

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PLANNING

**LOK SABHA**  
**STARRED QUESTION No. \*183**  
TO BE ANSWERED 02.08.2023

**ATAL TINKERING LABORATORIES**

**\*183. SHRI LALLU SINGH:**

**SHRI TAPIR GAO:**

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of schools where Atal Tinkering Laboratories (ATLs) have been constructed and are under construction;
- (b) the number of ATLs proposed by the Government to be constructed by 2024; and
- (c) whether the Government is considering establishment of ATLs in more Government schools in the country, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

**(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)**

(a) to (c) : A Statement is laid on the Table of the House

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**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA  
STARRED QUESTION NO. \*183 REGARDING "ATAL TINKERING  
LABORATORIES" RAISED BY SHRI LALLU SINGH & TAPIR GAO.**

(a) With a vision to ‘Cultivate one Million children in India as Neoteric Innovators’, Government of India has established Atal Tinkering Laboratories (ATLs) in schools across the country. The objective of this scheme is to foster curiosity, creativity, and imagination in young minds; and inculcate skills such as design mindset, computational thinking, adaptive learning, physical computing etc.

The number of ATLs in schools, State-wise/UT-wise, Government-Private wise is placed at Annexure .

(b) & (c) AIM has successfully completed its current mandate of setting up 10,000 ATLs in the schools across the country in July 2022. Out of the 10,000 ATLs setup across the country, AIM has successfully established 5,945 (approximately 60%) ATLs in Government schools. The additional number of ATLs to be established is not decided.

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**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 183 FOR 02.08.2023 BY SHRI LALLU SINGH: SHRI TAPIR GAO: REGARDING ATAL TINKERING LABORATORIES**

Details of Atal Tinkering Labs State-wise/Private-Govt. wise in India

<b>States</b>	<b>Total No. of ATLs</b>	<b>No. Of ATLs in Govt. schools</b>	<b>No. Of ATLs in Private schools</b>
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLAND	10	10	
ANDHRA PRADESH	713	578	135
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	32	25	7
ASSAM	352	281	71
BIHAR	97	58	39
CHANDIGARH	22	14	8
CHHATTISGARH	368	289	79
DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI	4	1	3
DELHI	198	71	127
GOA	20	17	3
GUJARAT	614	408	206
HARYANA	435	105	330
HIMACHAL PRADESH	112	51	61
JAMMU AND KASHMIR	127	79	48
JHARKHAND	126	61	65
KARNATAKA	798	582	216
KERALA	369	253	116
LADAKH	2	2	0
MADHYA PRADESH	601	271	330
MAHARASHTRA	1033	868	165
MANIPUR	119	43	76
MEGHALAYA	13	10	3
MIZORAM	26	16	10
NAGALAND	26	3	23
ODISHA	331	194	137
PUDUCHERRY	19	13	6
PUNJAB	230	83	147
RAJASTHAN	511	206	305
SIKKIM	27	23	4
TAMIL NADU	975	648	327
TELANGANA	379	232	147
TRIPURA	27	27	0
UTTAR PRADESH	955	190	765
UTTARAKHAND	87	38	49
WEST BENGAL	242	195	47
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>5,945</b>	<b>4,055</b>