

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 131
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.07.2022**

Funds Allocation to Universities

131. SHRI T.N. PRATHAPAN:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has reduced the fund allocation to the Central Universities;
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the fund allocation to the Central Universities since 2014;
- (c) whether the Government has noticed that certain universities are increasing fees stating the reason of shortage of funds and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the reasons for not allocating more funds to such universities in order to stop fee hike in public higher educational institutions;
- (e) whether the Government has the details of fund allocation to these universities- Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi; Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Aligarh Muslim University; Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar; Banaras Hindu University; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof since 2014?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a) & (b): The Government provides grants to Central Universities through University Grants Commission (UGC). Allocation of funds is made on the basis of the requirement projected by the University and expenditure incurred during the previous year as well as availability of funds. The details of the Budget allocation/released to Central Universities since 2014 is as under:-

(Rs. in Crores)

Year	Allocation/released
2014-15	5653.95
2015-16	5621.38
2016-17	6355.93
2017-18	7286.33
2018-19	6608.61
2019-20	7988.74
2020-21	8639.08
2021-22	8960.94
2022-23	9520.66 (Rs.2291.33 released upto 30.06.2022)

(c) & (d): The Central Universities are autonomous institutions created under the Act of Parliament which are governed by their own Acts, Statutes, Ordinances etc. and Regulations made thereunder and are competent to take decision in academic and administrative matter of the University including increasing of fees (Tuition, hostel and mess fee etc.).

(e) & (f): The details of fund allocation/released to the universities i.e. Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi; Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi; Aligarh Muslim University; Rajiv Gandhi University, Itanagar; Banaras Hindu University since 2014 is as under:-

(Rs. in Crores)

Name of the Central University	Funds Allocated/Released								
	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23 (upto 30.06.2022)
JamiaMilliaIslamia	264.48	293.26	305.87	333.20	362.99	361.91	479.83	411.10	105.95
Jawaharlal Nehru Univ.	336.91	301.31	332.46	373.51	371.65	416.57	373.52	407.47	124.71
Aligarh Muslim University	673.98	825.04	894.70	1106.02	1009.69	1180.00	1520.10	1214.63	302.32
Banaras Hindu University	669.51	749.28	892.47	1116.35	1084.42	1271.13	1137.16	1303.01	325.29
Rajiv Gandhi University	39.93	69.94	77.38	79.11	61.75	101.27	97.14	102.79	45.32
