

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2568  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.03.2016

**Development of Schools**

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of proposals for management of education and teaching and development of schools and colleges in Maharashtra received from the Ministry during the last three years and the amount sought from the Government in this regard;
- (b) the amount sanctioned for the State Government of Maharashtra by the Government;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to increase the budget for education during the current financial year; and
- (d) if so, the estimated increase therein?

**A N S W E R**

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)**

(a) & (b): The details of proposals received, funds approved and funds released to Maharashtra under various schemes of the Ministry during the last three years is as under:

(i) Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA)

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Year	Amount for which proposals received	Amount approved	Fund released
1	2012-13	416319.26	262658.74	106854.62
2	2013-14	222782.39	141693.55	65653.65
3	2014-15	217078.59	143914.77	58288.54

(ii) Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA)

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Year	Amount for which proposals received	Amount approved	Fund released*
1	2012-13	13122.66	10481.73	11765.86
2	2013-14	129988.76	4294.48	4703.38
3	2014-15	175693.10	11272.76	23451.85

\*The releases include the funds approved in previous year also.

(iii) Mid Day Meal (MDM)

(₹ in lakh)

Year	Fund released
2012-13	105629.60
2013-14	98376.59
2014-15	95059.83

(iv) Infrastructure Development in Minority institutions (IDMI)

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Year	Amount for which proposals received	Amount approved	Fund released
1	2012-13	65	21	579.54
2	2013-14	102	47	406.75
3	2014-15	44	8	74.11

(v) National Scheme of Incentive to Girls for Secondary Education.

Three proposals for academic years 2011-12, 2012-13 and 2013-14 under the Centrally sponsored "National Scheme of Incentive to Girls for Secondary Education" were received during last three years. Two proposals for academic years 2011-12 and 2012-13 had been sanctioned covering incentive for girls amounting to Rs.16.71 crore and Rs.15.28 crore respectively. The proposal for academic year 2013-14 was received in 2014-15 and could not be sanctioned due to limited availability of budget.

(vi) No proposals have been received by UGC from Government of Maharashtra for education and development of colleges during the last three years. However, under the scheme of General Development Assistance-XII Plan, grants released to colleges in Maharashtra are as under:

Year	Nos. of Colleges assisted	Grant Released (₹ in crores)
2012-13	Nil	Nil
2013-14	780	40.16
2014-15	91	11.45
<b>Total</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>51.61</b>

(c): No, Madam.

(d): Does not arise.