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MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
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ANSWERED ON 17.03.2025

NUMBER OF YOUTH TRAINED UNDER SKILL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME IN GUJARAT

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

- (a) the details of schemes being implemented by the Government for the skill development of youth, particularly for those who are living below the poverty line in backward and remote areas of Gujarat;
- (b) the number of training programmes organized and the total number of persons/youth trained under this scheme in Gujarat during the last five years and the current year;
- (c) whether these trained youth have been provided employment, if so, the district-wise details thereof; and
- (d) if so, the details of the total funds allocated to Gujarat under this scheme?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b): Under the Government of India's Skill India Mission (SIM), the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) delivers skill, re-skill and up-skill training through an extensive network of skill development centres under various schemes, viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Sikhshan 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 including the poor living in remote areas in the state of Gujarat. The SIM aims at enabling youth of India to get future ready, equipped with industry relevant skills. The brief of these schemes is as under:

Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY): PMKVY Scheme is for imparting skill development training through Short-Term Training (STT) and up-skilling through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) to youth across the country.

Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS) Scheme: The main target of the JSS is to impart vocational skills to the non-literates, neo-literates and the 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. Priority is given to Women, SC, ST, OBC and Minorities.

National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS): This Scheme is for promoting apprenticeship training and increasing the engagement of apprentices by providing financial support for payment of stipend to apprentice. Training consists of Basic Training and On-the-Job Training / Practical Training at workplace in the industry.

Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS): This scheme is for providing long-term training through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) across the country. ITIs offer a range of vocational/skill training courses covering a large number of economic sectors with an objective to provide skilled workforce to the industry as well as self-employment of youth.

Details of number of candidates trained under these schemes of MSDE in the state of Gujarat during the last five years including current year are as under:

Scheme	No of Candidates
PMKVY	109968
JSS	81956
NAPS	368889
CTS (ITIs)*	419260

* Sessions 2019-20 to 2023-24

(c): The placements details were tracked in the Short-Term Training (STT) component in the first three versions of the PMKVY (PMKVY 1.0, PMKVY 2.0 and PMKVY 3.0) implemented from 2015-16 to 2021-22. Under PMKVY (1.0, 2.0 and 3.0), a total of 69,289 candidates have been reported placed in the state of Gujarat, District-wise details of which is given at **Annexure**. 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. Further, various IT tools like Skill India Digital Hub also gives this opportunity.

(d): The funds under PMKVY and JSS scheme are released to implementing agencies for meeting the training cost as per prescribed norms. Funds are being released under JSS scheme to Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) directly. Under NAPS, stipend support up to Rs 1500/- per month is released to beneficiaries through DBT. Day to day administration as well as financial control in respect of ITIs lies with the respective State Government/ UT Administration.

Details of funds released for the State of Gujarat under schemes of MSDE are as under:

Scheme	Fund Released (Rs. Crore)
PMKVY (Since 2015-16 to 31.12.2024)	287.82
NAPS (since 2018-19 to 31.12.2024)	147.66
JSS (since 2018-19 to 28.02.2025)	27.91

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2624 ANSWERED ON 17.03.2025 REGARDING 'NUMBER OF YOUTH TRAINED UNDER SKILL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME IN GUJARAT'

District-wise number of candidates reported placed in the State of Gujarat under PMKVY (1.0, 2.0 and 3.0):

District of Gujarat	No of Candidates
Ahmadabad	9,121
Amreli	610
Anand	1,212
Arvalli	03
Banas Kantha	2,495
Bharuch	2,606
Bhavnagar	2,772
Botad	896
Chhotaudepur	1,619
Dang	354
Devbhumi Dwarka	138
Dohad	550
Gandhinagar	1,269
Gir Somnath	764
Jamnagar	5,160
Junagadh	2,341
Kachchh	3,372
Kheda	1,024
Mahesana	2,863
Mahisagar	464
Morbi	2,589
Narmada	1,309
Navsari	656
Panch Mahals	1,460
Patan	359
Porbandar	413
Rajkot	3,415
Sabar Kantha	942
Surat	6,184
Surendranagar	3,655
Tapi	931
Vadodara	3,863
Valsad	3,880
Overall	69,289
