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Implementation of National Curriculum Framework

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Curriculum Framework (NCF) has been implemented in all States/UTs;
- (b) if not, the reasons for delay;
- (c) whether teacher training modules have been aligned with the new NCF?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c) As a follow up of National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has developed the National Curriculum Framework for School Education (NCF-SE) and the National Curriculum Framework for the Foundational Stage (NCF-FS) and disseminated across the States/Union Territories.

The NEP, 2020, *inter-alia*, provides that States will prepare their own curriculum which may be based on National Curriculum Framework for School Education (NCF-SE) prepared by NCERT to the extent possible and prepare textbooks which may be based on the NCERT textbook materials to the extent possible incorporating State flavour and material as needed.

Further, Education being a subject in the Concurrent list of the Constitution, it is up to the respective States/Union Territories Governments to decide the implementation of the NCF in the spirit of NEP 2020.

Teacher Training Modules for Foundational Literacy and Numeracy (FLN) and Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE) under National Initiative for School Heads' and Teachers' Holistic Advancement (NISHTHA) programme are aligned with NCFs.
