

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

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National/Adarsh School for Differently Abled
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is running any national centres or Adarsh Vidyalayas for the visually impaired, deaf, dumb and other differently abled persons in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the number of students enrolled in these Centres/Adarsh Vidyalayas State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

(a) & (b) The following National Institutes under this Department are running the centres/schools:

National Institute for Visually Handicapped, Dehradun

(i) Model School for the Visually Handicapped, Dehradun.

Number of students: 249

(ii) Hill Model of Inclusive Education Centre at Uttarkashi (Uttarakhand) and Shillong (Meghalaya).

Number of students: 143

(iii) The Institute Regional Chapter at Kolkata runs a school programme for children in age group of 3 to 5 years.

Number of students: 17

National Institute for the Mentally Handicapped, Secunderabad

(i) A Special Education Centre at its Headquarters, Secunderabad.

Number of students: 115

(ii) A Model Special Education Centre at New Delhi and

Number of students: 80

(iii) A Model Special Education Centre at NOIDA for mentally retarded children.

Number of students: 54

Pt. Deendayal Upadhyay Institute for the Physically Handicapped, New Delhi.

(i) The Institute runs an Integrated Primary School at New Delhi to impart education upto 5th standard to the children with mild to moderate locomotor disability.

Number of students: 70

(c) A total number of 728 students are enrolled in these seven schools/centres during 2015-16.
