

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 498
ANSWERED ON 06.02.2023

COST OF EVENT 'PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA'

498. SHRIMATI MALA ROY:

Will the Minister of **EDUCATION** be pleased to state:

- (a) please state the actual cost of per event of PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA a part of the larger movement of the Government 'Exam Warriors';
- (b) the details of amount spent in the programme during the last Eight years, year-wise details; and
- (c) the details of annual budget for Government sponsored school in the last five years, year-wise details?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SMT. ANNPURNA DEVI)

(a) & (b) Pariksha Pe Charcha (PPC) is a unique interactive program of Hon'ble Prime Minister with students, teachers and parents. The detail of actual expenditure available for previous events of PPC are provided below:

PPC edition	Date of PPC	Actual Expenditure (in Crore)
First	16 th February, 2018	3.67
Second	29 th January, 2019	4.93
Third	20 th January, 2020	5.69
Fourth	07 th April, 2021	6.00
Fifth	01 st April, 2022	8.16

(c) Education is a subject in the concurrent list of the Constitution and majority of schools are under the jurisdiction of State Governments. The data of the annual budget for State Government sponsored schools is not collected or compiled at central level. So far as the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) and Navodaya Vidyalaya Sangathan (NVS) are concerned, the details of annual budget for last five years is provided below:

Year	Budget Allocation (in Crore)	
	Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS)	Navodaya Vidyalaya Sangathan (NVS)
2017-18	4997.25/-	3185.00/-
2018-19	5006.75/-	3213.00/-
2019-20	6331.40/-	3387.60/-
2020-21	6437.68/-	3480.00/-
2021-22	6800.00/-	3740.00/-
