

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO-213

ANSWERED ON 18/12/2023

Dropouts in Class Tenth

*213. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is cognizant of the analysis based on the recent exercise carried out by the Ministry of Education that about 3.5 million students stop their education in Tenth class;
- (b) the reasons for the failure of pursuing education of students despite the measures taken by the Government under New Education Policy;
- (c) the details on the failure rate of students in Class 10th, subject-wise and also district-wise during the last four quarters;
- (d) the details on the proportion of teachers in high school to the enrolled students, subject-wise;
- (e) the details of Class 10th dropouts, failed students in the last four academic years, district-wise; and
- (f) the details of the total fund allocated for school education during the last four years, State-wise especially in Tamil Nadu?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF EDUCATION
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

- (a) to (f) A statement is laid on the table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (f) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 213 ANSWERED ON 18.12.2023 ASKED BY HONB'LE MP DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY REGARDING 'DROPUTS IN CLASS TENTH'

(a): The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSEL), Ministry of Education compiles board-wise examination result for class tenth. As per the data of examination result 2022, 1,89,90,809 students appeared for class tenth examination, of which 1,60,34,671 students were declared passed and 29,56,138 students failed to progress to the class XI.

(b): The reasons for failure of students in examination depends on various factors viz, not attending the schools, difficulty in following the instruction in schools, lack of interest in the studies, level of difficulty of question paper, lack of quality teachers, lack of support from parents, teachers and schools etc. Further, education is in the concurrent list of the Constitution and majority of the schools are under the domain of respective State and UT Governments. Central Government assist States and UTs through the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Samagra Shiksha, which is also aligned with NEP 2020 to ensure that all children have access to quality education with an equitable and inclusive classroom environment which should take care of their diverse background, multilingual needs, different academic abilities and make them active participants in the learning process. Financial assistance is also provided to the States and UTs for various activities to improve enrolment in Govt. schools, which include opening/strengthening of new schools up to senior secondary level, strengthening school infrastructure, setting up, up gradation and running of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas (KGBV) upto class 12, setting up of residential schools/hostel named Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Avasiya Vidyalayas, transport allowance, undertaking enrolment drives, seasonal hostels/residential camps, provision of vocational education and ICT facilities in schools, etc, financial assistance is also provided for aids and appliances for children with special needs.

Also, NEP 2020 has recommended integration of vocational education into mainstream education in all educational institutions. Under the vocational education component of Samagra Shiksha scheme, National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF) compliant vocational courses are offered to the students from class 9th to 12th in eligible schools. At the Secondary level, i.e. Class 9 and 10, vocational modules are offered to the students as an additional subject. At the Senior Secondary level, i.e. Class 11 and 12, vocational courses are offered as a compulsory (elective) subject. States/UTs can now opt from 88 Job Roles in 22 Sectors as per the Skill Gap Analysis of the State/UT. As part of NEP-2020 implementation -National Credit Framework (NCrF multiple entry/exit etc. have been introduced.

(c): The board-wise examination result is compiled annually and the details of the students not qualified in class tenth examination during the last four years are annexure I.

(d): The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSEL), Ministry of Education has developed the Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+) system to record data on indicators of school education provided by all the States and Union Territories. As per UDISE+, the Pupil Teacher Ratio at the Secondary level for the year 2021-22 is 16.

(e): The details of student's dropout rate at class tenth for last four years state-wise (UDISE+) is at annexure-II and details of students not qualified in class tenth for last four years board-wise are at annexure-I.

(f): The total fund allocated for school education during the last four years including Tamil Nadu is at annexure-III.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) and (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 213
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Students not qualified in class tenth examination during last four years board-wise

Sl. No.	Name of the Board	Board Detail	2019	2020	2021	2022
1	Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi	Central (Regular)	109800	100812	31196	117308
2	Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations, New Delhi		2418	1267	45	57
3	National Institute of Open Schooling	Central (open)	135386	70247	11139	55365
4	Andhra Pradesh, Board of Secondary Education	State-Boards (regular)	11664	0	0	69941
5	Assam Board of Secondary Education		122727	120440	16761	168063
6	State Madrassa Education Board, Assam		125	282	187	1471
7	Bihar School Examination Board, Patna		202392	149635	210332	348882
8	Bihar State Madrasa Education Board		20029	5895	3771	2390
9	Bihar Sanskrit Shiksha Board Patna		4162	114	1301	4332
10	Chhattisgarh Board of Secondary Education		111145	101376	0	85267
11	Chhattisgarh Madarsa Board, Raipur		20	11	4	8
12	Chhattisgarh Sanskrit Vidya Mandalam, Raipur		24	12	0	8
13	Goa Board of Secondary & Higher Secondary Education		1262	1164	65	1241
14	Gujarat Secondary & Higher Secondary Education Board		281958	315339	12118	245627
15	Board of School Education Haryana		155321	118743	0	86484
16	Himachal Pradesh Board of School Education		38258	29668	151	10947
17	Jammu and Kashmir State Board of School Education		156755	85538	14397	33121
18	Jharkhand Academic Council, Ranchi		109824	96132	17579	16495
19	Karnataka, Secondary Education Examination Board		102412	229676	2	178054
20	Kerala Board of Public Examination		2658	1330	320	649
21	Board of Secondary Education Madhya Pradesh		444158	419723	1007	398039
22	Maharshi Patanjali Sanskrit Sansthan, Bhopal (Madhya Pradesh)		1262	97	30	967
23	Maharashtra State Board of Secondary & Higher Secondary Education		357661	115131	1681	49135
24	Board of Secondary Education, Manipur		5703	8239	0	9418
25	Meghalaya Board of School Education		22150	24876	24391	24675
26	Mizoram Board of School Education		5085	5643	3004	5054
27	Nagaland Board of School Education		6906	6712	7218	10216
28	Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan New Delhi		67	0	0	31
29	Board of Secondary Education, Odisha		138462	90908	12115	8944
30	Punjab School Education Board		127767	2229	3267	7171
31	Board of Secondary Education, Rajasthan		193128	165276	1749	179785
32	Banasthali Vidyapith, Rajasthan		1	0	0	0
33	State Board of School Education Tamil Nadu		74858	28319	22101	181564
34	Directorate of Government Examination, Telangana State		27458	11	0	12325
35	Tripura Board of Secondary Education		15113	17077	0	3818
36	Madhyamik Shiksha Parishad Uttar Pradesh		565937	463853	1719	297763
37	U.P. Dayalbag Education Institute	3	0	2	0	
38	UP Board of Secondary Sanskrit Education	2758	598	359	1978	
39	Aligarh Muslim University Board of Secondary & Sr. Secondary Education	323	46	38	9	
40	Uttarakhand Board of School Education	34612	37195	109	28803	
41	Uttarakhand Sanskrit Shiksha Parishad	25	20	6	83	
42	West Bengal Board of Secondary Education	173703	160293	0	148840	
43	West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education	10666	7655	6	8726	
44	Andhra Pradesh Open School Society	7504	202	103	15174	
45	Chhattisgarh State Open School	25491	7284	4001	17057	
46	MP State Open School Education board, Bhopal	68575	80183	8111	80592	
47	Open School Board, Punjab	32593	16024	956	4087	
48	Rajasthan State Open School	43294	38246	47112	31714	
49	Telangana Open School Society, Hyderabad	36576	108	8	2394	
50	West Bengal Council of Rabindra Open Schooling	8989	1018	1412	2066	
Total			3999168	3124647	459873*	2956138

Source: Results of Secondary and Higher Secondary Examinations

*During the year 2021 due to covid-19 pandemic, no exam was held by most of boards & students were promoted to next level.

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Class Tenth Dropout Rate for last 4 years

State/UTs	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	25.0	2.55	9.8	5.9
Andhra Pradesh	28.9	25.76	31.3	28.3
Arunachal Pradesh	51.0	38.53	19.9	17.0
Assam	44.0	45.63	47.0	28.3
Bihar	53.7	43.92	41.6	42.1
Chandigarh	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.0
Chhattisgarh	21.7	19.41	23.4	12.3
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	28.0	28.23	29.1	9.8
Daman & Diu	29.0	22.46	-	-
Delhi	10.7	8.25	0.8	1.3
Goa	1.7	4.87	5.3	12.4
Gujarat	38.6	36.09	42.6	28.2
Haryana	28.0	23.06	19.1	7.4
Himachal Pradesh	10.7	6.86	13.5	2.5
Jammu & Kashmir	21.6	24.96	2.4	9.5
Jharkhand	32.3	21.86	20.2	15.8
Karnataka	42.6	29.25	30.6	28.5
Kerala	17.2	15.15	13.7	11.2
Ladakh	-	-	6.7	7.8
Lakshadweep	2.3	0.31	0.0	0.2
Madhya Pradesh	26.4	27.95	29.2	9.8
Maharashtra	19.3	24.42	18.7	20.4
Manipur	20.5	14.82	16.2	0.0
Meghalaya	36.0	32.43	43.2	33.5
Mizoram	21.6	32.11	31.5	21.5
Nagaland	38.0	21.34	27.2	23.4
Odisha	12.8	38.35	39.4	49.9
Puducherry	18.4	9.75	11.1	10.7
Punjab	16.6	11.38	25.5	20.6
Rajasthan	18.9	18.00	17.2	12.1
Sikkim	24.2	22.80	12.7	10.1
Tamil Nadu	16.7	14.15	11.8	9.0
Telangana	26.9	25.84	30.2	27.4
Tripura	38.6	33.96	26.9	3.8
Uttar Pradesh	18.7	14.24	15.4	9.2
Uttarakhand	31.9	28.26	25.5	18.2
West Bengal	22.0	16.78	16.5	14.9
India	28.4	26.00	25.4	20.6

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Proposed Central Releases for Samagra Shiksha during the last four years

Samagra Shiksha (Proposed Central Releases) (Rs in lakhs)					
Sl.No.	Name of the State	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	A & N Islands	4734.98	5545.59	5637.45	7402.1
2	Andhra Pradesh	129474.97	134853.54	134853.54	171258.59
3	Arunachal Pradesh	44313.85	44215.86	44215.86	53369.59
4	Assam	184896.66	197702.88	197702.88	251460.08
5	Bihar	367391.02	382755.00	382755.00	501887.29
6	Chandigarh	9751.34	9552.71	10024.09	12422.81
7	Chhattisgarh	103957.75	88790.33	88790.33	113833.06
8	Dadra & N. Haveli Daman & Diu	6409.23	6717.80	6740.66	8793.65
9	Delhi	30263.61	31521.04	31521.05	37727.38
10	Goa	1786.63	1861.00	1861	2985.77
11	Gujarat	138301.52	104183.92	100974.38	137120.75
12	Haryana	77592.51	85755.82	82538.73	96350.03
13	Himachal Pradesh	55834.57	58166.16	58166.16	73808.17
14	Jammu & Kashmir	179414.26	147213.74	132021.74	165059.67
15	Jharkhand	99401.58	90018.00	90018	116768.12
16	Karnataka	77908.31	70761.11	70761.11	100494.06
17	Kerala	24215.62	25221.99	25221.99	34847
18	Ladakh	4225.00	10203.97	9999.72	12349.12
19	Lakshadweep	828.45	826.16	573.33	786.86
20	Madhya Pradesh	282823.63	294630.92	294630.92	372787.9
21	Maharashtra	101622.31	101370.47	101370.47	159289.59
22	Manipur	36806.08	38242.09	37042.52	49418.88
23	Meghalaya	34865.4	42339.28	30584.23	37515.29
24	Mizoram	19639.61	23310.22	22559.99	32308.05
25	Nagaland	24622.93	25624.49	21808.76	28104.5
26	Odisha	189483.85	149745.39	145334.43	184107.55
27	Puducherry	1453.68	1514.00	1514	1987.3
28	Punjab	52179.23	57209.85	54353.29	71906.33
29	Rajasthan	319075.5	273019.53	273019.53	345219.75
30	Sikkim	9616.96	12749.33	12249.29	15176.05
31	Tamil Nadu	180173.13	164996.07	164996.07	211759.9
32	Telangana	109524.69	88061.36	88061.36	114385.92
33	Tripura	31211.13	42642.69	31820.19	38741.08
34	Uttar Pradesh	560934.86	553308.53	512311.24	626179.97
35	Uttarakhand	81815.77	78773.29	67262.62	84444.06
36	West Bengal	163525.32	133877.32	133877.32	177338.04
	Total	3740075.94	3577281.45	3467173.25	4449394.26