

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY**

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**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3241
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.12.2019**

CBSE Syllabus

3241. ADV. A.M. ARIFF:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to include the views and thoughts of great reformer Sree Narayana Guru in the syllabus of CBSE;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK')**

(a) and (b): NCERT has informed that the content related to the views and thoughts of great reformer Sree Narayana Guru has already been included in NCERT textbook "Our Past-III" for class VIII with a theme 'Women, Caste and Reform' under section on Caste and Social Reform. In this section under the sub heading Demand for Equality and Justice, there is a mention of Sree Narayana Guru alongwith his photograph. One of his famous statement is also mentioned in the Chapter i.e. "orujati, orumatam, orudaivammanushyanu" (one caste, one religion, one god for humankind).

(c): Does not arise.
