

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
(MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS)
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4139
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2017

POST-METRIC SCHOLARSHIP

4139. SHRI C.N. JAYADEVAN:
SHRIMATI RITA TARAI:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- a) the details of scholarship schemes including Post-Matric Scholarship being implemented by the Government for facilitating education of tribal students in the country;
- b) the details of funds sanctioned/released and utilized thereunder during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
- c) whether the Government proposes to enhance the scholarship amount being provided under these schemes and if so, the details thereof;
- d) whether the Government has received proposals from various States for release of funds under the pre/post-matric scholarship; and
- e) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise alongwith the steps being taken by the Government to ensure timely release of funds to the States under these schemes?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS
(SHRI JASWANTSINH BHABHOR)

- (a) The requisite details sought in this part of the question are given in the **Annexure**.
- (b) The requisite details sought in this part of the question are given in **Annexure**.
- (c) No, Madam.
- (d) Yes, Madam.
- (e) The State Governments / UT Administrations have been requested to submit their requirement well in time. They have also been made aware of the National Scholarship Portal and advised to encourage the students to utilize the portal or the State Government's own portal to avoid any likely problems. The requisite State/UT-wise details sought in this part of the question are given in **Annexure**.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4139 for answer on 27.03.2017 tabled by SHRI C.N. JAYADEVAN, M.P. & SHRIMATI RITA TARAI, M.P. regarding "Post-Metric Scholarship".

SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES BEING IMPLEMENTED FOR FACILITATING EDUCATION OF TRIBAL STUDENTS IN THE COUNTRY.

A. PRE-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIPS TO ST STUDENTS

- Applicable to students who are studying in Classes IX – X. Priority is given for girls.
- Parental income from all sources should be less than Rs.2.00 lakhs per annum.
- Scholarship of Rs.150/- per month for day scholars and Rs.350/- per month for hostellers is given for a period of 10 months in a year.
- Scholarship is distributed through the State Government/UT Administration.

B. POST MATRIC SCHOLARSHIPS TO ST STUDENTS

- Applicable to students who are studying in any recognized course from a recognized institution for which qualification is Matriculation/Class X or above. Priority is given for girls.
- Parental income from all sources should be less than Rs.2.50 lakhs per annum.
- Compulsory fees charged by educational institutions are reimbursed subject to the limit fixed by the concerned State Fee fixation committee and scholarship amount of Rs.230 to Rs.1200 per month, depending upon the course of study is paid.
- Scholarship is distributed through the State Government/UT Administration.
- Remedial and special coaching is provided to ST students in Classes IX to XII.

NATIONAL OVERSEAS SCHOLARSHIPS

- Provides financial assistance to selected students to pursue Post Graduation, PhD & Post-Doctoral study abroad. Priority is given to girls.
- A total of 20 awards are given every year. Of these, 17 awards are for STs and 3 awards for students belonging to Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups.
- Parental/family income from all sources does not exceed Rs.6.00 lakhs per annum.
- Implemented through the Ministry of External Affairs.

NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP & SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIGHER EDUCATION OF ST STUDENTS:

TOP CLASS EDUCATION FOR ST STUDENTS

- Scholarship is given to ST students for pursuing studies in prescribed courses in any of the 158 institutions of excellence across the country like IITs, AIIMS, IIMs, NIITs, etc. identified by the Ministry. Priority is given to girls.
- Total number of scholarships is 1000 per year.
- Family income from all sources does not exceed Rs.4.50 lakhs per annum.
- Scholarship amount includes tuition fees, living expenses and allowances for books and computer.

NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP SCHEME FOR ST STUDENTS

- 750 fellowships are provided to ST students each year for pursuing higher studies in India for MPhil and PhD. Priority is given to girls.
- Fellowship is granted as per UGC norms. Presently, @Rs.25,000/- for JRF and @Rs.28,000/- for SRF.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4139 for answer on 27.03.2017 tabled by SHRI C.N. JAYADEVAN, M.P. & SHRIMATI RITA TARAI, M.P. regarding "Post-Metric Scholarship".

Details of Fund Released to State Governments/UT Administrations and their utilization thereof under the Scheme of Post Matric Scholarship for ST students during 2013-14 to 2016-17

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	NAME OF STATE/UT	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17 (As on 16.03.2017)	
		Fund Released	Utilized	Fund Released	Utilized	Fund Released	Utilized	Fund Released	Utilized
1	A. & N. Islands	0.75	0.00	0.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	4895.16	4870.00	5070.01	5070.01	1986.82	1986.82	7445.07	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	1366.85	1366.85	2.29	2.29	1137.61	1137.61	1136.32	0.00
4	Assam	4756.81	4755.49	1114.00	1114.00	6748.28	6748.28	4000.00	0.00
5	Bihar	23.00	20.60	23.00	23.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Chhattisgarh	1341.48	1341.48	4066.75	4066.75	4764.83	1007.59	2674.82	0.00
7	Daman & Diu	10.90	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	53.63	0.00
8	Goa	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	356.00	356.00	645.00	0.00
9	Gujarat	7138.58	7138.05	3929.23	3929.23	5520.40	5520.40	22040.27	0.00
10	Himachal Pradesh	282.83	282.83	237.00	237.00	1350.00	1350.00	931.36	0.00
11	Jammu & Kashmir	177.00	177.00	2494.17	2494.17	2494.17	2494.17	2587.84	0.00
12	Jharkhand	2043.23	2043.23	4927.23	4927.23	0.00	0.00	8148.39	0.00
13	Karnataka	3340.76	3340.76	3691.00	3691.00	5839.00	5839.00	8540.00	0.00
14	Kerala	625.53	625.53	647.00	647.00	0.00	0.00	3122.00	0.00
15	Madhya Pradesh	5276.71	5276.71	2385.00	2385.00	3065.00	3065.00	13054.00	0.00
16	Maharashtra	11996.04	11996.04	7451.83	7451.83	5209.83	5209.83	22092.28	0.00
17	Manipur	6111.01	6111.01	3615.48	3615.48	3588.00	3588.00	3385.20	0.00
18	Meghalaya	3438.00	3438.00	438.00	438.00	3274.61	3274.61	3189.00	0.00
19	Mizoram	5393.89	5127.51	4501.15	4423.18	4927.91	4927.91	4267.52	0.00
20	Nagaland	2626.19	2626.19	2329.59	2329.59	2646.34	2646.34	1344.00	0.00
21	Odisha	3459.87	3459.87	4512.00	4512.00	4050.00	4050.00	15556.48	0.00
22	Rajasthan	2216.02	2216.02	6440.00	6440.00	10890.43	10890.43	9800.00	0.00
23	Sikkim	845.49	845.49	414.00	414.00	400.00	400.00	938.16	0.00
24	Tamil Nadu	1436.02	1436.02	44.00	44.00	2266.86	2266.86	1594.00	0.00
25	Telangana	0.00	0.00	12329.88	12329.88	9650.00	9650.00	11483.00	0.00
26	Tripura	1390.99	1178.81	974.82	974.82	1700.00	1361.04	1323.90	0.00
27	Uttar Pradesh	56.00	56.00	56.00	56.00	0.00	0.00	1057.50	0.00
28	Uttarakhand	1086.50	1086.50	164.00	164.00	900.00	900.00	5090.57	0.00
29	West Bengal	2277.63	2277.63	237.00	237.00	2948.46	2948.46	0.00	0.00
	Total	73615.24	73095.62	72098.18	72018.46	85714.55	81618.35	155500.31	0.00

Note: Details of the utilization of funds released for 2016-17 will be known in 2017-18 only.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4139 for answer on 27.03.2017 tabled by SHRI C.N. JAYADEVAN, M.P. & SHRIMATI RITA TARA, M.P. regarding "Post-Metric Scholarship".

Details of Fund Released to State Governments/UT Administrations and their utilization thereof under the Scheme of Pre-Matric Scholarship for ST students studying in classes IX & X during 2013-14 to 2016-17

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl.No	Name of the State/UT	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17 (As on 31.01.2017)	
		Fund Released	Utilised	Fund Released	Utilised	Fund Released	Utilised	Fund Released	Utilised
1	Andaman & Nicobar	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	0.00	0.00	1386.00	1386.00	1983.00	1983.00	0.00	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	218.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Assam	211.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	321.32	0.00
5	Bihar	0.00	0.00	688.60	688.60	375.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Chhattisgarh	0.00	0.00	3718.00	3125.00	3607.00	3607.00	399.15	0.00
7	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	Goa	14.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Gujarat	2835.28	2835.28	3750.00	3750.00	3745.76	3745.76	80.81	0.00
11	Himachal Pradesh	45.73	37.59	73.00	51.12	96.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	700.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Jharkhand	0.00	0.00	1613.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	Karnataka	3320.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
15	Kerala	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	300.00	0.00	488.25	0.00
16	Madhya Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4300.00	4300.00	0.00	0.00
17	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	Manipur	729.70	0.00	496.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	867.38	0.00
19	Meghalaya	296.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20	Mizoram	123.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
21	Nagaland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	851.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
22	Odisha	5601.08	5601.08	4511.00	4511.00	4900.00	4900.00	3376.36	0.00
23	Rajasthan	4792.55	4011.70	2383.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	Sikkim	0.00	0.00	7.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25	Tamil Nadu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	600.00	600.00	0.00	0.00
26	Telangana	0.00	0.00	745.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
27	Tripura	674.33	674.33	678.75	678.75	1303.60	435.21	0.00	0.00
28	Uttar Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
29	Uttarakhand	460.20	281.20	19.82	19.82	107.00	107.00	0.00	0.00
30	West Bengal	2620.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Total	21943.19	9429.49	20070.88	14210.29	22868.95	19677.97	5533.27	0.00

Note: Details of the utilization of funds released for 2016-17 will be known in 2017-18 only.

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(₹ in lakh)					
Sl. No.	NAME OF STATE/UT	POST MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP (2016-17)		PRE MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP (2016-17)	
		Demand	Released	Demand	Released
1	A.& N. Islands	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	11345.40	7445.07	1450.68	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	8600.00	1136.32	0.00	0.00
4	Assam	9337.82	4000.00	357.07	321.32
5	Bihar	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6	Chhattisgarh	5492.08	2674.82	4269.07	399.15
7	Daman & Diu	33.31	53.63	0.00	0.00
8	Goa	0.00	645.00	70.18	0.00
9	Gujarat	21270.00	22040.27	5000.00	80.81
10	Himachal Pradesh	5105.00	931.36	63.00	0.00
11	Jammu & Kashmir	3805.83	2587.84	0.00	0.00
12	Jharkhand	17204.55	8148.39	0.00	0.00
13	Karnataka	0.00	8540.00	1483.83	0.00
14	Kerala	2651.93	3122.00	446.65	488.25
15	Madhya Pradesh	14665.51	13054.00	8341.69	0.00
16	Maharashtra	22409.00	22092.28	0.00	0.00
17	Manipur	6277.91	3385.20	772.28	867.38
18	Meghalaya	4002.30	3189.00	0.00	0.00
19	Mizoram	5185.62	4267.52	344.84	0.00
20	Nagaland	5278.03	1344.00	0.00	0.00
21	Odisha	0.00	15556.48	6906.76	3376.36
22	Rajasthan	44944.94	9800.00	0.00	0.00
23	Sikkim	0.00	938.16	1000.00	0.00
24	Tamil Nadu	3914.32	1594.00	248.00	0.00
25	Telangana	25915.00	11483.00	0.00	0.00
26	Tripura	1870.00	1323.90	31.62	0.00
27	Uttar Pradesh	912.00	1057.50	0.00	0.00
28	Uttrakhand	5249.19	5090.57	183.80	0.00
29	West Bengal	1655.45	0.00	703.03	0.00
	Total	227125.19	155500.31	31672.50	5533.27