

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 180**  
ANSWERED ON 03.02.2025

**EMPLOYMENT AVENUES THROUGH SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES**

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

(a) whether employment avenues are being provided through the Skill Development Centres; and

(b) if so, the total number of youths provided employment avenues through the said centres in Gujarat during the last three years, district-wise?

**ANSWER**

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

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(a) & (b): Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) imparts skill training (skilling, re-skilling and upskilling) through its various flagship Schemes viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsman Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs), to all the sections of the society across the country.

(i) Under PMKVY, the skill development training is provided through Short-Term Training (STT) and the up-skilling and re-skilling is provided through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) to youth across the country with an aim of enhancing employability of the youth to access employment opportunities by equipping them with industry relevant skills. Under the PMKVY scheme, placements were tracked in the Short-Term Training (STT) component in the first three versions of the Scheme which is PMKVY 1.0, PMKVY 2.0 and PMKVY 3.0 implemented from FY 2015-16 to FY 2021-22. Under PMKVY 4.0, the focus is on empowering our trained candidates to choose their varied career path and they are suitably oriented for the same. Total number of candidates trained during the last three years in Gujarat are **61,479**. District-wise details for the last three years are given at **Annex-I**.

(ii) The JSS Scheme aims to provide skill training in a non-formal mode at the doorstep of the beneficiary through registered societies (NGOs) with a 100 per cent grant from the Government of India. The objective of scheme is to increase the household income by promoting self/wage employment through skill development training. The main target of the JSS is to impart vocational skills to non-literates, neo-literates and persons having rudimentary level of education up to 8th standard and school dropouts up to 12th standard in the age group of 15-45 years. JSS offers flexible, affordable, and accessible skill training to women, Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Other Backward Classes (OBCs), minorities, and other disadvantaged groups of the society. Total number of beneficiaries trained during the last three years in Gujarat are **57,305**. Details of district-wise JSS and the number of beneficiaries trained are given at **Annex-II**.

(iii) The National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) was launched in 2016 and was extended to continue as NAPS -2 from FY 2022-23. Under NAPS-2, financial support in the form of the partial stipend of Rs 1500/- per month to the apprentices is provided to the establishments. The stipend support by Government of India (GoI) is paid directly through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) to the bank account of apprentices, since August, 2023. Total number of apprentices engaged in the state of Gujarat during the last three years are **2,00,872**. District-wise details of the number of apprentices engaged in the state of Gujarat are given at **Annex-III**.

(iv) Directorate General of Training (DGT) under the aegis of MSDE is implementing the Long Term Training under its Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) through a network of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) for the youth of the country. There are a total number of 488 ITIs in the state of Gujarat; out of which 215 are private ITIs and 273 are Govt. ITIs. District-wise details of the ITIs and number of candidates enrolled under the CTS Scheme during the last three years are given at **Annex-IV**.

(v) PM Vishwakarma Scheme was launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on 17.09.2023 in the entire country. The Scheme aims at upskilling the Vishwakarmas with the knowledge of modern tools, techniques and credit support for expanding their business. The minimum age of beneficiary under PM Vishwakarma Scheme is 18 years on the date of registration. As on 27.01.2025, 17.41 lakh candidates have been trained and assessed on pan India, out of which 1.64 lakh candidates have been trained and assessed in 322 training centres in the state of Gujarat. District-wise details of the same are given at **Annex-V**.

**ANNEXURES REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 180 ANSWERED ON 03.02.2025 REGARDING 'EMPLOYMENT AVENUES THROUGH SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES'**

**Annex-I**

**District-wise details of candidates trained/oriented under PMKVY in the state of Gujarat during the last three years**

<b>District</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ahmadabad	3,610	553	1,588	5,751
Amreli	357	72	738	1,167
Anand	543	320	313	1,176
Arvalli	0	20	171	191
Banas Kantha	4,386	102	592	5,080
Bharuch	521	378	79	978
Bhavnagar	561	60	354	975
Botad	405	147	373	925
Chhotaudepur	200	240	523	963
Dang	281	163	75	519
Devbhumi Dwarka	304	8	0	312
Dohad	173	180	201	554
Gandhinagar	1,721	400	601	2,722
Gir Somnath	385		96	481
Jamnagar	1,393	406	709	2,508
Junagadh	766	394	621	1,781
Kachchh	1,544	389	309	2,242
Kheda	574	49	89	712
Mahesana	2,566	95	2,201	4,862
Mahisagar	260	111	440	811
Morbi	320	20	240	580
Narmada	314	230	550	1,094
Navsari	348	318	437	1,103
Panch Mahals	279	240	454	973
Patan	1,080	148	1,882	3,110
Porbandar	180	32	0	212
Rajkot	808	238	80	1,126
Sabar Kantha	445	54	493	992
Surat	8,018	487	4,808	13,313
Surendranagar	200	0	101	301
Tapi	387	236	532	1,155
Vadodara	1,529	170	126	1,825
Valsad	543	243	199	985
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,001</b>	<b>6,503</b>	<b>19,975</b>	<b>61,479</b>

**Details of district-wise JSS and the number of beneficiaries trained under JSS Scheme in the state of Gujarat during the last three years**

<b>District</b>	<b>JSS Name</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ahmedabad	JSS Ahmedabad	1560	2497	0	4057
Banas Kantha	JSS Banas Kantha (Palanpur)	1549	0	0	1549
Bharuch	JSS Bharuch	1800	2540	1560	5900
Gandhinagar	JSS Gandhinagar	1800	2700	1800	6300
Kachchh	JSS Kachchh	1800	2700	1800	6300
Maehsana	JSS Maehsana	1800	2700	1800	6300
Patan	JSS Patan	1800	2680	1800	6280
Sabar Kantha	JSS Sabar Kantha	1799	2700	1800	6299
Surat	JSS Surat	1800	2700	1800	6300
Vadodara	JSS Vadodara	1720	0	0	1720
Valsad	JSS Valsad	1800	2700	1800	6300
<b>Total</b>		<b>19228</b>	<b>23917</b>	<b>14160</b>	<b>57305</b>

**District-wise details of apprentices engaged under NAPS in the state of Gujarat during the last three years**

<b>Districts</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ahmedabad	11,677	17,279	20,751	49,707
Amreli	785	1,041	814	2,640
Anand	830	1,283	1,458	3,571
Arvalli	272	264	327	863
Banas Kantha	898	941	1,126	2,965
Bharuch	4,350	4,466	4,437	13,253
Bhavnagar	1,238	1,566	1,421	4,225
Botad	212	295	533	1,040
Chhotaudepur	151	125	136	412
Dahod	358	482	526	1,366
Dangs	27	32	54	113
Devbhumi Dwarka	585	650	576	1,811
Gandhinagar	2,397	2,837	3,283	8,517
Gir Somnath	429	415	340	1,184
Jamnagar	634	834	809	2,277
Junagadh	802	873	939	2,614
Kachchh	2,373	2,146	3,035	7,554
Kheda	1,097	1,132	1,661	3,890
Mahesana	1,881	2,115	2,271	6,267
Mahisagar	156	188	258	602
Morbi	519	712	1,033	2,264
Narmada	94	49	86	229
Navsari	510	919	1,049	2,478
Panch Mahals	1,511	2,314	3,015	6,840
Patan	532	578	565	1,675
Porbandar	311	244	274	829
Rajkot	3,271	3,399	3,333	10,003
Sabar Kantha	862	942	925	2,729
Surat	4,518	5,016	5,873	15,407
Surendranagar	799	738	800	2,337
Tapi	473	491	511	1,475
Vadodara	9,421	8,341	9,247	27,009
Valsad	3,754	4,069	4,903	12,726
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,727</b>	<b>66,776</b>	<b>76,369</b>	<b>200,872</b>

## (a) District-wise details of ITIs in the state of Gujarat

District	No. of Govt ITIs	No. of Pvt ITIs	Total
Ahmadabad	19	9	28
Amreli	11	3	14
Anands	9	16	25
Arvalli	7	8	15
Banas Kantha	14	7	21
Bharuch	9	11	20
Bhavnagar	11	3	14
Botad	4	0	4
Chhotaudepur	6	1	7
Dang	1	0	1
Devbhumi Dwarka	4	1	5
Dohad	9	13	22
Gandhinagar	6	3	9
Gir Somnath	5	3	8
Jamnagar	8	1	9
Junagadh	10	10	20
Kachchh	11	3	14
Kheda	7	14	21
Mahesana	11	18	29
Mahisagar	4	4	8
Morbi	4	3	7
Narmada	7	0	7
Navsari	9	3	12
Panch Mahals	10	20	30
Patan	9	6	15
Porbandar	3	0	3
Rajkot	12	4	16
Sabar Kantha	7	10	17
Surat	12	12	24
Surendranagar	9	7	16
Tapi	6	0	6
Vadodara	14	18	32
Valsad	5	4	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>488</b>

**(b) District-wise details of candidates enrolled in ITIs (under CTS) in the state of Gujarat during the last three sessions**

<b>District</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ahmadabad	6,223	6,726	7,805	20,754
Amreli	1,750	1,650	2,234	5,634
Anand	2,684	2,789	3,408	8,881
Arvalli	2,939	3,099	3,794	9,832
Banas Kantha	3,414	4,022	4,414	11,850
Bharuch	2,621	3,029	3,025	8,675
Bhavnagar	2,336	2,282	3,157	7,775
Botad	482	586	798	1,866
Chhotaudepur	903	975	1,311	3,189
Dang	329	400	460	1,189
Devbhumi Dwarka	758	801	770	2,329
Dohad	4,386	4,575	5,119	14,080
Gandhinagar	1,922	2,054	2,624	6,600
Gir Somnath	1,026	1,052	1,166	3,244
Jamnagar	1,895	1,800	2,240	5,935
Junagadh	2,176	2,344	2,729	7,249
Kachchh	2,256	2,629	2,589	7,474
Kheda	3,025	3,330	3,765	10,120
Mahesana	4,591	4,592	5,820	15,003
Mahisagar	1,937	1,543	1,945	5,425
Morbi	571	671	659	1,901
Narmada	732	760	896	2,388
Navsari	3,223	3,695	3,899	10,817
Panch Mahals	4,982	5,226	5,786	15,994
Patan	2,389	2,421	2,755	7,565
Porbandar	522	473	597	1,592
Rajkot	2,422	2,477	3,007	7,906
Sabar Kantha	2,555	2,782	3,260	8,597
Surat	4,231	3,876	4,555	12,662
Surendranagar	2,540	2,544	2,786	7,870
Tapi	1,624	1,562	1,862	5,048
Vadodara	5,602	5,574	6,262	17,438
Valsad	2,190	2,309	2,957	7,456
<b>Total</b>	<b>81,236</b>	<b>84,648</b>	<b>98,454</b>	<b>264,338</b>

**District-wise details of candidates trained and assessed under PM-Vishwakarma Scheme in the state of Gujarat**

<b>District</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25 (till 27.01.2025)</b>	<b>Total</b>
Ahmedabad	301	1,475	1,776
Amreli	620	5,038	5,658
Anand	2,498	10,645	13,143
Arvalli	176	4,164	4,340
Banas Kantha	3,937	19,390	23,327
Bharuch	74	255	329
Bhavnagar	390	3,666	4,056
Botad	1,013	2,385	3,398
Chhotaudepur	60	677	737
Dahod	3,284	13,952	17,236
Dangs	-	676	676
Devbhumi Dwarka	-	1,630	1,630
Gandhinagar	236	1,956	2,192
Gir Somnath	-	3,498	3,498
Jamnagar	745	2,436	3,181
Junagadh	-	4,137	4,137
Kachchh	91	1,139	1,230
Kheda	514	2,395	2,909
Mahesana	11,980	9,509	21,489
Mahisagar	1,883	6,829	8,712
Morbi	-	2,734	2,734
Narmada	-	743	743
Navsari	209	1,192	1,401
Panch Mahals	28	1,872	1,900
Patan	5,403	6,842	12,245
Porbandar	-	1,172	1,172
Rajkot	221	7,005	7,226
Sabar Kantha	214	1,876	2,090
Surat	58	1,573	1,631
Surendranagar	-	3,814	3,814
Tapi	378	1,266	1,644
Vadodara	742	2,452	3,194
Valsad	95	781	876
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,150</b>	<b>1,29,174</b>	<b>1,64,324</b>

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