

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

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Swachhata Programme in School Curriculum  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the amount sanctioned and allocated during the last three years and the current year for Swachh Vidyalaya Programme;
- (b) whether the Government proposes/ likely to propose to include Swachhata Programme in school curriculum for ensuring its continuity; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) In pursuance of the announcement made by the Prime Minister on the Independence Day in 2014 to provide toilets with separate toilets for girls and boys in all schools, the Swachh Vidyalaya initiative has been launched by the Department from August, 2014 onwards. However, the Department financially supports States and Union Territories, for augmentation and improvement of school infrastructure including construction of toilets under the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) and the Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) programmes. During last three years and current year central releases under SSA and RMSA to States for all purpose including construction of toilets are as follows:

(Rs. In Crore)

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Year SSA RMSA

2012-13 23836.46 3162.86

2013-14 24735.10 2934.79

2014-15 24030.16 3389.30

2015-16 (upto June, 2015) 7222.93 943.03

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(b) & (c) The National Council of Educational Research & Training (NCERT) has developed syllabi of Health and Physical Education for all stages of school education. These syllabi incorporate concerns regarding health, hygiene, cleanliness and sanitation across different stages of school education. The MHRD has also asked all States / UTs to carry out activities in schools for creating awareness on sanitation and hand washing.

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