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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 125 ANSWERED ON 01.12.2025

Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas

125. Shri Putta Mahesh Kumar:

Shri G Lakshminarayana:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Andhra Pradesh for the establishment of eleven new Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas (JNVs) in the uncovered districts of the State following the reorganization of districts;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the present status of the said proposal;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any steps to examine/process the proposal for sanction of new JNVs in these districts;
- (d) if so, the time frame by which the Government proposes to sanction and establish these new JNVs to ensure equitable access to quality education in the newly formed districts of Andhra Pradesh:
- (e) the number of JNVs sanctioned in the country during the last five years, yearwise, State/UT wise, district-wise, particularly in Andhra Pradesh;
- (f) the details of the number and names of districts in Andhra Pradesh that currently do not have a JNV;
- (g) the total number of JNVs sanctioned, operational, and under construction in Andhra Pradesh, district-wise and year-wise;
- (h) the total number of teaching and non-teaching posts recently filled in each of the JNVs, and the number of posts lying vacant at present in the said State, categorywise; and
- (i) the amount of funds allocated, released, and utilised for JNV's in the said State during the last five years, year-wise and district-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): The Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme envisages for opening of one Navodaya Vidyalaya (NV) in each district of the country. Opening of new NVs is a continuous process which depends on the willingness of the concerned State Government/UT administration to make available requisite suitable land, free of cost, for construction of the permanent building and making available required temporary building, free of rent, to run the Vidyalaya till the permanent building is constructed. Sanction and

opening of new NVs depends on approval by the competent authority as per extant procedures.

(e) to (g): During the last five years, total 28 NVs have been sanctioned across the country. The list of NVs sanctioned in the country during the last five years, yearwise, State/UT wise, district-wise is at **Annexure - I.**

As per information received from Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti (NVS), at present, 13 districts of the Andhra Pradesh State have been covered under the scheme and total 15 NVs have been sanctioned so far including 02 additional NVs in Annamayya and Prakasam districts. The District-wise and year-wise list of NVs sanctioned & operational in Andhra Pradesh is at **Annexure-II**. List of districts of Andhra Pradesh that do not have NVs is at **Annexure-II**.

(h): The vacancies of teaching and non-teaching staff arise due to retirement, resignation, promotion and additional requirement on account of up-gradation / sanctioning of new streams as well as enhancement of students' strength. Filling up of vacancies is a continuous process and efforts are made to fill up the vacancies as per the provisions of the relevant recruitment rules. Teachers are also engaged on contractual basis for temporary duration by Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti (NVS) to ensure that the teaching-learning process is not hampered. The details of total number of Teaching and Non-Teaching staff in position and vacancies in NVs in Andhra Pradesh, as on 30.09.2025, is as under:

State	Teaching Posts		Non-Teaching Post	
	In Position	Vacancy	In Position	Vacancy
Andhra Pradesh	236	171	167	155

(i): The budgetary support is provided to NVS every year as Grants-in-aid under three distinct Heads of Account viz. Salaries, General and Creation of Capital Assets for opening and functioning of NVs. Funds are not allocated to NVS State/UT-wise. The funds allocated to NVS during the last five financial years are as under: -

(Amount in Crores)

Year	Funds Allocated and released
2020-21	3480.00
2021-22	3740.00
2022-23	4920.30
2023-24	5470.00
2024-25	5800.00

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State and District-wise list of 28 NVs sanctioned during last 05 years

S. No.	State	Name of the District	Year of Sanction
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	Upper Subansiri	2024
		Kra Daadi	2024
		Lepa Rada	2024
		Lower Siang	2024
		Lohit	2024
		Pakke-Kessang	2024
		Shi-Yomi	2024
		Siang	2024
		Sonitpur	2024
		Charaideo	2024
2.	Assam	Hojai	2024
2.	/ issum	Majuli	2024
		South Salmara-Mankachar	2024
		West Karbi Anglong	2024
3.	Karnataka	Bellary	2024
4.	Maharashtra	Thane	2024
		Thoubal	2024
5.	Manipur	Kangpoki	2024
		Noney	2024
	Telangana	Jagityal	2024
		Nizamabad	2024
		Bhadradri-Kothagudem	2024
6.		Medchal-Malkajgiri	2024
		Mahabubnagar	2024
		Sanga Reddy	2024
		Suryapet	2024
7.	West Bengal	Purba Bardhaman	2024
'		Jhargram	2024

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District-wise and year-wise list of NVs sanctioned & operational in Andhra Pradesh

S. No.	NV [Districts]	Sanction Year
1	Alluri Sitharamaraju	2009-10
2	Annamayya (Old Chittoor)	1986-87
3	Annamayya (Old Kadappa)	1987-88
4	Eluru	1988-89
5	Kakinada	1987-88
6	Krishna	1989-90
7	Kurnool	1987-88
8	Palnadu	1987-88
9	Prakasam - I	1987-88
10	Prakasam - II	2009-10
11	Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore	1986-87
12	Sri Sathya Sai	1987-88
13	Srikakulam	1987-88
14	Visakhapatnam	1987-88
15	Vizianagaram	1988-89

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List of districts of Andhra Pradesh which do not have NV

S. No	Uncovered District of Andhra Pradesh
1	Anakapalli
2	YSR (Kadappa) District
3	Chittoor
4	Bapatla
5	Dr. Ambedkar Konaseema
6	West Godavari
7	East Godavari
8	Nandyal
9	N.T.R. District
10	Guntur
11	Parvathipuram Manyam
12	Ananthapur
13	Tirupati