

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 707
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.03.2016**

707. SCHOLARSHIPS TO SC/OBC STUDENTS

SHRI RAJENDRA AGRAWAL:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of students belonging to SC/OBC categories registered for various scholarships and the funds sanctioned for the said scholarships during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) whether students registered for scholarships and are eligible have not received the same;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor, State/UT-wise; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to provide scholarship to eligible students in a time bound manner?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA)**

(a): The details of Central Assistance (CA) released to States and number of students belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC)/Other Backward Class (OBC) covered under the following Centrally Sponsored Schemes, State-wise, for the last three years and current year are attached at Annexure-I to V;

- (i) Post Matric Scholarship for SC students(PMS-SC)
- (ii)Pre-matric Scholarship for SC students studying in classes IX and X.
- (iii) Post Matric Scholarship for OBC Students
- (iv)Pre-matric Scholarship for OBC Students
- (v) Up gradation of merit of SC students

(b) to (d) The Post Matric Scholarship Scheme for SC students is an open ended scheme. It has not been possible for the Central Government to release full central assistance to all the eligible students in the States/UTs. Finance Ministry has been requested to provide adequate funds, to meet the full requirement of central assistance due to the states, under PMS(SC). Adequate funding has been provided for other centrally sponsored scholarship schemes for SC beneficiaries.

OBC Scholarship schemes are fund-limited schemes and hence, it is not possible for the Central government to provide full assistance to all eligible students. In case savings become available towards the end of financial year, additional amounts are released to the States.

Details of Central Assistance (CA) Released and Beneficiaries covered under Post Matric Scholarship Scheme for SC students								(Rs in lakh)	
S.NO	State/UTs	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (as on 25.02.2016)	
		CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries (anticipated)
1	Andhra Pradesh	7900.78	592194	19410.50	552723	9300.00	505843	4974.00	635717
2	Assam	2447.26	15045	1216.00	27554	683.28	31145	0.00	36582
3	Bihar	6234.04	159779	4462.87	118300	3000.00	125000	7476.00	155000
4	Chandigarh	0	428	50.00	1686	275.00	1843	0.00	2600
5	Chhattisgarh	3129.3	63842	1535.00	82871	1100.00	89501	128.00	98451
6	Daman & Diu	0.73	167	0.00	188	20.31	136	0.00	140
7	Delhi	161.78	15689	0.00	45528	1700.00	19303*	0.00	0*
8	Goa	2.23	174	14.49	164	7.00	356	14.00	477
9	Gujarat	5615.52	124650	5283.36	111181	3900.00	127210	5964.00	144000
10	Haryana	1329.68	83377	3669.05	75913	2700.00	105184	6867.00	72533
11	Himachal Pradesh	2931.73	20163	926.00	19709	1600.00	6852	2700.00	36400
12	Jammu & Kashmir	67.6	9238	897.01	10131	298.00	7221	23.00	13015
13	Jharkhand	82.68	12010	1334.10	13292	900.00	28710	911.00	33733
14	Karnataka	4830.98	299685	4270.82	267142	2400.00	315795	3840.00	331585
15	Kerala	0	112532	11765.30	123771	4200.00	122927	1647.00	125386
16	Madhya Pradesh	9114.6	269078	12198.89	237813	6350.00	274018	9100.00	300065
17	Maharashtra	22755.9	483387	3311.00	406427	17635.00	461315	27988.00	713068
18	Manipur	176.1	5785	0.00	4969	1193.50	5892	521.29	6187
19	Meghalaya	13.52	263	6.00	107	0.00	121	0.00	123
20	Odisha	344.17	101034	3121.72	141776	4222.83	172504	3314.00	199411
21	Puducherry	49.1	6727	0.00	1953	0.00	8635*	0.00	0*
22	Punjab	398.92	121849	28081.00	216214	37687.61	286394	7930.00	601427
23	Rajasthan	6013.35	241260	10592.00	249703	5500.00	151621	7552.00	296647
24	Sikkim	16.7	379	66.64	278	46.95	273	164.53	491
25	Tamil Nadu	14239.39	662165	32173.06	698174	25400.00	713928	46064.00	749926
26	Telangana	0	0	0.00	0	8800.00	270810	11090.00	292475
27	Tripura	1099.59	26492	1086.90	16610	1768.59	21177	1400.00	25412
29	Uttar Pradesh	70817.35	948606	55666.00	1095526	47249.56	861474	46903.00	947622
30	Uttarakhand	1919.12	63152	3623.83	70182	1800.00	81415	1728.00	100489
31	West Bengal	3772.66	503551	10588.00	405554	6600.00	514992	2284.00	540976
	Total	165464.8	4942701	215349.54	4995439	196337.63	5311595	200582.82	6459938

* Information on actual beneficiaries 2014-15 and anticipated beneficiaries 2015-16 is awaited.

Annexure referred in Part (a) of reply to LS unstarred Question No. 707 for 1.03.2016

Details of Central Assistance (CA) released and beneficiaries covered under Pre-Matric Scholarship Scheme for SC students studying in Classes IX and X

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	State/ UT	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (as on 25.02.16)	
		CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries	CA Released	Beneficiaries (Anticipated)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	11299.11	444807	0.00	0.00	1554.35	193188	0.00	0
2.	Assam	0.00	0.00	1346.02	59823	673.01	62560	0.00	0
3.	Bihar	5467.24	251908	6184.72	274407	3127.82	1581	10223.33	453885
4.	Chhattisgarh	0.00	0.00	2475.25	105399	1237.62	105399	4662.14	246715
5.	Goa	2.31	110	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6.	Gujarat	1155.74	47185	0.00	0.00	1200.00	46318	1600.00	69045
7.	Haryana	0.00	00	0.00	00	0.00	00	3279.66	143537
8.	Himachal Pradesh	862.44	40933	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00	0.00	172.50	7667	86.25	7863	0.00	0
10.	Jharkhand	1202.87	56948	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
11.	Karnatka	4781.30	198200	3057.84	190466	3826.44	210639	0.00	0
12.	Kerala	1984.19	93034	2318.65	101386	1159.33	88783	1731.06	84250
13.	Madhya Pradesh	9695.44	449942	0.00	0.00	8022.55	373866	0.00	0
14.	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	11954.74	466771	5977.37	64629	0.00	0
15.	Odisha	4068.60	185690	5126.06	238874	5135.24	276345	5033.00	214453
16.	Punjab	2154.53	186097	6020.47	313936	2869.66	189705	4862.00	189705
17.	Rajasthan	4396.23	209345	4262.15	245366	4922.90	264372	0.00	0
18.	Sikkim	8.02	382	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.22	236
19.	Tamilnadu	4113.93	162544	4647.37	170672	2323.68	204620	6514.44	295044
20.	Tripura	534.22	25439	507.84	38660	302..13	36853	0.00	0
21.	Uttar Pradesh	29484.36	1111909	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
22.	Uttarakhand	1597.18	76009	1170.20	76300	1626.69	82499	0.00	0
23.	West Bengal	10320.00	515000	5310.58	445979	7292.66	302266	0.00	0
24.	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.67	74	2.65	118
25.	Manipur	9.11	414	56.27	465	28.13	0.00	0.00	0
26.	Meghalaya	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.62	100	0.00	0
27.	Chandigarh	0.00	0.00	42.45	1887	32.22	1432	42.00	1888
	Total	93136.82	4055896	54653.11	2738058	51403.34	2513092	37955.5	1698876

Details of Pre-matric Scholarship for OBCs scheme during last three years and current year

Amount and No. of Beneficiaries in lakh

S. No.	State/UT	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (as on 25.02.2016)	
		No. of students registered	Funds sanctioned/ released	No. of students registered	Funds sanctioned/ released	No. of students registered	Funds sanctioned/ released	No. of students registered	Funds sanctioned / released
1	Andhra Pradesh	2.40	318.00	1.47	0.00	1.97	515.50	1.14	571.00
2	Bihar	46.44	174.24	110.59	1691.00	120.02	721.00	122.50	1200.00
3	Chhattisgarh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.15	948.00	11.33	0.00
4	Goa	0.03	0.00	0.05	50.00	0.03	36.00	0.08	17.00
5	Gujarat	1.46	113.50	1.45	1120.00	1.26	573.32	3.10	678.88
6	Haryana	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.35	0.00
7	Himachal Pradesh	0.23	13.00	0.18	40.00	0.18	40.00	0.21	0.00
8	Jammu & Kashmir	1.17	0.00	0.85	112.01	0.97	0.00	0.80	0.00
9	Jharkhand	0.11	68.55	0.16	0.00	0.16	68.53	0.41	214.85
10	Karnataka	3.06	115.00	6.09	1160.00	4.17	710.00	9.62	710.00
11	Kerala	11.20	383.24	7.46	796.08	7.46	607.00	7.46	388.00
12	Madhya Pradesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.35	279.70	5.85	1306.00
14	Odisha	1.18	137.46	1.32	440.47	1.44	243.50	1.25	0.00
15	Punjab	2.35	0.00	2.43	452.00	1.84	0.00	1.84	322.00
16	Rajasthan	4.17	258.00	4.90	442.51	5.28	508.44	5.58	598.33
17	Tamil Nadu	2.49	309.66	2.26	1338.00	0.66	744.31	3.17	628.50
18	Telangana	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.82	413.00	0.41	0.00
19	Uttar Pradesh	182.41	2293.26	26.70	3253.00	57.28	3520.00	19.72	1740.00
20	Uttarakhand	0.54	116.09	0.52	58.50	0.55	58.50	0.70	0.00
21	West Bengal	0.80	0.00	1.65	280.73	2.78	315.60	3.61	952.28
22	Assam	1.24	154.00	0.00	0.00	1.73	319.00	1.86	0.00
23	Manipur	0.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.16	100.00	0.22	0.00
24	Tripura	0.66	147.50	0.80	142.00	0.70	174.00	0.74	142.00
25	Sikkim	0.00	0.00	0.42	24.00	0.10	0.00	0.20	11.60
26	Andaman Nicobar Island	0.05	35.09	0.03	33.93	0.07	0.00	0.06	0.00
27	Chandigarh	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	1.33
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
29	Daman & Diu	0.00	13.86	0.02	18.17	0.03	5.50	0.06	0.00
30	Delhi	0.01	50.56	0.05	45.26	0.06	54.76	0.11	93.00
31	Puducherry	0.00	0.00	0.77	101.23	0.13	0.00	0.13	7.00
	Total	262.15	4701.01	170.18	11598.89	223.35	10955.66	203.52	9581.77

Annexure-V

Annexure referred in Part (a) of reply to LS unstarred Question No. 707 for 1.03.2016

Details of fund released to the State Governments/UTs under the scheme "Upgradation of Merit of SC Students"

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl.No.	State/UT	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (as on 25.02.2016)	
		Fund released	Number of Students (beneficiaries)	Fund released	Number of Students (beneficiaries)	Fund released	Number of Students (beneficiaries)	Fund released	Number of Students (beneficiaries)
1	AP	0	0	225.79	1044	0	0	0	0
2	Assam	3.45	23	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Chhattisgarh	10.94	105	0	0	19.42	89	0	0
4	Gujarat	8.09	92	35.64	149	0	0	0	0
5	Haryana	9.60	64	6.50	26	7.25	29	6.75	27
6	Himachal Pradesh	0.3	2	2.00	8	2.25	11	4.00	16
7	Karnataka	23.70	188	39.05	188	0	0	0	0
8	Kerala	6.00	40	9.97	40	5.87	60	10.68	69
9	Madhya Pradesh	58.80	392	96.56	392	99.18	542	171.56	692
10	Nagaland	12.00	80	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Punjab	4.05	27	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Rajasthan	11.79	86	6.40	53	14.99	64	5.59	40
13	Sikkim	3.00	20	6.61	28	9.39	36	11.25	45
14	Tripura	3.00	20	4.91	20	15.82	84	0	0
15	UP	39.71	371	0	0	98.67	579	0	0
16	Uttarakhand	2.55	17	5.00	20	5.00	20	4.50	18
17	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	8.00	40	0	0
	Total=	196.98	1527	438.43	1968	285.84	1554	214.33	907