

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:258

ANSWERED ON:21.02.2006

CHILDREN KEEPING AWAY FROM SCHOOLS

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

- (a) whether as per the survey conducted by the Government seven per cent children between the age group of 6-13 years do not go to schools;
- (b) if so, the details and facts thereof;
- (c) whether the attention of the Government has been drawn to the news item captioned 'Sava Karor Bachche Ab Tak School Se Door' appeared in Dainik Jagran dated January 29, 2006;
- (d) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (e) the names of the States where the said children are not going to schools;
- (f) the percentage of children in the States who are not going to schools; and
- (g) the amount allocated to these States under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan by the Union Government during the year 2004-05 and 2005-06?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI)

(a)-(g) According to an independent survey commissioned by the Ministry of Human Resource Development in July- October, 2005, 6.94% children in the age group of 6-13 years were estimated to be out of school. State-wise details are indicated at column 3 and 4 in the Annexe.

Government of India has shared the details of the report with the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations to take cognisance of the findings of the report while drawing up their Annual Work Plan & Budget for Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan for the year 2006-07. The funds made available to State/ Union Territory in 2004-05 and in 2005-06 upto 10.2.2006, are given at columns 5 and 6 of Annexe.

Annexe

Statement showing Out of School children as per national survey, 2005 and funds released by Central Government under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan

(Rs. In Lakhs)

S1 Name of the States out of school children (6-13 years) as per the survey

2 Number of children in the States and UTs (6-13 years) as per the survey

3 Percentage of children out of school (6-13 years) as per the survey

4 Grant released under SSA 2004-05

5 Grant released under SSA 2005-06 (till 10.2.06)

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S1	2	3	4	5	6
1 ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	165	0.32		272.58	63.00
2 ANDHRA PRADESH	542,665		4.29	28000.00	38599.66
3 ARUNACHAL PRADESH	23,036	7.68		3009.00	4100.51
4 ASSAM	536,220	8.91		20654.00	13857.33
5 BIHAR	3,176,624	17.00		31970.56	31970.56
6 CHANDIGARH	3,086	2.20		20786.76	29184.39

7	CHATTISGARH	254,736	6.05		447.95	450.00
8	DADRA NAGAR & 0		0.00		0.00#	452.42
HAVELI						
9	DAMAN & DIU	6,134	28.75		14072.00	15084.84
10	DELHI	84,424	2.98	111.91		111.91
11	GOA	1,155	0.72	0.00#		0.00#
12	GUJARAT	380,444	3.96	0.00#		1000.00
13	HARYANA	174,040	4.51		12881.55	10196.55
14	HIMACHAL	4,942	0.54		6144.00	7614.66
PRADESH						
15	JAMMU & KASHMIR	4,777	0.29		7747.18	18530.65
16	JHARKHAND	620,945	10.88		16568.50	27997.50
17	KARNATAKA	119,517	1.42		26280.70	28303.78
18	KERALA	23,242	0.55		8939.00	5939.00
19	LAKSHADWEEP	1,104	8.33	12.03	0.00#	
20	MADHYA PRADESH	1,085,096		8.63	44608.92	77267.49
21	MAHARASTRA	529,295	3.17		35489.79	50235.31
22	MANIPUR	67,515	14.74		1225.00	1327.44
23	MEGHALAYA	22,132	3.74		2930.81	1925.81
24	MIZORAM	1,558	0.73		3300.24	1653.74
25	NAGALAND	32,406	8.38		2088.49	2323.01
26	ORISSA	332,615	5.37		21807.27	32809.11
27	PONDICHERRY	583	0.36		3040.00	14683.89
28	PUNJAB	108,754	2.87		225.53	529.40
29	RAJASTHAN	795,089	6.90		23549.40	60313.43
30	SIKKIM	3,803	2.94		1000.25	600.25
31	TAMILNADU	193,418	2.14		26517.00	35329.53
32	TRIPURA	5,121	1.24		4703.96	7070.19
33	UTTAR PRADESH	2,995,208	8.15		87761.00	182799.00
34	UTTARANCHAL	116,680	7.47		9144.71	10066.46
35	WEST BENGAL	1,213,205	8.67		46024.36	31024.00
	ALL INDIA	13,459,734	6.94		511041.86	743351.82

Unspent funds of previous years available