

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 490
ANSWERED ON 06/02/2023

Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan in Andhra Pradesh

490. SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of the Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan;
 - (b) the number of districts covered in Andhra Pradesh under the scheme;
 - (c) the details of the target fixed under the scheme and achievements made so far in the State;
- and
- (d) the details along with funds released under the scheme in the last three years, district-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(SHRIMATI ANNPURNA DEVI)

(a): Some of the salient features of Samagra Shiksha for improving the access, infrastructure and quality of education throughout the country are:

- Universalising access to quality education by provision for new/ upgradation of schools from **pre-primary** to senior secondary level and strengthening of existing schools.
- Support for mainstreaming of out of school children.
- Provision of free textbooks to all children and free uniforms to all girls, SC, ST and BPL boys at elementary level including primers/textbooks for tribal languages with bridging materials.
- Residential schools/hostels named **Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Avasiya Vidyalayas** in hilly terrain, small and sparsely populated areas for children without adult protection who are in need of shelter and care.
- Provision for qualitative and innovative interventions such as **Holistic Progress Card (HPC)**, sports grant, library grant, composite school grant, teacher training, strengthening of TEIs, etc.

- Provision of upto ₹ 3500 per child with special needs, per year, studying in government, government aided and local body schools for aids and appliances, teaching material, home based education etc.
- Support under **Vocational Education** extended to Government aided schools also in addition to Government Schools and grant/number of job roles/sections linked to enrolment and demand.
- Provision of **ICT labs, Smart classrooms** including support for **digital boards, virtual classrooms and DTH channels**.
- Support States & UTs for implementation of provisions of RTE Act including reimbursement under **Section 12(1) (c)** of the Act.

(b): All the districts of Andhra Pradesh State are covered under the Samagra Shiksha Scheme.

(c): The details of target fixed and achievements made in major interventions under Samagra Shiksha in 2022-23 are annexed at **Annexure**.

(d): Under Centrally Sponsored scheme of Samagra Shiksha financial assistance is provided as per the fund sharing pattern as decided by the Ministry of Finance. Under the scheme, the annual plans are prepared by the States and UTs based on their requirements and priority and this is reflected in their respective Annual Work Plan and Budget (AWP&B) Proposals. These plans are then appraised and approved/estimated by the Project Approval Board (PAB) in the Department of School Education & Literacy in consultation with the States and UTs as per the programmatic and financial norms of the scheme, and physical and financial progress of the State for the interventions approved earlier. Further, the funds are released on the basis of submission of Audited Accounts, Utilization Certificate, physical and financial progress and other documents as prescribed under the Financial Management & Procurement (FMP) Manual of Samagra Shiksha.

The details of funds released to the state of Andhra Pradesh under Samagra Shiksha in the last 3 years are as under:

(Rs. in lakh)

Andhra Pradesh Central Releases under Samagra Shiksha				
Year	Elementary Education	Secondary Education	Teacher Education	Total
2020-21	72980.07	13787.9	207.12	86975.09
2021-22	46053.72	22052.35	195.29	68301.36
2022-23*	67478.04	18870.89	391.55	86740.48*

Source : SSA, MoE

*Central Releases as on 01-02-2023

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (C) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 490 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2023 ASKED BY HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY REGARDING SAMAGRA SHIKSHA ABHIYAN IN ANDHRA PRADESH.

(Rs. in Crores)

Sl. No.	Intervention	Estimate Outlay Approved in 2022-23	Expenditure upto December, 2022
1	Annual Grant	193.82	42.37
2	BRC/CRC	197.23	124.73
3	Free Textbook	107.23	62.20
4	Free Uniform	209.19	102.34
5	KGBV (Recurring Cost)	395.56	177.34
6	Program Management	103.56	51.86
7	Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Avasiya Vidyalaya / Hostels	6.49	1.05
8	Financial Support for Teacher Educators (TEIs)	2.67	2.67
9	Financial Support for Teachers	465.06	426.47
10	Vocational Education (Recurring Cost)	78.81	6.11
11	Infrastructure Development	846.32	25.84
12	Transport & Escort Facility	24.25	0.10
13	Provision for CWSN	70.95	3.31
14	Other NR Activities	23.73	0.00
15	Special Training	35.75	2.94
16	Nipun Bharat Mission	68.84	2.77
17	Funds for Quality (LEP, Innovation, Guidance etc.)	126.73	18.29
18	ICT	397.74	0.00
19	Training for In-Service Teachers and Head Masters	1.74	0.00
20	Community Mobilization	20.25	0.00
21	Other Activities	66.38	1.23
22	Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE) (Recurring)	11.48	0.19
23	Rashtriya Aavishkar Abhiyan	14.17	0.00
Total		3467.95	1051.82
