

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3717  
ANSWERED ON 16.03.2026**

**Faculty Strength and Vacancies in Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas**

3717. Shri Pradeep Purohit:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of sanctioned teaching posts at Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya in the country particularly in Paikmal in Bargarh district of Odisha, department/subject-wise;
- (b) the total number of faculty members currently in position and the number of temporary/contractual teachers engaged in the country, particularly in the above said district, subject-wise;
- (c) the total number students presently enrolled in the Vidyalaya;
- (d) the number of vacant teaching and non-teaching posts in the country as on date;
- (e) the details of steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to fill up the vacant posts and the expected timeline to fill them; and
- (f) whether the Government is planning to construct waiting hall for visitors/parents in the said schools and if so, the detail thereof?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (e): Vacancies keep on arising due to opening of new Navodaya Vidyalayas (NVs), retirement, resignation, promotion of employees, transfer, employees going on lien to another department and up-gradation of schools. 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 at the local level against sanctioned posts, whenever regular or leave vacancies arise in a NV to ensure that the teaching-learning process is not hampered.

As per information received from Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti (NVS), the total number of sanctioned and in-position teaching staff (including Principal and Vice Principal) in NVs across the country, as on 31.12.2025, is as under:

<b>Post</b>	<b>Sanctioned</b>	<b>In-Position</b>
Teaching staff	17510	12427

The subject-wise number of sanctioned, in-position (including Principal and Vice Principal) and contractual teaching staff in NVs across the country, are at **Annexure-I**.

The subject-wise number of sanctioned, in-position (including Principal and Vice Principal) and contractual teaching staff in NV Paikmal, Bargarh District, Odisha, are at **Annexure-II**.

The total number of students enrolled in NVs across the country and NV Paikmal, Bargarh district as on 31.01.2026 are 314,927 and 555, respectively.

The number of vacant posts of teaching (including Principal & Vice Principal) and non-teaching staff in NVs across the country, as on 31.12.2025, are as under:

<b>Posts</b>	<b>No. of vacancies</b>
Teaching	5083
Non-Teaching	1221

(f): Arrangements for waiting for parents/guests have been made within the school building at the entrance lobby of the NVs.

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**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3717 FOR 16.03.2026 RAISED BY SHRI PRADEEP PUROHIT, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING FACULTY STRENGTH AND VACANCIES IN JAWAHAR NAVODAYA VIDYALAYAS****Subject-wise number of sanctioned, in-position (including Principal and Vice Principal) and contractual teaching staff in NVs across the country,**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Name of Post</b>	<b>Sanctioned (as on 31.12.2025)</b>	<b>In – Position (as on 31.12.2025)</b>	<b>Contractual</b>
1	Principal	630	436	-
2	Vice-Principal	665	573	-
3	PGT-English	641	490	178
4	PGT-Hindi	634	517	141
5	PGT-Physics	645	398	215
6	PGT-Chemistry	605	444	171
7	PGT-Biology	606	484	138
8	PGT-Mathematics	611	467	148
9	PGT-IT	396	241	97
10	PGT-Economics	458	349	79
11	PGT-History	461	361	98
12	PGT-Geography	441	324	108
13	PGT-Commerce	180	149	23
14	PGT Physical Education	85	14	-
15	PGT MIL	43	18	-
16	TGT-Hindi	1154	910	138
17	TGT-English	1228	941	188
18	TGT-Mathematics	1205	1001	120
19	TGT-Science	652	497	113
20	TGT-Computer Science	652	0	575
21	TGT-Social Science	665	504	96
22	TGT-3rd Language	1196	732	299
23	TGT-Special Educator	495	0	-
24	TGT(PET-Male)	532	411	143
25	TGT(PET-Female)	665	555	78
26	TGT(Art)	652	518	123
27	TGT(Music)	665	552	83
28	TGT(Library)	648	541	85
	<b>Total</b>	<b>17510</b>	<b>12427</b>	<b>3437</b>

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**ANNEXURE-II**

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**Subject-wise number of sanctioned, in-position (including Principal and Vice Principal) and contractual teaching staff in NV Paikmal, Bargarh District, Odisha**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>Sanctioned (as on 31.12.2025)</b>	<b>In – position (as on 31.12.2025)</b>	<b>Contractual</b>
1	Principal	1	0	-
2	Vice-Principal	1	1	-
3	PGT-English	1	1	-
4	PGT-Hindi	1	1	-
5	PGT-Physics	1	0	1
6	PGT-Chemistry	1	0	1
7	PGT-Biology	1	1	-
8	PGT-Mathematics	1	0	1
9	PGT-Economics	1	1	-
10	PGT-History	1	0	1
11	PGT-Geography	1	1	-
12	PGT MIL	1	0	-
13	TGT-Hindi	2	1	1
14	TGT-English	2	0	2
15	TGT-Mathematics	2	1	1
16	TGT-Science	1	0	1
17	TGT-Computer Science	1	0	1
18	TGT-Social Science	1	0	1
19	TGT-3rd Language	2	2	-
20	TGT-Special Educator	1	0	-
21	TGT(PET-Male)	1	0	1
22	TGT(PET-Female)	1	1	-
23	TGT(Art)	1	1	-
24	TGT(Music)	1	1	-
25	TGT(Library)	1	1	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>

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