

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS  
LOK SABHA**

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ASSISTANCE FOR PROMOTION OF SPORTS IN RAJASTHAN  
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**Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of assistance provided by the Union Government to promote sports in Rajasthan during the last five years ;
- (b) whether schools of Rajasthan have been provided any assistance in this regard ; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof ; and
- (d) further efforts being made by the Government to promote sports in Rajasthan?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) STATISTICS & PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION, YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS AND OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES )

(a) to (d) : Till 31.3.2005, the Ministry was supplementing the efforts of the State Governments including Rajasthan for creation of various sports facilities in this direction by providing Central assistance for creation of various sports facilities under the Centrally Sponsored Sports Infrastructure Schemes in accordance with the approved pattern subject to the receipt of viable proposals from the State Government. The Sports Infrastructure schemes have been transferred to the State sector w.e.f. 1.4.2005 and all State Governments were informed accordingly in February, 2005. No funds have been allocated in the budget for 2005-06 for sports infrastructure schemes. Thus, fresh proposals for the Sports Infrastructure projects have to be funded by the State Governments out of their own resources. The details of Central assistance provided for promotion of sports in Rajasthan including assistance to schools during the last five years have been given below :-

Sl. No.	Name of the Federation	Central assistance released (Rs.in lakh)				
		2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05

1	Grants for Creation of Sports Infrastructure	774.98	872.50	1057.99	2906.98	1787.99
2	Grants to Rural Schools	242.68	343.87	310.99	399.63	482.45
3	Grants for Promotion of Sports in Universities & Colleges	454.4	669.04	665.98	1080.25	1472.00
4	Grants for Installation of synthetic Surfaces	200.00	385.00	120.67	200.00	150.00

In addition, Sports Authority of India (SAI) runs the following schemes for promotion of sports in Rajasthan .

i) National Sports Talent Scheme

(a) Guru Nanak Khalsa School, Sri Ganganagar

(b) Bhupal's Nobles High School-Udaipur

ii) Schools adopted for indigenous games and Martial Art

(a) Madhyamik Adarsh Vidya Mandir Nagwas Bandhikuien, Dhosa

(b) Padma Bnani DAV Public School, Bnani Gram Pindwara, Sirohi

iii) Adopted Navodaya Vidyalayas

(a) Navodaya Vidyalaya Teilwansi, P.O. Bhavi, Jodhpur

iv) Adopted Akharas

(a) Luv Kush Akhara Bhilwara

v) Akhara that has been provided equipment support

(a) Guru Hanuman Vyayamshala, Patel Maidan, Ajmer

vi) SAI Training Centre

(a) STC Jodhpur

(b) STC Alwar.