

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION AND LITERACY**

RAJYA SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 349
ANSWERED ON 23.07.2025**

VACANT TEACHING POSITIONS

349 SMT. RANJEET RANJAN:

Will the Minister of **Education** be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of teaching and non-teaching vacancies in the Central Government schools as of June 2025, State-wise;
- (b) the number of posts lying vacant for over one year;
- (c) the number of teacher recruitment drives conducted for the Central Government schools in the last three years; and
- (d) whether funds under Samagra Shiksha Abhiyaan (SSA) have been used for bridging gaps in access and infrastructure, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY)**

(a) & (b) Central Government Schools namely Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) and Navodaya Vidyalayas (NVs) are under the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education. State/UT-wise details of the total number of teaching and non-teaching vacancies in the KVs and NVs are at **Annexure-I**.

(c) Vacancies keep on arising due to opening of new KVs and NVs, retirement, resignation, promotion of employees, transfer, employees going on lien to another department and up-gradation of schools. Filling up of vacancies is a continuous process and efforts are made to fill up the vacancies as per the provisions of the relevant recruitment rules. Teachers are also engaged on contractual basis for temporary duration by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) and Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti (NVS) to ensure that the teaching-learning process is not hampered.

As per information received from KVS, during the year 2022-23, KVS has conducted recruitment drive for filling up of total 17425 vacant posts (13411 posts through direct recruitment & 4014 posts through Limited Departmental Competitive Examination). Promotion was also carried out as per Recruitment Rules of KVS. Further, as per information received from NVS, during the year 2021-22, NVS conducted recruitment drive for filling up of total 2200 vacancies of teaching posts.

(d) The Department of School Education and Literacy is implementing Samagra Shiksha, an integrated scheme for school education since 2018-19 covering the entire gamut from pre-school to class XII. The scheme has been aligned with the recommendations of National Education Policy, 2020. Under the scheme, financial assistance is provided to the States/UTs for implementation of various interventions to bridge gaps in access and infrastructure in school education across the country. The details of funds approved for these interventions are at **Annexure- II**.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 349 ANSWERED ON 23.07.2025 ASKED BY SMT. RANJEET RANJAN, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "VACANT TEACHING POSITIONS."

STATE/UT-WISE DETAILS OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING VACANCIES IN THE KENDRIYA VIDYALAYAS AND NAVODAYA VIDYALAYAS

SL. No.	Name of State/UT	Number of vacant posts in KVs		Number of vacant posts in NVs	
		Teaching	Non-Teaching	Teaching	Non-Teaching
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	19	02	25	24
2	Andhra Pradesh	360	41	149	102
3	Arunachal Pradesh	207	27	181	110
4	Assam	499	106	153	82
5	Bihar	288	26	270	105
6	Chandigarh	03	12	02	02
7	Chhattisgarh	263	59	205	196
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	14	02	29	18
9	Delhi	61	111	04	04
10	Goa	47	9	21	09
11	Gujarat	238	43	290	244
12	Haryana	29	28	71	67
13	Himachal Pradesh	34	14	34	50
14	Jammu & Kashmir	263	42	140	155
15	Jharkhand	266	28	176	104
16	Karnataka	542	104	270	184
17	Kerala	356	77	92	108
18	Ladakh	30	05	17	09
19	Lakshadweep	05	01	13	07
20	Madhya Pradesh	579	129	342	171
21	Maharashtra	388	111	257	154
22	Manipur	102	14	92	41
23	Meghalaya	44	12	123	65
24	Mizoram	43	05	117	78
25	Nagaland	47	09	121	69
26	Odisha	522	96	259	177
27	Puducherry	70	11	43	26
28	Punjab	155	57	86	103
29	Rajasthan	142	59	165	123
30	Sikkim	03	00	23	20
31	Tamil Nadu	687	112	(*)	(*)
32	Telangana	329	50	81	46
33	Tripura	96	15	78	56
34	Uttar Pradesh	357	118	261	222
35	Uttarakhand	123	29	42	29
36	West Bengal	544	53	91	96
TOTAL		7765	1617	4323	3056

(*) The State of Tamil Nadu is yet to accept the Navodaya Vidyalaya Scheme.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 349 ANSWERED ON 23.07.2025 ASKED BY SMT. RANJEET RANJAN, HON'BLE MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT REGARDING "VACANT TEACHING POSITIONS."

SAMAGRA SHIKSHA APPROVALS FROM 2018-19 TO 2025-26		
ITEMS	Number of Units	Approved Amount (Rs. in lakh)
Additional Class Room	64198	670206.1178
Art Cultural Room	5462	65232.26
Biology Lab	7161	126306.2712
Boys Toilets	62457	146430.6236
Chemistry Lab	6870	121902.4212
Computer Room	4995	63369
CWSN Ramps	51664	19687.75
CWSN Toilets	30525	56383.79537
Drinking Water	25868	45852.81872
Electrification	69680	38715.14212
Girls Toilets	61752	147077.1936
Library Room	5963	93461.19
Major Repair	48088	206503.6914
New School (Additional Stream)	1337	43811.4
New School (Primary)	172	3810.75
New School (Secondary)	764	100206.5251
New School (Sr. Secondary)	634	103873.1983
New School (Upper Primary)	528	20469.577
Physics Lab	6846	121011.6412
Science Lab	19714	254688.565
Solar Panel	2815	11473.805
Total	477493	2460473.737
