

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1005  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.12.2024**

**Youth Sports Centre**

**†1005. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT:  
SHRI RAKESH RATHOR:**

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

**(a) whether the Government proposes to set up national level youth sports centres all across the country, if so, the details thereof;**

**(b) the number of districts in Uttar Pradesh where national level youth sports are established;**

**(c) the number of districts in Uttar Pradesh where setting up of national level youth sports centres have been proposed;**

**(d) whether the Government has any scheme to set up such sports centres in Sitapur and Misrikh districts of Uttar Pradesh, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and**

**(e) the time by which steps will be taken to set up such centres?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS  
(DR MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)**

**(a) to (e) : 'Sports' being a State subject, the responsibility of development of sports rests primarily with the State/Union Territory Governments, and the Central Government only supplements their efforts. No specific national level youth sports centres have been set up. However, the Government, through the Sports Authority of India (SAI),**

**has established 186 SAI Centres (including 14 Sports Centres in the State of Uttar Pradesh in different districts namely Lucknow, Raibareilly, Etawah, Bareilly, Varanasi, Ghaziabad, Mirzapur, Baghpat, Muzaffarnagar and Meerut) across the country including National Centres of Excellence (NCOEs), SAI Training Centres (STCs), Extension Centres of STCs, National Sports Talent Contest (NSTC) scheme etc. which are functional for implementing Sports Promotional Schemes of SAI. The State-wise details of the same are provided at Annexure.**

**Moreover, the details of Sports Centres under the Khelo India Scheme, are available at URL:<https://dashboard.kheloindia.gov.in/khelo-india-center-dashboard>. Further, Khelo India Centre has been established at Major Dhyan Sports Stadium in District Sitapur of Uttar Pradesh.**

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## ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (e) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †1005 FOR 02.12.2024 ASKED BY SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT AND SHRI RAKESH RATHOR REGARDING “YOUTH SPORTS CENTRE”

## STATEWISE NUMBER OF CENTERS UNDER SAI SCHEMES FOR 2024-2025

SN	State	No. of Centres						
		NSTC						TOTAL
		NCOE	STC	Extension Centres	Regular School	IGMA	Akharas	
1	Andhra Pradesh	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
3	Assam	1	4	4	1	1	1	12
4	Bihar	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
5	Chhattisgarh	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
6	Goa	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
7	Gujarat	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
8	Haryana	2	3	0	0	0	5	10
9	Himachal Pradesh	2	1	2	0	0	0	5
10	Jharkhand	0	2	1	0	1	0	4
11	Karnataka	1	3	0	0	0	0	4
12	Kerala	2	4	0	0	1	0	7
13	Madhya Pradesh	1	3	2	1	0	3	10
14	Maharashtra	2	0	0	0	1	14	17
15	Manipur	1	2	0	1	2	0	6
16	Meghalaya	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
17	Mizoram	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
18	Nagaland	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
19	Odisha	1	3	2	1	0	1	8
20	Punjab	1	4	2	0	1	3	11
21	Rajasthan	0	3	7	2	0	8	20
22	Sikkim	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
23	Tamil Nadu	0	3	0	0	2	0	5
24	Telangana	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
25	Tripura	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
26	Uttar Pradesh	1	4	1	1	0	7	14
27	Uttarakhand	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
28	West Bengal	2	4	2	0	0	0	8
29	Andaman & Nicobar Islands (UT)	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
30	Chandigarh (UT)	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
31	Delhi (UT)	4	1	0	0	0	8	13
32	Jammu & Kashmir (UT)	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
33	Ladakh (UT)	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
34	Lakshadweep (UT)	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
35	Puducherry (UT)	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
	<b>GRAND TOTAL:</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>186</b>