

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 20  
ANSWERED ON 03.02.2025**

**Financial Crisis in Central Universities**

20. Mr Pathan Yusuf:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that various Central Universities in the country are facing huge financial crisis for the last five years;

(b) if so, the details of request made by various Universities to the Government and other various subsidiaries during the last five years;

(c) the details of the fund sanctioned to JNU, JMI, AMU, HCU and DU separately during the last five years, year-wise; and

(d) the details of fund utilised by these Central Universities in academic and non-academic expenditure during the last five years?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
(DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)**

(a) & (b): Ministry of Education releases block grant to University Grants Commission (UGC) under the Scheme "Grants to Central Universities" which in turn allocates fund to individual Central Universities (CUs) based on their requirements, utilization of fund in previous years etc. Details of fund released during the last five years by UGC to various Central Universities under the purview of Ministry of Education is given below-

*Rs. in crore*

<b>Year</b>	<b>Fund released</b>
2019-20	8,098.73
2020-21	8,735.58
2021-22	9,045.45
2022-23	11,379.86
2023-24	12,661.19

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(c) & (d) Year-wise details of fund sanctioned and fund utilized in respect of Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI), Aligarh Muslim University (AMU), University of Hyderabad (HCU) and University of Delhi (DU) during the last five years is given below:

*Rs. in crore*

Name of the CU	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		2023-24	
	Fund Sanctioned	Fund Utilized	Fund Sanctioned	Fund Utilized	Fund Sanctioned	Fund Utilized	Fund Sanctioned	Fund Utilized	Fund Sanctioned	Fund Utilized
Jawaharlal Nehru University	416.57	416.57	373.52	373.52	407.47	407.47	517.97	509.61	594.50	528.87
Jamia Millia Islamia	361.91	361.91	479.83	475.04	411.10	411.10	577.20	524.06	564.16	564.16
Aligarh Muslim University	1180.00	1180.00	1520.10	1520.10	1214.63	1214.63	1584.29	1468.11	1575.48	1561.10
University of Hyderabad	290.82	290.82	338.43	297.36	333.36	330.93	386.88	370.64	357.15	357.15
University of Delhi	607.80	607.80	628.92	628.92	670.13	670.13	812.43	812.43	955.29	955.29

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