

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1678
ANSWERED ON:07.03.2006
STATUS OF PRIMARY EDUCATION
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the status of primary education in various States particularly in Rajasthan as a result of implementation of welfare schemes like free distribution of textbooks, free education and 'Mid-day Meal Schemes', State-wise; and

(b) the time by when the target of cent percent literacy is likely to be achieved, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a) A statement showing the State-wise educational indicators at primary level such as Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER), Drop out rate and Pupil Teacher Ratio (PTR) as on 30.9.2003 is annexed.

(b) The goal of National Literacy Mission (NLM) is to attain a sustainable threshold literacy rate of 75% by 2007.

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1678 FOR 7.3.2006 REGARDING STATUS OF PRIMARY EDUCATION

Statement showing the State wise educational indicators at primary level such as Gross Enrolment Ratio(GER), Dropout Rate and Pupil Teacher Ratio (PTR) as on 30.9.2003

S.No.	States/UTS	Gross Enrolment Ratio	Dropout Teacher Ratio	Pupil
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1	Andhra Pradesh	87.72	42.61	35
2	Arunachal Pradesh	109.56	46.34	39
3	Assam	88.16	53.15	40
4	Bihar	72.57	59.03	74
5	Chhattisgarh	123.29	-	47
6	Goa	97.96	-1.9	20
7	Gujarat	113.41	26.02	32
8	Haryana	75.25	13.31	45
9	Himachal Pradesh	106.47	16.98	21
10	Jammu & Kashmir	82.10	24.39	21
11	Jharkhand	79.09	-	73
12	Karnataka	108.91	9.75	34
13	Kerala	96.92	0.00	29
14	Madhya Pradesh	106.59	23.78	41
15	Maharashtra	107.60	13.07	37
16	Manipur	137.51	26.41	28
17	Meghalaya	105.51	53.41	36
18	Mizoram	120.17	55.61	18
19	Nagaland	80.48	32.81	19
20	Orissa	110.91	38.19	56
21	Punjab	73.45	22.03	42
22	Rajasthan	115.07	57.94	46
23	Sikkim	116.51	53.85	19
24	Tamil Nadu	116.51	3.23	35
25	Tripura	122.76	44.8	30

26	Uttar Pradesh	94.75	13.51	57
27	Uttaranchal	106.85	-	27
28	West Bengal	107.33	33.46	55
29	A&N Islands	116.05	-0.35	19
30	Chandigarh	71.44	-3.62	38
31	D&N Haveli	126.06	28.40	49
32	Daman & Diu	111.35	0.00	43
33	Delhi	90.10	22.03	40
34	Lakshadweep	106.37	3.03	21
35	Pondicherry	120.37	0.00	24
	INDIA	98.31	31.36	45

Source: Selected Educational Statistics 2003-04 (as on 30th September, 2003)