

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

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

- (a) the amount of scholarship provided to the SCs and OBCs students during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is considering to enhance the amount of scholarship per student in view of the inflation during the last few years;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a): (i) Details of State-wise funds released under the Scheme of Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme for Scheduled Caste students studying in class IX & X during the last three years are given as Annexure-I.
 - (ii) Details of State-wise funds released under the Scheme of Post-matric Scholarship for SC students during the last three years are given as Annexure-II
 - (iii) Details of State-wise funds released under the Scheme of Pre-matric and Post matric Scholarship for OBC students during the last three years are given as Annexure-III
- (b) to (d) Due to financial constraints, presently no proposal for further enhancement of scholarship is under consideration of this Ministry.