

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1702**  
ANSWERED ON 10.03.2025

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS**

1702. SHRI NAVEEN JINDAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched a Scheme for skill development of adolescent girls, if so, the details of the salient features of the Scheme;
- (b) the details of the States and districts in which the Scheme has been launched; and
- (c) the time by which the Government intend to cover all States and UTs under the said Scheme?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c) The Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE), in collaboration with the Ministry of Women and Child Development (MWCD), has initiated a pilot project under its flagship scheme Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 4.0 with a training target of 3,850 adolescent girls and women in 27 aspirational districts and special areas covering 19 States/UT. The program is with the focus on training in non-traditional and high-demand job roles, with a strong emphasis on digital and soft skills development.

Till now, training has been started in three districts namely Baramullah (Jammu and Kashmir), Moga (Punjab) and Vidisha (Madhya Pradesh).

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