

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1362
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.09.2020

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

1362. SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the role of State Government and local authorities in the implementation of the National Education Policy, 2020;
- (b) the details of allocation of funds and tentative release for restructure and development of primary institutions, including Early Childhood Care Education(ECCE), State-wise;
- (c) the details of allocation of funds for establishment and development of higher education institutions (HIE), specifically for under served regions; and
- (d) the detailed plan of steps required to be taken to achieve the targeted Gross Enrollment Ratio (GER) in higher education ?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF EDUCATION
(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')

(a): The implementation of National Education Policy will require multiple initiatives and actions, which will have to be taken by multiple bodies in a synchronized and systematic manner. Therefore, the implementation of this Policy will be led by various bodies including Union and State Governments, CABE, education-related Ministries, State Departments of Education, Boards, NTA, the regulatory bodies of school and higher education, NCERT, SCERTs, schools, and HEIs along with timelines and a plan for review, in order to ensure that the policy is implemented in its spirit and intent, through coherence in planning and synergy across all these bodies involved in education.

(b): Ministry of Education has allocated funds for the implementation of Pre School Education, under Samagra Shiksha component in the year 2020-21. The details of funds State-wise and UT-wise are **annexed**.

(c): The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) is aimed at inter-alia correcting regional imbalances in access to higher education, especially in un-served and underserved areas by setting up quality higher educational institutions and upgrading the existing ones. As on 31.08.2020, under RUSA, central funds amounting to Rs 6369.72 crores have been released to States/UTs. Out of these funds, States/UTs have reported utilization of Rs. 3998.27 crores leaving an unspent balance of Rs.2371.46 crores with the States/UTs.

(d): In order to increase the enrolment in higher educational institutions, various measures have been taken by Government which includes issuing of new UGC regulation for Open and Distance Learning that allows entry of reputed institutions to offer education on the distance mode. Use of ICT technology- SWAYAM portal to reach out of people and allow them to secure good quality education. Encouraging opening of institutions by State Governments through the Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) which aims to achieve equity, access and excellence in higher education. The scheme supports components such as upgrading autonomous colleges to universities, clustering colleges to establish a university, setting up of new professional colleges in un-served and underserved areas as well as providing infrastructure grants to universities and colleges to scale up capacity. Moreover, Higher Education Financing Agency (HEFA) has been established under the Companies Act, 2013 to leverage funds from market to finance improvement in infrastructure in top institutions of education.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (B) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1362 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.09.2020
ASKED BY HON'BLE MP SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI REG. ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

Details of funds State-wise and UT-wise under Samagra Shiksha component in the year 2020-21

S.No	State and UT's name	2020-2021 (Recurring) (Rs. in lakh)	
		Physical	Financial
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	276	50.34
2	Andhra Pradesh	3529	564.64
3	Arunachal Pradesh	540	543.63
4	Assam	21517	2487.37
5	Bihar	2360	82.6
6	Chandigarh	98	36.63
7	Delhi	1521	432.98
8	Dnd - Dnh	74	56.68
9	Goa	291	5.28
10	Gujarat	9436	434.06
11	Haryana	1220	100.04
12	Himachal Pradesh	3601	2244.32
13	Jammu And Kashmir	1501	885.75
14	Jharkhand	2400	240
15	Karnataka	1173	1362.2
16	Kerala	2534	634.84
17	Ladakh	693	90.09
18	Lakshadweep	20	3
19	Madhya Pradesh	1500	1939.5
20	Maharashtra	20000	366.4
21	Manipur	264	198
22	Meghalaya	710	71
23	Mizoram	1	83.31
24	Nagaland	1787	37.58
25	Odisha	18843	376.86
26	Puducherry	293	29.77
27	Punjab	12809	6404.5
28	Sikkim	765	710.69
29	Tamil Nadu	2381	1257.17
30	Telangana	8798	481.68
31	Tripura	99	72.77
32	Uttar Pradesh	52316	627.792
33	Uttarakhand	3736	329.18
34	West Bengal	17018	561.59
Total		194104	23802.242

S.No	State and UT's name	2020-2021(Non- Recurring) (Rs. in lakh)	
		Physical	Financial
1	Assam	13017	5528.32
2	Chandigarh	19	13.3
3	Dnd - Dnh	47	17.78
4	Haryana	1220	671
5	Himachal Pradesh	100	55
6	Jammu And Kashmir	1443	721.5
7	Karnataka	908	363.2
8	Ladakh	150	18
9	Punjab	202	38.38
10	Telangana	166	33.2
11	Tripura	20	8.6
Total		17292	7468.28
