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

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO- 97 ANSWERED ON 29/07/2024

Restructuring of Teachers Training System

*97 Shri Selvam G:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the criteria fixed by the Government for conducting teachers training programme for primary and secondary school teachers;
- (b) the details of teachers training programme conducted for Primary and Secondary level teachers belonging to SC/ST/OBC category during the last three years and the current year in the State of Tamil Nadu:
- (c) the number of teachers of SC/ST/OBC category trained till now under this programme;
- (d) whether the Government is considering any changes/updation in the training programme for teachers, if so, the details thereof
- (e) whether the Government has restructured the teacher training system and increased the duration of courses and made internships compulsory and if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the other steps taken by the Government to improve the standard of education in the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF EDUCATION

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) to (f): A statement is laid on the table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (f) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 97 FOR REPLY ON 29.07.2024 ASKED BY SHRI SELVAM G, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING RESTRUCTURING OF TEACHERS TRAINING SYSTEM

(a) to (f): Education is in the concurrent list of the Constitution and the recruitment, deployment, terms and conditions of the service of teachers, including training of teachers, comes under the administrative domain of the respective State and UT Government.

As per the information provided by the SCERT, Tamil Nadu:

- Trainings are given to all the teachers irrespective of their category.
- Category-wise Distribution of Teachers in Tamil Nadu is as under:

Particulars	Class 1-5	Class 6-10	Handling Class 11-12	Total Teachers handling Class 1-12
SC	13829	19053	7680	40562
ST	641	783	303	1727
OBC	66504	73121	30319	169944
General	4342	5342	1632	11316

(Source: EMIS, SCERT, Tamil Nadu)

Details of the training programme conducted for Primary and Secondary level teachers in the State of Tamil Nadu from 2022-23 to 2024-25 is attached as **Annexure-I.**

As per the recommendation NEP 2020, in order to implement the reforms envisaged in NEP-2020 for Teacher Education and to prepare teachers to face the new challenges, an Integrated Teacher Education Program (ITEP) has been launched. School experience and internships are the most significant components of the ITEP curriculum and are an integral part of the education and training of teachers.

Furthermore, NEP 2020 recognises the reinvigoration of DIETs to change the capacity and work culture of these institutions and develop them into vibrant institutions of excellence. Financial assistance under Samagra Shiksha is being provided to States/UTs for physical upgradation of all 613 functional DIETs in the country in a phased manner in the next five years. In the FY 2023-24, 125 DIETS across 33 States/UTs with an approximate budget of Rs. 92,320.18 Lakhs have been approved.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (f) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 97 FOR REPLY ON 29.07.2024 ASKED BY SHRI SELVAM G, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING RESTRUCTURING OF TEACHERS TRAINING SYSTEM:

• Academic Year 2022-2023:

Training	Type of Teachers
Ennum Ezhuthum	Teacher handling class 1-5
ICT for All	Teacher handling class 1-12
Exemplar Content	Teacher handling class 1-12
Ennum Ezhuthum - Bridge Course	Teacher handling class 1-5
Assessment	Teacher handling class 1-5
Spoken English	All English Teachers handling class 6-8

• Academic Year 2023-2024:

Training	Type of Teachers	
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Ennum Ezhuthum	Teacher handling class 1-5	
Emotional well-being & life-skills	Teacher handling class 9-12	
Spoken English	All English Teachers handling class 6-8	
Health & Well-being	Teacher handling class 1-12	
Learning Outcome & Assessment	Teacher handling class 6-10	
Parental Engagement & Classroom Management	Teacher handling class 1-5	
Strategies		
Children with Special Needs	Teacher handling class 1-5	
Capacity Building of Trainers (Creation of separate	250 Teacher handling Class 1-5, 250	
Training Cadre)	Teacher handling class 6-10, 400 Teacher	
	handling class 11-12	
Archaeology Training	1000 Teachers handling Tamil & Social	
	Science for class 1-10	

• Academic Year 2024-2025:

Training	Type of Teachers	
Ennum Ezhuthum	Teacher handling class 1-5	
Information Communication & Technology	Teacher handling class 1-12	
Emotional well being	Teacher handling class 9-12	
Spoken English	All English Teachers handling class 6-8	
Creating safe space for Children (Cybercrime, Gender Sensitization, Substance/Drug use)	Teacher handling class 1-12	
Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse	Teacher handling class 1-12	
Children with Special Needs	Teacher handling class 1-12	
Creating reading as a Habit (Vassipu lyakkam)	Teacher handling class 1-10	
Differentiated Teaching & Learning	Teacher handling class 1-10	
Art of Questioning	Teacher handling class 1-10	
Value Education	Teacher handling class 6-12	
Capacity Building of Trainers	250 Teacher handling Class 1-5	
(Creation of separate Training Cadre)	250 Teacher handling Class 6-10	
	400 Teacher handling Class 11-12	
Archaeology Training	1000 Teacher handling Tamil & Social	
	Science for class 1-10	