

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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NAVODAYA VIDYALAYAS

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the norms adopted for opening Navodaya Vidyalayas in the country;
- (b) the number of such Vidyalayas functioning in the country at present, State-wise;
- (c) the number of Vidyalayas opened during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government is planning to open more Navodaya Vidyalayas during the Twelfth Plan Period;
- (e) if so, the details including the locations thereof, State-wise and the time by which these are likely to be opened; and
- (f) the details of the funds sanctioned, released and utilized by Navodaya Vidyalayas during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a) Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme envisages opening of one JNV in each district of the country. In addition, the Govt. has also approved opening of 20 JNVs in the districts having large concentration of SC/ST population and two additional JNVs in Ukhrul and Senapati districts of Manipur. The state of Tamil Nadu has not yet opted for the Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme.

(b) State-wise list of functional JNVs is at Annexure-I.

(c) List of JNVs opened in the years 2009-10 and 2010-11 is as follows:

2009-10 2010-11

1. Palamu Jharkhand) 1. Jammu (J&K)

2. Dantewara Chhattisgarh) 2. Sriganganagar

3. Malkangiri (Orissa) (Rajasthan)

4. Gaya (Bihar)

5. South 24 Parganas
(West Bengal)

No new JNV has been opened in 2011-12 and the current year.

(d)&(e) The Twelfth Plan proposals for new JNVs have not been finalized by the Planning Commission.

(f) The State-wise details of funds allocated and utilized by Navodaya Vidyalayas during the last three years are at Annexure-II. No funds have been released during the current financial year.