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Supplemental Figure 1. Timeline of enrolment, randomization, intervention, and outcome assessments of LEAPS Trial (December 2018 – March 2021), Sindh, Pakistan

Months	Dec-18	Jan-19	Feb-19	Mar-19	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20	Oct-20	Nov-20	Dec-20	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21		
Cluster screening	x																													
Cluster randomization	x																													
Intervention																														
Step 1 (33 study clusters)	Control			Intervention																										
Step 2 (33 study clusters)	Control									Intervention																				
Step 3 (33 study clusters)	Control																					Intervention								
Preschool closure due to COVID 19																LEAPS Emergency Response (Remote learning activities and LEAPS workbooks)							Partial Closure of LEAPS Preschool							
Assessments																														
Population-based surveys		Round 1 (Baseline)							Round 2							R 3	Interruption due to COVID 19					Round 3						Round 4 (Endline)		
Demographics		x							x							x						x						x		
Food insecurity		x							x							x						x						x		
Child anthropometry		x							x							x						x						x		
School Readiness		x							x							x						x						x		
Executive function		x							x							x						x						x		