



CL EDUCATE LIMITED

ANALYST PRESENTATION

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PLATFORM LED STRATEGIC TRANSFORMATION

From Test Prep pioneer to Integrated Solutioning Platform

Safe Harbour

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Policy Reset and AI Adoption Define the Next 24 Months

Operating context shaping the Group’s priorities for the period ahead



NEET & POLICY

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Direction is digital



Rationalization is imminent



DEX / CL — crucial time & opportunity



Consolidations will play out (24 months)



AI & ACTION

02



Speed of innovation and concurrent projects



74% coding is AI enabled



Contribution to cost rationalization

Cost Discipline Absorbs the Income Decline; Margin Expands 218 bps

Consolidated, Q1 FY 2027 (A) vs Q1 FY 2026 (A) · All figures in ₹ Cr unless stated

TOTAL INCOME

▼ 11.8%

₹ 132.1 Cr

vs ₹ 149.8 Cr LY



EBITDA

▲ 1.4%

₹ 22.0 Cr

vs ₹ 21.7 Cr LY



EBITDA MARGIN

▲ 218 bps

16.6%

vs 14.5% LY



PROFIT AFTER TAX

▲ 55.0%

₹ (1.7) Cr

vs ₹ (3.7) Cr LY



WHAT DROVE THE QUARTER

₹ 17.7 Cr income decline fully offset

₹ 18.0 Cr of cost reduction — service delivery +₹ 9.3 Cr and other overheads +₹ 8.7 Cr — lifted EBITDA to ₹ 22.0 Cr.

Finance cost down 17.1%

₹ 10.6 Cr vs ₹ 12.8 Cr LY; depreciation & amortisation up 28.0% to ₹ 11.2 Cr.



KEY WINS

9 new contracts in Digital Assessments

ACV ₹ 22.2 Cr and TCV ₹ 33.9 Cr; DEX margin up 342 bps to 25.0%.

MarTech revenue ▲ 7.0%, EBITDA ▲ 34.7%

International share at 35.3% of MarTech revenue, up 105 bps; blue chip signups in Singapore & Indonesia continue.

EasyApply adoption broadens

Except IIMs, all marquee brands have signed up; Digital and EasyApply continue to scale.



WATCH ITEMS & OUTLOOK

Test Prep headwinds persist

AI penetration and availability of free online resources continue to weigh, especially in the Online domain.

Q1 is the seasonally lightest quarter

For MarTech and Digital Assessments; the business usually picks up and peaks in Q2 and Q3



MarTech Growth and Operational Optimization Lifts Group Margin to 16.6%

Segment revenue and EBITDA · Q1 FY 2027 (A) vs Q1 FY 2026 (A) · All figures in ₹ Cr

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE

₹ 132.1 Cr

vs ₹ 149.8 Cr ▼ 11.8%

CONSOLIDATED EBITDA

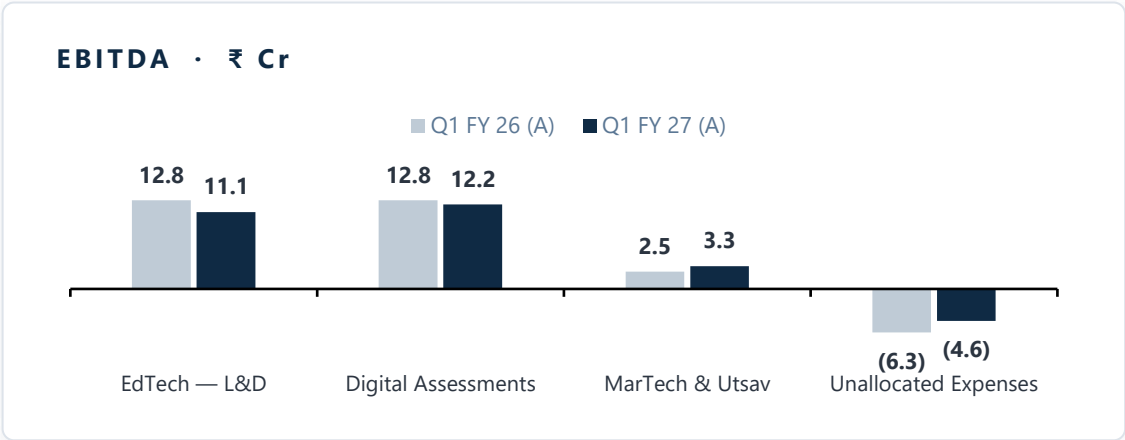
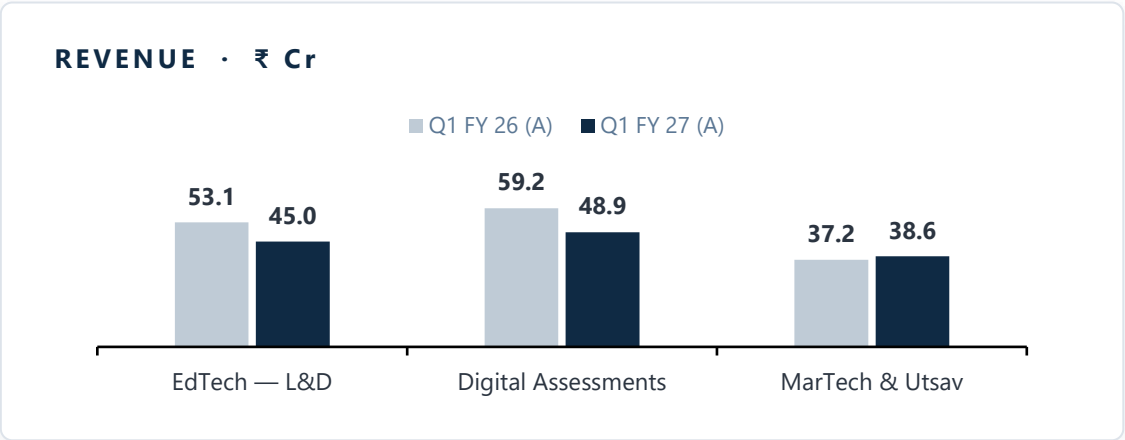
₹ 22.0 Cr

vs ₹ 21.7 Cr ▲ 1.4%

EBITDA MARGIN

16.6%

vs 14.5% ▲ 218 bps



EdTech — Learning & Development

REVENUE ▼ 15.4%

EBITDA ▼ 13.3%

Test Preparation business continues to face challenges esp in the Online domain.

Digital Assessments (DEX)

REVENUE ▼ 17.4%

EBITDA ▼ 4.3%

A recruitment exam roll-over sits in the Q1 FY 26 base; ₹4.7 Cr of revenue deferred pending results.

MarTech & Utsav

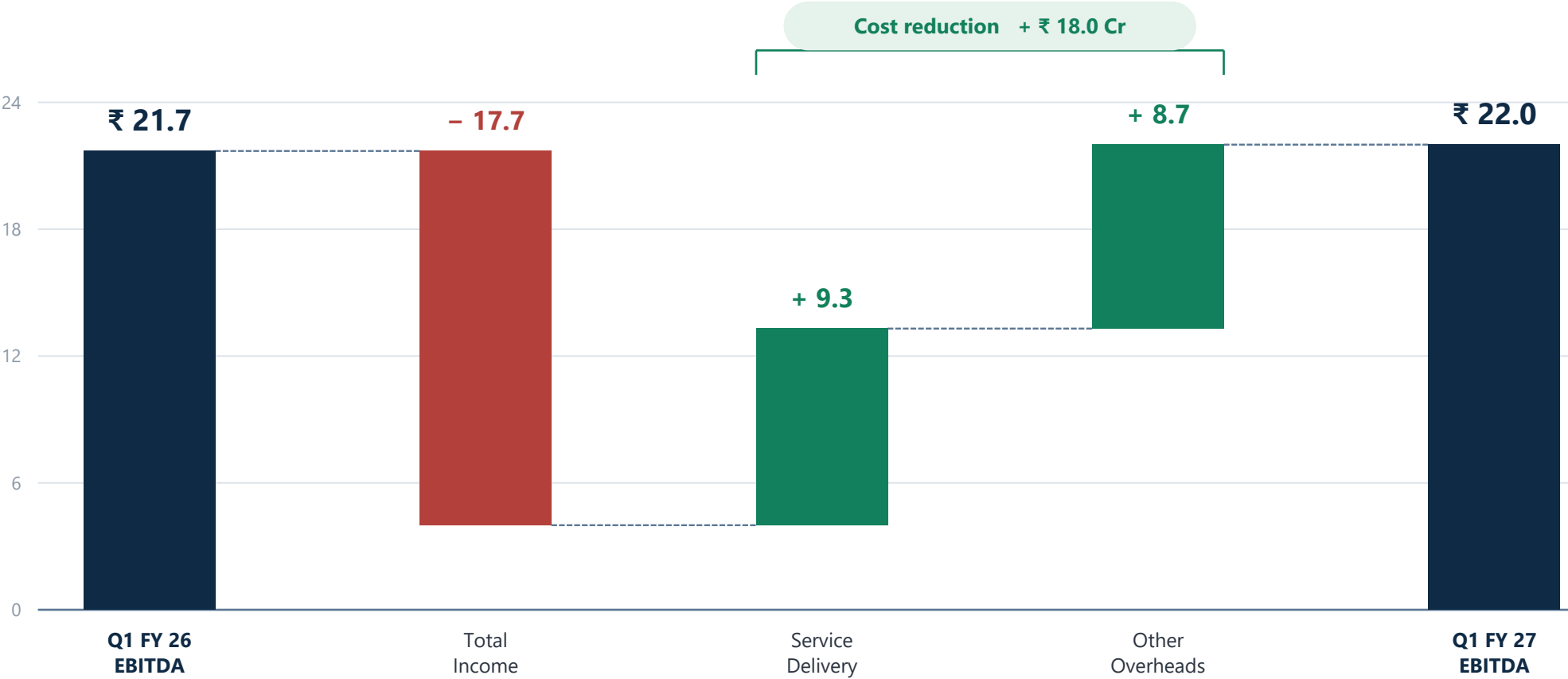
REVENUE ▲ 3.8%

EBITDA ▲ 31.2%

Seasonally the lightest quarter. Kestone India and International both ahead of LY

₹ 18.0 Cr of Cost Reduction Absorbs a ₹ 17.7 Cr Income Decline

Income and cost walk from Q1 FY 26 to Q1 FY 27 reported EBITDA · All figures in ₹ Cr



Net EBITDA uplift of + ₹ 0.3 Cr — a ₹ 17.7 Cr decline in total income has been fully absorbed by ₹ 18.0 Cr of cost reduction, lifting the EBITDA margin by 218 bps to 16.6%.





EDTECH -LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT

Margin Resilience at 24.6% as the Test Prep Mix Resets

Business-line performance · Q1 FY 2027 (A) vs Q1 FY 2026 (A) · All figures in ₹ Cr

SEGMENT REVENUE

₹ 45.0 Cr

vs ₹ 53.1 Cr ▼ 15.4%

SEGMENT EBITDA

₹ 11.1 Cr

vs ₹ 12.8 Cr ▼ 13.3%

EBITDA MARGIN

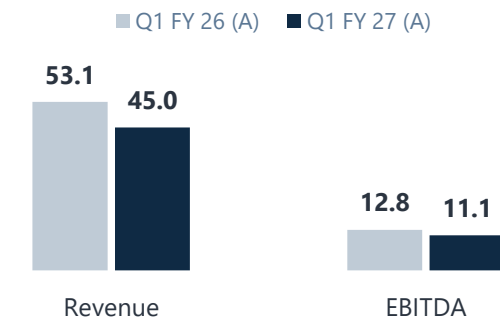
24.6%

vs 24.0% ▲ 59 bps

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS THIS QUARTER

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Test Prep headwinds
 Test Prep continues to face headwinds due to AI penetration and availability of free online resources.
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Channel mix reshaped
 Test Prep revenue mix reshaped by increase in Network contribution, also had a positive impact on realization per customer.
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Digital & EasyApply scaling
 Digital and Easy Apply continue to scale. Except IIMs all marquee brands have signed up on EasyApply.
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Pricing action underway
 Product pricing for Competitive books is underway. Increased costs to be passed onto the customers
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Seasonality
 Q1 is typically a slow quarter for Platform Monetization business.

REVENUE & EBITDA · ₹ Cr



Margin up 59 bps to 24.6%

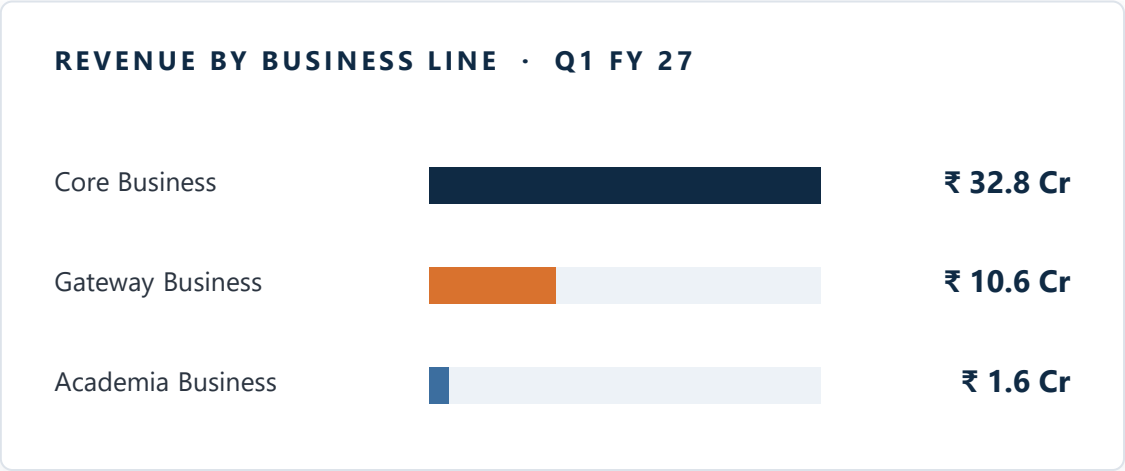
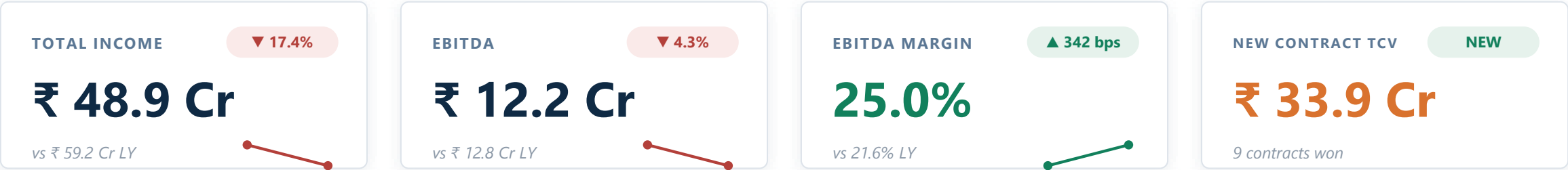
EBITDA declined less than revenue, holding segment profitability broadly flat year on year.

DIGITAL ASSESSMENTS (DEX)



Margin Expands 342 bps to 25.0%

Q1 FY 2027 (A) vs Q1 FY 2026 (A) · All figures in ₹ Cr



READING THE QUARTER

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Recruitment exam roll-over
A large recruitment exam sits in the Q1 FY 26 base and does not repeat in the comparative.

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Revenue deferred
₹4.7 Cr of current-quarter revenue deferred pending declaration of results.

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Cost base held
Costs and overheads in control and optimised — margin up 338 bps despite lower revenue.



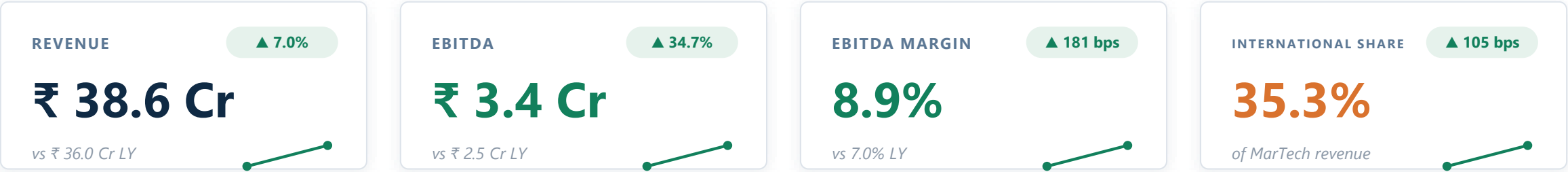
MARTECH





International Mix at 35.3% Drives 34.7% EBITDA Growth

Kestone India and International · Q1 FY 2027 (A) vs Q1 FY 2026 (A) · All figures in ₹ Cr

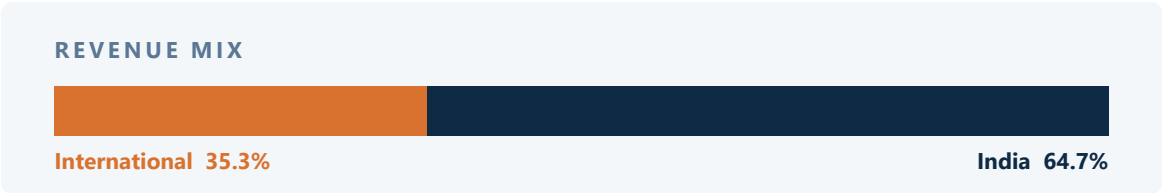
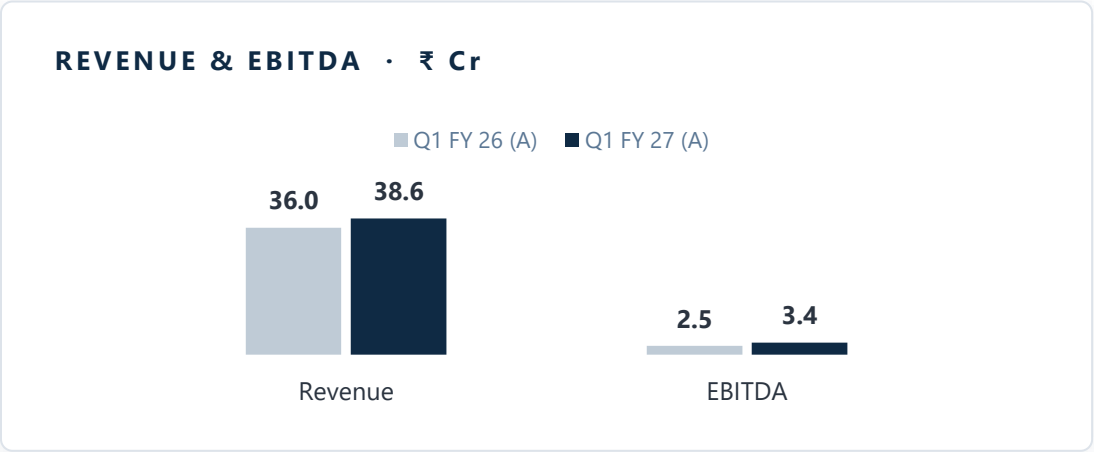


BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS

Peak business delivery calendar ahead
Key client events scheduled in this quarter, largest business delivery of MarTech calendar.

International expansion
Blue chip client signups in Singapore, Indonesia & USA continue.

Operating leverage
Margin expanded 181 bps to 8.9% as EBITDA grew 34.7% on 7.0% revenue growth.



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