

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO - 80
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Schools Upgraded under PM SHRI Scheme

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Prime Minister School for Rising India (PM SHRI) Scheme is being implemented in Jharkhand and Jammu Kashmir after signing of MoU by these States;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, district-wise;
- (c) the details of the initiatives taken by the Government to develop PM SHRI Schools as Green School and the number of schools already covered as Green School, State-wise;
- (d) the details of the initiatives taken by the Government to develop early childhood care and the number of schools benefitted, State-wise; and
- (e) the details of steps taken by the Government to incorporate 100% digital pedagogy in PM SHRI Schools and the number of such schools benefitted, State-wise?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)**

(a) & (b): Yes, PM SHRI scheme is being implemented in Jharkhand and Jammu Kashmir after signing of Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) by these States. A total of 345 schools have been selected from the State of Jharkhand, and a total of 396 schools have been selected from the UT of Jammu & Kashmir through transparent challenge method. The detail of the district-wise total number of PM SHRI schools selected in the State of Jharkhand and UT of Jammu & Kashmir is attached as **Annexure-I**.

(c) to (e): PM SHRI scheme aims to develop PM SHRI Schools as green Schools by incorporating environment friendly aspects like energy efficient using solar panels and LED lightings, nutrition gardens with natural farming, waste management, plastic-free, water conservation and harvesting, study of traditions/practises related to protection of environment, climate change-related hackathons and awareness generation to incorporate an organic lifestyle. These interventions aim to create a sustainable and eco-friendly learning environment in schools across the nation.

PM SHRI scheme aims to develop early childhood care in the PM SHRI Schools by focusing on foundational literacy and numeracy through Balvatika. There is a provision in PM SHRI Scheme to provide teachers with specialized teaching-learning materials (TLM) to build foundational skills in young children. These initiatives aim to equip schools with the resources and training needed to create a robust early learning framework, ensuring that children receive quality education from the foundational stage.

PM SHRI scheme aims to incorporate 100% digital pedagogy in PM SHRI Schools by establishing ICT-enabled smart classrooms and digital libraries equipped with tablets pre-loaded with educational content. Platforms like DIKSHA are being utilized to provide a repository of high-quality digital learning resources, enabling resource-sharing among educators and students. Additionally, technological interventions are being introduced to bridge language barriers between teachers and students and to enhance competency-based learning. There is also a provision for the capacity-building of teachers to effectively integrate digital pedagogy into their teaching practices, ensuring enriched and engaging learning experiences for students.

The State/UT-wise, including KVS/NVS/NCERT details of PM SHRI Schools under the PM SHRI scheme, is attached as **Annexure II**. Further, all the above initiatives are at different stages of implementation in various PM SHRI schools in different States, UTs and KVS/NVS/NCERT.

ANNEXURE- I**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 80 ANSWER ON 03.02.2025 ASKED BY SHRI NALIN SOREN & SHRI JUGAL KISHORE HON'BLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "SCHOOLS UPGRADED UNDER PM SHRI SCHEME"**

The district wise detail of the PM SHRI schools selected in the Jharkhand is as follows:

S.No.	Name of District	Total
1	BOKARO	13
2	CHATRA	14
3	DEOGHAR	12
4	DHANBAD	14
5	DUMKA	12
6	EAST SINGHBUM	15
7	GARHWA	26
8	GIRIDIH	19
9	GODDA	16
10	GUMLA	11
11	HAZARIBAGH	19
12	JAMTARA	9
13	KHUNTI	8
14	KODERMA	10
15	LATEHAR	12
16	LOHARDAGA	9
17	PAKUR	11
18	PALAMU	27
19	RAMGARH	8
20	RANCHI	25
21	SAHEBGANJ	14
22	SARAIKELA KHARSAWAN	10
23	SIMDEGA	11
24	WEST SINGHBHUM	20
Total		345

The district wise detail of the PM SHRI schools selected in the Jammu & Kashmir is as follows:

Sl.No.	Name of District	Total
1	ANANTNAG	21
2	BANDIPORA	19
3	BARAMULLA	35
4	BUDGAM	23
5	DODA	25
6	GANDERBAL	11
7	JAMMU	27
8	KATHUA	24
9	KISHTWAR	5
10	KULGAM	14
11	KUPWARA	37
12	POONCH	14
13	PULWAMA	16
14	RAJOURI	29
15	RAMBAN	24
16	REASI	20
17	SAMBA	9
18	SHOPIAN	11
19	SRINAGAR	6
20	UDHAMPUR	26
Total		396

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) to (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 80 ANSWER ON 03.02.2025 ASKED BY SHRI NALIN SOREN & SHRI JUGAL KISHORE HON'BLE MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "SCHOOLS UPGRADED UNDER PM SHRI SCHEME"

The State/UTs/KVS/NVS/NCERT wise number of PM SHRI schools benefited under PM SHRI Scheme is as follows:

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Total Schools
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	11
2	Andhra Pradesh	855
3	Arunachal Pradesh	93
4	Assam	382
5	Bihar	443
6	Chandigarh	2
7	Chhattisgarh	341
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	6
9	Goa	26
10	Gujarat	448
11	Himachal Pradesh	180
12	Haryana	250
13	Jammu And Kashmir	396
14	Jharkhand	345
15	Karnataka	555
16	Ladakh	36
17	Lakshadweep	11
18	Madhya Pradesh	740
19	Maharashtra	827
20	Manipur	105
21	Meghalaya	59
22	Mizoram	33
23	Nagaland	49
24	Odisha	462
25	Puducherry	12
26	Punjab	246
27	Rajasthan	639
28	Sikkim	43
29	Telangana	794
30	Tripura	84
31	Uttarakhand	226
32	Uttar Pradesh	1713
33	KVS	884
34	NVS	620
35	NCERT	4
	Total	11920