

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 729
ANSWERED ON 04/02/2026

SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES

729. SMT. BAG MITALI:

Will the Minister of Minority Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of scholarships sanctioned under the Pre-Matric and Post-Matric Scholarship Schemes during the last five years, State-wise; and
- (b) the details of Budget allocation and utilisation (in Rs.) to all scholarship schemes run by the Government since 2019, year and scheme-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS

(SHRI KIREN RIJIU)

- (a): Ministry of Minority Affairs implemented various schemes, including Pre-Matric, Post Matric and Merit-cum-Means Scholarship schemes, across the country for socio-economic and educational empowerment of the six notified minority communities. However, the schemes have not been approved for implementation beyond 2021-22. The number of scholarships sanctioned under Pre-Matric and Post-Matric Scholarship Schemes in the year 2021-22 is at Annexure-I.
- (b): The budget allocation and utilization under these Scholarship Schemes since 2019, is at Annexure-II.

Annexure-I

(Annexure as mentioned in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha unstarred question No.729 answered on 04.02.2026 on the subject of “Scholarship schemes” asked by Smt. Bag Mitali)

S.No .	States/Uts	Scholarship Sanctioned during year 2021-22	
		Pre-Matric Scholarship Sanctioned	Post-Matric Scholarship Sanctioned
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	175563	15216
2	TELANGANA	177571	20843
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0	0
4	ASSAM	235337	49106
5	BIHAR	175287	19642
6	CHHATTISGARH	4453	2744
7	GOA	1111	458
8	GUJARAT	89543	23519
9	HARYANA	25011	7824
10	HIMACHAL PRADESH	1790	637
11	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	389132	47574
12	JHARKHAND	14146	5494
13	KARNATAKA	566291	73830
14	KERALA	634299	74271
15	LADAKH	11884	905
16	MADHYA PRADESH	139638	23622
17	MAHARASHTRA	802121	42110
18	MANIPUR	52432	4629
19	MEGHALAYA	15462	5306
20	MIZORAM	60784	1702
21	NAGALAND	77882	6421
22	ODISHA	25620	4030
23	PUNJAB	503179	55430
24	RAJASTHAN	188827	30012
25	SIKKIM	513	289
26	TAMIL NADU	448485	52409
27	TRIPURA	7109	1766
28	UTTAR PRADESH	842938	5296
29	UTTARAKHAND	21812	134433
30	WEST BENGAL	576	6548
31	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	3272	295
32	CHANDIGARH	1783	117
33	THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU	318	78
34	DELHI	12302	2908
35	LAKSHADWEEP	0	0
36	PUDUCHERRY	4318	629
Total		57,10,789	7,20,093

Annexure-II

(Annexure as mentioned in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha unstarred question No.729 answered on 04.02.2026 on the subject of “Scholarship schemes” asked by Smt. Bag Mitali)

Scholarship Scheme	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Allocation	Utilization	Allocation	Utilization	Allocation	Utilization
Pre-Matric	1199.82	1324.85	1330.00	1325.54	1378.00	1350.99
Post-Matric	482.66	428.77	535.00	512.81	468.00	411 .87
Merit-cum- Means	361 .51	285.63	400.00	396.34	325.00	345.77