

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1025
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021**

IITs/ SKILL INDIA MISSION

1025. SHRI SHIVAKUMAR C. UDASI:

Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has drawn a road map on utilisation of the funds allotted for the Skill India Mission in the current year's budget;
- (b) the details of the sectors that have been identified, both region and state-wise;
- (c) the details of the Government Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) that have been set up during the last two years;
- (d) whether Private Vocational Academic Institutions like Polytechnics and Engineering Colleges can avail financial benefits from this outlay to upgrade their infrastructure; and
- (e) the details of the date from the earlier information tabled in the Parliament and details of the current status in this context?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF
SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
(SHRI R.K. SINGH)**

(a) & (b): Under the ambit of Skill India Mission, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) has been implementing the following Schemes/ Programmes for skill development of youth throughout the country:

- (i) Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY): Under both PMKVY 2.0 (2016-2020) and PMKVY 3.0 (2020-21), short duration skill development training have been/ are being undertaken through Short-term Training (STT) and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL), in more than 350 job roles. The Scheme is being implemented in all States and Union Territories (UTs).
- (ii) Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS) Scheme: The Scheme aims at providing vocational skills to non-literates, neo-literates as well as school dropouts by identifying skills that have a market in the region of their establishment. The scheme is being implemented in 248 districts spread across 27 States and 2 UTs.
- (iii) National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS): This Scheme is for promoting apprenticeship training and increasing the engagement of apprentices by providing financial support to industrial establishments undertaking apprenticeship programme under The Apprentices Act, 1961. Training consists of Basic Training and On-the-Job Training/ Practical Training at workplace in the industry.
- (iv) Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS): There is no funding under this Scheme. Long term training programme in 137 skill trades are provided through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in the country.

The details of allocation of funds in the budget of the current financial year and their utilisation up to 31.01.2021 are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	RE 2020-21 (Rs. crores)	Funds utilised till 31.01.2021 (Rs.crores)
1.	PMKVY	1540.00	1170.69
2.	JSS	165.00	118.95
3.	NAPS	120.00	64.12

Fund utilization in the schemes occur as per the specified milestones laid down in the respective scheme priorities and guidelines.

(c) to (e): The number of Government ITIs set up during the last two years is given below:

Year	Number of Government ITIs created
2019-20	192
2020-21 (as on 02.02.2021)	12
Total	204

The component of 'Central assistance for up-gradation of selected Polytechnics' of the Polytechnics Scheme of this Ministry covers public funded Polytechnics only. However, under the Skills Strengthening for Industrial Value Enhancement (STRIVE) Scheme, the Ministry provides funding to both Government and Private ITIs selected competitively. There are 29 Private ITIs covered in the STRIVE project and a sum of Rs. 17.72 crore has been released till date. Annual updates on various schemes and programmes are published in the Annual Reports of the Ministry, which are laid in the Parliament.
