

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1026
ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, JULY 28, 2026**

**CSR SPENDING IN EDUCATION AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT
QUESTION**

1026 Shri Bhashyam Rama Krishna:

Will the Minister of Corporate Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) the overall trend in CSR spending on education and skill-development activities across the country during the last three financial years and the share of total CSR funds directed towards this sector:

(b) the total CSR funds spent by companies specifically in Andhra Pradesh on education and skill-development activities during each of the last three financial years:

(c) the number of CSR-1 registered implementing agencies currently operating in Andhra Pradesh, including NGOs, trusts and Section 8 companies: and

(d) whether any Central scheme or guideline links corporate CSR funds to school infrastructure or skilling centres in Andhra Pradesh and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS AND MINISTER
OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS**

[SHRI HARSH MALHOTRA]

(a) & (b): Under the Companies Act 2013, CSR is a Board driven process and the Board of the company is empowered to plan, decide, execute and monitor CSR activities of the company based on the recommendation of its CSR Committee. The Government does not issue any specific direction to the companies to spend in any particular geographical area or for any particular activity.

All data related to CSR filed by companies in MCA21 registry are available in public domain and can be accessed at www.csr.gov.in. Based on the annual filings made by companies in the MCA 21 registry, the Sector-wise details of CSR expenditure in India and Andhra Pradesh for the last three Financial Years (FY) i.e. FY 2022-23 to FY 2024-25 is attached at Annexure-I and II respectively.

(c): In the CSR Legal framework, the term 'Non-Government Organisations (NGO)' has not been defined. As per MCA21 registry, the number of CSR-1 registered implementing agencies in Andhra Pradesh is 3,547 as on 30.06.2026.

(d): Referred to reply of part (a) & (b) above.

Refer to part (a)&(b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question no. 1026 for 28.07.2026
Development sector-wise CSR expenditure in India from FY 2022-23 to FY 2024-25

(Amount in Rupees Crore)

S.No.	Development Sector	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25
1.	Agro forestry	67.28	75.18	87.59
2.	Animal Welfare	326.40	548.60	560.78
3.	Armed Forces, Veterans, War Widows/ Dependants	63.63	70.96	72.40
4.	Art And Culture	451.34	712.58	692.22
5.	Conservation of natural resources	584.65	438.65	426.28
6.	Education	10,520.18	12,508.19	13,877.34
7.	Environmental Sustainability	2,027.10	2,483.27	3,396.75
8.	Gender Equality	121.17	217.85	223.98
9.	Health Care	7,122.71	7,344.74	8,530.60
10.	Livelihood Enhancement Projects	1,710.13	2,408.67	2,547.71
11.	Poverty, Eradicating Hunger, Malnutrition	1,285.67	1,273.87	1,647.24
12.	Rural Development Projects	2,060.71	2,458.57	2,476.96
13.	Safe Drinking Water	253.05	342.51	341.85
14.	Sanitation	438.95	379.16	439.32
15.	Senior Citizens Welfare	154.53	164.95	205.40
16.	Setting Up Homes And Hostels For Women	49.84	43.56	50.23
17.	Setting Up Orphanage	45.52	34.09	55.03
18.	Slum Area Development	94.22	39.52	38.42
19.	Socio-economic equalities	159.54	205.65	160.43
20.	Special Education	325.77	412.36	423.38
21.	Technology incubators	1.48	1.91	-
22.	Training To Promote Sports	542.69	718.82	1,130.02
23.	Vocational Skills	1,209.62	1,429.73	1,945.22
24.	Women Empowerment	417.45	464.89	521.38
25.	Other Central Government Funds	1,148.00	1,071.38	943.48
26.	NEC/Not mentioned*	1.65	68.32	-
Total		31,183.28	35,917.98	40,794.00

(Updated Data upto 31.03.2026) (Source: Corporate Data Management Cell)

*Companies either did not specify the names of Sectors or indicated more than one Sector where projects were undertaken.

Refer to part (a)&(b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question no. 1026 for 28.07.2026
Development sector-wise CSR expenditure in Andhra Pradesh from FY 2022-23 to FY 2024-25

(Amount in Rupees Crore)

S.No.	Development Sector	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25
1.	Agro forestry	8.39	4.35	5.17
2.	Animal Welfare	4.66	3.79	5.54
3.	Armed Forces, Veterans, War Widows/ Dependants	0.51	0.21	0.06
4.	Art And Culture	4.77	6.11	7.89
5.	Conservation of natural resources	76.06	71.24	6.69
6.	Education	190.71	218.91	305.52
7.	Environmental Sustainability	36.25	40.62	158.21
8.	Gender Equality	0.57	3.29	21.30
9.	Health Care	203.99	236.38	234.21
10.	Livelihood Enhancement Projects	136.13	189.44	326.71
11.	Poverty, Eradicating Hunger, Malnutrition	26.21	26.54	58.49
12.	Rural Development Projects	176.97	245.23	148.99
13.	Safe Drinking Water	19.97	12.85	22.13
14.	Sanitation	23.80	30.16	6.89
15.	Senior Citizens Welfare	14.25	4.27	5.78
16.	Setting Up Homes And Hostels For Women	0.52	2.27	5.96
17.	Setting Up Orphanage	3.72	0.65	3.41
18.	Slum Area Development	0.53	0.54	0.41
19.	Socio-economic equalities	1.48	7.86	5.50
20.	Special Education	2.80	3.69	2.83
21.	Technology incubators	-	0.30	-
22.	Training To Promote Sports	4.89	3.64	5.93
23.	Vocational Skills	46.45	60.00	41.24
24.	Women Empowerment	3.69	3.56	4.64
Total		987.33	1,175.88	1,383.52

(Updated Data upto 31.03.2026) (Source: Corporate Data Management Cell)
