

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3457
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.07.2019

Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas

3457. SHRI ANNASAHEB SHANKAR JOLLE:

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

- (a) the number of Kasturba Gandhi Vidyalayas in the country as on date, State-wise;
- (b) whether there is uniformity in allotting/sanctioning of said Vidyalayas and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government proposes to sanction at least one Kasturba Gandhi Vidyalaya for every zilla panchayat of Chikkodi district of Karnataka State and if so, the details thereof?

A N S W E R

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')**

- (a): State/UT-wise details of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas (KGBVs) in the country is at Annexure.
- (b): At the time of inception, KGBVs were set up in Educationally Backward Blocks (EBBs) of a State/UT where the female rural literacy rate was below the national average (i.e. below 46.13% as per Census 2001) and gender gap in literacy was more than the national average of 21.67%. The scope of the scheme was enlarged to cover the EBBs that had rural female literacy below 30% and towns/cities having minority concentration with female literacy rate below the national average of 53.67% as per Census 2001. Now, the scope has been extended to cover all the EBBs with rural female literacy below the national average 46.13% as per Census 2001.
- (c) : A total of 145 KGBVs have been sanctioned in Karnataka State out of which 141 KGBVs are operational. KGBVs have been sanctioned in all EBBs in Karnataka. Out of 141 operational KGBVs, 4 KGBVs are located in Chikkodi district of Karnataka State, details of which are as under:-

Block/ Municipal Area, where KGBV Sanctioned & Operational	Place of KGBV	Type of KGBV
Gokok	Waderhatti	I *
Raibag	Byakud	I
Gokok	Waderahatti	IV **
Raibag	Mekhali	IV

* From classes VI to VIII.

** Stand-alone Girls' Hostels for classes IX to XII.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (A) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3457 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.07.2019 ASKED BY SHRI ANNASAHEB SHANKAR JOLLE REGARDING “KASTURBA GANDHI BALIKA VIDYALAYAS”.

State/UT wise List of KGBVs

S. No.	Name of State/UT	No. of KGBVs Sanctioned	No. of KGBVs Functional
1	Andhra Pradesh	587	499
2	Arunachal Pradesh	81	59
3	Assam	148	90
4	Bihar	912	582
5	Chhattisgarh	168	167
6	Dadar & Nagar Haveli	02	02
7	Gujarat	174	162
8	Haryana	72	42
9	Himachal Pradesh	15	13
10	Jammu & Kashmir	196	97
11	Jharkhand	205	203
12	Karnataka	145	141
13	Kerala	01	0
14	Madhya Pradesh	408	408
15	Maharashtra	86	77
16	Manipur	16	16
17	Meghalaya	19	10
18	Mizoram	02	02
19	Nagaland	22	11
20	Odisha	355	204
21	Punjab	43	43
22	Rajasthan	318	317
23	Sikkim	01	01
24	Tamil Nadu	105	105
25	Telangana	726	629
26	Tripura	18	17
27	Uttar Pradesh	937	775
28	Uttarakhand	49	48
29	West Bengal	159	121
	Grand Total	5970	4841
