

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:32
ANSWERED ON:24.02.2010
OPENING OF KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA(S)
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the norms adopted for opening of Kendriya Vidyalaya(s) in the country;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal to set up Kendriya Vidyalaya(s) in the country including the backward districts of Rajasthan;
- (c) if so, the details thereof including the places identified for the purpose, State-wise;
- (d) the funds earmarked/sanctioned for the purpose and utilised during the last three years and the current year, year-wise; and
- (e) the number of proposals received from the State Governments in this regard and their present status, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SHRI KAPIL SIBAL)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 32 ASKED BY SHRI DEVJIM. PATEL AND SHRI RUDRA MADHAB RAY TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.02.2010 REGARDING OPENING OF KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA (S)

(a) Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) are opened primarily to cater to the educational needs of the children of transferable Central Government employees including defence and para-military personnel. KVs are opened on receipt of proposals from the sponsoring agencies including Ministries of Govt. of India, State Governments, Central Public Sector Undertakings and Institute of Higher Learning, committing the availability of requisite resources, which include land for construction of permanent building and temporary accommodation to commence the school. Norms for opening of KVs are at Annexure-I.

(b) A proposal to open new KVs during the 11th Five Year Plan is under process.

(c) The locations of new KVs would depend on the viability of the proposals received from the sponsoring agencies.

(d) Separate funds have not been earmarked for opening of new KVs. However, there is an allocation of Rs. 1500 crore for the Kendriya Vidyalaya scheme during the 11th Plan. Budget estimate under "Plan" for Kendriya Vidyalayas during the last three years and the actual utilization during the last three years and the current year are given below:-

Year	Budget estimate ("Plan") (Rs. in crore)	Release (Rs. in crore)	Utilization (Rs. in crore)
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2006-07	235.00	235.00	235.00
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2007-08	300.00	250.00	250.00
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2008-09	300.00	300.00	300.00
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2009-10	300.00	300.00	300.00
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(Upto
19.02.10)

Since 1.4.2006,50 new Kendriya Vidyalayas have been opened.The amounts sanctioned for these new KVs utilized during the last 3 years and the current year are as follows:-

Year	Amount sanctioned (Rs. in crore)	Amount utilized (Rs. in crore)
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2006-07	Nil	Nil
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2007-08	3.40	3.40
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2008-09	19.76	19.76
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2009-10 (upto 19.02.2010)	41.90	41.90
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(e) As on date,KVS has 91 proposals from State Governments for opening of new Kendriya Vidyalayas. Feasibility of 46 such proposals has been ascertained and the feasibility studies for the remaining 45 proposals are in various stages of process. The state-wise details are at Annexure-II.