

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 211
ANSWERED ON 20.07.2026**

Navodaya Vidyalayas in Andhra Pradesh

211. Dr. C M Ramesh:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government envisages to start one Navodaya Vidyalaya (NV) in each district of the country, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether it is true that only 13 districts out of 28 have NVs in Andhra Pradesh and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is also true that 15 districts including Anakapalli do not have NVs in Andhra Pradesh, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether any proposal has been received from Government of Andhra Pradesh for opening NVs in those districts; and
- (e) if so, the steps taken by the Government on the above proposals and timelines by when NVs are going to be opened in the above have not districts?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)**

(a) to (e): The Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme envisages for opening of one Navodaya Vidyalaya (NV) in each district of the country. Opening of new NVs is a continuous process which depends on the willingness of the concerned State Government/UT administration to make available requisite suitable land, free of cost, for construction of the permanent building and making available required temporary building, free of rent, to run the Vidyalaya till the permanent building is constructed. Sanction and opening of new NVs depends on approval by the competent authority as per extant procedures. As on date, a total of 694 NVs have been sanctioned across the country, including 28 additional NVs.

At present, 13 districts of Andhra Pradesh have been covered under Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme. Further, two additional NVs, which were sanctioned in Prakasam (now Markapuram) and East Godavari (now Polavaram) on basis of SC/ST concentrated areas, are also functional. Thus, total 15 NVs are functional in the State. List of NVs in the State of Andhra Pradesh is Annexed.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 211 FOR 20.07.2026 RAISED BY DR. C M RAMESH, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING NAVODAYA VIDYALAYAS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

NVs in the State of Andhra Pradesh

S. No.	Name of NV
1.	NV Annamayya
2.	NV Eluru
3.	NV Kadapa
4.	NV Kakinada
5.	NV Krishna
6.	NV Kurnool
7.	NV Palnadu
8.	NV Prakasam – I
9.	NV Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore
10.	NV Sri Sathya Sai
11.	NV Srikakulam
12.	NV Visakhapatnam
13.	NV Vizianagaram
14.	NV Prakasam – II (now Markapuram) (SC concentrated)
15.	NV East Godawari – II (now Polavaram) (ST concentrated)
