

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 1897
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 07/08/2024

POST MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR TRIBAL STUDENTS

1897 SHRI RYAGA KRISHNAIAH:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of funds allocated and utilised under Post Matric Scholarship;
- (b) the number of beneficiaries under the Post Matric Scholarship in the last five years;
- (c) whether the number of beneficiaries have stagnated in the last few years; and
- (d) if so, the steps taken by the Ministry to increase the number of beneficiaries under the Scholarship?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TRIBAL AFFAIRS
(SHRI DURGADAS UIKEY)

(a): The details of funds allocated and utilized under Post Matric Scholarship for ST students is enclosed as **Annexure-I**.

(b): The number of beneficiaries under the Post Matric Scholarship in the last five years is enclosed as **Annexure-II**.

(c) & (d): **The number of students and amount of Scholarship has steadily increased in last 10 years. However** there is lot of scope for reducing drop outs after class Xth and XIIth and enhancing enrollment of students for scholarship schemes specially those who are not able to take benefit because of requirement of Aadhar linked Bank account, requirements of Caste and Income certificate etc in rural and forest areas. During Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra, flagged off by Hon'ble PM on 15th November 2023, Ministry of Tribal Affairs was part of campaign for creating awareness about Scholarship schemes in remote rural and PVTG areas. Ministry has asked all states that to ensure through campaign in all schools so that all eligible students get benefit of scholarship schemes, when the portal for scholarship schemes are opened.

Annexure-I

POST-MATRIC UC STATUS- (RS. IN LAKH)											
Sl. No	STATE/ UT	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		2023-24	
		Release	Fund Utilized	Release	Fund Utilized	Release	Fund Utilized	Release	Fund Utilized	Release	Fund Utilized
1	Andaman & Nicobar	11.34	11.34	13.29	13.29	10.35	10.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	7797.07	7797.07	6039.35	6039.35	8991.45	8991.45	13356.50	13356.50	11471.08	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	6113.41	6113.41	5712.96	5712.96	12360.50	12360.50	9616.49	9616.49	8000.00	8000.00
4	Assam	4867.20	4867.20	5413.54	5413.54	1093.40	1093.40	6845.47	6845.47	3500.00	3499.81
5	Bihar	1525.43	1525.43	708.22	539.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Chhattisgarh	7022.69	7022.69	8790.24	8790.24	0.00	0.00	9330.35	9330.35	7125.00	7125.00
7	DNH & DD	88.66	88.66	3481.73	3481.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	403.75	403.73
8	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	Goa	732.79	732.79	458.18	458.18	0.00	0.00	1187.23	1187.23	526.54	526.54
10	Gujarat	14004.48	14004.48	22977.64	22977.64	46170.25	46170.25	24426.38	24426.38	35000.00	19400.00
11	Himachal Pradesh	2468.81	2250.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	Jammu & Kashmir	1048.29	1048.29	805.44	805.44	0.00	0.00	683.57	683.57	746.25	746.25
13	Jharkhand	7862.86	7862.86	0.00	0.00	12654.88	12654.88	0.00	0.00	5310.66	5310.66
14	Karnataka	15003.43	15003.43	0.00	0.00	17080.51	17080.51	0.00	0.00	22556.05	22556.05
15	Kerala	1641.52	1641.52	3285.25	3285.25	2516.49	2516.49	0.00	0.00	4689.34	0.00

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16	Ladakh	0.00	0.00	738.00	738.00	2214.00	2214.00	1891.27	1891.27	596.25	596.25
17	Madhya Pradesh	12198.58	12198.58	12344.00	12344.00	24529.43	24529.43	27048.58	27048.58	35000.00	35000.00
18	Maharashtra	15575.38	15575.38	18149.52	18149.52	19214.82	19214.82	9026.85	9026.85	57035.80	56371.80
19	Manipur	6235.55	6235.55	2184.19	2184.19	4292.15	4292.15	4137.54	4137.54	3000.00	1647.77
20	Meghalaya	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2636.09	2636.09	14619.79	14619.79	8500.00	5500.00
21	Mizoram	4415.78	4415.78	3446.82	3446.82	3874.64	3874.64	2590.31	2590.31	2500.00	0.00
22	Nagaland	3268.73	3268.73	3226.37	3226.37	4435.75	4435.75	3608.43	3608.43	3500.00	0.00
23	Odisha	16640.15	16640.15	19095.97	19095.97	21842.98	21842.98	17133.30	17125.25	13564.10	13564.10
24	Puducherry	0.00	0.00	19.56	2.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	Rajasthan	25950.52	25950.52	25557.03	25557.03	13744.70	13744.70	18810.10	18810.10	22000.00	21920.15
26	Sikkim	566.80	566.80	553.83	553.83	1036.28	1036.28	925.44	735.93	0.00	0.00
27	Tamil Nadu	5025.19	5025.19	3328.99	3328.99	4849.38	4849.38	2854.28	2854.28	2000.00	2000.00
28	Telangana	19610.60	19610.60	27297.83	27297.83	7503.90	7503.90	23851.18	23851.18	11250.00	11250.00
29	Tripura	2355.78	2355.78	4804.98	4804.98	7188.77	7188.77	4522.33	4522.33	4000.00	3993.90
30	Uttar Pradesh	1822.71	1822.71	2218.67	2218.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1000.00	503.54
31	Uttarakhand	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3568.37	3568.37	0.00	0.00	187.50	187.50
32	West Bengal	2411.00	2411.00	2256.42	2256.42	3872.05	3872.05	0.00	0.00	3405.83	0.00
	Total	186264.75	186046.33	182908.02	182721.66	225681.13	225681.08	196465.39	196267.83	266868.15	220103.05

Pre-Matric UC status- (Rs. In Lakh)											
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		Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized
1	Andaman & Nicobar	5.62	5.62	12.33	12.33	8.03	6.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	736.32	736.32	1433.81	1433.81	3935.06	3935.06	0.00	0.00	5700.16	5700.16
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	207.30	207.30	267.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Assam	0.00	0.00	17.27	17.27	102.19	102.19	107.41	107.41	187.50	141.22
5	Bihar	7131.47	6773.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Chhattisgarh	4796.94	4796.94	3541.54	3541.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5250.00	0.00
7	DNH & DD	38.49	38.49	234.00	234.00	206.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	Daman & Diu	5.89	5.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	Goa	80.56	80.56	41.35	41.35	0.00	0.00	108.18	108.18	52.50	20.43
10	Gujarat	5248.34	5248.34	2198.84	2198.84	3689.18	3689.18	5451.67	5451.67	6200.00	0.00
11	Himachal Pradesh	83.92	83.92	91.87	91.87	0.00	0.00	79.02	79.02	110.00	101.09
12	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Jharkhand	1514.49	1514.49	0.00	0.00	3899.03	3899.03	0.00	0.00	5700.00	0.00
14	Karnataka	1846.92	1846.92	0.00	0.00	1753.16	1753.16	2370.04	2370.04	3400.00	2550.00
15	Kerala	287.31	287.31	116.56	116.56	347.07	347.07	0.00	0.00	436.46	0.00
16	Ladakh	0.00	0.00	42.27	42.27	74.22	74.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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		Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized	Fund Released	Fund Utilized
17	Madhya Pradesh	7698.90	7698.90	5429.34	5429.34	11458.18	11458.18	12743.85	6964.49	0.00	0.00
18	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Manipur	443.33	220.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20	Meghalaya	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	115.48	106.67	0.00	0.00
21	Mizoram	702.21	702.21	167.86	167.86	657.47	657.47	0.00	0.00	306.89	0.00
22	Nagaland	0.00	0.00	60.75	47.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	Odisha	6157.65	6157.65	6944.96	6944.96	5236.75	5236.75	9397.06	5266.47	0.00	0.00
24	Puducherry	0.00	0.00	1.63	1.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	Rajasthan	5346.97	5346.97	3126.90	3126.90	6234.34	6234.34	3530.80	3182.27	0.00	0.00
26	Sikkim	3.57	3.57	9.41	9.41	0.00	0.00	17.84	8.91	0.00	0.00
27	Tamil Nadu	589.74	589.74	241.00	241.00	546.55	546.55	404.46	404.46	362.34	300.00
28	Telangana	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00
29	Tripura	386.18	386.18	252.09	252.09	58.55	58.55	1136.76	1124.10	0.00	0.00
30	Uttar Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	88.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
31	Uttarakhand	0.00	0.00	138.24	138.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00	15.00
32	West Bengal	894.18	894.18	788.22	788.22	912.51	912.51	0.00	0.00	2988.85	0.00
	Total	43999.00	43417.79	24890.24	24876.03	39414.37	39117.59	35730.00	25173.68	30859.70	8827.90

Annexure-II

States/UTs wise Beneficiaries under the Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarship for ST students during last 5 years						
						(₹ in lakh)
Sl.No.	Name of the State/UT	A.Y. 2019-20	A.Y. 2020-21	A.Y. 2021-22	A.Y. 2022-23	A.Y. 2023-24
		Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries
1	A.& N. Islands	447	312	345	386	193
2	Andhra Pradesh	46162	43690	46953	42333	32309
3	Arunachal Pradesh	20500	31916	44144	46719	43507
4	Assam	54823	53205	71115	62102	58775
5	Bihar	5715	9071	16310	*	*
6	Chhattisgarh	143746	102501	167525	116619	115386
7	DNH DD	5618	3549	3352	2208	1053
8	Goa	5870	4833	4047	4439	3274
9	Gujarat	212454	213559	244534	248035	160555
10	Himachal Pradesh	3009	2415	3332	4303	4390
11	Jammu & Kashmir	10685	4316	8335	10772	7282
12	Jharkhand	85491	92117	126878	141632	80770
13	Karnataka	126780	115438	129862	126586	122363
14	Kerala	16583	15820	14558	17652	4404
15	Ladakh		3055	8631	8619	5062
16	Madhya Pradesh	350679	380677	458874	383220	338809
17	Maharashtra	118925	131795	131201	135175	104913

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		Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries
18	Manipur	30969	37258	47793	42567	*
19	Meghalaya	6159	16399	52598	59747	76755
20	Mizoram	38174	33308	33267	38784	31685
21	Nagaland	40126	37190	40588	40638	42867
22	Odisha	171532	175252	207678	204172	208481
23	Puducherry	23	22	*	*	*
24	Rajasthan	178200	187960	185474	163393	*
25	Sikkim	4431	3488	4457	2650	*
26	Tamil Nadu	29478	21383	24441	23529	22773
27	Telangana	108332	111063	108658	133821	131034
28	Tripura	23422	26108	35520	37380	35665
29	Uttar Pradesh	17881	8132	8930	6427	8656
30	Uttrakhand	4824	3037	3348	3072	3972
31	West Bengal	*	*	*	*	*
	Total	1861038	1868869	2232748	2106980	1644933

* Actual beneficiaries data for the respective academic year is not furnished by State/UTs
