

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

**LOK SABHA**  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1243  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2016

**Vocational Institutions in Rural Areas**

†1243. SHRI SUKHBIR SINGH JAUNAPURIA:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to open vocational colleges and educational institutions in rural areas to enable the rural youth to get employment in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise including Rajasthan; and
- (c) the number of such colleges/ institutions opened by the Government in the country during the last three years and the current year, State-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(Dr. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) to (c): Education being in the concurrent list, the creation of new institutions is the responsibility of both Central Government and the State Governments. The Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) is being implemented during the XII Plan. Under RUSA, Central share is provided to approved State Universities and Colleges for promoting access, equity and quality. Assistance is also provided to States for vocationalization of higher education. The Central share released, State/UT-wise, including the State of Rajasthan, under RUSA is at **Annexure**.

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has given skill orientation to university and collegiate education in the recent past through its schemes for starting Community Colleges, B.Voc. degree programme and Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyaya KAUSHAL Kendras leading to award of certificate, diplomas, advanced level diplomas and Bachelor's as well as Master's degree programmes. These skill programmes are offered by individual institutions in collaboration with industry. The details of implementation of these schemes are [www.ugc.ac.in/skill](http://www.ugc.ac.in/skill).

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1243 for 25-07-2016 asked by Shri Sukhbir Singh Jaunapurja, Hon'ble MP regarding Vocational Institutions in Rural Areas.

STATE/UT	Central Share released under RUSA (rounded off in Rs. crores) till 23 <sup>rd</sup> July, 2016
Andhra Pradesh	56.69
Arunachal Pradesh	10.35
Assam	105.37
Bihar	31.43
Chhattisgarh	34.11
Goa	13.37
Gujarat	74.29
Haryana	39.33
Himachal Pradesh	80.69
Jammu & Kashmir	77.56
Jharkhand	37.22
Karnataka	132.32
Kerala	57.05
Madhya Pradesh	18.88
Maharashtra	39.58
Manipur	7.41
Meghalaya	16.63
Mizoram	37.66
Nagaland	32.33
Odisha	154.28
Punjab	47.80
Rajasthan	68.65
Sikkim	27.83
Tamil Nadu	59.72
Telangana	39.80
Tripura	33.14
Uttar Pradesh	139.17
Uttarakhand	73.42
West Bengal	131.09
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	7.81
Chandigarh	1.97
Delhi	1.52
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	2.42
Daman And Diu	1.95
Puducherry	39.95
<b>Total</b>	<b>1732.76</b>

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