

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1820
ANSWERED ON 13/02/2023

Drop-out in Primary and Secondary School Education

1820. SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of drop outs in primary and secondary school education during the last five years, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the measures taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to ensure free and compulsory education to all students; and
- (c) the details of the financial assistance provided under various schemes during the last five years, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)

(a): The Department of School Education and Literacy (DoSEL), Ministry of Education has developed the Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+) system to record data on indicators of school education provided by all the States and Union Territories. State/UT-wise dropout rate of Primary and Secondary for the year 2017-18 to 2021-22 are at annexure-I.

(b): Education is in the concurrent list of the Constitution and majority of the schools are under the domain of respective State and UT Government. DoSEL with effect from 2018-19 has launched an Integrated Centrally Sponsored Scheme for School Education- Samagra Shiksha. The scheme has now been aligned with the recommendations of NEP 2020 to ensure that all children have access to quality education with an equitable and inclusive classroom environment which should take care of their diverse background, multilingual needs, different academic abilities and make them active participants in the learning process.

Under the scheme, financial assistance is provided to States and UTs for undertaking various activities to reduce number of Out of School Children (OoSC) including opening/strengthening of new schools upto senior secondary level, construction of school buildings & additional classrooms, setting up, up-gradation and running of Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalayas, setting up of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Avasiya Vidyalayas, free uniforms, free text books, transport allowance and undertaking enrolment & retention drives. Further, special training for age appropriate admission of out of school children and residential as well as non-residential training for older children, seasonal hostels / residential camps, special training centres at worksites, transport/ escort facility are also supported to bring out of school children to the formal schooling system. Further, under the student oriented component for the children with special needs, financial assistance is provided for

identification and assessment of children with special needs, aids and appliances, braille kits and books, appropriate teaching learning material and stipend to girl students with disability etc.

Under 'Pradhan Mantri Poshan Shakti Nirman' (PM POSHAN) one hot cooked meal in Government and Government aided schools is provided to students at the elementary level of education.

Also, Section 10 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act states that it shall be the duty of every parent or guardian to admit or cause to be admitted his or her child or ward, as the case may be, for elementary education in the neighborhood school.

Also, under National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme scholarship is awarded to meritorious students of economically weaker sections to arrest their drop out at class VIII and encourage them to continue the study at secondary stage.

(c): Financial assistance provided under various schemes during the last five years, State/UT-wise is at annexure II.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1820 ASKED BY SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO, HON'BLE MP TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.02.2023, REGARDING 'DROP-OUT IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION'

DROP OUT RATE IN PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATION FOR THE YEAR 2017-18 TO 2021-22, STATE/UT-WISE

STATES/UTS	DROP OUT RATE AT PRIMARY LEVEL					DROP OUT RATE AT SECONDARY LEVEL				
	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	0.2	1.0	0.5	2.3	0.4	7.7	22.2	15.7	7.0	5.0
ANDHRA PRADESH	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.9	16.4	14.8	16.7	16.3
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	8.1	13.8	6.2	8.1	9.3	19.0	36.0	34.3	10.1	11.7
ASSAM	10.1	3.1	4.3	3.3	6.0	33.7	31.5	32.3	30.3	20.3
BIHAR	5.1	7.8	2.3	0.0	0.0	32.1	28.5	21.4	17.6	20.5
CHANDIGARH	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5	4.7	0.0	0.0
CHHATTISGARH	1.9	3.4	1.0	0.7	0.8	20.1	19.8	18.3	13.4	9.7
DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.1	0.0	0.0			25.1	20.5	20.3		
DAMAN & DIU	0.4	0.0	0.0	3.9	0.0	21.2	21.7	20.0	17.7	9.5
DELHI	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.5	14.9	13.9	6.1	4.8
GOA	0.0	1.5	0.3	1.5	0.0	7.3	9.4	10.2	5.7	9.0
GUJARAT	1.7	2.3	1.0	1.0	0.0	20.6	23.8	23.7	23.3	17.9
HARYANA	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	13.5	14.8	13.3	10.8	5.9
HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.0	0.3	0.9	1.9	0.0	6.5	7.8	7.2	7.6	1.5
JAMMU & KASHMIR	2.9	6.7	5.9	4.4	4.0	3.4	17.8	18.5	3.7	6.0
JHARKHAND	0.0	5.4	6.3	3.5	1.8	9.5	22.3	16.6	13.0	9.3
KARNATAKA	1.7	0.0	1.2	1.1	0.0	24.3	23.4	16.8	16.6	14.7
KERALA	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	9.1	7.9	7.1	5.5
LADAKH	-	-	0.0	4.1	6.5	-	-	0.0	3.4	4.9
LAKSHADWEEP	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	5.5	4.6	6.7	0.0	0.0
MADHYA PRADESH	4.0	3.3	0.8	1.3	3.1	24.2	24.9	23.2	23.8	10.1
MAHARASHTRA	0.2	1.1	0.0	1.0	0.0	12.6	13.3	15.2	11.2	10.7
MANIPUR	3.4	6.1	8.8	8.5	13.3	6.0	13.0	9.2	9.4	1.3
MEGHALAYA	1.7	16.9	7.0	7.4	9.8	17.5	19.5	22.2	27.6	21.7
MIZORAM	8.0	7.5	7.8	8.1	6.4	19.7	10.6	20.4	20.0	11.9
NAGALAND	4.6	11.4	4.2	5.9	5.0	13.2	24.1	21.2	23.6	17.5
ODISHA	5.8	3.4	0.8	0.0	0.0	28.3	9.5	23.6	16.0	27.3
PUDUCHERRY	3.2	0.6	0.0	0.0	3.7	17.5	12.7	7.9	6.9	6.3
PUNJAB	2.9	1.4	0.0	0.0	1.3	12.4	11.5	1.6	9.0	17.2
RAJASTHAN	3.4	5.2	2.9	1.0	3.6	10.5	12.7	12.3	8.9	7.7
SIKKIM	0.0	5.4	0.0	1.2	1.8	16.1	23.7	23.2	21.6	11.9
TAMILNADU	5.9	1.2	1.1	0.6	0.0	16.2	13.0	9.6	6.4	4.5
TELANGANA	3.5	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.1	13.5	12.3	13.9	13.7
TRIPURA	0.9	3.1	2.0	4.2	1.1	27.2	29.6	26.7	26.7	8.3
UTTARAKHAND	3.4	3.7	2.5	1.7	2.7	11.4	11.0	8.4	8.3	9.7
UTTAR PRADESH	7.2	9.7	2.7	2.2	0.8	19.0	15.5	14.4	12.5	5.0
WEST BENGAL	0.2	3.5	0.6	0.0	8.6	14.7	19.5	13.8	13.3	18.0
TOTAL	3.5	4.5	1.5	0.8	1.5	18.9	17.9	16.1	14.0	12.6

Source:-Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+)

Annexure-II

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SAMAGRA SHIKSHA – CENTRAL SHARE RELEASES 2018-19 TO 2022-23

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl.No.	Name of the State	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
		Central Share Releases	Central Share Releases	Central Share Releases	Central Share Releases	Central Share Releases as on 09.02.2023
1	A & N Islands	2180.33	3093.94	4037.43	3152.32	3785.40
2	Andhra Pradesh	95096.76	105996.21	86975.09	68301.36	86740.48
3	Arunachal Pradesh	33048.80	34717.07	33964.52	27996.24	25229.47
4	Assam	157072.23	152100.38	159429.09	156156.40	98279.99
5	Bihar	305837.73	326693.12	282822.81	340608.45	185565.10
6	Chandigarh	7714.56	6371.14	7115.42	10804.09	7903.07
7	Chhattisgarh	88206.43	101322.73	35068.41	33236.78	48910.77
8	Dadra & N. Haveli	3462.38	3835.33	3493.77	2092.45	5309.36
9	Daman & Diu	631.22	924.44			
10	Delhi	13981.74	25698.06	14926.44	14588.04	22193.92
11	Goa	1353.03	1525.39	1788.38	1102.19	1261.24
12	Gujarat	67089.16	115286.16	97632.80	89375.71	79371.51
13	Haryana	57841.95	61846.56	74570.72	51709.18	24560.52
14	Himachal Pradesh	43295.44	47315.93	49230.46	31910.05	28037.03
15	Jammu & Kashmir	171776.09	74028.22	38557.43	87398.83	0.00
16	Jharkhand	68596.00	91426.74	86561.21	85897.13	73858.81
17	Karnataka	62784.00	73032.69	61010.01	47451.63	56187.19
18	Kerala	25604.99	21420.28	23838.59	22512.79	11250.00
19	Ladakh	0.00	4147.17	5806.39	5717.55	0.00
20	Lakshadweep	265.06	728.11	254.63	216.15	432.99
21	Madhya Pradesh	243783.65	256144.65	246219.48	229279.75	193671.37
22	Maharashtra	95051.92	73423.81	63559.58	69302.88	41220.13
23	Manipur	25202.02	27363.08	32364.84	18250.19	16833.38
24	Meghalaya	23784.61	32311.14	28355.68	27171.38	27234.77
25	Mizoram	14630.41	16813.38	18855.02	17968.14	14268.09
26	Nagaland	19766.33	19047.59	21347.11	13734.16	17051.30
27	Odisha	123021.50	189289.15	130145.67	123807.39	119289.25
28	Puducherry	804.88	786.54	972.44	1397.54	781.67
29	Punjab	44400.00	46239.27	53143.13	50127.01	40152.87
30	Rajasthan	262721.45	291132.13	225943.67	240582.13	180011.05
31	Sikkim	6624.19	11040.54	6451.72	10012.46	6821.69
32	Tamil Nadu	147444.01	176912.17	162153.74	159882.18	142143.94
33	Telangana	68840.41	109524.00	34807.36	55327.91	47994.97
34	Tripura	24896.49	23492.36	40371.19	22692.81	23577.29
35	Uttar Pradesh	462541.04	498559.56	457185.61	204497.10	33593.33
36	Uttarakhand	51138.26	51187.76	54149.33	32083.60	211790.40
37	West Bengal	108934.52	157905.49	132743.02	130974.48	95596.33
	Total	2929423.59	3232682.27	2775852.18	2487318.43	1970908.68

Since 2020-21 D&NH and D&D is merged as one UT