

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

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SCHOLARSHIP TO SC STUDENTS  
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**Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the amount given as scholarship to the students belonging to the Scheduled Caste (SC) community under the pre-matric and post-matric scholarship schemes separately during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) whether the amount of scholarship currently being provided to such students is insufficient;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the allocation made for providing scholarship to the SC students during the current financial year, State-wise; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to provide such scholarships to the students belonging to other backward classes and if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA)

(a) Statewise details of Amount given to SC students under Pre-Matric Scholarship Scheme for students studying in class IX & X during last three years and current year are given at Annexure-I.

Statewise details of Amount given to SC students under Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme, during last three years and current year are given at Annexure-II

(b) and (c) The rates of Scholarship are revised from time to time

(d) Statewise Ad hoc allocation made for the year 2014-15 for the Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC students studying in Class IX & X and Post-Matric Scholarship for SC Students are given in Annexure -III A & B respectively.

(e) Pre-Matric and Post-Matric Scholarship schemes are also being separately implemented for the students belonging to Other Backward Classes.