

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

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ENROLMENT RATE

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

- (a) the details of enrolment in primary and middle schools in the country during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) whether in some States, primary school enrolment has fallen in the current year as compared to the previous year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons for this fall in enrolment;
- (d) the steps taken to improve the enrolment of children;
- (e) whether the Union Government has sought a report from the State Government in this regard and if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the details of funds allocated for primary, secondary and senior secondary schools in rural areas during the last three years, year-wise?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c): As per Unified District Information System for Education (UDISE), the statement showing the State-wise details on enrolment of children at primary and upper primary level during 2011-12, 2012-13 & 2013-14 is at Annexure. The reason for decrease in enrolment at primary level is mainly due to reduction in child population.

(d) to (f): Adequate school infrastructure, distribution of free uniform, textbooks, sanction of additional teacher posts, teacher training, special training for out of school children, transports/ escort facilities, opening of KGBVs, provision for CWSN children, Mid-day-Meal etc., are being provided to improve the enrolment of children at elementary education level. During 2011-12, 2012-13 & 2013-14, Rs. 2077538.33 lakh, Rs. 2383655.62 lakh & Rs.2473509.82 lakh were released under SSA programme and Rs. 249590.18 lakh, Rs.316283.89 lakh & Rs. 304096.06 lakh were released under Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) programme to improve access & quality in secondary education, during the above period.