

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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CAREER COUNSELLING
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Central and State Government funded schools in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the number of students that have passed out of standard 12th from these schools during the last three years;
- (c) the number of students currently studying in standards 10th, 11th and 12th in these schools, State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government has taken any steps to provide career counselling to these students;
- (e) if so, the total number of students that have been provided with career counselling during the last three years and the current year, State-wise and year-wise;and
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (Dr. SHASHI THAROOR)

(a) to (c) As per the Statistics of School Education brought out by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, the State-wise number of Government, Local Bodies and Private aided schools during 2010-11(Provisional) are at Annex-I. Data on the number of students who have passed out from these schools is not maintained separately. However, as per the annual publication "Results of High School and Higher Secondary Examinations" of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, the total number of students passed in the Higher Secondary Examination during 2008, 2009 and 2010 in the country is given below:

Year	2008	2009	2010
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Total number of	7013312	7890033	8000563	students passed
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The data on the number of students studying in these schools is not maintained separately. However, State-wise number of students enrolled in Classes X, XI and XII in all types of schools during 2010-11(Provisional) is at Annex-II.

(d) to (f) Schools on their own initiative may take steps to provide career counseling to their students. However, no centralized data on this practice is maintained in the Ministry.