

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(DEPARTMENT OF SPORTS)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4863
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25/03/2021**

Residential Coaching Programmes

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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has implemented residential coaching programmes for children above ten years of age in Gujarat;**
- (b) if so, the names of the sports to which these coaching programmes are affiliated along with the procedure being adopted for the same; and**
- (c) the number of sportspersons selected from Gujarat for the past Olympic and Asian games?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

(a) & (b) Sports is a State Subject and the primary responsibility of development of sports, including implementation of residential coaching programmes for children, rests with the State Governments and the Sports Federations which are responsible for governance of individual sports disciplines. The Central Government, through the sports development schemes implemented by it and organizations functioning under its aegis, especially the Sports Authority of India (SAI), complements and supplements the efforts of the State Governments and NSFs in this regard.

Details of training centres and academies currently being operated in the State of Gujarat through the schemes being implemented by SAI are given in Annexure – I.

The National Centre of Excellence (NCOE) and Extension Centres of SAI Training Centres (STCs) are set up for various sports disciplines on the basis of availability of talents.

Under the Khelo India scheme, support is provided through the accredited academies to selected athletes based on a pre – qualification examination, physical assessment and verification.

(c) State-wise details of sportspersons, representing India in International events including Olympics and Asian Games, are not maintained in this Ministry.

ANNEXURE-I**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) AND (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q. NO. 4863 FOR 25/3/2021 REGARDING RESIDENTIAL COACHING PROGRAMMES ASKED BY SHRIMATI POONAMBEN MAADAM, HON'BLE MP.****DETAILS OF TRAINING CENTRES OF SAI IN THE STATE OF GUJARAT FOR CHILDREN IN THE AGE GROUP OF 8-25 YEARS, ALONGWITH SPORTS DISCIPLINES COVERED**

S.No	Name of the Centre	Disciplines
1	National Centre of Excellence (NCOE), Gandhi Nagar	1. Handball
		2. Kabaddi
2	Para Sports	1. Athletics
		2. Badminton
		3. Swimming
		4. Powerlifting
3.	Extension Centre of SAI Training Centre (STC) Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 3 Surat	1. Badminton

KHELO INDIA RESIDENTIAL ACCREDITED ACADEMIES IN GUJARAT, ALONGWITH SPORTS DISCIPLINES COVERED

S.No.	Accredited Academies	Sports Discipline
1	Sports Authority of Gujarat, Kheda	Athletics
2		Fencing
3		Judo
4		Volleyball
5		Wrestling
6	NCOE Gandhinagar	Kabaddi
		Para Sports
