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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 128 ANSWERED ON 21.07.2025

Projects under Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan

128. Shri Raju Bista:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) in West Bengal since 2019, year/district-wise;
- (b) the number of schools that have received grants under SSA in Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts since 2019;
- (c) the details of projects and programs undertaken under Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) in the above districts 2019;
- (d) the details of schools selected under PM SHRI scheme in the above districts since 2019; and
- (e) the details of funds allocated and projects implemented under PM SHRI scheme in Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts?

ANSWER

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

- (a): District-wise details of budget sanctioned and expenditure under Samagra Shiksha in West Bengal since 2019 as provided by the State Government is annexed.
- (b): The number of schools that have received grants under Samagra Shiksha in Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts since 2019 is as under:

District	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
Darjeeling	1066	1067	1073	1069	1072	1072
Kalimpong	470	466	472	475	479	479

Source: State Government of West Bengal

(c): The details of projects and programs undertaken under Samagra Shiksha in the Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts as informed by the State Government include construction of one new school building and repair of five school buildings. Provision of Textbooks for students from pre-primary to Class VIII. 29 schools were covered under the CSS-VE scheme. 10,958 teachers were trained. Classrooms were decorated thematically through BaLA. Provision of Aids and appliances to 187 CWSN students, and braille/large print textbooks to all CWSN students. 593 CWSN students

received escort and transport allowance, and 600 CWSN girls were given stipend. Under Ananda Parisar, the last period of each Saturday was used for co-curricular activities like life skills and hackathons. Reading habits were promoted by linking schools with rural libraries. Shishu Sansad was formed for students from Class V to X. Graduation Ceremony was observed during Students' Week to felicitate promoted students. Under YuWaah, soft skills on financial literacy and digital productivity were provided through digital platforms (P2E).

(d) & (e): States and UTs along with KVS/NVS/NCERT are required to sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSE&L), Ministry of Education, Government of India, for implementation of PM SHRI scheme. The State of West Bengal has not signed MoU for PM SHRI scheme yet with DoSE&L, therefore, PM-SHRI scheme is not being implemented in the state.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 128 ANSWERED ON 21ST JULY, 2025 ASKED BY SHRI RAJU BISTA, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "PROJECTS UNDER SAMAGRA SHIKSHA ABHIYAN"

District-wise details of budget sanctioned and expenditure under Samagra Shiksha in West Bengal since 2019 is as under:

(Rs. in lakhs)

SI. No.	District Name	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
		Sanctioned	Expenditure	Sanctioned	Expenditure	Sanctioned	Expenditure
1	Alipurduar	8554.33	6542.88	8476.04	5251.51	8269.13	4804.34
2	Bankura	20524.92	11825.05	18229.91	8688.16	20004.79	11965.15
3	Birbhum	16743.63	7729.05	16694.18	5984.71	15011.15	6418.83
4	Coochbehar	8598.93	7266.43	16100.81	6325.99	14503.66	6331.51
5	Dakshin Dinajpur	2370.16	5628.65	8490.84	5698.92	9027.32	2364.38
6	Darjeeling	17607.63	2568.40	2200.11	2512.32	3453.71	2437.96
7	Hooghly	14918.72	7413.56	18302.10	9616.89	15424.92	5859.23
8	Howrah	13046.68	6905.74	14506.47	8986.55	13247.89	7252.80
9	Jalpaiguri	8122.42	8536.49	12955.80	7804.13	13642.16	6401.12
10	Jhargram	1439.84	2660.95	6454.36	348.19	8433.43	5543.95
11	Kalimpong	17318.82	11.75	1332.38	138.79	2286.66	777.57
12	Kolkata	8437.68	3564.90	7528.27	2699.70	7746.56	3193.61
13	Malda	25535.82	6863.83	27414.91	10806.83	21883.55	10784.42
14	Murshidabad	41663.71	31844.13	43226.94	21484.52	36935.70	21974.13
15	Nadia	25791.70	16620.72	24055.76	11555.33	22822.62	12762.48
16	North 24 Parganas	29081.36	17152.65	31196.76	15569.17	30958.37	13198.58
17	Paschim Burdwan	8225.65	822.91	7752.38	220.19	9038.45	175.13
18	Paschim Medinipur	22342.17	16362.91	17020.61	16009.52	22640.60	13552.78
19	Purba Burdwan	20158.23	12085.71	17481.10	17949.17	19230.37	16053.41
20	Purba Medinipur	21136.79	12322.22	19850.37	12650.27	24472.14	13083.55
21	Purulia	19089.02	3591.10	15838.77	6177.84	17278.97	6019.97
22	Siliguri	5209.77	912.14	5653.42	3042.78	4900.77	2903.88
23	South 24 Parganas	35077.67	15466.57	34922.92	21162.12	29797.73	16615.27
24	Uttar Dinajpur	19582.04	9775.32	17503.92	7159.01	16119.93	7441.76
25	Expenditure made from State Project Office for TE/VE etc	4421.20	4121.18	21509.61	8318.87	11002.06	8471.26
	Total	414998.89	218595.24	414698.74	216161.48	398132.64	206387.09

Source: State Government of West Bengal

District-wise details of budget sanctioned and expenditure under Samagra Shiksha in West Bengal since 2019 is as under:

(Rs. in lakhs)

SI. No.	District Name	2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		Sanctioned	Expenditure	Sanctioned	Expenditure	Sanctioned	Expenditure
1	Alipurduar	6367.44	6328.88	6942.46	5017.27	5299.83	4626.03
2	Bankura	15301.37	14452.89	17798.18	9690.48	13098.48	9509.55
3	Birbhum	12848.34	9162.08	16425.60	9644.79	11569.68	7065.23
4	Coochbehar	11214.59	8543.56	13217.25	7355.90	8251.86	6517.88
5	Dakshin Dinajpur	7581.47	3400.75	9176.84	4107.70	5044.06	3905.82
6	Darjeeling	2583.91	2824.10	2793.32	971.92	2215.43	1876.47
7	Hooghly	12357.97	9042.92	13681.67	6973.42	10710.73	7099.42
8	Howrah	10870.48	10061.74	12871.50	6416.53	9416.75	6075.91
9	Jalpaiguri	11840.95	10108.97	14257.09	8289.52	7820.69	7279.30
10	Jhargram	7606.33	6893.47	9897.16	5057.99	5372.71	4294.76
11	Kalimpong	1481.46	297.57	1613.53	369.88	1162.14	534.57
12	Kolkata	6178.99	4334.67	7346.98	4090.34	5917.18	3642.78
13	Malda	18034.94	14887.90	19787.76	12700.82	13684.37	11348.51
14	Murshidabad	30884.89	28074.34	32565.87	20800.85	25651.55	17214.61
15	Nadia	17459.07	16696.99	19073.59	11794.38	13616.12	7997.09
16	North 24 Parganas	25034.66	17555.16	26619.86	12598.98	17670.58	10019.51
17	Paschim Burdwan	6942.17	294.64	7766.35	146.61	6694.72	3301.24
18	Paschim Medinipur	18452.28	16351.69	19914.42	13292.73	14319.53	10787.80
19	Purba Burdwan	14846.23	13310.17	15890.66	10386.24	12260.29	8977.61
20	Purba Medinipur	21055.41	18149.41	22397.25	14939.67	16403.41	11836.98
21	Purulia	14139.40	4302.37	16031.40	8697.13	10839.30	8830.06
22	Siliguri	3469.51	32454.39	3640.90	4388.68	3395.23	2478.48
23	South 24 Parganas	24120.97	19747.10	26654.37	16384.03	19708.58	15039.44
24	Uttar Dinajpur	14299.26	11210.54	15238.12	11819.69	10621.38	9407.88
25	Expenditure made from State Project Office for TE/VE etc	0.00	8256.65	1194.74	9763.08	30244.62	9245.12
	Total	314972.09	286742.94	352796.87	215698.63	280989.22	188912.05

Source: State Government of West Bengal