

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 725
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.12.2025

DESIGN CLINIC SCHEME

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Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of industry clusters identified under the Design Clinic Scheme in Uttar Pradesh, district-wise;
- (b) the number of workshops with their time duration, conducted in the industry clusters for design study during the last three years in Uttar Pradesh, district-wise; and
- (c) the amount of funds utilised for financial assistance extended to a group of up to three Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) applicants with reimbursement of initial design work and a group of four or more MSME applicants with reimbursement of initial design work and the funding assistance to final year student projects done for the MSME during the last three financial years in Uttar Pradesh?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) and (b): Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises runs a scheme i.e. MSME Innovative Scheme launched on 10.03.2022, under which Design is one of the component. The objective of the scheme is to help MSMEs on design and development of products and services. The scheme is implemented all over the country through implementing agencies like Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru, Indian Institute of Technology (IITs) (Kanpur, Indore, BHU, Roorkee, Ropar, Mandi), NITs (Tiruchirappalli, Warangal, Silchar, Arunachal Pradesh, Jaipur, Allahabad, J&K, Bhopal, Nagpur, Calicut, Kurukshetra, Surathkal, Raipur). MSMEs are availing the design support through the technical guidance and assistance of implementing agency.

No cluster wise implementation is carried out under the scheme. However, MSMEs in the cluster can also directly avail the benefit under this scheme. As on date, the details of awareness programme and no of MSMEs participated during the last 3 years are as follows :-

| S. No. | District | No. of Awareness Programmes | No. of MSME participated |
|--------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Gautam Budha Nagar | 6 | 173 |
| 2 | Kanpur | 6 | 175 |
| 3 | Ghaziabad | 1 | 29 |
| 4 | Varanasi | 2 | 63 |

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(c): The details of progress as on date since the launch of the scheme is as below :

| Year | No. of Design Projects-All India | No. of Design Projects- Uttar Pradesh | Number of Student Projects All India | Number of Student Projects- Uttar Pradesh | Amount Approved (GoI) (in Cr.) |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2022-23 | 24 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5.36 |
| 2023-24 | 23 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 4.20 |
| 2024-25 | 22 | 5 | Nil | Nil | 4.87 |
