# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY

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### UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 106 ANSWERED ON 21.07.2025

#### OPENING OF KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS IN DELHI

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Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Kendriya Vidyalayas opened in the country particularly in Delhi during the last two years; and
- (b) the number of Kendriya Vidyalayas are likely to be opened in Delhi in near future?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) & (b) Opening of new Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) is a continuous process. KVs are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the wards of transferable Central Government Employees including Defence & Para-military personnel, Central Autonomous Bodies, Central Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and Central Institute of Higher Learning (IHL) by providing a common programme of education throughout the country. Proposals for opening of new KVs may be sponsored by Ministries or Departments of the Government of India / State Governments / Union Territories (UTs) Administrations, with commitment to provide requisite resources including land and temporary accommodation for setting up a new KV as per norms. The proposals are subject to approval of the competent authority as per extant procedures.

As per information received from Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS), 32 new KVs under Civil / Defence / Institute of Higher Learning / Project Sector have been opened throughout the country during the last two years and current year (i.e. 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26). No new KV has been opened in the NCT of Delhi during the last two years and current year. However, at present, 46 KVs are functioning in the NCT of Delhi and one new KV (KV, Khajuri Khas) has been sanctioned in December, 2024 by the Government of India.

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