

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LOK SABHA
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PM-SETU and ITI Upgradation

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

- (a) whether the Government has expanded the number and training capacity of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) in the country since 2014, State/UT and district-wise particularly in Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra, including Jalgaon Lok Sabha Constituency, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of new ITIs established, Government ITIs upgraded/modernised and the additional training capacity created from 2014 till date, State/UT, district and year-wise including Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra and Jalgaon Lok Sabha Constituency and Odisha;
- (c) whether the Government has launched the Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability Transformation through Upgraded ITIs (PM-SETU) scheme, particularly in Chhattisgarh, if so, the salient features of the scheme, including the hub-and-spoke model, investment outlay and implementation framework;
- (d) whether the Government has undertaken measures to modernise Government ITIs and introducing emerging technology and future-ready trades such as Artificial Intelligence, Robotics, Electric Vehicles, Drones, Semiconductors and Green Energy and industry-aligned trades, if so, the details thereof including the number of ITIs covered, funds allocated/released, new trades introduced and additional training capacity created during the last five years and the current year, State/UT-wise, including the said States and Constituencies;
- (e) whether the Government has undertaken any other measures to strengthen ITIs, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (f) whether any Government ITI in Keonjhar Lok Sabha Constituency, Odisha, has been identified for upgradation or inclusion under the PM-SETU scheme, if so, the details thereof, including funds sanctioned and the present status; and

(g) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to modernise Government ITIs and introduce future-ready trades aligned with industry requirements, particularly in mining, manufacturing and other sectors relevant to the said States and Constituencies?

ANSWER

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

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(a) & (b) The Number of ITIs across the country has increased from 9,642 in 2014 to 13,856 in 2026. Moreover, the enrolment in ITIs across the country has increased from 9,51,168 in session 2014-15 to 14,70,277 in session 2025-26.

State-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26) is available at **Annexure -1**.

District-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26) in Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra and Odisha are available at **Annexure - 2, 3 and 4** respectively.

(c) to (g) The Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability Transformation through Upgraded ITIs (PM-SETU) scheme aims to enhance the overall quality and relevance of vocational training in the country. The Scheme has a total outlay of Rs. 60,000 crore (Central Share – Rs. 30,000 crore, State Share – Rs. 20,000 crore and Industry Share – Rs. 10,000 crore).

The scheme comprises of two components:

- i. Component I – Upgradation of 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.
- ii. Component II – Capacity Augmentation of five NSTIs located in Bhubaneswar, Chennai, Hyderabad, Kanpur, and Ludhiana, including setting-up sector-specific National Centres of Excellence for skilling, with focus on advanced training of trainers with global partnership, and curriculum development. The Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability through Upgraded ITIs (PM-SETU) Scheme is being implemented across States/UTs, including Chhattisgarh and Maharashtra, to upgrade the quality and relevance of Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs).

As per the Cabinet approval, the selection of ITIs under Pradhan Mantri Skilling and Employability through Upgraded ITIs (PM SETU) scheme is led by the respective State/UT Governments in consultation with industry, ensuring alignment with emerging skill needs and local industrial potential. Accordingly, States/UTs are required to submit proposals for upgradation in collaboration with industry partners.

Chhattisgarh has identified Six (6) clusters, comprising 6 Hub ITIs and 24 Spoke ITIs, under the PM-SETU Scheme and have floated the Request for Proposal (RfP) for selection of the Anchor Industry Partner (AIP). At present, no proposal or Strategic Investment Plan (SIP) from the State is pending for consideration or approval before the National Steering Committee (NSC).

Odisha has identified Two (2) clusters, comprising 2 Hub ITIs and 8 Spoke ITIs, under the PM-SETU Scheme and have floated the Request for Proposal (RfP) for selection of the Anchor Industry Partner (AIP). The NSC has approved SIP for Keonjhar-Barbil Cluster.

Further, under the PM-SETU scheme industry-led Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) would lead the upgradation and be empowered to propose necessary interventions relating to curriculum redesign in mining, manufacturing and other sectors, training delivery models, infrastructure upgradation and industry exposure, in alignment with local industry needs and the Scheme guidelines. Directorate General of Training (DGT) has introduced 32 new age courses under CTS. Once the industry partner is onboard, these courses are available to be operationalized in the selected ITIs. List of these new age courses are given in **Annexure 5**.

As of now, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) has released ₹50 lakh to the Government of Odisha for engagement of the Project Management Consultant (PMC) and ₹30 lakh for Industry Outreach activities during FY 2025–26.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (A TO B) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NUMBER 230 ANSWERED ON 20.07.2026.

State-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26)

Sr. No.	State/UTs	Number of ITIs in Year 2014	Enrolment in session 2014-15	Number of ITIs in Year 2026	Enrolment in session 2025-26
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	2	186	4	829
2	Andhra Pradesh	467	56,429	520	54,213
3	Arunachal Pradesh	5	355	10	697
4	Assam	25	2,765	47	5,725
5	Bihar	706	65,368	1,336	1,16,754
6	Chandigarh	2	678	3	1,175
7	Chhattisgarh	147	12,362	221	23,970
8	Delhi	36	6,165	36	10,970
9	Goa	12	1,247	13	2,404
10	Gujarat	313	43,559	474	90,790
11	Haryana	172	26,813	358	53,477
12	Himachal Pradesh	198	16,795	262	16,973
13	Jammu And Kashmir	35	2,279	56	10,047
14	Jharkhand	191	26,748	347	48,331
15	Karnataka	1,319	69,547	1,307	71,839
16	Kerala	371	30,139	408	30,132
17	Ladakh	2	64	3	421
18	Lakshadweep	1	94	1	210
19	Madhya Pradesh	352	38,871	847	79,970
20	Maharashtra	797	1,04,419	1,021	1,30,810
21	Manipur	1	48	11	894
22	Meghalaya	6	546	8	1,000
23	Mizoram	3	523	3	328
24	Nagaland	2	171	9	324
25	Odisha	512	47,918	488	61,348
26	Puducherry	14	843	14	704
27	Punjab	275	33,808	314	44,247
28	Rajasthan	1,238	1,21,050	1,238	88,418
29	Sikkim	3	267	4	431
30	Tamil Nadu	403	38,722	415	39,119
31	Telangana	247	33,728	297	40,452
32	The Dadra And Nagar Haveli And Daman And Diu	3	264	4	841
33	Tripura	13	1,488	22	2,714
34	Uttar Pradesh	1,560	1,47,760	3,275	3,85,871
35	Uttarakhand	104	7,462	165	11,526
36	West Bengal	105	11,687	315	42,323
	TOTAL	9,642	9,51,168	13,856	14,70,277

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District-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26) in Chhattisgarh

Sr. No.	Districts	Number of ITIs in Year 2014	Enrolment in session 2014-15	Number of ITIs in Year 2026	Enrolment in session 2025-26
1	Balod	6	461	12	1,205
2	Balrampur	2	21	3	163
3	Bastar	4	459	6	720
4	Bemetara	5	261	10	735
5	Bijapur	1	0	2	167
6	Bilaspur	12	1,669	17	2,396
7	Balodabazar-Bhatapara	4	399	8	961
8	Dhamtari	2	129	7	837
9	Durg	16	2,303	30	4,271
10	Dakshin Bastar Dantewada	2	250	3	348
11	Gariyaband	2	58	2	205
12	Gaurela-Pendra-Marwahi	2	178	3	296
13	Janjgir-Champa	16	756	23	2,447
14	Jashpur	2	132	3	185
15	Kondagaon	3	134	3	502
16	Korba	6	540	6	852
17	Korea	8	309	8	597
18	Kabeerdham	3	161	4	221
19	Mahasamund	3	377	5	517
20	Mungeli	2	89	3	200
21	Narayanpur	2	242	3	494
22	Raigad	10	723	12	1,261
23	Raipur	12	1,464	14	1,598
24	Rajnandgaon	7	367	14	1,289
25	Sukma	1	0	2	84
26	Surajpur	3	99	6	331
27	Surguja	5	468	6	587
28	Uttar Bastar Kanker	6	313	6	501
TOTAL		147	12,362	221	23,970

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District-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26) in Maharashtra

Sr. No.	Districts	Number of ITIs in Year 2014	Enrolment in session 2014-15	Number of ITIs in Year 2026	Enrolment in session 2025-26
1	Ahmednagar	34	4,666	45	5,420
2	Akola	8	2,146	12	3,082
3	Amravati	27	4,556	33	6,533
4	Beed	20	2,049	29	3,144
5	Bhandara	26	2,494	41	3,090
6	Buldhana	18	2,860	25	4,400
7	Chandrapur	47	5,201	52	5,557
8	Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar	15	1,988	20	3,009
9	Dhule	12	1,850	24	2,305
10	Dharashiv	14	1,528	19	2,174
11	Gadchiroli	16	2,174	17	2,438
12	Gondia	15	1,735	23	2,544
13	Hingoli	7	574	9	948
14	Jalgaon	61	6,437	91	8,077
15	Jalna	12	1,252	11	1,597
16	Kolhapur	43	4,322	52	5,189
17	Latur	12	2,481	22	3,466
18	Mumbai	13	2,951	13	2,433
19	Mumbai Suburban	15	2,647	15	2,979
20	Nagpur	61	6,124	82	7,560
21	Nanded	22	2,580	27	4,148
22	Nandurbar	10	1,489	12	1,867
23	Nashik	41	6,434	51	7,616
24	Palghar	13	1,753	16	2,149
25	Parbhani	11	1,310	16	2,304
26	Pune	49	7,327	62	8,302
27	Raigad	19	2,795	21	2,751
28	Ratnagiri	16	2,114	17	2,226
29	Sangli	25	2,634	26	3,202
30	Satara	15	2,778	19	3,195
31	Sindhudurg	9	878	11	1,098
32	Solapur	32	3,046	36	4,097
33	Thane	14	3,077	19	3,459
34	Wardha	20	2,003	23	2,365
35	Washim	6	861	8	1,576
36	Yavatmal	19	3,305	22	4,510
TOTAL		797	1,04,419	1,021	1,30,810

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District-wise details of number of ITIs (in Year 2014 & Year 2026) and enrolment in ITIs (in Session 2014-15 & 2025-26) in Odisha

Sr. No.	Districts	Number of ITIs in Year 2014	Enrolment in session 2014-15	Number of ITIs in Year 2026	Enrolment in session 2025-26
1	Anugul	28	2,913	28	3,043
2	Balangir	9	768	12	1,318
3	Baleshwar	49	4,915	50	6,018
4	Bargarh	10	668	11	1,093
5	Bhadrak	25	2,943	24	3,118
6	Boudh	2	80	2	316
7	Cuttack	44	3,780	31	4,697
8	Deogarh	2	179	3	323
9	Dhenkanal	19	1,171	17	1,934
10	Gajapati	4	245	6	588
11	Ganjam	36	4,093	38	6,181
12	Jagatsinghapur	19	1,504	18	2,023
13	Jajapur	25	2,027	23	2,500
14	Jharsuguda	6	595	7	867
15	Kalahandi	10	592	5	949
16	Kandhamal	1	243	3	704
17	Kendrapara	18	1,287	17	1,388
18	Kendujhar	15	1,384	15	2,206
19	Khordha	50	3,549	40	3,739
20	Koraput	11	1,255	12	1,831
21	Malkangiri	2	139	2	384
22	Mayurbhanj	42	4,395	43	4,446
23	Nabarangpur	6	96	4	680
24	Nayagarh	9	504	10	676
25	Nuapada	2	285	3	435
26	Puri	21	1,214	16	1,407
27	Rayagada	4	647	5	661
28	Sambalpur	8	1,046	7	1,341
29	Sonepur	2	99	2	544
30	Sundargarh	33	5,302	34	5,938
TOTAL		512	47,918	488	61,348

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (C) TO (G) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NUMBER 230 ANSWERED ON 20.07.2026

List of 32 New Age Trades running in ITIs:

S. No.	Trade Name
1	Additive Manufacturing (3D Printing) Technician
2	Aeronautical Structure and Equipment Fitter
3	Artificial Intelligence Programming Assistant
4	Advanced CNC Machining Technician
5	Computer Aided Manufacturing (CAM) Programmer
6	Cyber Security Assistant
7	Data Annotation Assistant
8	Drone Pilot (Junior)
9	Drone Technician
10	Engineering Design Technician (Artisan Using Advanced Tool)
11	Fiber to Home Technician
12	Geo Informatics Assistant
13	Green Hydrogen Production Technician
14	Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) Technician
15	Industrial Robotics and Digital Manufacturing
16	Information Technology
17	Internet of Things Technician (Smart Agriculture)
18	Internet of Things Technician (Smart City)
19	Internet of Things Technician (Smart Healthcare)
20	Manufacturing Process Control & Automation
21	Mechanic Electric Vehicle
22	Multimedia, Animation & Special Effects
23	Semiconductor Technician
24	Small Hydro Power Plant Technician
25	Smartphone Technician Cum App Tester
26	Software Testing Assistant
27	Solar Technician (Electrical)
28	Technician Mechatronics
29	Virtual Analysis and Designer – FEM (Finite Element Method) (Basic Designer and Virtual Verifier)
30	Wind Plant Technician
31	5G Network Technician
32	Nuclear Power Plant Technician
