

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND
LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1297
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th JULY, 2017**

Assessment of Education in Rural Areas

**1297. SHRI ANOOP MISHRA:
SHRIMATI KIRRON KHER:**

Will the **Minister** of **HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has made any study with regard to the functioning of Government/Government aided schools particularly in rural areas in respect of the performance of teachers, principals, management, facilities available, teacher student relationship and causes of dropouts and if so, the details, including Madhya Pradesh along with the outcome thereof; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT wise including Madhya Pradesh?

**ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN
RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)**

(a) & (b): The Central Government, through National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA), has developed a Shaala Siddhi, a National Programme on School Standards and Evaluation (NPSSE) which is a comprehensive instrument for school evaluation leading to school improvement irrespective of the area, whether rural or urban. It aims to enable schools to evaluate their performance in a more focused and strategic manner and facilitate

them to make professional judgment for improvement.

The programme's objective is to establish and refer to an agreed set of standards and to provide clear pathways for each school for self evaluation by focusing on key performance domains and their core standards for school evaluation. The structure of the framework is simple yet flexible and lends itself to both self and external evaluation. A web portal (http://www.nuepa.org/new/School_Standards_Evaluation.aspx) which will enable all schools to engage in self-evaluation in the 7 key domains under the framework has been launched. The State-wise details of schools covered under the programme including the State of Madhya Pradesh are annexed. Further, the Central Government has launched Shagun portal to monitor various interventions of SSA. Through this portal, States and UTs will be able to share their progress on physical targets and fund utilization.

A detailed research study was commissioned in 2013 by the Central Government entitled "Survey for assessment of drop out at the elementary level in 21 States. According to the study, major factors of drop-out have been identified as lack of interest in studies, economic reasons; migration and involvement in domestic work to help the parents.

Some States have developed their own programme of school evaluation like: Gunotsava (Gujarat), Pratibha Parve (Madhya Pradesh), Sambalan (Rajasthan) and Samiksha (Odisha) etc .

Annexure

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK UNSTARRED
QUESTION NO. 1297 TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th JULY, 2017 ASKED BY
SHRI ANOOP MISHRA AND SHRIMATI KIRRON KHER REGARDING
“ASSESSMENT OF EDUCATION IN RURAL AREAS”**

**State-wise details of schools covered under the Shaala Siddhi programme
for the Academic Year: 2016-17**

S.No.	State Name	No. of Schools Available	Self Evaluation	
			Completed	In-Progress
1.	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	414	236	42
2.	ANDHRA PRADESH	64000	23559	5580
3.	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	4173	0	0
4.	ASSAM	71042	2122	810
5.	BIHAR	84236	1744	291
6.	CHANDIGARH	202	82	24
7.	CHHATTISGARH	54494	28721	17495
8.	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	347	231	22
9.	DAMAN & DIU	145	12	46
10.	DELHI	5798	2754	212
11.	GOA	1579	29	201
12.	GUJARAT	53098	2946	1241
13.	HARYANA	23181	19	244
14.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	18262	2	2
15.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	29429	5	9
16.	JHARKHAND	48750	2884	1498
17.	KARNATAKA	76074	0	1
18.	KERALA	17130	135	632
19.	LAKSHADWEEP	45	0	0
20.	MADHYA PRADESH	154218	281	22874
21.	MAHARASHTRA	108708	98906	5424
22.	MANIPUR	5042	967	11
23.	MEGHALAYA	14514	63	76
24.	MIZORAM	3889	212	100
25.	NAGALAND	2853	134	124
26.	ODISHA	70402	1	3
27.	PUDUCHERRY	468	468	0

28.	PUNJAB	28988	2417	1467
29.	RAJASTHAN	32967	32588	63
30.	SIKKIM	1317	751	22
31.	TAMILNADU	58272	36252	9153
32.	TELANGANA	83276	55	38
33.	TRIPURA	4924	0	4
34.	UTTAR PRADESH	268325	7240	3203
35.	UTTARAKHAND	24186	4904	3030
36.	WEST BENGAL	95736	191	489
	Total :	1510484	250911	74431