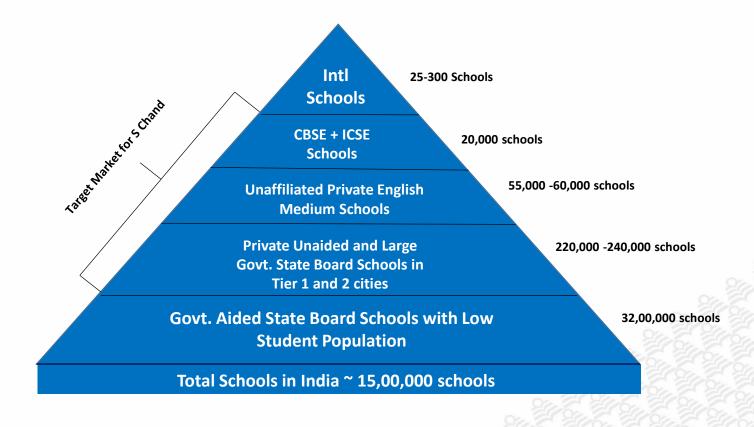
- Student share of private schools increasing consistently despite subsidised fees and free meals/ books in government schools.
- Government schools losing favour even amongst the rural and not so affluent population.
- CBSE and ICSE schools are preferred for their superior curriculum and better pedagogy.
- S. Chand is a key beneficiary of increasing number of CBSE and ICSE schools, being the leading content provider to such schools amongst the private publishers.

PREFERENCE TOWARDS PRIVATE, CENTRAL CURRICULUM SCHOOLS



Target Market is 3,00,000 schools – growing at 8-10 % annually and student strength growing at 7-8%

- Currently covering 38,000 schools in the target market
- Target market growing at 8-10% annually in the no. of schools
- Total student strength in India is est. 260 million
- Students strength in the target market is est. 120 million and growing at 7-8 annually.



S CHAND GROUP - LEADER IN INDIAN EDUCATION CONTENT



Delivering content, services and solutions...

...across the education continuum

- Offerings spanning entire the education spectrum
 - Early learning
 - o K-12
 - Higher education

...with
Pan India
reach

- > Pan-India sales and distribution network driving deep market reach.
- Presence in Central (CBSE, ICSE) and State Board affiliated schools across India.

Strong content, multiple best-sellers.















- > Long operating history of over seven decades.
- ➤ High brand equity across multiple brands.
- > Strong author relationships.
- Keeping pace with time transition from print into digital content and services.



Years of operating history

10,000+

Active book titles

53 MN Books sold in

ok titles BOOKS SOID FY2018

~ 2,443

Author relationships

29%

Revenue CAGR FY2012-18 90 TPD

Print Capacity in number of sheets

Portfolio of brands focused on print / digital content.

















S CHAND GROUP - BUSINESS SEGMENTS



Revenue

Target Segment

contribution

Description/ **Highlights**

Strategy

Brands

K-12

80% of FY2018 revenues 40% revenue CAGR (2012-2018)

School students (4 -18 years)

- Schools affiliated to Central / State Board.
- Offers print content (books) and digital / hybrid content and solutions.
- Largest K-12 content player in India. Dominant presence in Central Board affiliated schools and increasing presence in State Board affiliated schools.
- · Consolidate leadership position in Central schools as preferred content partner.
- · Increase presence in large regional markets.

Higher Education

18% of FY2018 revenues 9% revenue CAGR (2012-2018)

Test prep (>18 years) College students / professionals

- Colleges and universities (arts, science & commerce degrees).
- Test prep for competitive exams (engineering, government jobs).
- · Offers books, e-books, web and mobile delivery of content.
- oriented content for Exam test preparation.
- · Institutional partnerships.

Early Learning

2% of FY2018 revenues

Children (2-5 Years)

- STEM based learning.
- Children books, educative games, activity based modules (experiential learning).
- Also operates 6 pre-schools under 'RiseKids' brand.
- · Focus on digital to expand reach and product offering.
- Complete presence across student lifecycle.





















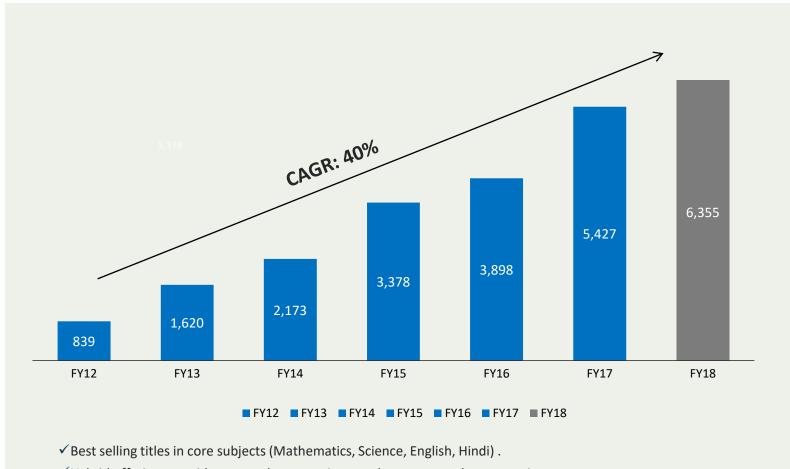






S CHAND GROUP - GROWTH ANCHORED BY LEADERSHIP IN K-12 SEGMENT





Growth Strategy

- Consolidated leadership in CBSE/ ICSE schools as preferred content provider.
- ✓ More offerings in K-12 through multiple brands.
- ✓ Curriculum management.
- Geographical diversification in large regional markets/ state board schools.
- ✓ Acquisitions/ Joint Ventures.
- Higher share of education spend with enhanced content offerings.
- ✓ Digital/ hybrid offerings.
- Continuous content development

[✓] Hybrid offerings provide more value per unit to student compared to pure print content

S CHAND GROUP - POWERFUL BRAND CONNECT

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Connecting with Learners

- Art of Book making tour of the Printing Facilities
- Mystudygear App
- Social Media

Connecting with Teachers with

- Teacher Conclaves and Awards
- Over 2000 Workshops
- The Progressive Teacher magazine

Connecting with School Leadership

- Best Practices in Education Tour to Finland
- The Progressive School magazine

Connecting with Channel Partners

- Dealer Meets , Events and Awards
- Monthly mailer "Sampark"

Increasing Brand presence

- Brand Ambassador
- Strategic Advertising

















S CHAND GROUP - OUR THREE PRONGED STRATEGY





S CHAND GROUP - LEVERAGE REACH & EXPAND – STRATEGIC ALLIANCES / ACQUISITIONS

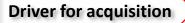


STRATEGIC ALLIANCES / ACQUISITIONS

- Strengthen penetration in the CBSE, ICSE Schools and expand into regional markets.
- Made multiple successful acquisitions in the past, integrating companies with S. Chand Group philosophy
- Alliances with HMH (USA), Sigong Media (S. Korea), Robosoft
- Acquisitions made by the Group in the recent past:

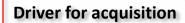






Complemented S. Chand portfolio of books specially Hindi, Commerce , Management , Distance Learning Program





Complemented S. Chand portfolio of books specially Sanskrit, French , Art & Craft , Physical Education , Regional Languages

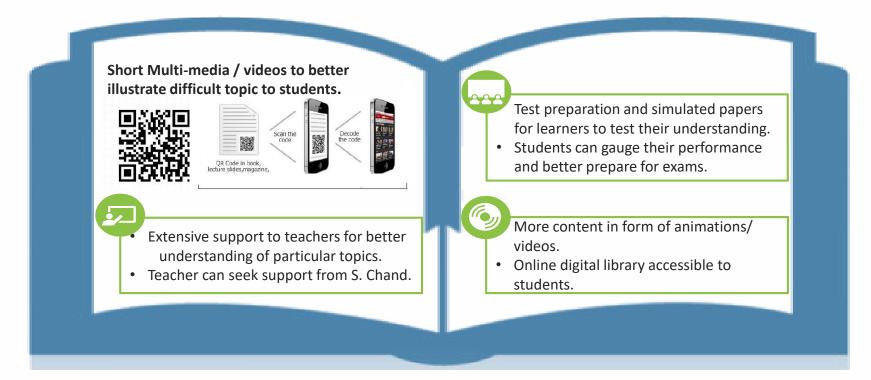




Expansion in Regional Market of West Bengal, State Board, Supplementary and text book business

S CHAND GROUP - DIGITAL - COMPLEMENTING CORE BUSINESS THROUGH "PHYGITAL"





Hybrid Offerings through e-books, QR Codes, mystudygear etc.

- Complements existing books / content, not a compete / alternative.
- Not an independent revenue stream but acts as a sales multiplier of the books relative to the books from unorganized players.
- Price of the book includes cost of digital access / content. Incremental Revenue ~ ₹600 million (FY18)

S CHAND GROUP - DIGITAL INITIATIVES — SYNERGIES TO THE CORE BUSINESS



In-House (Revenue Stream)







Digital Investments (Inorganic)











- Offerings include digital classroom learning solutions,
 learning management systems and curriculum
 management which contribute to the revenue streams in the business.
- Approximated Investments ₹976 million.

- Focused on investing in early stage digital companies.
- Total investments in digital investee companies is ~Rs.304 mn.
- Currently, Investment portfolio commands a valuation of around 2X as per the latest funding rounds for respective companies.
- Focus is on **establishing synergies with core business** along with investment returns.

S CHAND – HISTORICAL FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE



+ 18% yoy

Revenue growth FY 2017-18

+ 21% yoy

Ebidta growth FY 2017-18

+ 73% yoy

PAT growth FY 2017-18

INR 31.1

Earning Per Share FY 2017-18

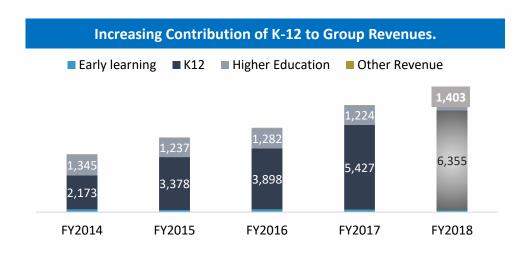
Summary : Consolidated Figures in INR Mn	FY 2018 Audited	FY 2017 Proforma*	YOY%	FY 2017 Audited
Total Revenues	8,072	6,868	18%	6,622
Ebidta	2,054	1,705	21%	1,687
Profit before taxation	1,622	1,081	50%	1,069
Profit after taxation	1,071	619	73%	613
EPS (in INR)	31.1	20.7	-	20.5

Financial results have been prepared in accordance with IND-AS.

^{* 2017} Proforma includes consolidation of operational performance of Chhaya for the full year.

S CHAND – HISTORICAL FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

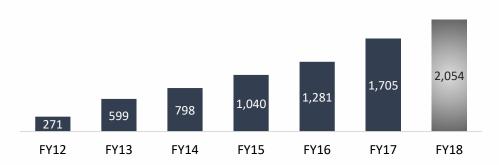






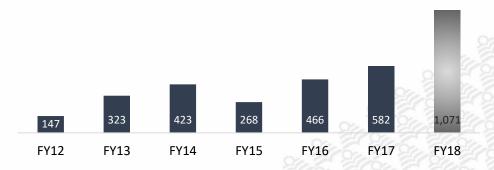
EBIDTA Growth at a Faster Pace.

6 - Year CAGR: 40%



Net Profit Growth (excluding minority).

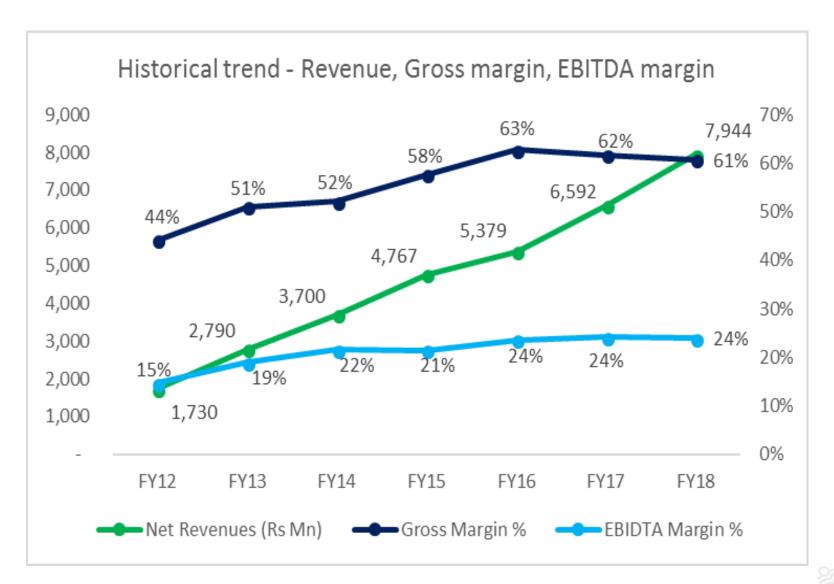
6 - Year CAGR: 39%



Figures for FY 2017 & FY 2018 are as per IND-AS. Prior year figures are as per Indian GAAP and may be fully comparable.

S CHAND – IMPROVING MARGIN PROFILE





Improving Margin Profile

- Economies of scale
- Production Efficiency
- Rationalization of Royalty
- Improved realization from DEBs
- Operating Leverage





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