

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

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INDIA AS EDUCATION HUB
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Government to make India an education hub during the last three years till date; and

(b) the efforts made by the Government alongwith the allocation made for developing world class infrastructure in the country in this regard during the last three years and current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) & (b): The Eleventh Five Year plan envisages the setting up of 30 Central Universities including 14 world class universities, 8 new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), 7 new Indian Institutes of Management(IIMs), 10 new National Institutes of Technology(NITs), 3 Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research(IISERs), 20 Indian Institutes of Information Technology(IIITs) and 2 new Schools of Planning and Architecture (SPAs).

No separate allocation has been made for infrastructure development.The details of the funds allocated under Plan Head for the Department of Higher Education during the last three years and current year are as under:-

(Rs in Crores)	
2006-2007	Rs. 2530.50
2007-2008	Rs. 6483.00
2008-2009	Rs. 7600.00
2009-2010	Rs. 9600.00