

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1175
ANSWERED ON 27/07/2026

PMKVY, JSS AND NAPS IN BIHAR

†1175. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR:

Will the Minister of SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of candidates trained, training centres established and central assistance released from the year 2023-24 till date under the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS) scheme and National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) in the Seemanchal region of Bihar, particularly in Katihar, Purnia, Kishanganj and Araria, district-wise;
- (b) the details of number of youths secured employment or apprenticeship opportunities out of the candidates trained under the aforementioned schemes, district-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to set up new skill training centres, introduce employment-oriented courses and expand apprenticeship opportunities for the youth of the Seemanchal region in accordance with local requirements and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (d): Under the Government of India's Skill India Mission (SIM), the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) delivers skill, re-skill and up-skill training through an extensive network of skill development centres under various schemes, viz. Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), Jan Shikshan Sansthan (JSS), National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS) and Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs), to all the sections of the society across the country including the Seemanchal region of Bihar. The SIM aims at enabling the youth of India to get future-ready, equipped with industry-relevant skills.

District-wise details of the candidates trained under various schemes of MSDE from year 2023-24 till June, 2026 in Bihar and its Seemanchal region is at **Annexure-I**.

The schemes of MSDE are demand driven and training centres under these schemes are set up or engaged on need basis. District-wise details of the training centres set-up or engaged by MSDE in Bihar and its Seemanchal region is at **Annexure-II**.

Funds under PMKVY are released to implementing agencies for meeting the training cost as per prescribed norms. Under JSS scheme, funds are released to Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) directly. Under NAPS, stipend support up to Rs 1500/- per month is released to apprentices through DBT and not to the establishments covered. Day to day administration as well as financial control in respect of CTS scheme implemented through ITIs lies with the respective State Government/UT Administration. Total funds released for

implementation of PMKVY, NAPS and JSS in the state of Bihar from year 2023-24 till June, 2026 are given as under:

Schemes	Fund Released (Rs. in crores)			
	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27 (upto 30.06.2026)
PMKVY	25.05	62.33	7.21	0.49
JSS	11.69	10.11	10.84	2.50
NAPS	17.10	24.69	26.74	9.03

Amongst the schemes of MSDE, placements were tracked under the Short-Term Training component of PMKVY in the first three versions (PMKVY1.0, PMKVY 2.0 and PMKVY 3.0) implemented from 2015-16 to 2021-22. Under PMKVY (1.0 to 3.0), 1.28 lakh candidates have been reported placed in Bihar. In the current version of the Scheme i.e. PMKVY 4.0, the focus is to empower the trained candidates to choose their varied career path and they are suitably oriented for the same through industry relevant skill courses that include On-the-Job Training (OJT).

Further, in order to enhance the overall quality and relevance of vocational training in the country, Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability Transformation through Upgraded ITIs (PM SETU) scheme inter-alia aims to upgrade 1,000 Government ITIs (200 Hub ITIs and 800 Spoke ITIs) in a Hub and Spoke model, wherein upgradation includes smart classrooms, modern labs, digital content, and new courses aligned to industry needs.

ANNEXURES REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (A) TO (D) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1175 ANSWERED ON 27.07.2026 REGARDING 'PMKVY, JSS AND NAPS IN BIHAR'

Annexure-I

District-wise details of the candidates trained/enrolled/ under various schemes of MSDE from year 2023-24 till June, 2026 Bihar:

District	PMKVY	JSS	NAPS	CTS/ITIs *
Araria	2,144	5,478	289	1,480
Arwal	585	5,399	12	5,111
Aurangabad	3,026	5,434	227	14,928
Banka	2,833	5,396	58	3,874
Begusarai	5,094	5,400	639	9,839
Bhagalpur	5,071	-	571	13,468
Bhojpur	4,265	-	497	14,310
Buxar	1,259	5,419	176	6,343
Darbhanga	2,477	-	405	5,550
Gaya	8,386	5,359	441	24,640
Gopalganj	6,073	5,400	390	6,042
Jamui	2,664	5,393	85	7,040
Jehanabad	2,000	-	46	7,577
Kaimur (Bhabua)	1,520	-	56	3,244
Katihar	3,131	-	689	4,387
Khagaria	2,679	-	127	3,149
Kishanganj	358	5,399	567	828
Lakhisarai	255	-	33	2,209
Madhepura	2,442	-	210	2,269
Madhubani	3,401	5,418	248	5,530
Munger	2,431	-	905	11,020
Muzaffarpur	4,556	5,396	1,798	14,740
Nalanda	9,246	5,420	376	23,999
Nawada	3,368	5,440	173	9,871
Pashchim Champaran	1,256	5,466	847	6,459
Patna	11,279	3,708	7,214	50,449
Purbi Champaran	3,499	5,440	434	10,831
Purnia	3,966	-	975	3,253
Rohtas	2,511	-	219	20,304
Saharsa	1,912	-	163	2,138
Samastipur	4,471	5,395	492	11,358
Saran	5,395	5,460	394	17,346
Sheikhpura	1,303	-	39	3,369
Sheohar	1,155	-	85	1,054
Sitamarhi	2,115	5,410	356	6,017
Siwan	5,508	-	294	7,896
Supaul	113	-	213	2,820
Vaishali	7,111	5,660	1,638	13,930
Overall	130,858	1,12,290	22,381	3,58,672

*Enrollments in session 2023 to 2025

Annexure-II

District-wise details of the training centres set-up or engaged by MSDE in Bihar and its Seemanchal region as on 30.06.2026

District	PMKVY 4.0 Centres (STT+SP) *	JSS Centres	NAPS Establishments	ITI (Govt & Pvt)
Araria	3	1	28	5
Arwal	5	1	13	20
Aurangabad	12	1	40	42
Banka	11	1	17	18
Begusarai	19	1	65	37
Bhagalpur	24	-	66	41
Bhojpur	16	-	36	54
Buxar	9	1	21	25
Darbhanga	11	-	59	23
Gaya	38	1	76	85
Gopalganj	31	1	33	26
Jamui	7	1	18	25
Jehanabad	8	-	11	35
Kaimur (Bhabua)	7	-	12	12
Katihar	10	-	32	14
Khagaria	5	-	26	9
Kishanganj	4	1	26	5
Lakhisarai	2	-	22	8
Madhepura	7	-	21	9
Madhubani	10	1	43	25
Munger	11	-	19	40
Muzaffarpur	24	1	101	59
Nalanda	42	1	43	87
Nawada	11	1	24	33
Pashchim Champaran	11	1	76	17
Patna	46	1	387	216
Purbi Champaran	15	1	49	29
Purnia	12	-	49	15
Rohtas	10	-	39	67
Saharsa	7	-	25	7
Samastipur	16	1	55	44
Saran	34	1	44	65
Sheikhpura	8	-	11	13
Sheohar	2	-	13	5
Sitamarhi	8	1	30	18
Siwan	23	-	36	35
Supaul	3	-	21	8
Vaishali	26	1	72	60
Overall	548	21	856	1,336

* Short-term Training (STT) and Special Projects (SP) up to 30.06.2026
