

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 1233**  
ANSWERED ON – 10/12/2025

**PMKVY IN KARNATAKA**

1233. SHRI IRANNA KADADI:

Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of youths trained and placed under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) in the State of Karnataka, with a specific breakdown for Belagavi district;
- (b) the number of artisans and craftsmen from Belagavi district who have been enrolled and certified under the 'PM Vishwakarma Yojana';
- (c) trades (e.g., foundry, hydraulics) prioritised for Vishwakarma training in Belagavi;
- (d) the status of the 'National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme' (NAPS) in Belagavi and how many industries are participating; and
- (e) the progress of the 'Skill India Digital' platform adoption among the youth of Belagavi?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) Under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojna (PMKVY), placements were tracked in the Short-Term Training (STT) component in the first three versions of the Scheme - PMKVY 1.0, PMKVY 2.0 and PMKVY 3.0, implemented from FY 2015-16 to FY 2021-22. Under PMKVY 4.0, the focus is to empower our trained candidates to choose their varied career path and they are suitably oriented for the same through On-Job Training (OJT) embedded industry relevant skill courses.

The total number of youths trained/oriented under PMKVY in the State of Karnataka is 6,05,744, including 31,537 candidates from Belagavi district.

(b) The total number of candidates registered under PM Vishwakarma in the Belagavi district of Karnataka is 24,476, out of which 20,297 are certified.

(c) Under PM Vishwakarma Yojna, training has been imparted in Belagavi district in the following trades:

Sl. No.	Trade
1	Armourer
2	Barber (Naai)
3	Basket Maker/ Basket Weaver: Mat Maker/ Coir Weaver/ Broom Maker
4	Boat Maker
5	Carpenter (Suthar)
6	Cobbler (Charmakar)/ Shoemsmith/ Footwear Artisan
7	Doll & Toy Maker (Traditional)
8	Fishing Net Maker
9	Goldsmith (Sunar)
10	Hammer and Tool Kit Maker
11	Locksmith
12	Malakaar

Sl. No.	Trade
13	Masons (Mistri)
14	Metal Smith/Metal Caster
15	Potter (Kumhar)
16	Sculptor (Moortikar)/ Stone Carver / Stone Breaker
17	Tailor (Darzi)
18	Washerman (Dhobi)

(d) National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) aims to promote apprenticeship training throughout the country, including Belagavi district. Currently, NAPS-2 is operational since FY 2022-23. Under the scheme, a total number of 2,96,019 apprentices engaged in Karnataka, including 7,470 from Belagavi district. As on October 2025, a total of 205 industries engaged apprentices in Belagavi district.

(e) The Skill India Digital Hub (SIDH) is a comprehensive Digital Public Infrastructure (DPI) unifying skill development, education, employment and entrepreneurship across India. Over 63,000 candidates from Belagavi have been enrolled in various skilling programmes of Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship through the SIDH portal.

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