

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2771
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17th March, 2023

SAINIK SCHOOLS

2771. SHRI JASWANT SINGH BHABHOR:

SHRIMATI NAVNEET RAVI RANA:

SHRIMATI REKHA VERMA:

SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ):

SHRIMATI HIMADRI SINGH:

Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Sainik schools functional in the country, State/UT-wise and district-wise including Uttar Pradesh and Gujarat;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to open new Sainik schools in the country through partnership mode with NGOs and private institutions;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise and district-wise including Dahod in Gujarat, Lakhimpur Kheri or Sitapur in Uttar Pradesh, Shahdol Parliamentary constituency and Amravati Parliamentary Constituency;
- (d) whether any proposal has been received from various States and Non-Governmental institutions in this regard, if so, the details of the total proposals received and number of those approved and rejected; and
- (e) whether Sainik School Society has submitted its evaluation report to the Government for the said purpose, if so, the details thereof?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) to (c): The list of 33 Sainik schools established under erstwhile pattern, State/UT-wise and district-wise is at Annexure-I. Further, the Government has approved an initiative to open new Sainik schools across the country in partnership mode with NGOs/Private/State Government schools in all States/UTs subject to fulfillment of qualifying requirements and signing of Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) with the Sainik Schools Society. Towards this, till date

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Sainik Schools Society/Ministry of Defence, after due process of evaluation and approval, has signed Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) with 18 schools. The details of these 18 new Sainik schools State/UT-wise and district-wise is at Annexure-II. In so far as Lakhimpur Kheri in Uttar Pradesh, Sitapur in Uttar Pradesh and Shahdol Parliamentary constituency in Madhya Pradesh is concerned, no applications have been received from any NGOs/Private/State Government schools located there. However, two applications each have been received from Dahod in Gujarat and Amravati Parliamentary Constituency which are subject to approval based on meeting of qualifying requirements framed for the purpose and agreeing to the approval by-laws and signing of Memorandum of Agreement by the Sainik Schools Society with the school.

(d) & (e): The total number of applications received for opening of new Sainik schools in Round-1 is 379 out of which, Sainik Schools Society, after due process of evaluation and approval of the Ministry of Defence, has signed Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) with 18 schools. In Round-2, Sainik Schools Society has received 261 updated (from Round-1) and 88 fresh applications which are subject to approval based on meeting of qualifying requirements framed for the purpose, compliance to the approved by-laws and signing of Memorandum of Agreement with Sainik Schools Society.

ANNEXURE-I REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2771 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2023 REGARDING “SAINIK SCHOOLS”.

Details of 33 functional Sainik Schools established under erstwhile pattern

Sl. No.	State	District	Number of Sainik Schools
1	Andhra Pradesh	Annamayya	1
		Vizianagaram	1
2	Arunachal Pradesh	East Siang	1
3	Assam	Goalpara	1
4	Bihar	Gopalganj	1
		Nalanda	1
5	Chhattisgarh	Surguja	1
6	Gujarat	Jamnagar	1
7	Haryana	Karnal	1
		Rewari	1
8	Himachal Pradesh	Hamirpur	1
9	Jammu	Jammu	1
10	Jharkhand	Koderma	1
11	Karnataka	Bijapur	1
		Kodagu	1
12	Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram	1
13	Madhya Pradesh	Rewa	1
14	Maharashtra	Satara	1
		Chandrapur	1
15	Manipur	Imphal East	1
16	Mizoram	Serchip	1
17	Nagaland	Peren	1
18	Odisha	Khordha	1
		Sambalpur	1
19	Punjab	Kapurthala	1
20	Rajasthan	Chittorgarh	1
		Jhunjhunu	1
21	Tamil Nadu	Tiruppur	1
22	Uttarakhand	Nainital	1
23	Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	1
		Mainpuri	1
		Amethi	1
24	West Bengal	Purulia	1
Total			33

ANNEXURE-II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2771 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2023 REGARDING “SAINIK SCHOOLS”.

Details of 18 New Sainik Schools (in Partnership mode)

Sl. No.	State/UT	District	Number of New Sainik Schools
1.	Andhra Pradesh	SPSR Nellore	1
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	Tawang	1
3.	Bihar	Samastipur	1
		Patna	1
4.	Gujarat	Junagadh	1
		Mehsana	1
5.	Haryana	Fatehabad	1
		Rohtak	1
6.	Himachal Pradesh	Solan	1
7.	Karnataka	Belagavi	1
		Mysuru	1
8.	Kerala	Kozhikode	1
9.	Madhya Pradesh	Mandsaur	1
10.	Maharashtra	Ahmednagar	1
		Sangli	1
11.	Punjab	Patiala	1
12.	Tamil Nadu	Tuticorin	1
13.	Dadar& Nagar Haveli	Silvassa	1
Total			18
