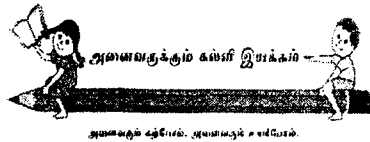




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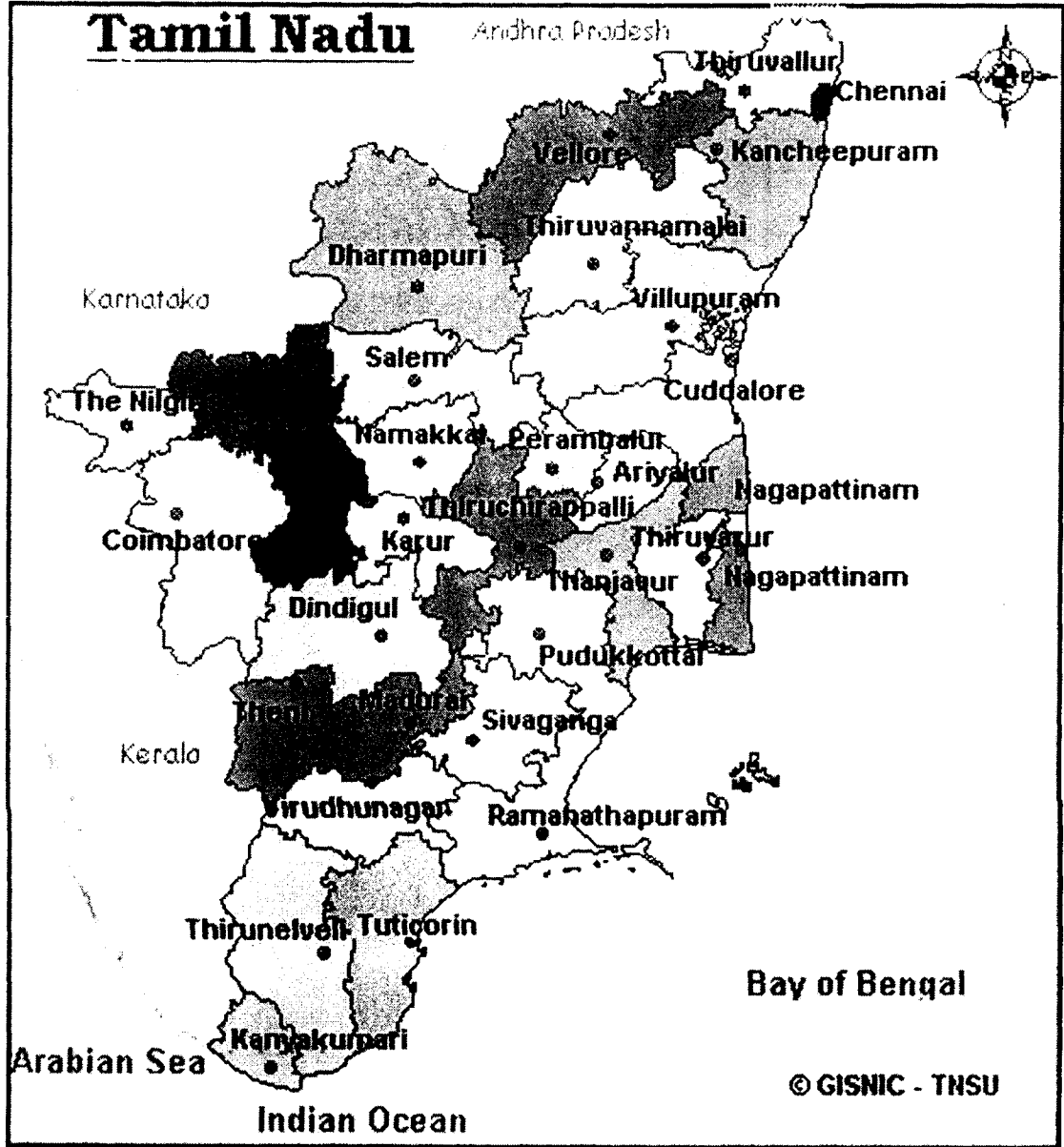
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# Chapter – I **PLAN OVERVIEW**

## **1.1. INTRODUCTION**

SSA is the massive programme for universalization of Elementary Education. It is the programme in response to the demand for quality based education of the community for improving human capabilities of all children.

SSA is the programme with clear time frame for achieving UEE by promoting social justice through basic education effectively involving Panchayat Raj institution, Village Education Committee, School management Committee etc at grass root level. It is a programme with partnership between central, state and local body government.

SSA aims to provide useful and relevant Elementary Education for all the children in the 6 – 14 age group by 2010. SSA also gives importance of early childhood care education to ensure Universal Elementary Education for the pre school age children.

SSA has two aspects.

- It provides a wide convergent frame work for implementation of Elementary Education system.
- It is also a programme with budget provision for strengthening vital areas to achieve UEE.

The main strategies of the programme are to go for

- Insitutional reforms.
- Sustainable financing.
- Community ownership.
- Insitutional capacity building.
- Improving mainstream education administration.
- Community based monitoring.
- Habitation as a unit of planning.
- Accountability to community.
- Priority to girls education.
- Focus on special group.
- Thrust on Quality.
- Accountability of teachers.

## **1.2. PLANNING PROCESS**

The planning process started at grass root level systematically to ensure community participation .Since SSA programme envisages bottom up plan, all the VEC members were given orientation training in planning and implementing the programme at grass root level. Further, the Core Planning Team at habitation, block, district and state level were constituted and the members were also given training for preparation of plan document as need based.

### **1.2.1 State Core Plan Team**

The members of the State core team are :-  
The State Project Director – Chairman

#### **Members**

1. The Director of School Education
2. The Director of Elementary Education
3. The Director of Teacher Education Research and Training
4. The Joint Director, SSA
5. Senior Consultant, Planning & Statistics, SSA
6. Finance & Accounts Officer, SSA
7. Consultant, Finance, SSA
8. Representation from Corporation, Chennai
9. Representation from Adi Dravida & Tribal Welfare dept.
10. The Chief Engineer (Buildings), Directorate of Technical Education
11. Representation from Social Welfare Dept.
12. Representation from Physically Handicapped and Rehabilitation Dept.
13. Representation from Rural Development Dept.
14. Representation from Backward Class Dept.

The State core plan team members meeting was organized on 18.12.2007 The team discussed various issues in preparation of plan document elaborately and prepared guidelines and instructions to the district and sub-district core plan team for preparation of plan document for 2008-09.

The State core plan team organized one day orientation meeting for district core plan members on 03.01.2008 and issued clear instructions and guidelines to organize the training programme for sub-district core plan team members for preparation, and perusal of plan document at VEC, BRC, block and district level.

### **1.2.2 District Core Planning Team**

The district core plan team was constituted in all the districts with the following members under the chairmanship of the District Collector.

1. The District Programme Co-ordinator
2. The Chief Educational Officer
3. The Addl. District Programme Co-ordinator
4. The D.E.E.O. (Secondary)
5. The Asst. Programme Officer & Statistical Officer
6. Member, DIET
7. Representatives from Health Dept, Public Dept. & Social Welfare Dept
8. Representation from DRDA.

The district core planning team organized a meeting for block level team and issued the guidelines for preparation of plan document at habitation level.

### **1.2.3 BRC Level Core Planning Team**

Similarly the block level core team was formed with the following members:

1. Panchayat Union Chairman
2. BRC Supervisor
3. Block Development Officer
4. Asst. Elementary Education Officer
5. Two BRTEs
6. Two Headmasters (One retired)

The Block core team members organized training programme for VEC core plan team members and guided them in the preparation of habitation plan in detail by involving community members, parents.

### **1.2.4 Habitation Plan Team**

At grass root level habitation core team was also constituted with the following members :

- Panchayat President
- Three Members
- Headmaster of a school
- Two parents
- Two teachers (One retired)
- One Building Committee member
- One women SHG Animator

The Member-secretary of the VEC and one community member were given orientation training for preparation of habitation level plan. All the VECs were involved in preparation of habitation level plan.

The habitation level approved plan document were collected and consolidated at BRC and appraised by block level team. The block level approved plan document were collected and appraised and consolidated at District Level. The district level draft plan document were perused and appraised at SPO on 28<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> December 2008 and consolidated at state level. The state level core team Suggested the districts team to finalise the District draft plan with the following suggestions.

- Need based infrastructure plan.
- Thrust on quality education.
- Specific issues and strategies for effective implementation.
- Systematic monitoring and MIS.

The districts approved plan documents were consolidated at SPO by the team and prepared the AWP&B for 2008-09 and placed before the Executive Committee on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2008 for approval. The Executive Committee perused the State plan carefully and suggested few points. The remarks and suggestions of the Executive Committee were incorporated and finalized. The State and all the districts Annual work plan & budget 2008-09 documents have been forwarded to MHRD Government of India, for perusal and approval of Project Board on 14.02.2008.

### **1.3 DATA SOURCES FOR PLANNING – 2008-2009**

The AWP&B for the year 2008-09 has been prepared as need based plan at Habitation level based on the information/data collected through surveys, studies viz. Household survey, DISE, Cohort study, achievement survey, EER and other monthly progress reports and other Agencies, Organisation.

#### **1.3.1 Household Survey**

The House Hold Survey / child census is being conducted once in five years to create and update the child population data base to plan for cent percent enrolment of school age children. The household survey was conducted in 2005 and the data are being updated every year through updation of EER which is also the tool for individual child progress tracking.

The enrolment target and out of school children passing are fixed and planned based on the House hold survey and EER data.

### **1.3.2 District Information System for Education (DISE)**

Provision of infrastructure, additional teachers to schools, organizing inservice training to teachers, out of school children, disabled children community mobilization training are planned systematically based on the information collected under DISE.

### **1.3.3. Cohort Study**

This year the Cohort Study has been conducted as sample study covering 20% recognized primary and upper primary schools and developed educational key indicators such as CR, RR, DR. The school efficiency has been analysed, graded and evolved strategies to improve the performance of schools based on the indicators.

### **1.3.4. Elementary Education Register (EER)**

All VECs are maintaining EER and tracking the individual child progress towards completion of elementary education. The Household Survey child population database is being updated every year by updating EER. EER reports are also the tools for planning out of school children and to develop the indicators such as GER, NER to plan for universal enrolment.

### **1.3.5 Achievement Survey**

The Achievement test was conducted in all the Government primary and upper primary schools and identified the low performing children. Based on the study report, it is planned to improve the performance of the children through remedial teaching and learning enhancement programme.

Surveys conducted across the state by the Research and Evaluation Wing of the SSA gives a true picture of the quality concerns to be addressed.

### **1.3.6. GIS School Mapping**

Computerized school mapping study has been taken up in all districts by involving Bharathi Dasan University to ensure school access to all habitations. So far 20 districts have been completed. Based on the GIS school mapping, school access is planned to all eligible habitations.



#### 1.4. GENERAL PROFILE OF THE STATE

There are 31 districts 73 Revenue divisions 206 taluks, 17,599 revenue villages. Similarly there are 6 municipal corporations, 126 municipalities under 8,713 ward/sub wards, 385 blocks 13206 village panchayats, 71,880 rural habitations in the State.

District wise number of CD blocks, Educational Districts, Municipalities, Revenue Villages, village panchayats and habitations are furnished in the table below.

**Table - 1**  
**District-wise CD Blocks, Educational Districts, Revenue Villages and Village Panchayats**

S. No.	District	CD Blocks	Edl. Districts	Municipalities	Revenue Villages	Village Panchayats	No. of Habitations	
							Rural	Urban
1	Chennai	0	4	0	55	0	0	1166
2	Coimbatore	19	3	4	531	448	2790	397
3	Cuddalore	13	2	5	929	698	2461	206
4	Dharma puri	8	1	1	480	261	2349	32
5	Dindigul	14	2	3	436	330	3034	565
6	Erode	20	2	11	539	396	4934	579
7	Kancheepuram	13	2	10	1214	677	3398	323
8	Kanyakumari	9	3	4	81	155	2078	117
9	Karur	8	1	3	203	171	1951	135
10	Krishnagiri	10	2	2	636	337	2779	113
11	Madurai	13	3	6	752	443	1538	214
12	Nagapattinam	11	2	3	525	443	1918	127
13	Namakkal	15	1	4	446	351	2327	128
14	Perambalur	10	3	3	347	328	1020	65
15	Pudukkottai	13	2	2	762	506	3491	66
16	Ramanathapuram	11	2	2	407	452	2051	69
17	Salem	20	2	3	639	419	5547	943
18	Sivagangai	12	2	3	504	443	2265	167
19	Thanjavur	14	2	3	859	611	1971	113
20	The Nilgiris	4	2	2	55	48	1113	89
21	Theni	8	2	5	113	153	601	155
22	Thiruchirappalli	14	3	2	320	426	1824	354
23	Thirunelveli	19	3	5	578	463	2492	490
24	Thiruvallur	14	2	6	825	558	3310	229
25	Thiruvannamalai	18	2	4	1266	870	3044	123
26	Thiruvarur	10	1	4	564	437	1531	124
27	Thoothukudi	12	2	3	458	428	1362	105
28	Vellore	20	2	14	974	775	4484	409
29	Villupuram	22	2	3	1490	1119	2740	90
30	Virudhunagar	11	2	6	611	460	1477	1020
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>17599</b>	<b>13206</b>	<b>71880</b>	<b>8713</b>

Source: Revenue Department & HHS 2005

## 1.5 DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

### 1.5.1 Population – India & Tamilnadu

India is the second largest populated country in the world with the population of 102.70 crore as per 2001 censuses. Population of Tamil Nadu is 6.24 crore. Population growth rate of Tamil Nadu is 11.19% where as the growth rate at the national level is 21.34%. The sex ratio is high (987) in Tamilnadu compared to sex ratio of India (933). The literacy rate in Tamilnadu is 73.47% which is higher than the National level literacy rate (65.38%). Population density in Tamilnadu is also higher (467) than the population density in India 324 per sq.k.m.

Demographic indicators relating to India and Tamilnadu are given below.

**Table 2**  
**India & Tamilnadu**

<b>Indicator</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>India</b>	<b>Tamilnadu</b>
a. Population (in crore)	Persons	102.70	6.24
	Male	53.13	3.14
	Female	49.57	3.10
b. SC Population (in crore)	Persons	16.66	1.19
c. ST Population (in crore)	Persons	8.43	0.065
d. Growth Rate	-	21.34	11.19
e. Sex Ratio (ALL)	-	933	987
f. Literacy Rate (ALL)	Persons	65.38	73.47
	Male	75.85	82.33
	Female	54.16	64.55
g. Density per sq. km.		324	467

Source: Census 2001

### 1.5.2. Population in Tamilnadu

As per Population Census 2001, the total Population of Tamilnadu is 6,24,05,679 comprising 3,14,00,909 male and 3,10,04,770 female. The urban population is 2,74,83,998 and that of the rural is 3,49,21,681. The total population of SC is 1,18,57,504 which consists of 59,32,925 male and 59,24,579 female. The percentage of SC population to total population is 19.61%. The total population of ST is 6,51,321 comprising 3,28,917 male and 3,22,404 female. The percentage of ST population to total population is 1.12%.

**Table - 3**  
**Population - Census 2001**

S. No	District	Population all community						Total Population All Community		
		Urban			Rural			Male	Female	Total
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Chennai	2219539	2124106	4343645	0	0	0	2219539	2124106	4343645
2	Coimbatore	1441332	1378871	2820203	734699	716954	1451653	2176031	2095825	4271856
3	Cuddalore	379122	375239	754361	771786	759248	1531034	1150908	1134487	2285395
4	Dharmapuri	32643	31853	64496	637877	592809	1230686	670520	624662	1295182
5	Dindigul	339064	334188	673252	629073	620689	1249762	968137	954877	1923014
6	Erode	603842	590121	1193963	705436	682101	1387537	1309278	1272222	2581500
7	Kancheepuram	781147	753819	1534966	676095	666407	1342502	1457242	1420226	2877468
8	Kanyakumari	542753	551174	1093927	289516	292591	582107	832269	843765	1676034
9	Karur	154616	156640	311256	310922	313508	624430	465538	470148	935686
10	Krishnagiri	200832	190618	391450	602245	567423	1169668	803077	758041	1561118
11	Madurai	730327	713849	1444176	573036	560989	1134025	1303363	1274838	2578201
12	Nagapattinam	163064	167218	330282	576010	582547	1158557	739074	749765	1488839
13	Namakkal	277186	268046	545232	482365	465865	948230	759551	733911	1493462
14	Perambalur	78427	79778	158205	514477	516488	1030965	592904	596266	1189170
15	Pudukkottai	123789	124595	248384	600511	610706	1211217	724300	735301	1459601
16	Ramanathapuram	150086	152308	302394	433290	451920	885210	583376	604228	1187604
17	Salem	711180	679004	1390184	852453	773709	1626162	1563633	1452713	3016346
18	Sivagangai	161854	164230	326084	405093	424179	829272	566947	588409	1155356
19	Thanjavur	370145	378416	748561	726493	741084	1467577	1096638	1119500	2216138
20	Theni	226477	228132	454609	151874	155658	307532	378351	383790	762141
21	The Nilgiris	297834	294007	591841	255152	246957	502109	552986	50964	1093950
22	Thiruchirappalli	569917	569245	1139162	638617	640587	1279204	1208534	1209832	2418366
23	Thirunelveli	645142	663104	1308246	688797	726945	1415742	1333939	1390049	2723988
24	Thiruvallur	768355	731727	1500082	629052	625622	1254674	1397407	1357349	2754756
25	Thiruvannamalai	200121	200640	400761	895738	889626	1785364	1095859	1090266	2186125
26	Thiruvarur	117282	119961	237243	463502	468729	932231	580784	588690	1169474
27	Thoothukudi	327569	337204	664773	439254	468246	907500	766823	805450	1572273
28	Vellore	652993	655005	1307998	1088090	1081229	2169319	1741083	1736234	3477317
29	Villupuram	215027	211890	426917	1277415	1256041	2533456	1492442	1467931	2960373
30	Virudhunagar	387750	389595	777345	482626	491330	973956	870376	880925	1751301
	<b>State</b>	<b>13869415</b>	<b>13614583</b>	<b>27483998</b>	<b>17531494</b>	<b>17390187</b>	<b>34921681</b>	<b>31400909</b>	<b>31004770</b>	<b>62405679</b>

*Source: Census of India 2001*

**Table - 3 (Contd...)**  
**Population - Census 2001**

S. No	District	Population							
		SC				ST			
		Male	Female	Total	% to total pop	Male	Female	Total	% to total pop
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
1	Chennai	301835	296275	598110	13.77	3368	3360	6728	0.15
2	Coimbatore	315869	314806	630675	14.76	14738	14365	29103	0.68
3	Cuddalore	318713	315766	634479	27.76	5920	5853	11773	0.52
4	Dharmapuri	102665	97775	200440	15.48	21819	20788	42607	3.29
5	Dindigul	189066	187104	376170	19.56	3320	3164	6484	0.34
6	Erode	213312	208892	422204	16.35	8933	8760	17693	0.69
7	Kancheepuram	362097	359892	721989	25.09	13267	13241	26508	0.92
8	Kanyakumari	33365	34347	67712	4.04	2678	2765	5443	0.32
9	Karur	94194	96066	190260	20.33	711	739	1450	0.15
10	Krishnagiri	109471	107040	216511	13.87	8701	8241	16942	0.38
11	Madurai	162595	160657	323252	12.54	3060	2912	5972	0.13
12	Nagapattinam	219933	221298	441231	29.64	1734	1686	3420	0.23
13	Namakkal	143014	137762	280776	18.8	26039	25377	51416	3.44
14	Perambalur	149192	151173	300365	25.26	5936	5900	11836	1.00
15	Pudukkottai	123701	125770	249471	17.09	398	394	792	0.05
16	Ramanathapuram	107381	108931	216312	18.21	556	522	1078	0.09
17	Salem	244391	231347	475738	15.77	52693	51228	103921	3.45
18	Sivagangai	92590	96267	188857	16.35	536	547	1083	0.09
19	Thanjavur	198820	200833	399653	18.03	1773	1868	3641	0.16
20	Theni	117792	120222	238014	31.23	14014	14359	28373	3.72
21	The Nilgiris	107109	104691	211800	19.36	855	831	1686	0.15
22	Thiruchirappalli	197917	201576	399493	16.52	9596	9316	18912	0.78
23	Thirunelveli	233605	247447	481052	17.66	4080	4278	8358	0.31
24	Thiruvallur	301316	299542	600858	21.81	18880	18978	37858	1.37
25	Thiruvannamalai	233572	233960	467532	21.39	36928	35832	72760	3.33
26	Thiruvarur	188682	189632	378314	32.35	1310	1363	2673	0.23
27	Thoothukudi	143013	145941	288954	18.38	1762	1732	3494	0.22
28	Vellore	354551	359503	714054	20.53	31860	31180	63040	1.81
29	Villupuram	408234	402697	810931	27.39	32294	31626	63920	2.16
30	Virudhunagar	164930	167367	332297	18.97	1158	1199	2357	0.13
	<b>State</b>	<b>5932925</b>	<b>5924579</b>	<b>11857504</b>	<b>19.61</b>	<b>328917</b>	<b>322404</b>	<b>651321</b>	<b>1.12</b>

Source: Census of India 2001

The percentage of SC Population is high in Thiruvarur district (32.35%) and Theni district (31.23%). The percentage is least in Kanyakumari district (4.04%). Similarly the percentage of ST population is higher in Theni (3.72%), Salem (3.45%) and Namakkal (3.44%) districts. The percentage is least in Chennai (0.15%) and The Nilgiris (0.15%) districts.

**Table - 3 (Contd...)**  
**Population - Census 2001**

S. No	District	Population				Population Density	Sex Ratio
		Minority					
		Male	Female	Total	% to total pop		
20	21	22	23	24	25		
1	Chennai	197287	181919	379206	8.73	24963	957
2	Coimbatore	115855	111879	227734	5.33	572	963
3	Cuddalore	50317	52191	102508	4.49	621	986
4	Dharmapuri	63487	59982	123469	9.53	288	938
5	Dindigul	44698	44982	89680	4.66	317	986
6	Erode	39044	38167	77211	2.99	314	972
7	Kancheepuram	57977	55689	113666	3.95	649	975
8	Kanyakumari	34558	35802	70360	4.20	995	1014
9	Karur	16982	20290	37272	3.98	323	1010
10	Krishnagiri	combined in Dharmapuri district				305	1010
11	Madurai	69664	67779	137443	5.33	723	978
12	Nagapattinam	52446	60307	112753	7.57	404	1014
13	Namakkal	13429	13478	26907	1.80	436	966
14	Perambalur	15341	17075	32416	2.73	322	1006
15	Pudukkottai	47619	50104	97723	6.70	314	1015
16	Ramanathapuram	80472	93607	174079	14.66	281	1036
17	Salem	39409	38239	77648	2.57	578	929
18	Sivagangai	29066	30576	59642	5.16	283	1038
19	Thanjavur	76576	86710	163286	7.37	652	1021
20	Theni	23994	24072	48066	6.31	299	1014
21	The Nilgiris	35841	36925	72766	6.65	167	978
22	Thiruchirappalli	78121	78224	156345	5.74	549	1001
23	Thirunelveli	122597	129638	252235	9.16	400	1042
24	Thiruvallur	combined in Kancheepuram district				805	971
25	Thiruvannamalai	39239	39267	78506	3.59	353	995
26	Thiruvarur	38652	44591	83243	7.12	541	1014
27	Thoothukudi	33548	39327	72875	4.64	340	1050
28	Vellore	175771	175000	350771	10.09	572	997
29	Villupuram	54901	55219	110120	3.72	410	984
30	Virudhunagar	21299	22010	43309	2.47	408	1012
	<b>State</b>	<b>1668190</b>	<b>1703049</b>	<b>3371239</b>	<b>5.40</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>987</b>

Source: Census of India 2001

The percentage of Muslim minority population is high in Ramnathapuram (14.66%) and Vellore (10.09%) districts and least in Namakkal district (1.80%).

Sex ratio is comparatively high in Thoothukodi district (1050), less in Salem district (929). The sex ratio is more than 1000 in 15 districts.

The percentage of SC population to total population is 19.61%. The SC population percentage is above 30% in Thiruvarur and The Nilgiris District (31.23%) and the percentage is least in the Kanyakumari District (4.04%).

### 1.5.3. Literacy

As per population Census 2001, the State literacy rate is 73%. The male and female literacy rate is 82% and 64% respectively.

The SC & ST literacy rate is 64% and 49% respectively. The ST literacy rate is very less compared to SC literacy rate.

The literacy rate of muslim is 82.94% which is higher than total literacy rate of the State. The male and female literacy gap of the muslim is comparatively less.

**Table - 4**  
**District wise Literacy Rate**

S.No	District	Literacy Rate					
		All Communities			SC		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Chennai	90.00	80.40	85.30	82.19	68.84	75.58
2	Coimbatore	84.60	69.10	77.00	63.51	46.64	55.08
3	Cuddalore	81.60	60.30	71.00	71.90	49.26	60.62
4	Dharmapuri	71.60	50.60	61.40	68.51	46.91	57.86
5	Dindigul	79.80	58.90	69.30	69.55	46.95	58.26
6	Erode	75.30	55.10	65.40	56.97	39.01	48.08
7	Kancheepuram	84.70	68.80	76.90	75.58	56.79	66.20
8	Kanyakumari	90.40	84.80	87.60	88.79	80.00	84.31
9	Karur	79.60	56.80	68.10	71.58	47.33	59.27
10	Krishnagiri	71.06	55.16	64.20	56.55	49.38	52.96
11	Madurai	86.20	69.30	77.80	74.28	52.19	63.25
12	Nagapattinam	84.90	68.00	76.30	75.63	56.11	65.81
13	Namakkal	77.60	57.00	67.40	66.10	45.46	65.94
14	Perambalur	77.55	52.80	65.10	69.98	45.78	57.76
15	Pudukkottai	82.50	60.00	71.10	78.28	54.47	66.23
16	Ramanathapuram	83.00	63.40	73.00	74.33	51.26	62.69
17	Salem	74.40	55.20	65.10	68.38	47.02	57.94
18	Sivagangai	83.10	61.70	72.20	75.47	52.54	63.72
19	Thanjavur	84.50	66.70	75.50	75.17	53.31	64.15
20	Theni	81.90	61.20	71.60	71.91	49.41	60.72
21	The Nilgiris	88.50	71.60	80.00	85.20	65.65	75.29
22	Thiruchirappalli	86.50	69.30	77.90	81.32	59.84	70.45
23	Thirunelveli	85.20	67.40	76.10	76.57	55.30	65.56
24	Thiruvallur	85.30	68.40	76.90	78.46	58.75	68.60
25	Thiruvannamalai	79.20	55.60	67.40	72.84	50.49	61.62
26	Thiruvarur	85.40	67.90	76.60	75.46	54.50	64.92
27	Thoothukudi	88.30	75.10	81.50	82.09	63.66	72.73
28	Vellore	82.00	62.80	72.40	80.09	61.80	70.84
29	Villupuram	75.10	52.40	63.80	66.47	43.79	55.19
30	Virudhunagar	84.00	63.60	73.70	72.83	49.39	60.99
	<b>State</b>	<b>82.13</b>	<b>63.65</b>	<b>72.92</b>	<b>73.53</b>	<b>53.39</b>	<b>63.75</b>

Source: Census 2001

**Table - 4**  
**District wise Literacy Rate**

S.No	District	Literacy Rate						Rural Female Literacy Rate
		ST			Minority			
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	
		9	10	11	12	13	14	
1	Chennai	82.51	68.10	75.36	89.01	78.91	84.17	0.00
2	Coimbatore	49.58	33.95	41.84	92.71	81.30	87.11	55.00
3	Cuddalore	52.73	34.19	43.51	90.90	77.51	84.05	52.80
4	Dharmapuri	48.09	30.84	39.65	77.68	61.43	69.77	46.80
5	Dindigul	49.77	34.94	42.48	92.06	75.94	83.95	52.30
6	Erode	49.35	34.24	41.85	90.88	78.04	84.52	46.50
7	Kancheepuram	42.55	29.51	36.02	90.83	78.15	84.61	57.00
8	Kanyakumari	77.53	68.63	72.95	94.83	87.59	91.12	83.40
9	Karur	85.22	60.40	72.64	95.20	81.78	87.77	49.60
10	Krishnagiri	46.09	41.27	43.68	combined in Dharmapuri district			15.91
11	Madurai	70.72	54.68	62.88	92.06	78.70	85.45	55.70
12	Nagapattinam	64.22	49.54	56.97	93.33	80.67	86.46	65.20
13	Namakkal	57.97	37.29	47.72	89.10	74.38	81.67	51.80
14	Perambalur	52.60	34.19	43.44	90.77	76.44	83.12	49.95
15	Pudukkottai	64.72	47.80	56.37	93.94	77.74	85.57	56.00
16	Ramanathapuram	23.79	18.83	21.44	91.77	79.20	84.92	58.40
17	Salem	47.27	29.21	38.33	88.45	74.96	81.81	45.60
18	Sivagangai	58.17	40.64	49.30	93.34	78.47	85.67	55.10
19	Thanjavur	64.63	48.00	55.95	92.19	79.40	85.32	60.70
20	Theni	45.21	27.21	36.40	92.51	78.59	85.53	54.00
21	The Nilgiris	54.62	37.64	46.00	92.37	80.16	86.16	64.10
22	Thiruchirappalli	75.48	57.97	66.83	92.07	78.47	85.25	58.70
23	Thirunelveli	73.40	53.74	63.32	90.92	72.26	81.24	62.40
24	Thiruvallur	50.78	34.33	42.50	combined in Kancheepuram district			56.40
25	Thiruvannamalai	45.56	24.62	35.21	85.20	65.83	75.49	52.10
26	Thiruvarur	60.19	45.91	52.87	94.12	82.62	87.90	64.90
27	Thoothukudi	62.64	44.54	53.61	94.70	86.31	90.12	70.40
28	Vellore	48.21	29.31	38.83	81.84	65.84	73.83	56.40
29	Villupuram	35.49	21.79	28.70	87.48	70.46	78.92	49.00
30	Virudhunagar	66.56	50.10	58.10	90.30	75.86	82.92	57.10
	<b>State</b>	<b>56.86</b>	<b>40.78</b>	<b>48.83</b>	<b>89.81</b>	<b>76.27</b>	<b>82.94</b>	<b>53.44</b>

Source : Census 2001

The literacy rate of 15 districts is less than the State literacy rate (73%). The literacy rate is comparatively high in Kanyakumari and Chennai Districts. The literacy rate is least in Dharmapuri district (61.40%). The female literacy of 17 districts are less than the State female literacy rate (63.65%). The female literacy is also less in Dharmapuri District and high in Kanyakumari District (84.80%).

The SC literacy rate of 13 districts is less than the State SC literacy rate (61.99%). The SC literacy rate is poor in Erode district (48.08%).

Similarly the ST literacy rate of 14 districts is less than the State ST literacy rate (47.37%) and the ST literacy rate is poor in Ramanathapuram District (21.44%).

The male female literacy gap is 82.13 - 63.65 = 18.48  
SC male female literacy gap is 73.53 - 53.39 = 19.90  
ST male female literacy gap is 56.86 - 40.78 = 16.08  
Minority male female literacy gap is 89.88 - 76.27 = 13.54  
Total female literacy is 63.65%  
The rural female literacy is 53.44%

#### **1.5.4. Population - Household Survey 2005**

The total population in Tamilnadu as per the Household Survey 2005 is 6.49 crores of which 3.23 crore are female, the percentage of female population is 49.75%.

The percentage of SC and ST population is 19.25% and 1.13% respectively. The sex ratio is 997 female per 1000 male. The population density is 486 per sq.km. The population density is high in Chennai (26017) and Kanyakumari district (1036).

The muslim population in the State is 35,17,889 and the percentage of Muslim population is 5.42.

The household survey population data is presented below.

The urban Population in Tamilnadu is 274.84 lakhs and the rural population is 349.22 lakhs and the percentage of our population 55.96%.

The percentage of muslim minority population in the state is 5.40 to total population. The percentage of muslim population is comparatively high in Ramnad districts (14.66%) and Vellore districts (10.09)%. The percentage is least in Namakkal districts (1.80%).

Districtwise population, SC, ST are minority population is presented below.



**Table - 5**  
**Population - Household Survey 2005**

S. No.	District	Area (Sq. Km)	ALL						Total		
			Urban			Rural			Male	Female	Total
			Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total			
1	Chennai	174	2306838	2220143	4526981	0	0	0	2306838	2220143	4526981
2	Coimbatore	7469	483045	474343	957388	1774188	1753870	3528058	2257233	2228213	4485446
3	Cuddalore	3678	179285	180454	359739	1000047	983457	1983504	1179332	1163911	2343243
4	Dharmapuri	4497	27944	28915	56859	654649	622728	1277377	682593	651643	1334236
5	Dindigul	6058	136157	135294	271451	857971	866895	1724866	994128	1002189	1996317
6	Erode	8209	302600	303868	606468	1062528	1052772	2115300	1365128	1356640	2721768
7	Kancheepuram	4433	295415	297166	592581	1254445	1197394	2451839	1549860	1494560	3044420
8	Kanyakumari	1685	138790	137906	276696	733867	734980	1468847	872657	872886	1745543
9	Karur	2895	77527	76473	154000	389327	395435	784762	466854	471908	938762
10	Krishnagiri	5125	46356	51646	98002	750039	719364	1469403	796395	771010	1567405
11	Madurai	3568	611181	598399	1209580	760366	766037	1526403	1371547	1364436	2735983
12	Nagapattinam	2716	104433	111204	215637	674571	669589	1344160	779004	780793	1559797
13	Namakkal	3429	105637	105200	210837	658778	654580	1313358	764415	759780	1524195
14	Perambalur	3691	46818	49414	96232	614342	602684	1217026	661160	652098	1313258
15	Pudukkottai	4651	75784	70716	146500	729719	678398	1408117	805503	749114	1554617
16	Ramanathapuram	4232	63291	76732	140023	523877	571418	1095295	587168	648150	1235318
17	Salem	5220	272165	260875	533040	1345587	1221490	2567077	1617752	1482365	3100117
18	Sivagangai	4086	46696	46842	93538	564031	559873	1123904	610727	606715	1217442
19	Thanjavur	3397	165238	168743	333981	945750	955945	1901695	1110988	1124688	2235676
20	The Nilgiris	2549	130433	136228	266661	241946	255654	497600	372379	391882	764261
21	Theni	6565	134647	139509	274156	420989	429205	850194	555636	568714	1124350
22	Thiruchirappalli	4403	326311	320035	646346	927478	906577	1834055	1253789	1226612	2480401
23	Thirunelveli	6810	373402	377608	751010	1027837	1061727	2089564	1401239	1439335	2840574
24	Thiruvallur	3424	447179	459969	907148	971823	999883	1971706	1419002	1459852	2878854
25	Thiruvannamalai	6191	106438	105538	211976	1037425	1014688	2052113	1143863	1120226	2264089
26	Thiruvarur	2161	81595	84260	165855	566888	565131	1132019	648483	649391	1297874
27	Thoothukudi	4621	150397	157708	308105	621239	654391	1275630	771636	812099	1583735
28	Vellore	6077	439710	453560	893270	1304081	1331219	2635300	1743791	1784779	3528570
29	Villupuram	7217	74425	75511	149936	1491809	1481338	2973147	1566234	1556649	3123083
30	Virudhunagar	4288	254534	246336	500870	652942	636205	1289147	907476	882541	1790017
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>133519</b>	<b>8004271</b>	<b>7950595</b>	<b>15954866</b>	<b>24558539</b>	<b>24342927</b>	<b>48901466</b>	<b>32562810</b>	<b>32293522</b>	<b>64856332</b>

*Source : Household Survey 2005*

**Table - 5 (Contd...)**  
**Population - Household Survey 2005**

S. No.	District	Population							
		SC				ST			
		Male	Female	Total	% to Total population	Male	Female	Total	% to Total population
1	Chennai	348168	334292	682460	15.08	13856	13608	27464	0.61
2	Coimbatore	330771	333432	664203	14.81	18960	19065	38025	0.85
3	Cuddalore	334435	331946	666381	28.44	8575	8626	17201	0.73
4	Dharmapuri	96752	96532	193284	14.49	14908	15076	29984	2.25
5	Dindigul	191428	195004	386432	19.36	3040	3166	6206	0.31
6	Erode	231793	229917	461710	16.96	8601	8520	17121	0.63
7	Kancheepuram	394251	375406	769657	25.28	14048	13503	27551	0.9
8	Kanyakumari	35958	37358	73316	4.2	3257	3498	6755	0.39
9	Karur	93747	95543	189290	20.16	1276	1248	2524	0.27
10	Krishnagiri	116026	113255	229281	14.63	13436	12747	26183	1.67
11	Madurai	169072	170582	339654	12.41	4143	4065	8208	0.3
12	Nagapattinam	231404	227288	458692	29.41	2047	2232	4279	0.27
13	Namakkal	139593	139581	279174	18.32	28620	27940	56560	3.71
14	Perambalur	183434	182899	366333	27.89	7074	6665	13739	1.05
15	Pudukkottai	142188	133527	275715	17.74	528	488	1016	0.07
16	Ramanathapuram	107321	116945	224266	18.15	448	444	892	0.07
17	Salem	245192	230440	475632	15.34	59026	56833	115859	3.74
18	Sivagangai	100203	98449	198652	16.32	413	346	759	0.06
19	Thanjavur	197932	199999	397931	17.8	2174	2258	4432	0.2
20	The Nilgiris	115928	120579	236507	30.95	15272	15972	31244	4.09
21	Theni	108646	109600	218246	19.41	1224	1228	2452	0.22
22	Thiruchirappalli	205756	204760	410516	16.55	6643	6576	13219	0.53
23	Thirunelveli	249327	260702	510029	17.96	4767	4935	9702	0.34
24	Thiruvallur	309817	318630	628447	21.83	25479	25612	51091	1.77
25	Thiruvannamalai	245908	242129	488037	21.56	42322	40311	82633	3.65
26	Thiruvarur	215299	215155	430454	33.17	1600	1693	3293	0.25
27	Thoothukudi	142067	148738	290805	18.36	2318	2323	4641	0.29
28	Vellore	357739	373406	731145	20.72	29533	30730	60263	1.71
29	Villupuram	432019	430967	862986	27.63	34767	34687	69454	2.22
30	Virudhunagar	173164	169444	342608	19.14	1699	1476	3175	0.18
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>6245338</b>	<b>6236505</b>	<b>12481843</b>	<b>19.25</b>	<b>370054</b>	<b>365871</b>	<b>735925</b>	<b>1.13</b>

Source : Household Survey 2005

### 1.5.5 School Age Population

As per household Survey 2005, the total population in 5 to 10 age group is 63.48 lakhs of which 31.03 lakh are female. The percentage of female population is 48.89%. The SC population in 5 to 10 age group is 15.29 lakhs of which 7.55 lakhs are female. The percentage of female is 49.36%. Similarly the ST population in 5 to 10 age group is 1.33 lakhs of which 0.64 lakhs are female and the female percentage is 47.76%. The total population in 11 to 13 age group was 38.07 lakhs of which 18.42 are female and percentage of female population is 48.39%. SC population in 11 to 13 age group is 9.29 lakhs of which 4.52 lakh is female and percentage is 48.66%. The ST population in 11 to 13 age group is 0.79 lakhs of which 0.39 lakh are female and the percentage is 48.97%. Muslim school age population in 5 to 10 age group is 3,59,514 and in 11 to 13 age group it is 1,98,230.

District wise school age population data are presented below.

**Table - 6**  
**House Hold Survey - School Age Population - 2005**  
**Age group 5 to 10**

S.No.	Districts	All			SC			
		B	G	T	B	G	T	%
1	Chennai	189799	177104	366903	46763	43928	90691	24.72
2	Coimbatore	213691	241448	455139	43974	41782	85756	18.84
3	Cuddalore	123361	119916	243277	43858	42766	86624	35.61
4	Dharmapuri	79319	70053	149372	13703	12362	26065	17.45
5	Dindigul	110249	94541	204790	6859	23782	30641	14.96
6	Erode	133069	138198	271267	24967	24072	49039	18.08
7	Kancheepuram	154884	145821	300705	45351	44168	89519	29.77
8	Kanyakumari	77828	75483	153311	5659	5640	11299	7.37
9	Karur	46578	43428	90006	11092	10527	21619	24.02
10	Krishnagiri	70924	69856	140780	11245	10344	21589	15.34
11	Madurai	144045	133028	277073	25427	23910	49337	17.81
12	Nagapattinam	81542	79121	160663	30706	29843	60549	37.69
13	Namakkal	73241	65147	138388	17310	16633	33943	24.53
14	Perambalur	62603	59587	122190	18931	18028	36959	30.25
15	Pudukkottai	77150	74127	151277	15612	14935	30547	20.19
16	Ramanathapuram	68212	65231	133443	15662	14557	30219	22.65
17	Salem	167224	144126	311350	31935	27779	59714	19.18
18	Sivagangai	58883	56684	115567	12234	12013	24247	20.98
19	Thanjavur	108136	103491	211627	27025	25963	52988	25.04
20	Theni	65905	57979	123884	17250	15420	32670	26.37
21	The Nilgiris	34380	34950	69330	14407	13856	28263	40.77
22	Tiruchirappalli	119365	113177	232542	25982	24187	50169	21.57
23	Thiruneiveli	157048	149017	306065	35197	33616	68813	22.48
24	Thiruvallur	135822	129511	265333	39558	38655	78213	29.48
25	Tiruvannamalai	111415	107051	218466	27321	26834	54155	24.79
26	Thiruvaur	58537	56142	114679	24919	23984	48903	42.64
27	Thoothukkudi	84102	80682	164784	19744	18455	38199	23.18
28	Vellore	183651	175168	358819	44732	42630	87362	24.35
29	Villupuram	155634	150654	306288	52079	50008	102087	33.33
30	Virudhunagar	97886	92975	190861	24901	24121	49022	25.68
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3244483</b>	<b>3103696</b>	<b>6348179</b>	<b>774403</b>	<b>754798</b>	<b>1529201</b>	<b>24.09</b>

Source : Household Survey 2005

**Table - 6 (Contd...)**  
**House Hold Survey - School Age Population - 2005**  
Age group 5 to 10

S.No.	Districts	ST				Muslim Minority			
		B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%
1	Chennai	1744	1557	3301	0.90	16234	13666	29900	8.15
2	Coimbatore	3642	3396	7038	1.55	11107	11047	22155	4.87
3	Cuddalore	2668	3344	6012	2.47	4723	5012	9734	4.00
4	Dharmapuri	3413	3070	6483	4.34	1685	1655	3340	2.24
5	Dindigul	735	638	1373	0.67	4464	4303	8766	4.28
6	Erode	1716	1500	3216	1.19	5152	5804	10956	4.04
7	Kancheepuram	4285	4251	8536	2.84	7726	7392	15118	5.03
8	Kanyakumari	1112	1013	2125	1.39	2808	2846	5654	3.69
9	Karur	207	188	395	0.44	1822	1744	3567	3.96
10	Krishnagiri	2434	2390	4824	3.43	9815	9748	19563	13.90
11	Madurai	727	705	1432	0.52	6152	6046	12198	4.40
12	Nagapattinam	661	600	1261	0.78	3915	5740	9655	6.01
13	Namakkal	3204	2763	5967	4.31	1177	1207	2384	1.72
14	Perambalur	1336	1178	2514	2.06	1643	1831	3474	2.81
15	Pudukkottai	57	63	120	0.08	5558	5352	10910	7.21
16	Ramanathapuram	350	332	682	0.51	7554	9078	16632	12.46
17	Salem	9068	8030	17098	5.49	3651	3440	7091	2.28
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0.00	3079	2928	6007	5.20
19	Thanjavur	1177	993	2170	1.03	7614	7460	15074	7.12
20	Theni	271	288	559	0.45	1899	2158	4057	3.27
21	The Nilgiris	2671	2537	5208	7.51	3004	3248	6251	9.02
22	Tiruchirappalli	1676	1386	3062	1.32	7323	7131	14454	6.22
23	Thirunelveli	915	845	1760	0.58	11954	12563	24517	8.01
24	Thiruvallur	5580	5273	10853	4.09	10461	10512	20972	7.90
25	Tiruvannamalai	7088	6068	13156	6.02	3663	3773	7435	3.40
26	Thiruvarur	215	212	427	0.37	3472	4121	7459	6.50
27	Thoothukkudi	539	468	1007	0.61	3242	3633	6876	4.17
28	Vellore	5913	4991	10904	3.04	19298	19869	39167	10.92
29	Villupuram	5757	5168	10925	3.57	5690	5554	11244	3.67
30	Virudhunagar	553	497	1050	0.55	2563	2341	4904	2.57
	<b>Total</b>	<b>69714</b>	<b>63744</b>	<b>133458</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>177528</b>	<b>180209</b>	<b>359514</b>	<b>5.66</b>

Source : Household Survey 2005

**Table - 6 (contd..)**  
**House Hold Survey - School Age Population - 2005**  
**Age group 11 to 13**

S. No.	Districts	Age group 11 to 13															5 to 14
		All			SC				ST				Muslim Minority				
		B	G	T	B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%	
1	Chennai	113417	112472	225889	28542	27941	56483	25.00	2014	1451	3465	1.53	10884	8653	19537	8.65	592792
2	Coimbatore	127720	117529	245249	27512	24645	52157	21.27	2251	2239	4490	1.83	4669	4802	9471	3.86	700388
3	Cuddalore	74312	71223	145535	24981	23301	48282	33.18	1325	1529	2854	1.96	2923	2912	5835	4.01	388812
4	Dharmapuri	46896	40176	87072	8524	7302	15826	18.18	1504	1531	3035	3.49	955	938	1893	2.17	236444
5	Dindigul	58342	53114	111456	13958	13667	27625	24.79	1193	822	2015	1.81	2321	2312	4633	4.16	316246
6	Erode	68539	61961	130500	15008	13749	28757	22.04	1234	961	2195	1.68	2381	2903	5284	4.05	401767
7	Kancheepuram	94168	90124	184292	33981	31235	65216	35.39	1523	1622	3145	1.71	4015	3970	7985	4.33	484997
8	Kanyakumari	47899	45250	93149	4705	4496	9201	9.88	922	862	1784	1.92	1656	1613	3269	3.51	246460
9	Karur	26243	24833	51076	6508	5971	12479	24.43	236	245	481	0.94	878	924	1801	3.53	141082
10	Krishnagiri	86882	66023	152905	4571	4446	9017	5.90	1301	1329	2630	1.72	6591	5961	12552	8.21	293685
11	Madurai	83645	78159	161804	14751	13251	28002	17.31	745	1429	2174	1.34	3421	3470	6891	4.26	438877
12	Nagapattinam	50833	48441	99274	19291	17945	37236	37.51	162	172	334	0.34	2412	2876	5288	5.33	259937
13	Namakkal	49096	43239	92335	9951	9121	19072	20.66	2952	2946	5898	6.39	556	641	1197	1.30	230723
14	Perambalur	38674	36761	75435	11529	10868	22397	29.69	821	872	1693	2.24	1030	1026	2056	2.73	197625
15	Pudukkottai	48383	46341	94724	9856	9851	19707	20.80	45	43	88	0.09	3182	2962	6144	6.49	246001
16	Ramanathapuram	38233	37974	76207	8875	8765	17640	23.15	719	672	1391	1.83	4467	4982	9449	12.40	209650
17	Salem	93754	81694	175448	17937	15893	33830	19.28	3381	4381	7762	4.42	2000	1937	3937	2.24	486798
18	Sivagangai	37766	35186	72952	7625	7014	14639	20.07	0	0	0	0.00	1709	1583	3292	4.51	188519
19	Thanjavur	64023	62623	126646	16106	15921	32027	25.29	1629	1672	3301	2.61	4307	4086	8393	6.63	338273
20	Theni	33842	33466	67308	9029	7891	16920	25.14	102	105	207	0.31	1064	1209	2273	3.38	191192
21	The Nilgiris	21432	20469	41901	8324	8201	16525	39.44	1137	1172	2309	5.51	1711	1903	3614	8.63	111231
22	Tiruchirappalli	70014	67478	137492	14574	15112	29686	21.59	832	921	1753	1.27	3877	4117	7994	5.81	370034
23	Thirunelveli	88607	85429	174036	19401	18627	38028	21.85	859	532	1391	0.80	7032	6969	14001	8.04	480101
24	Thiruvallur	84529	84280	168809	26113	25431	51544	30.53	3329	2749	6078	3.60	5938	6258	12196	7.22	434142
25	Tiruvannamalai	69421	66565	135986	17345	16924	34269	25.20	2851	2217	5068	3.73	2099	2076	4176	3.07	354452
26	Thiruvarur	36424	34904	71328	16812	14975	31787	44.56	194	402	596	0.84	2039	2166	4205	5.90	186007
27	Thoothukkudi	49177	47684	96861	11431	11127	22558	23.29	393	398	791	0.82	1847	1976	3822	3.95	261645
28	Vellore	110996	106476	217472	26997	26771	53768	24.72	3752	2912	6664	3.06	8767	9164	17931	8.25	576291
29	Villupuram	97103	92453	189556	29751	29521	59272	31.27	2341	1969	4310	2.27	3400	3292	6692	3.53	495844
30	Virudhunagar	54376	50022	104398	12941	12106	25047	23.99	411	377	788	0.75	1234	1185	2419	2.32	295259
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1964746</b>	<b>1842349</b>	<b>3807095</b>	<b>476929</b>	<b>452068</b>	<b>928997</b>	<b>24.40</b>	<b>40158</b>	<b>38532</b>	<b>78690</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>99353</b>	<b>98830</b>	<b>198230</b>	<b>5.21</b>	<b>10155274</b>

Source: Household survey 2005

### 1.5.6. School Age Population Projection

It is planned to enroll all the school age children every year for which population projection is worked out based on the population growth rate for the year 2008-09, 2009-2010 and presented in the table below.

**Table - 7**  
**School Age Population 2007-2008**  
**Age group 5 to 10**

S. No.	Districts	All			SC			
		B	G	T	B	G	T	%
1	Chennai	188287	182347	370633	45265	43490	88755	23.95
2	Coimbatore	198529	186903	385432	40414	38887	79301	20.57
3	Cuddalore	116557	111993	228550	42387	41125	83511	36.54
4	Dharmapuri	71734	62283	134017	12326	11136	23462	17.51
5	Dindigul	97516	89994	187510	24082	22243	46326	24.71
6	Erode	103286	95549	198835	22977	22034	45011	22.64
7	Kancheepuram	145240	140195	285435	46549	45568	92117	32.27
8	Kanyakumari	76787	74046	150832	5192	5025	10217	6.77
9	Karur	43495	39902	83397	10336	9719	20056	24.05
10	Krishnagiri	99680	92578	192258	13851	13014	26864	13.97
11	Madurai	141887	130121	272008	23756	22017	45773	16.83
12	Nagapattinam	74918	71902	146820	29567	28066	57633	39.25
13	Namakkal	69457	61255	130712	15730	14497	30227	23.12
14	Perambalur	60721	56964	117685	18278	17565	35842	30.46
15	Pudukkottai	74083	71039	145123	14501	14002	28503	19.64
16	Ramanad	64441	61132	125574	14104	13357	27461	21.37
17	Salem	154271	133307	287578	29632	26964	56597	19.68
18	Sivagangai	55202	52354	107556	10991	10713	21704	20.18
19	Thanjavur	106419	101888	208307	25451	25072	50523	24.25
20	Theni	61114	54196	115309	16341	14644	30985	26.87
21	The Nilgiris	31384	29992	61376	12700	12261	24961	40.67
22	Thiruchirappalli	115144	108920	224063	24105	23066	47171	21.05
23	Thirunelveli	151661	143575	295236	32321	30842	63162	21.39
24	Thiruvallur	146021	138476	284497	41492	40101	81593	28.68
25	Tiruvannamalai	104540	99759	204298	26241	25380	51621	25.27
26	Thiruvarur	55611	53889	109500	23079	21969	45048	41.14
27	Thoothukkudi	80584	75541	156124	19020	17250	36270	23.23
28	Vellore	181823	172606	354429	44022	41675	85696	24.18
29	Villupuram	150083	144388	294472	50062	48306	98368	33.40
30	Virudhunagar	92285	87588	179873	23506	22561	46067	25.61
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3112758</b>	<b>2924681</b>	<b>6037439</b>	<b>758277</b>	<b>722548</b>	<b>1480825</b>	<b>24.53</b>

*Source: Household survey 2005*

**Table - 7 (Contd...)**  
**School Age Population 2007-2008**  
**Age group 5 to 10**

S. No.	Districts	ST				Muslim Minority			
		B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%
1	Chennai	1663	1523	3187	0.86	16240	13818	30058	8.11
2	Coimbatore	3538	3560	7098	1.84	7564	11168	18732	4.86
3	Cuddalore	1884	1711	3596	1.57	4076	5020	9096	3.98
4	Dharmapuri	3127	2899	6026	4.50	1432	1570	3002	2.24
5	Dindigul	598	549	1146	0.61	3772	4272	8044	4.29
6	Erode	1420	1328	2748	1.38	2173	5840	8013	4.03
7	Kancheepuram	3962	3826	7788	2.73	7101	7228	14329	5.02
8	Kanyakumari	436	441	877	0.58	2669	2882	5551	3.68
9	Karur	63	69	133	0.16	1637	1649	3286	3.94
10	Krishnagiri	1904	1746	3650	1.90	16836	9715	26551	13.81
11	Madurai	734	711	1445	0.53	5919	6022	11941	4.39
12	Nagapattinam	379	343	722	0.49	3348	5505	8853	6.03
13	Namakkal	3153	2748	5900	4.51	1029	1128	2157	1.65
14	Perambalur	1067	995	2062	1.75	1627	1680	3307	2.81
15	Pudukkottai	16	22	37	0.03	4998	5378	10376	7.15
16	Ramanathapuram	321	300	621	0.49	6615	9069	15684	12.49
17	Salem	6889	6155	13044	4.54	3414	3172	6586	2.29
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0.00	2667	2894	5561	5.17
19	Thanjavur	406	398	805	0.39	7377	7496	14873	7.14
20	Theni	208	185	392	0.34	1783	1988	3771	3.27
21	The Nilgiris	2056	2137	4193	6.83	2241	3289	5530	9.01
22	Thiruchirappalli	2069	1711	3780	1.69	6695	7197	13892	6.20
23	Thirunelveli	1118	1010	2128	0.72	10894	12666	23560	7.98
24	Thiruvallur	4777	4596	9373	3.29	11842	10548	22390	7.87
25	Tiruvannamalai	6723	5824	12546	6.14	3111	3794	6905	3.38
26	Thiruvarur	115	128	243	0.22	3172	4088	7260	6.63
27	Thoothukkudi	755	706	1461	0.94	2939	3540	6479	4.15
28	Vellore	5445	4709	10153	2.86	19232	19684	38916	10.98
29	Villupuram	5879	5439	11317	3.84	5147	5572	10719	3.64
30	Virudhunagar	186	156	343	0.19	2210	2287	4497	2.50
	<b>Total</b>	<b>60890</b>	<b>55924</b>	<b>116813</b>	<b>1.93</b>	<b>169759</b>	<b>180159</b>	<b>349918</b>	<b>5.80</b>

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**Table - 7 (Contd...)  
School Age Population 2007-2008 (Projection)**

S. No.	Districts	Age group 11 to 13															5-13
		ALL			SC				ST				Muslim Minority				
		B	G	T	B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%	B	G	T	%	
1	Chennai	112373	111215	223589	27015	26703	53717	24.03	1887	1420	3306	1.48	10081	9215	19296	8.63	594222
2	Coimbatore	125820	116992	242813	26442	24341	50783	20.91	2744	2248	4993	2.06	4513	4787	9300	3.83	628245
3	Cuddalore	70574	65432	136006	23889	22695	46584	34.25	807	524	1331	0.98	2483	2862	5345	3.93	364556
4	Dharmapuri	45107	37528	82634	7535	6480	14015	16.96	1922	2569	4491	5.43	815	962	1777	2.15	216651
5	Dindigul	56144	51845	107988	14093	13069	27162	25.15	222	166	388	0.36	2171	2289	4460	4.13	295498
6	Erode	67190	60286	127476	14411	13288	27699	21.73	680	635	1316	1.03	2199	2875	5074	3.98	326311
7	Kancheepuram	96625	90709	187335	33055	30899	63954	34.14	1582	1398	2981	1.59	4136	3994	8130	4.34	472770
8	Kanyakumari	45559	43006	88565	3787	3802	7589	8.57	669	645	1315	1.48	1513	1587	3100	3.50	239398
9	Karur	26041	23738	49779	6070	5591	11660	23.42	27	27	54	0.11	809	938	1747	3.51	133176
10	Krishnagiri	49150	44843	93994	7814	7464	15279	16.26	523	488	1012	1.08	1338	6285	7623	8.11	286252
11	Madurai	78744	72094	150838	13016	12212	25228	16.73	592	449	1041	0.69	2932	3479	6411	4.25	422847
12	Nagapattinam	47758	44276	92033	18583	17261	35844	38.95	112	106	219	0.24	2004	2874	4878	5.30	238853
13	Namakkal	45245	37690	82935	10113	8775	18888	22.77	2193	1873	4066	4.90	408	629	1037	1.25	213647
14	Perambalur	36491	33814	70304	10940	10325	21265	30.25	452	418	870	1.24	890	987	1877	2.67	187989
15	Pudukkottai	43554	41778	85332	8836	8599	17434	20.43	6	3	9	0.01	2466	2987	5453	6.39	230455
16	Ramanathapuram	37036	35103	72139	8015	7115	15130	20.97	663	950	1614	2.24	4022	4988	9010	12.49	197713
17	Salem	91504	77502	169006	17931	15825	33756	19.97	3474	3099	6573	3.89	1620	2014	3634	2.15	456584
18	Sivagangai	36298	33564	69862	7477	6936	14413	20.63	0	0	0	0.00	1540	1597	3137	4.49	177418
19	Thanjavur	65360	60848	126208	16171	15444	31615	25.05	379	228	608	0.48	4152	4178	8330	6.60	334515
20	Theni	35115	30273	65388	8680	7641	16321	24.96	73	49	122	0.19	990	1194	2184	3.34	180698
21	The Nilgiris	19399	17933	37332	7836	7731	15568	41.70	1058	834	1892	5.07	1296	1915	3211	8.60	98708
22	Thiruchirappalli	72700	67639	140339	15602	15050	30652	21.84	1425	1134	2558	1.82	3952	4188	8140	5.80	364403
23	Thirunelveli	86298	80504	166803	18416	17067	35484	21.27	521	1152	1672	1.00	6251	7093	13344	8.00	462039
24	Thiruvallur	89398	81754	171152	26627	24283	50910	29.75	2965	2394	5359	3.13	9479	6267	15746	9.20	455648
25	Tiruvannamalai	60391	56616	117006	15556	14689	30245	25.85	2408	1947	4354	3.72	1410	2088	3498	2.99	321305
26	Thiruvarur	35037	33341	68378	14813	13952	28765	42.07	381	307	688	1.01	1828	2172	4000	5.85	177878
27	Thoothukudi	46772	44038	90810	10678	9969	20648	22.74	419	421	840	0.92	1723	1918	3641	4.01	246935
28	Vellore	106072	101052	207124	26004	25191	51195	24.72	2861	2263	5123	2.47	7832	9214	17046	8.23	561553
29	Villupuram	83785	78548	162333	28285	26891	55176	33.99	2377	1860	4237	2.61	2392	3322	5714	3.52	456805
30	Virudhunagar	51546	48152	99999	12703	11854	24557	24.56	68	103	171	0.17	1201	1129	2330	2.33	279872
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1863087</b>	<b>1722414</b>	<b>3585501</b>	<b>460395</b>	<b>431142</b>	<b>891537</b>	<b>24.87</b>	<b>33490</b>	<b>29712</b>	<b>63202</b>	<b>1.76</b>	<b>88444</b>	<b>100027</b>	<b>188471</b>	<b>5.26</b>	<b>9622941</b>

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**Table - 8**  
**School Age Population - 2008-2009 (Projection)**  
**Age group 5 to 10**

S. No.	Districts	Age group 5 to 10											
		ALL			SC			ST			Muslim Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	189793	183805	373598	45627	43838	89465	1677	1535	3212	16370	13929	30299
2	Coimbatore	201110	189333	390443	40940	39392	80332	3584	3606	7190	7663	11313	18976
3	Cuddalore	117256	112665	229921	42641	41371	84012	1895	1722	3617	4101	5050	9151
4	Dharmapuri	72523	62968	135491	12462	11258	23720	3161	2931	6092	1448	1587	3035
5	Dindigul	98101	90534	188635	24226	22377	46603	601	552	1153	3795	4297	8092
6	Erode	104113	96313	200426	23160	22211	45371	1431	1339	2770	2190	5887	8077
7	Kancheepuram	147419	142298	289717	47247	46251	93498	4021	3884	7905	7207	7337	14544
8	Kanyakumari	77017	74268	151285	5208	5040	10248	438	442	880	2677	2890	5567
9	Karur	43800	40182	83982	10409	9787	20196	63	70	133	1648	1661	3309
10	Krishnagiri	100777	93596	194373	14003	13157	27160	1925	1766	3691	17021	9822	26843
11	Madurai	143023	131162	274185	23946	22193	46139	739	717	1456	5967	6070	12037
12	Nagapattinam	75367	72334	147701	29744	28235	57979	381	345	726	3368	5538	8906
13	Namakkal	70082	61806	131888	15871	14628	30499	3181	2772	5953	1038	1138	2176
14	Perambalur	61086	57306	118392	18387	17670	36057	1073	1001	2074	1637	1690	3327
15	Pudukkottai	74602	71537	146139	14602	14100	28702	16	22	38	5033	5416	10449
16	Ramanathapuram	64699	61377	126076	14161	13410	27571	322	302	624	6642	9105	15747
17	Salem	156122	134907	291029	29988	27288	57276	6971	6229	13200	3455	3210	6665
18	Sivagangai	55368	52511	107879	11024	10745	21769	0	0	0	2674	2903	5577
19	Thanjavur	107058	102499	209557	25604	25222	50826	408	401	809	7421	7541	14962
20	Theni	61297	54358	115655	16390	14688	31078	209	185	394	1788	1994	3782
21	The Nilgiris	31509	30112	61621	12751	12310	25061	2065	2145	4210	2250	3302	5552
22	Tiruchirappalli	115950	109682	225632	24273	23228	47501	2083	1723	3806	6742	7247	13989
23	Thirunelveli	152874	144724	297598	32579	31089	63668	1127	1018	2145	10981	12767	23748
24	Thiruvallur	148357	140691	289048	42156	40743	82899	4853	4670	9523	12031	10717	22748
25	Tiruvannamalai	105062	100257	205319	26373	25506	51879	6756	5853	12609	3127	3813	6940
26	Thiruvarur	55833	54105	109938	23172	22056	45228	115	129	244	3185	4104	7289
27	Thoothukkudi	81067	75994	157061	19134	17354	36488	760	710	1470	2957	3561	6518
28	Vellore	184005	174677	358682	44550	42175	86725	5510	4765	10275	19463	19920	39383
29	Villupuram	150984	145255	296239	50362	48596	98958	5914	5471	11385	5178	5605	10783
30	Virudhunagar	92931	88201	181132	23670	22719	46389	188	157	345	2225	2303	4528
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3139182</b>	<b>2949457</b>	<b>6088639</b>	<b>764660</b>	<b>728637</b>	<b>1493297</b>	<b>61468</b>	<b>56462</b>	<b>117930</b>	<b>171282</b>	<b>181717</b>	<b>352999</b>

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**Table - 8 (Contd...)**  
**School Age Population - 2008-2009(Projection)**

S. No.	Districts	Age group 11 to 13											
		ALL			SC			ST			Muslim Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	113273	112105	225378	27231	26916	54147	1902	1431	3333	10161	9289	19450
2	Coimbatore	127205	118279	245484	26733	24608	51341	2775	2273	5048	4562	4840	9402
3	Cuddalore	70998	65824	136822	24032	22831	46863	812	527	1339	2498	2879	5377
4	Dharmapuri	45648	37978	83626	7625	6558	14183	1945	2600	4545	824	974	1798
5	Dindigul	56536	52208	108744	14192	13160	27352	224	167	391	2186	2305	4491
6	Erode	67794	60829	128623	14541	13408	27949	687	641	1328	2218	2901	5119
7	Kancheepuram	97688	91707	189395	33419	31239	64658	1600	1414	3014	4182	4038	8220
8	Kanyakumari	45695	43136	88831	3799	3813	7612	672	647	1319	1517	1592	3109
9	Karur	26249	23928	50177	6118	5635	11753	27	27	54	816	946	1762
10	Krishnagiri	49740	45381	95121	7908	7554	15462	530	494	1024	1354	6360	7714
11	Madurai	79216	72527	151743	13094	12286	25380	595	452	1047	2949	3500	6449
12	Nagapattinam	48140	44630	92770	18732	17399	36131	113	107	220	2020	2897	4917
13	Namakkal	45743	38104	83847	10225	8871	19096	2217	1893	4110	412	636	1048
14	Perambalur	36783	34084	70867	11028	10407	21435	455	422	877	897	995	1892
15	Pudukkottai	43902	42113	86015	8907	8667	17574	6	3	9	2485	3011	5496
16	Ramanathapuram	37222	35278	72500	8055	7151	15206	667	955	1622	4042	5013	9055
17	Salem	92602	78432	171034	18146	16015	34161	3516	3136	6652	1639	2038	3677
18	Sivagangai	36407	33664	70071	7500	6957	14457	0	0	0	1544	1602	3146
19	Thanjavur	65752	61213	126965	16268	15537	31805	381	230	611	4177	4203	8380
20	Theni	35220	30364	65584	8706	7664	16370	73	49	122	993	1198	2191
21	The Nilgiris	19515	18041	37556	7883	7778	15661	1064	840	1904	1303	1926	3229
22	Tiruchirappalli	73209	68113	141322	15712	15155	30867	1435	1141	2576	3979	4217	8196
23	Thirunelveli	87075	81229	168304	18582	17221	35803	525	1162	1687	6307	7157	13464
24	Thiruvallur	91007	83225	174232	27106	24721	51827	3018	2437	5455	9650	6380	16030
25	Tiruvannamalai	60692	56899	117591	15634	14762	30396	2420	1956	4376	1418	2098	3516
26	Thiruvarur	35212	33508	68720	14887	14022	28909	383	309	692	1837	2183	4020
27	Thoothukkudi	47053	44302	91355	10742	10029	20771	422	423	845	1734	1930	3664
28	Vellore	107133	102063	209196	26264	25443	51707	2889	2286	5175	7911	9306	17217
29	Villupuram	84288	79019	163307	28454	27053	55507	2391	1871	4262	2406	3342	5748
30	Virudhunagar	52010	48889	100899	12818	11960	24778	69	104	173	1212	1139	2351
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1879007</b>	<b>1737072</b>	<b>3616079</b>	<b>464341</b>	<b>434820</b>	<b>899161</b>	<b>33813</b>	<b>29997</b>	<b>63810</b>	<b>89233</b>	<b>100895</b>	<b>190128</b>

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**Table - 8 a**  
**School Age Population - 2009-2010 (Projection)**

S. No.	Districts	Age Group 5-10											
		ALL			SC			ST			Muslim Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	191311	185275	376586	45992	44188	90180	1690	1547	3237	16501	14040	30541
2	Coimbatore	203322	191416	394738	41391	39825	81216	3623	3646	7269	7747	11437	19184
3	Cuddalore	117960	113341	231301	42897	41619	84516	1906	1732	3638	4126	5080	9206
4	Dharmapuri	73393	63724	137117	12612	11393	24005	3199	2966	6165	1465	1606	3071
5	Dindigui	98788	91168	189956	24396	22534	46930	605	556	1161	3822	4327	8149
6	Erode	105050	97180	202230	23368	22411	45779	1443	1351	2794	2210	5940	8150
7	Kancheepuram	149041	143863	292904	47767	46760	94527	4065	3927	7992	7286	7418	14704
8	Kanyakumari	77248	74491	151739	5224	5065	10279	439	443	882	2685	2899	5584
9	Karur	44150	40503	84653	10492	9866	20358	64	71	135	1661	1674	3335
10	Krishnagiri	101986	94719	196705	14171	13315	27486	1948	1787	3735	17225	9940	27165
11	Madurai	143881	131949	275830	24090	22326	46416	744	721	1465	6003	6106	12109
12	Nagapattinam	75970	72913	148883	29982	28461	58443	384	348	732	3395	5583	8978
13	Namakkal	70853	62486	133339	16045	14789	30834	3216	2802	6018	1049	1151	2200
14	Perambalur	61574	57764	119338	18534	17812	36346	1082	1009	2091	1650	1703	3353
15	Pudukkottai	75199	72109	147308	14719	14213	28932	16	22	38	5073	5459	10532
16	Ramanathapuram	65023	61684	126707	14232	13477	27709	324	304	628	6675	9150	15825
17	Salem	157996	136526	294522	30348	27615	57963	7055	6304	13359	3496	3248	6744
18	Sivagangai	55534	52669	108203	11057	10778	21835	0	0	0	2682	2912	5594
19	Thanjavur	107700	103114	210814	25758	25373	51131	411	403	814	7466	7586	15052
20	Theni	61481	54521	116002	16439	14732	31171	209	186	395	1793	2000	3793
21	The Nilgiris	31698	30293	61991	12827	12384	25211	2077	2158	4235	2264	3322	5586
22	Tiruchirappalli	116761	110450	227211	24443	23391	47834	2098	1735	3833	6789	7298	14087
23	Thirunelveli	154250	146027	300277	32872	31369	64241	1137	1027	2164	11080	12882	23962
24	Thiruvallur	151028	143223	294251	42915	41476	84391	4940	4754	9694	12248	10910	23158
25	Tiruvannamalai	105588	100758	206346	26505	25634	52139	6790	5882	12672	3143	3832	6975
26	Thiruvaur	56112	54376	110488	23288	22166	45454	116	130	246	3201	4124	7325
27	Thoothukkudi	81554	76450	158004	19249	17458	36707	764	714	1478	2975	3582	6557
28	Vellore	185845	176424	362269	44995	42597	87592	5565	4813	10378	19658	20119	39777
29	Villupuram	151890	146127	298017	50664	48888	99552	5950	5504	11454	5209	5639	10848
30	Virudhunagar	93767	88995	182762	23883	22924	46807	190	158	348	2245	2324	4569
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3165953</b>	<b>2974538</b>	<b>6140491</b>	<b>771155</b>	<b>734829</b>	<b>1505984</b>	<b>62050</b>	<b>57000</b>	<b>119050</b>	<b>172822</b>	<b>183291</b>	<b>356113</b>

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**Table - 8 a**  
**School Age Population - 2009-2010 (Projection)**

S. No.	Districts	Age Group 11-13											
		ALL			SC			ST			Muslim Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	114179	113002	227181	27359	27043	54402	1115	839	1954	9625	8799	18424
2	Coimbatore	128604	119580	248184	26588	24475	51063	2512	2058	4570	5853	6209	12062
3	Cuddalore	71424	66219	137643	25792	24503	50295	1313	852	2165	2545	2933	5478
4	Dharmapuri	46196	38434	84630	7965	6851	14816	1628	2177	3805	869	1027	1896
5	Dindigul	56932	52573	109505	14037	13017	27054	383	286	669	2287	2411	4698
6	Erode	68404	61376	129780	15285	14094	29379	928	866	1794	2266	2964	5230
7	Kancheepuram	98763	92716	191479	31939	29856	61795	2774	2451	5225	4890	4722	9612
8	Kanyakumari	45832	43265	89097	3012	3023	6035	264	254	518	1600	1679	3279
9	Karur	26459	24119	50578	6331	5832	12163	40	40	80	923	1070	1993
10	Krishnagiri	50337	45926	96263	6879	6571	13450	946	882	1828	2333	10961	13294
11	Madurai	79691	72962	152653	13253	12435	25688	461	350	811	3064	3637	6701
12	Nagapattinam	48525	44987	93512	19031	17677	36708	236	224	460	2317	3322	5639
13	Namakkal	46246	38523	84769	10496	9106	19602	2064	1762	3826	550	849	1399
14	Perambalur	37077	34357	71434	11193	10563	21756	649	602	1251	952	1056	2008
15	Pudukkottai	44253	42450	86703	8631	8398	17029	15	7	22	2803	3396	6199
16	Ramanathapuram	37408	35454	72862	8441	7493	15934	148	212	360	4062	5038	9100
17	Salem	93713	79373	173086	18095	15970	34065	4150	3701	7851	1767	2197	3964
18	Sivagangai	36516	33765	70281	7357	6825	14182	0	0	0	1783	1850	3633
19	Thanjavur	66147	61580	127727	15846	15134	30980	308	186	494	4546	4574	9120
20	Theni	35326	30455	65781	9401	8276	17677	134	90	224	975	1176	2151
21	The Nilgiris	19632	18149	37781	7734	7631	15365	1442	1139	2581	1374	2030	3404
22	Tiruchirappalli	73721	68590	142311	15250	14710	29960	1337	1063	2400	4284	4540	8824
23	Thirunelveli	87859	81960	169819	18856	17475	36331	381	843	1224	6348	7204	13552
24	Thiruvallur	92645	84723	177368	26605	24264	50869	3233	2611	5844	8403	5556	13959
25	Tiruvannamalai	60995	57183	118178	15359	14502	29861	4013	3244	7257	1611	2383	3994
26	Thiruvarur	35388	33676	69064	14631	13781	28412	85	68	153	2092	2487	4579
27	Thoothukkudi	47335	44568	91903	11042	10309	21351	429	430	859	1805	2009	3814
28	Vellore	108204	103084	211288	25949	25138	51087	3379	2674	6053	10660	12540	23200
29	Villupuram	84794	79493	164287	28133	26747	54880	3542	2772	6314	2503	3477	5980
30	Virudhunagar	52478	49329	101807	13488	12585	26073	77	117	194	1312	1233	2545
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1895083</b>	<b>1751871</b>	<b>3646954</b>	<b>463978</b>	<b>434284</b>	<b>898262</b>	<b>37986</b>	<b>32800</b>	<b>70786</b>	<b>96402</b>	<b>113329</b>	<b>209731</b>

Source: DISE & EER 2007-08

## **1.6 ELEMENTARY EDUCATION IN TAMIL NADU AT A GLANCE**

The Directorate of school Education and the Directorate of Elementary Education are come under the School Education Department. The Nursery Primary Schools with Pre KG classes to V Std, the Primary schools with Std. I-V are come under the Directorate of Elementary Education.

The High schools with I-X Stds./VI-X Stds. and the Higher Secondary schools with standards I-XII/VI-XII are come under the Directorate of School Education. The school management categories are government, local body, Private Aided and Private Unaided.

### **1.6.1. Schools by category And Management**

Under DISE, data have been collected from all recognized schools. However data relating to Un recognized schools have also been collected to bridge the enrolment data gap. In Tamil Nadu there are 53307 schools. Among them, the number of Primary schools is 34800, the number of Middle schools is 9020, the number of High and Higher Secondary schools is 4520, 4854 respectively.

The number of Middle schools under all management category is 9020, of which 1668 number of schools are Private Aided and 643 number of schools are Private Un Aided. Similarly among 4520 High schools, 634 are private Aided and 1719 number of schools are Private Un Aided.

Among 4854 Higher Secondary schools, 1055 are Private Aided and 1801 schools are Private Un Aided.

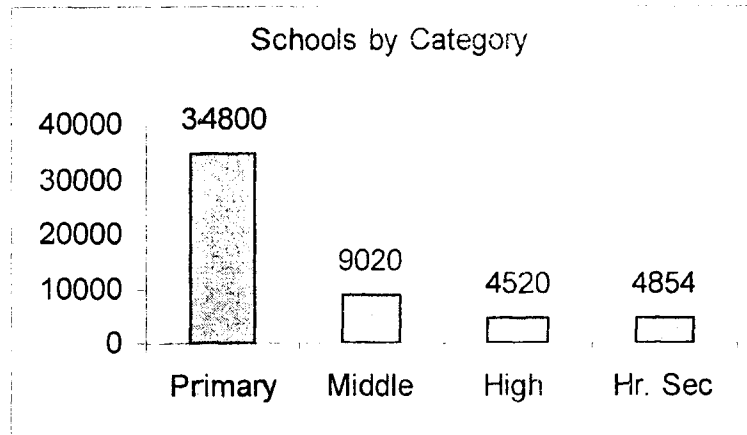
District- wise number of schools by category and number of schools by management category is presented below.

**Table 9**  
**Schools by category – 2007-2008**

S. No.	Block	Primary School (I-V)				Middle School (I-VIII)				High School				Higher Secondary School				Others	KGBV	Total
		Govt.	Private Aided	Private unAided	Total	Govt.	Private Aided	Private Un Aided	Total	Govt.	Private Aided	Private Un Aided	Total	Govt.	Private Aided	Private UnAided	Total			
1	Chennai	151	124	339	614	113	74	43	230	47	42	135	224	49	120	261	430	6		1504
2	Coimbatore	1277	136	331	1744	399	34	56	489	109	18	144	271	103	48	181	332	5		2841
3	Cuddalore	887	177	173	1237	286	64	26	376	70	18	38	126	75	29	48	152	0	3	1894
4	Dharmapuri	843	10	97	950	308	3	16	327	61	6	25	92	72	2	22	96	1		1466
5	Dindigui	955	198	129	1282	191	57	14	262	53	29	37	119	50	39	45	134	0		1797
6	Erode	1285	109	138	1532	291	17	27	335	68	15	74	157	83	23	90	196	2	6	2223
7	Kancheepuram	885	127	317	1329	283	56	46	385	93	32	123	248	90	31	136	257	10		2229
8	Kanyakumari	293	106	152	551	104	52	41	197	73	53	57	183	52	72	59	183	0		1114
9	Karur	585	39	62	686	119	7	10	136	42	4	34	80	33	10	21	64	0	1	967
10	Krishnagiri	1103	14	117	1234	294	3	33	330	96	4	33	133	70	4	30	104	0	3	1804
11	Madurai	775	156	377	1308	241	73	20	334	67	21	75	163	62	63	88	213	16		2034
12	Nagapattinam	556	214	134	904	197	66	9	272	61	16	32	109	49	24	14	87	2		1374
13	Namakkal	680	56	75	811	161	18	14	193	45	10	48	103	74	6	69	149	0	3	1259
14	Perambalur	577	76	77	730	167	28	4	199	74	8	31	113	58	13	22	93	0		1135
15	Pudukkottai	1027	58	164	1249	297	27	18	342	89	14	19	122	68	13	26	107	0		1820
16	Ramanathapuram	780	171	97	1048	177	38	26	241	37	24	22	83	45	27	17	89	0		1461
17	Salem	1157	80	235	1472	298	18	38	354	98	13	74	185	100	22	85	207	9	4	2231
18	Sivagangai	782	109	111	1002	171	59	10	240	57	23	24	104	39	31	26	96	0		1442
19	Thanjavur	914	177	231	1322	223	64	7	294	100	20	59	179	71	37	46	154	1		1950
20	Theni	336	128	61	525	83	73	11	167	41	12	20	73	45	23	20	88	3		856
21	The Nilgiris	265	97	70	432	86	9	7	102	45	14	44	103	32	17	31	80	0		717
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	179	254	1265	227	95	4	326	73	22	85	180	64	68	38	170	0		1941
23	Thirunelveli	640	835	270	1745	113	291	27	431	52	61	55	168	74	82	69	225	1		2570
24	Thiruvallur	907	136	281	1324	292	24	43	359	102	17	146	265	67	19	155	241	13		2202
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	129	115	1539	329	16	21	366	134	13	36	183	89	22	24	135	0	5	2228
26	Thiruvannur	626	70	129	825	163	33	8	204	56	8	24	88	48	14	10	72	0		1189
27	Thoothukudi	510	550	120	1180	108	187	15	310	24	41	39	104	35	72	28	135	0		1729
28	Vellore	1476	206	384	2066	394	54	24	472	141	22	81	244	124	46	70	240	2		3024
29	Villupuram	1308	226	236	1770	433	60	17	510	123	25	75	223	118	22	44	184	0	14	2731
30	Virudhunagar	642	346	136	1124	161	68	8	237	36	29	30	95	59	56	26	141	0	3	1600
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>5039</b>	<b>5412</b>	<b>34800</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>1668</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>9020</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>1719</b>	<b>4520</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1055</b>	<b>1801</b>	<b>4854</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>53307</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### No. of Schools by Category



#### 1.6.2. Enrolment (Primary, Upper Primary)

Total number of children enrolled in I-V std. in all schools under all management is 61,23,687 of which 29,65,861 number are girl children. The percentage of girl enrolment is 48.43%.

Total number of enrolment in VI – VIII std. is 37,19,066 among them 17,87,713 are girls and the percentage is 48.06%.

(The percentage of enrolment of girls is greater than 48% in all districts which shows gender equity in enrolment in all districts.)

Total enrolment in I-VIII Std. is 98,42,753 and the total enrolment of girls is 47,53,574.

Informations relating to Enrolment in primary and upper primary classes are furnished in the table below.

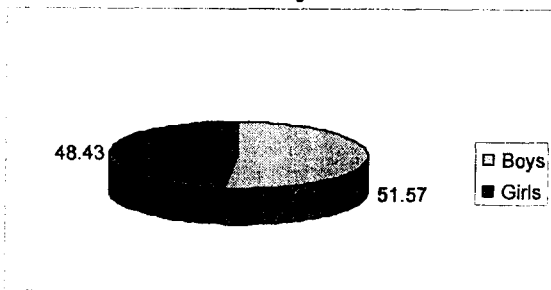
**Table - 10**  
**Enrolment - ALL - Primary and Upper Primary - 2007-2008**

*Source : DISE 2007-08*

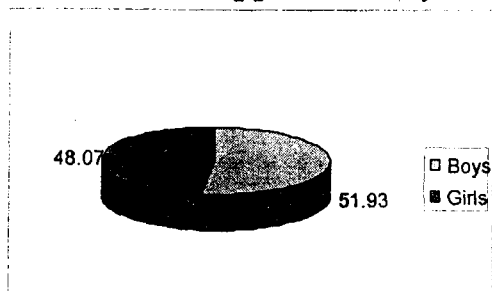
S. No.	Districts	Primary - I - V			Upper Primary - VI - VIII			Total Enrolment I-VIII		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	190339	184079	374418	115239	114296	229535	305578	298375	603953
2	Coimbatore	198708	189426	388134	128815	120198	249013	327523	309624	637147
3	Cuddalore	118305	112755	231060	72748	67552	140300	191053	180307	371360
4	Dharmapuri	73613	64058	137671	47281	39389	86670	120894	103447	224341
5	Dindigul	97584	90012	187596	57637	53286	110923	155221	143298	298519
6	Erode	106075	97794	203869	70099	63162	133261	176174	160956	337130
7	Kancheepuram	148363	143097	291460	100104	93875	193979	248467	236972	485439
8	Kanyakumari	77232	74453	151685	46684	44030	90714	123916	118483	242399
9	Karur	44526	40812	85338	27067	24583	51650	71593	65395	136988
10	Krishnagiri	100757	93337	194094	51760	47395	99155	152517	140732	293249
11	Madurai	142001	130186	272187	82626	75728	158354	224627	205914	430541
12	Nagapattinam	74970	71967	146937	48813	45396	94209	123783	117363	241146
13	Namakkal	71124	62817	133941	46815	39043	85858	117939	101860	219799
14	Perambalur	61122	57334	118456	37870	35085	72955	98992	92419	191411
15	Pudukkottai	74135	71075	145210	45161	43299	88460	119296	114374	233670
16	Ramanathapuram	66278	62905	129183	38240	36247	74487	104518	99152	203670
17	Salem	159624	137773	297397	96482	81989	178471	256106	219762	475868
18	Sivagangai	57013	53987	111000	37485	34698	72183	94498	88685	183183
19	Thanjavur	107345	102754	210099	67791	63215	131006	175136	165969	341105
20	Theni	62782	55632	118414	36362	31390	67752	99144	87022	186166
21	The Nilgiris	32529	30997	63526	20400	18783	39183	52929	49780	102709
22	Thiruchirappalli	117884	111632	229516	75266	69858	145124	193150	181490	374640
23	Thirunelveli	155877	147552	303429	89526	83636	173162	245403	231188	476591
24	Thiruvallur	147554	138822	286376	91865	83945	175810	239419	222767	462186
25	Thiruvannamalai	105679	100856	206535	63060	59254	122314	168739	160110	328849
26	Thiruvarur	55655	53916	109571	36186	34565	70751	91841	88481	180322
27	Thoothukudi	82018	76976	158994	48227	45575	93802	130245	122551	252796
28	Vellore	183241	173728	356969	110973	105872	216845	294214	279600	573814
29	Villupuram	151104	145500	296604	87539	82153	169692	238643	227653	466296
30	Virudhunagar	94389	89629	184018	53232	50216	103448	147621	139845	287466
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3157826</b>	<b>2965861</b>	<b>6123687</b>	<b>1931353</b>	<b>1787713</b>	<b>3719066</b>	<b>5089179</b>	<b>4753574</b>	<b>9842753</b>

**Gender Equity in Enrolment**

**Primary**



**Upper Primary**





### 1.6.3 Enrolment of SC Children

The SC enrolment in I-V Std. is 15,05,156 of which 7,34,553 are SC girls and the girls enrolment percentage is 48.80%

The total number of SC enrolment in VI-VIII std. is 921420 among them 446090 are girls and the percentage is 48.41%.

( Gender equity in enrolment of SC girls is also ensured in all districts. )

**Table - 11**  
**Enrolment - SC - 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	Primary - I - V			Upper Primary - VI - VIII			6-14 (I-VIII)		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	45817	43990	89807	27755	27493	55248	73572	71483	145055
2	Coimbatore	40677	39540	80217	27415	25156	52571	68092	64696	132788
3	Cuddalore	42768	41639	84407	24952	23809	48761	67720	65448	133168
4	Dharmapuri	12610	11375	23985	7947	6860	14807	20557	18235	38792
5	Dindigul	24359	22477	46836	14389	13368	27757	38748	35845	74593
6	Erode	23482	22398	45880	14924	13800	28724	38406	36198	74604
7	Kancheepuram	47596	46101	93697	34083	31916	65999	81679	78017	159696
8	Kanyakumari	5226	5053	10279	3873	3886	7759	9099	8939	18038
9	Karur	10600	9900	20500	6268	5808	12076	16868	15708	32576
10	Krishnagiri	14003	13300	27303	8188	7798	15986	22191	21098	43289
11	Madurai	23910	22277	46187	13443	12757	26200	37353	35034	72387
12	Nagapattinam	29611	28417	58028	19096	17796	36892	48707	46213	94920
13	Namakkal	16060	14826	30886	10441	9104	19545	26501	23930	50431
14	Perambalur	18402	17698	36100	11241	10591	21832	29643	28289	57932
15	Pudukkottai	14595	14093	28688	9062	8836	17898	23657	22929	46586
16	Ramanathapuram	14492	13723	28215	8188	7320	15508	22680	21043	43723
17	Salem	30314	27660	57974	18510	16417	34927	48824	44077	92901
18	Sivagangai	11297	10958	22255	7727	7183	14910	19024	18141	37165
19	Thanjavur	26202	25373	51575	16585	15872	32457	42787	41245	84032
20	Theni	16807	15032	31839	8973	7925	16898	25780	22957	48737
21	The Nilgiris	13100	12586	25686	8222	8097	16319	21322	20683	42005
22	Thiruchirappalli	24794	23740	48534	16036	15503	31539	40830	39243	80073
23	Thirunelveli	33274	31727	65001	18989	17663	36652	52263	49390	101653
24	Thiruvallur	42177	40562	82739	27186	24876	52062	69363	65438	134801
25	Thiruvannamalai	26622	25702	52324	15956	15078	31034	42578	40780	83358
26	Thiruvarur	23137	22307	45444	15373	14446	29819	38510	36753	75263
27	Thoothukudi	19429	17714	37143	11050	10346	21396	30479	28060	58539
28	Vellore	44541	42400	86941	26984	26171	53155	71525	68571	140096
29	Villupuram	50643	48871	99514	29368	27956	57324	80011	76827	156838
30	Virudhunagar	24058	23114	47172	13106	12259	25365	37164	35373	72537
	<b>Total</b>	<b>770603</b>	<b>734553</b>	<b>1505156</b>	<b>475330</b>	<b>446090</b>	<b>921420</b>	<b>1245933</b>	<b>1180643</b>	<b>2426576</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.6.4. Enrollment of ST Children

Similarly the ST enrollment in I-V std. is 119541 among them 57300 of girls and enrollment percentage 47.9%.

The total number of ST enrollment in VI-VIII std. is 65839 of which 30984 are girls and the percentage is 47.06%.

Districtwise enrolment of ST children in I-V and VI - VIII Std. is given in the table below.

**Table - 12**  
**Enrolment - ST - 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	Primary - I - V			Upper Primary - VI - VIII			6-14 (I-VIII)		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	1688	1546	3234	1939	1459	3398	3627	3005	6632
2	Coimbatore	3621	3651	7272	2839	2329	5168	6460	5980	12440
3	Cuddalore	1918	1745	3663	852	555	1407	2770	2300	5070
4	Dharmapuri	3258	3022	6280	2024	2720	4744	5282	5742	11024
5	Dindigul	611	566	1177	232	173	405	843	739	1582
6	Erode	1469	1372	2841	715	669	1384	2184	2041	4225
7	Kancheepuram	4067	3933	8000	1625	1433	3058	5692	5366	11058
8	Kanyakumari	442	449	891	685	660	1345	1127	1109	2236
9	Karur	65	71	136	27	28	55	92	99	191
10	Krishnagiri	1926	1765	3691	549	512	1061	2475	2277	4752
11	Madurai	743	720	1463	626	477	1103	1369	1197	2566
12	Nagapattinam	384	347	731	118	112	230	502	459	961
13	Namakkal	3240	2821	6061	2333	1996	4329	5573	4817	10390
14	Perambalur	1083	1010	2093	469	431	900	1552	1441	2993
15	Pudukkottai	16	22	38	6	3	9	22	25	47
16	Ramanathapuram	330	307	637	677	972	1649	1007	1279	2286
17	Salem	7129	6424	13553	3632	3250	6882	10761	9674	20435
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	415	410	825	395	240	635	810	650	1460
20	Theni	214	192	406	76	51	127	290	243	533
21	The Nilgiris	2162	2253	4415	1112	885	1997	3274	3138	6412
22	Thiruchirappalli	2113	1755	3868	1484	1181	2665	3597	2936	6533
23	Thirunelveli	1149	1035	2184	542	1172	1714	1691	2207	3898
24	Thiruvallur	4848	4673	9521	3029	2460	5489	7877	7133	15010
25	Thiruvannamalai	6814	5904	12718	2451	1987	4438	9265	7891	17156
26	Thiruvarur	117	130	247	395	320	715	512	450	962
27	Thoothukudi	771	725	1496	430	434	864	1201	1159	2360
28	Vellore	5513	4774	10287	3015	2401	5416	8528	7175	15703
29	Villupuram	5944	5518	11462	2507	1966	4473	8451	7484	15935
30	Virudhunagar	191	160	351	71	108	179	262	268	530
	<b>Total</b>	<b>62241</b>	<b>57300</b>	<b>119541</b>	<b>34855</b>	<b>30984</b>	<b>65839</b>	<b>97096</b>	<b>88284</b>	<b>185380</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.6.5. Enrolment Projection

#### Enrolment – Primary & Upper Primary (Projection)

Enrolment projection for primary and upper primary level is worked out based on the DISE and population growth for 2008-09 and 2009-2010 and presented in the table below.

The population in 5 to 10 and 11 to 14 age group is projected based on the growth rate for all districts. The entire school age children are to be enrolled either in formal school or in AIE centres or in other special schools. Projected enrollment of all districts is given below.

**Table - 13**  
**Enrolment - 2008-2009 (Projection)**  
**Primary (5-10 Age group)**

S. No.	District	ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	191862	185551	377413	46168	44342	90510	1702	1558	3260
2	Coimbatore	201291	191889	393180	41413	40054	81471	3668	3699	7367
3	Cuddalore	119015	113431	232446	43098	41888	84988	1929	1756	3685
4	Dharmapuri	74423	64763	139186	12740	11500	24239	3294	3055	6349
5	Dindigul	98170	90552	188722	24493	22612	47104	615	569	1184
6	Erode	106924	98576	205500	23607	22577	46183	1480	1383	2863
7	Kancheepuram	150589	145244	295833	48058	46792	94847	4128	3992	8120
8	Kanyakumari	77464	74676	152140	5240	5068	10308	443	450	893
9	Karur	44838	41098	85936	10640	9969	20608	65	72	137
10	Krishnagiri	101865	94363	196228	14232	13446	27681	1947	1785	3732
11	Madurai	143137	131228	274365	24163	22455	46620	748	726	1474
12	Nagapattinam	75420	72399	147819	29948	28588	58540	386	349	735
13	Namakkal	71764	63382	135146	16217	14960	31178	3270	2846	6116
14	Perambalur	61489	57678	119167	18519	17804	36324	1089	1016	2105
15	Pudukkottai	74654	71573	146227	14697	14192	28889	16	22	38
16	Ramanathapuram	66543	63157	129700	14550	13777	28327	331	309	640
17	Salem	161539	139426	300965	30718	27992	58712	7214	6501	13715
18	Sivagangai	57184	54149	111333	11304	10991	22295	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	107989	103370	211359	26137	25525	51660	417	413	830
20	Theni	62970	55798	118768	16842	15077	31918	215	192	407
21	The Nilgiris	32659	31121	63780	13121	12636	25757	2171	2262	4433
22	Thiruchirappalli	118710	112413	231123	24974	23906	48881	2128	1767	3895
23	Thirunelveli	157124	148733	305857	33527	31981	65508	1158	1043	2201
24	Thiruvallur	149915	141043	290958	42748	41212	83958	4925	4748	9673
25	Thiruvannamalai	106207	101360	207567	26732	25830	52562	6848	5934	12782
26	Thiruvarur	55878	54132	110010	23376	22396	45775	117	131	248
27	Thoothukudi	82510	77438	159948	19595	17821	37418	776	729	1505
28	Vellore	185440	175812	361252	45197	42909	88109	5579	4831	10410
29	Villupuram	152011	146373	298384	50949	49165	100113	5980	5551	11531
30	Virudhunagar	95050	90256	185306	24238	23276	47514	193	161	354
	<b>State</b>	<b>3188628</b>	<b>2994552</b>	<b>6183180</b>	<b>777241</b>	<b>741485</b>	<b>1519530</b>	<b>62769</b>	<b>57785</b>	<b>120554</b>

Source: DISE & EER 2007-08

**Table - 13 (contd....)**  
**Enrolment - 2008-2009 (Projection)**  
**Primary (11-13 Age group)**

S. No.	District	All			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	116161	115210	231371	27977	27713	55690	1955	1471	3426
2	Coimbatore	130232	121520	251752	27717	25432	53149	2871	2355	5226
3	Cuddalore	73185	67957	141142	25101	23952	49053	857	558	1415
4	Dharmapuri	47848	39862	87710	8042	6942	14984	2049	2752	4801
5	Dindigul	58040	53659	111699	14490	13461	27951	234	174	408
6	Erode	70729	63731	134460	15059	13924	28983	722	675	1397
7	Kancheepuram	101205	94908	196113	34458	32267	66725	1643	1449	3092
8	Kanyakumari	46824	44163	90987	3885	3897	7782	688	662	1350
9	Karur	27283	24780	52063	6318	5854	12172	28	28	56
10	Krishnagiri	52381	47963	100344	8286	7892	16178	556	518	1074
11	Madurai	83121	76182	159303	13523	12834	26357	630	480	1110
12	Nagapattinam	49204	45759	94963	19249	17938	37187	119	113	232
13	Namakkal	47330	39472	86802	10556	9204	19760	2359	2017	4376
14	Perambalur	38173	35366	73539	11331	10676	22007	472	435	907
15	Pudukkottai	45522	43646	89168	9135	8906	18041	6	3	9
16	Ramanathapuram	38432	36428	74860	8229	7357	15586	681	977	1658
17	Salem	97640	82973	180613	18732	16614	35346	3676	3289	6965
18	Sivagangai	37598	34802	72400	7751	7205	14956	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	68198	63594	131792	16684	15967	32651	397	242	639
20	Theni	36470	31484	67954	8999	7949	16948	76	51	127
21	The Nilgiris	20522	18896	39418	8271	8146	16417	1118	891	2009
22	Thiruchirappalli	75793	70347	146140	16149	15611	31760	1495	1189	2684
23	Thirunelveli	90332	84389	174721	19160	17822	36982	547	1182	1729
24	Thiruvallur	93519	85455	178974	27675	25324	52999	3083	2505	5588
25	Thiruvannamalai	63375	59550	122925	16036	15153	31189	2464	1997	4461
26	Thiruvarur	36367	34738	71105	15450	14518	29968	397	322	719
27	Thoothukudi	48516	45848	94364	11116	10408	21524	433	436	869
28	Vellore	112083	106931	219014	27254	26433	53687	3045	2426	5471
29	Villupuram	88064	82646	170710	29544	28124	57668	2522	1978	4500
30	Virudhunagar	53711	50669	104380	13224	12369	25593	72	109	181
	<b>State</b>	<b>1947858</b>	<b>1802928</b>	<b>3750786</b>	<b>479401</b>	<b>449892</b>	<b>929293</b>	<b>35195</b>	<b>31284</b>	<b>66479</b>

*Source: DISE & EER 2007-08*

In 2008-09, the school age children in 5-10 age group will be 61,83,180 and in 11-13 will be 37,50,786 all these children are to planned to be enrolled in schools.

**Table - 14**  
**Enrolment 2009-2010 (Projection)**  
**Primary (5-10 age group)**

S. No.	District	All			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	193396	187035	380431	46537	44696	91233	1715	1570	3285
2	Coimbatore	203505	194000	397505	41869	40494	82363	3708	3740	7448
3	Cuddalore	119729	114112	233841	43357	42139	85496	1940	1766	3706
4	Dharmapuri	75316	65540	140856	12893	11638	24531	3333	3092	6425
5	Dindigul	98857	91186	190043	24665	22771	47436	619	574	1193
6	Erode	107886	99464	207350	23819	22781	46600	1493	1396	2889
7	Kancheepuram	152245	146841	299086	48587	47307	95894	4173	4037	8210
8	Kanyakumari	77696	74901	152597	5256	5083	10339	445	451	896
9	Karur	45196	41426	86622	10724	10050	20774	66	73	139
10	Krishnagiri	103087	95496	198583	14402	13608	28010	1970	1806	3776
11	Madurai	143996	132015	276011	24308	22589	46897	753	730	1483
12	Nagapattinam	76023	72979	149002	30188	28817	59005	389	352	741
13	Namakkal	72553	64079	136632	16395	15125	31520	3305	2877	6182
14	Perambalur	61980	58139	120119	18667	17947	36614	1098	1025	2123
15	Pudukkottai	75252	72145	147397	14815	14305	29120	16	22	38
16	Ramanathapuram	66876	63473	130349	14623	13846	28469	333	311	644
17	Salem	163478	141100	304578	31086	28327	59413	7301	6579	13880
18	Sivagangai	57356	54312	111668	11338	11025	22363	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	108637	103990	212627	26294	25677	51971	420	415	835
20	Theni	63159	55966	119125	16892	15122	32014	215	193	408
21	The Nilgiris	32855	31308	64163	13200	12712	25912	2184	2275	4459
22	Thiruchirappalli	119540	113200	232740	25149	24074	49223	2143	1779	3922
23	Thirunelveli	158538	150072	308610	33829	32269	66098	1168	1053	2221
24	Thiruvallur	152614	143581	296195	43518	41953	85471	5014	4833	9847
25	Thiruvannamalai	106739	101866	208605	26866	25960	52826	6882	5963	12845
26	Thiruvarur	56157	54403	110560	23493	22507	46000	118	132	250
27	Thoothukudi	83006	77903	160909	19712	17928	37640	780	733	1513
28	Vellore	187295	177571	364866	45648	43338	88986	5635	4880	10515
29	Villupuram	152923	147252	300175	51254	49460	100714	6016	5584	11600
30	Virudhunagar	95905	91069	186974	24456	23486	47942	195	162	357
	<b>State</b>	<b>3211795</b>	<b>3016424</b>	<b>6228219</b>	<b>783840</b>	<b>747036</b>	<b>1530876</b>	<b>63428</b>	<b>58404</b>	<b>121832</b>

*Source: DISE & EER 2007-08*

**Table - 14 (Contd...)**  
**Enrolment 2009-2010 (Projection)**  
**Primary (11-13 age group)**

S. No.	District	All			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	117091	116132	233223	28109	27843	55952	1146	862	2008
2	Coimbatore	131665	122856	254521	27566	25295	52861	2599	2132	4731
3	Cuddalore	73624	68364	141988	26940	25706	52646	1386	902	2288
4	Dharmapuri	48423	40340	88763	8401	7252	15653	1715	2305	4020
5	Dindigul	58446	54035	112481	14332	13315	27647	399	299	698
6	Erode	71366	64304	135670	15829	14637	30466	975	912	1887
7	Kancheepuram	102318	95952	198270	32932	30838	63770	2849	2512	5361
8	Kanyakumari	46964	44295	91259	3080	3090	6170	270	260	530
9	Karur	27501	24978	52479	6538	6059	12597	41	41	82
10	Krishnagiri	53010	48539	101549	7208	6865	14073	992	925	1917
11	Madurai	83620	76639	160259	13688	12990	26678	488	372	860
12	Nagapattinam	49597	46125	95722	19556	18225	37781	248	236	484
13	Namakkal	47851	39906	87757	10836	9447	20283	2196	1878	4074
14	Perambalur	38479	35649	74128	11501	10836	22337	674	621	1295
15	Pudukkottai	45886	43995	89881	8852	8630	17482	15	7	22
16	Ramanathapuram	38624	36610	75234	8623	7709	16332	151	217	368
17	Salem	98811	83969	182780	18679	16567	35246	4339	3882	8221
18	Sivagangai	37710	34906	72616	7603	7068	14671	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	68608	63975	132583	16252	15553	31805	321	195	516
20	Theni	36580	31579	68159	9718	8584	18302	139	94	233
21	The Nilgiris	20645	19009	39654	8115	7992	16107	1516	1208	2724
22	Thiruchirappalli	76323	70840	147163	15674	15153	30827	1392	1108	2500
23	Thirunelveli	91145	85148	176293	19442	18085	37527	397	858	1255
24	Thiruvallur	95202	86994	182196	27164	24856	52020	3303	2683	5986
25	Thiruvannamalai	63691	59848	123539	15754	14886	30640	4085	3311	7396
26	Thiruvarur	36549	34912	71461	15184	14269	29453	88	71	159
27	Thoothukudi	48807	46123	94930	11426	10699	22125	440	444	884
28	Vellore	113203	108001	221204	26927	26116	53043	3561	2837	6398
29	Villupuram	88593	83142	171735	29210	27806	57016	3736	2930	6666
30	Virudhunagar	54194	51125	105319	13916	13015	26931	80	123	203
	<b>State</b>	<b>1964526</b>	<b>1818290</b>	<b>3782816</b>	<b>479055</b>	<b>449386</b>	<b>928441</b>	<b>39541</b>	<b>34225</b>	<b>73766</b>

In 2008-09, the school age population in 5-10 and 11-13 will be 62,28,219 and 37,82,816 respectively. All these children are planned to be enrolled in schools.

### **1.6.6. Teachers – Primary Schools**

Teachers informations have been collected from all schools under DISE. Total number of teachers in all primary schools is 1,31,818 among them 1,03,453 are women and the percentage of women teachers is 78.48 in the state.

The number of teachers in Government and local body school is 67,452. Among them 46,474 are women and the percentage works out to 68.89.

Number of teachers working in Aided primary school is 25,093 and the number of women teacher is 20,265. The percentage of women teachers works out to 80.75.

The number of teachers in the unaided school is 39,097 and the number of female teachers is 36,557. The percentage of women teacher is 93.50%.

It is the policy of govt to appoint only women teachers in primary schools and all Govt primary schools to provide two teachers. It is also ensured that there is no single teacher school in the State and there is no untrained teacher in the schools.

### **1.6.7. Teachers - Middle, High & Higher Secondary**

The total number of teachers in middle, high & Higher Secondary is 1,84,650 among them 1,30,251 are women and percentage of women teachers is 70.53.

The number of teachers in Government and local body Middle, High, Higher Secondary schools is 80,402 among them 49,671 are female and the Percentage is 61.77. The number of teachers in aided. Middle, High, Higher Secondary schools is 36,707 among them 24,570 are female and the percentage is 66.93%.

Similarly the number of teachers in unaided schools is 66,750 and the number of women teachers are 55,450. The percentage of women teacher is 83.07%.

The District wise number of teacher in primary schools under three management category is given in the table below.

Table 15  
Teachers - Primary Schools

District	Govt and Local Body			Private Aided			Private Unaided			Others			Total Teachers		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Chennai	51	1013	1064	66	1140	1206	77	2720	2797	0	0	0	194	4873	5067
Coimbatore	1020	2995	4015	116	676	792	125	2402	2527	0	0	0	1261	6073	7334
Cuddalore	852	1636	2488	219	491	710	115	1176	1291	0	0	0	1186	3303	4489
Dharmapuri	954	1490	2444	11	57	68	123	685	808	8	0	8	1096	2232	3328
Dindigul	720	1705	2425	174	843	1017	79	731	810	0	0	0	973	3279	4252
Erode	942	2114	3056	97	528	625	66	944	1010	0	2	2	1105	3588	4693
Kancheepuram	613	2150	2763	93	628	721	157	1833	1990	0	12	12	863	4623	5486
Kanyakumari	247	773	1020	66	772	838	40	1188	1228	0	0	0	353	2733	3086
Karur	435	977	1412	27	182	209	18	475	493	0	0	0	480	1634	2114
Krishnagiri	1126	1866	2992	29	104	133	124	707	831	0	0	0	1279	2677	3956
Madurai	444	1613	2057	136	945	1081	128	2439	2567	3	40	43	711	5037	5748
Nagapattinam	676	960	1636	315	603	918	45	962	1007	2	3	5	1038	2528	3566
Namakkal	606	1301	1907	61	240	301	57	539	596	0	0	0	724	2080	2804
Perambalur	615	1075	1690	105	297	402	35	512	547	0	0	0	755	1884	2639
Pudukkottai	854	1459	2313	52	181	233	79	882	961	0	0	0	985	2522	3507
Ramanathapuram	664	1245	1909	225	702	927	48	657	705	0	0	0	937	2604	3541
Salem	1180	2754	3934	88	760	848	157	2101	2258	1	54	55	1426	5669	7095
Sivagangai	521	1246	1767	91	365	456	42	611	653	0	0	0	654	2222	2876
Thanjavur	699	1908	2607	229	789	1018	76	1649	1725	0	0	0	1004	4346	5350
Theni	302	737	1039	146	679	825	51	412	463	0	5	5	499	1833	2332
The Nilgiris	259	412	671	43	312	355	29	485	514	0	0	0	331	1209	1540
Thiruchirappalli	601	1701	2302	149	859	1008	69	1654	1723	0	0	0	819	4214	5033
Thirunelveli	427	1189	1616	700	2462	3162	97	1735	1832	0	0	0	1224	5386	6610
Thiruvallur	669	1972	2641	111	516	627	124	1799	1923	4	33	37	908	4320	5228
Thiruvannamalai	1351	1946	3297	143	416	559	69	759	828	0	0	0	1563	3121	4684
Thiruvarur	584	1068	1652	98	254	352	52	955	1007	0	0	0	734	2277	3011
Thoothukudi	204	918	1122	273	1675	1948	27	932	959	0	0	0	504	3525	4029
Vellore	1328	2951	4279	326	891	1217	207	2495	2702	1	8	9	1862	6345	8207
Villupuram	1539	2144	3683	329	543	872	178	1174	1352	0	0	0	2046	3861	5907
Virudhunagar	495	1156	1651	310	1355	1665	46	944	990	0	0	0	851	3455	4306
<b>Total</b>	<b>20978</b>	<b>46474</b>	<b>67452</b>	<b>4828</b>	<b>20265</b>	<b>25093</b>	<b>2540</b>	<b>36557</b>	<b>39097</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>28365</b>	<b>103453</b>	<b>131818</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

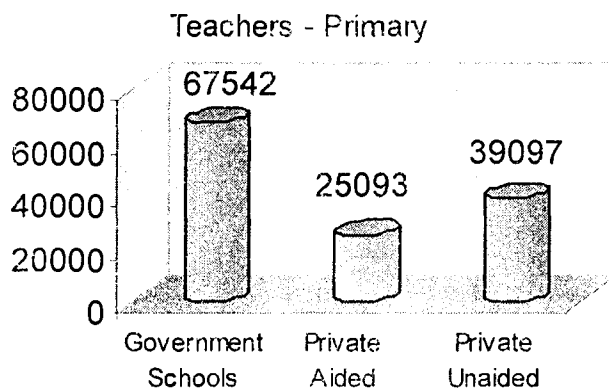


Table 16  
Teachers in Middle, High and Hr. Sec. Schools (Upper Primary Section)

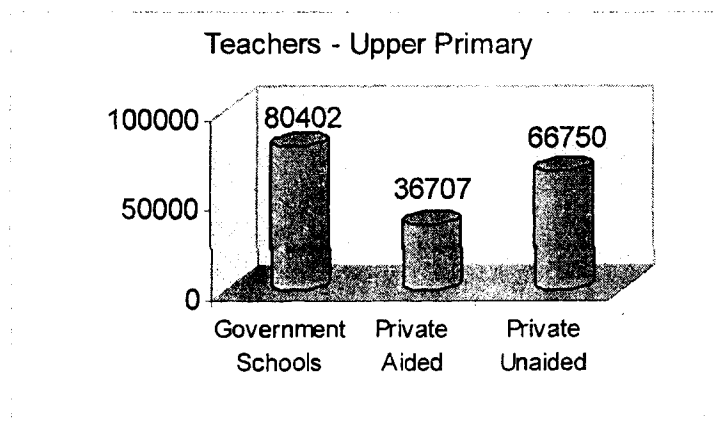
District	Govt and Local Body			Private Aided			Private Unaided			Others			Total Teachers		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Chennai	259	1983	2242	692	2505	3197	965	7504	8469	34	141	175	1950	12133	14083
Coimbatore	1402	3935	5337	308	1017	1325	720	5941	6661	48	53	101	2478	10946	13424
Cuddalore	1205	1669	2874	465	543	1008	355	1165	1520	0	0	0	2025	3377	5402
Dharmapuri	2052	1796	3848	68	58	126	317	701	1018	0	0	0	2437	2555	4992
Dindigul	728	1454	2182	380	999	1379	241	1177	1418	0	0	0	1349	3630	4979
Erode	1058	1945	3003	141	361	502	620	2408	3028	12	17	29	1831	4731	6562
Kancheepuram	968	2475	3443	270	807	1077	429	3160	3589	41	79	120	1708	6521	8229
Kanyakumari	330	754	1084	303	1106	1409	168	2164	2332	0	0	0	801	4024	4825
Karur	497	714	1211	63	113	176	245	918	1163	0	0	0	805	1745	2550
Krishnagiri	1271	1541	2812	46	69	115	326	1053	1379	0	0	0	1643	2663	4306
Madurai	687	2026	2713	508	1746	2254	467	2882	3349	62	179	241	1724	6833	8557
Nagapattinam	1637	1396	3033	923	750	1673	146	703	849	0	0	0	2706	2849	5555
Namakkal	692	1306	1998	102	208	310	572	1608	2180	0	0	0	1366	3122	4488
Perambalur	787	889	1676	168	263	431	179	513	692	0	0	0	1134	1665	2799
Pudukkottai	1068	1467	2535	171	315	486	172	563	735	0	0	0	1411	2345	3756
Ramanathapuram	805	1051	1856	549	623	1172	153	793	946	0	0	0	1507	2467	3974
Salem	2476	3496	5972	413	656	1069	1103	3458	4561	0	0	0	3992	7610	11602
Sivagangai	543	983	1526	338	638	976	102	578	680	0	0	0	983	2199	3182
Thanjavur	1830	2428	4258	925	1264	2189	397	1532	1929	5	5	10	3157	5229	8386
Theni	340	754	1094	447	783	1230	177	780	957	0	0	0	964	2317	3281
The Nilgiris	309	506	815	58	272	330	220	765	985	0	0	0	587	1543	2130
Thiruchirappalli	743	1794	2537	603	1484	2087	227	1620	1847	0	0	0	1573	4898	6471
Thirunelveli	553	1210	1763	1383	2675	4058	331	1885	2216	9	4	13	2276	5774	8050
Thiruvallur	983	2419	3402	182	467	649	799	4605	5404	20	82	102	1984	7573	9557
Thiruvannamalai	1644	1771	3415	201	251	452	309	883	1192	0	0	0	2154	2905	5059
Thiruvarur	1127	1067	2194	351	447	798	97	513	610	0	0	0	1575	2027	3602
Thoothukudi	228	634	862	590	1794	2384	143	1226	1369	0	0	0	961	3654	4615
Vellore	1948	2881	4829	553	868	1421	657	2128	2785	0	0	0	3158	5877	9035
Villupuram	2102	2239	4341	459	404	863	483	1342	1825	0	0	0	3044	3985	7029
Virudhunagar	459	1088	1547	477	1084	1561	180	882	1062	0	0	0	1116	3054	4170
<b>Total</b>	<b>30731</b>	<b>49671</b>	<b>80402</b>	<b>12137</b>	<b>24570</b>	<b>36707</b>	<b>11300</b>	<b>55450</b>	<b>66750</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>791</b>	<b>54399</b>	<b>130251</b>	<b>184650</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

### Teachers - Primary



### Teachers - Upper Primary



## 1.7 EDUCATIONAL INDICATORS

### 1.7.1. GER - Primary

School Age Population data collected under House Hold Survey 2005 have been updated by updating EER (Elementary Education Register) and the necessary reports have been generated. Based on the school age population and enrollment, the GER and NER have been calculated.

District wise GER of primary stage is presented in the table below.

**Table - 17**  
**GER - Primary (5-10 Age Group)**

S. No.	District	ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	101.09	100.95	101.02	101.19	101.15	101.17	101.48	101.50	101.49
2	Coimbatore	100.09	101.35	100.72	101.16	101.68	101.42	102.34	102.57	102.46
3	Cuddalore	101.50	100.68	101.09	101.07	101.25	101.16	101.79	101.97	101.88
4	Dharmapuri	102.62	102.85	102.74	102.23	102.15	102.19	104.20	104.24	104.22
5	Dindigul	100.07	100.02	100.05	101.10	101.05	101.08	102.25	103.16	102.71
6	Erode	102.70	102.35	102.53	101.93	101.65	101.79	103.48	103.31	103.40
7	Kancheepuram	102.15	102.07	102.11	101.72	101.17	101.44	102.65	102.79	102.72
8	Kanyakumari	100.58	100.55	100.57	100.61	100.56	100.58	101.28	101.90	101.59
9	Karur	102.37	102.28	102.33	102.22	101.86	102.04	102.45	102.77	102.61
10	Krishnagiri	101.08	100.82	100.95	101.63	102.20	101.92	101.15	101.07	101.11
11	Madurai	100.08	100.05	100.07	100.90	101.18	101.04	101.26	101.29	101.28
12	Nagapattinam	100.07	100.09	100.08	100.69	101.25	100.97	101.35	101.22	101.29
13	Namakkal	102.40	102.55	102.48	102.18	102.27	102.23	102.77	102.67	102.72
14	Perambalur	100.66	100.65	100.66	100.72	100.76	100.74	101.48	101.54	101.51
15	Pudukkottai	100.07	100.05	100.06	100.65	100.65	100.65	101.39	101.33	101.36
16	Ramanathapuram	102.85	102.90	102.88	102.75	102.74	102.74	102.76	102.23	102.50
17	Salem	103.47	103.35	103.41	102.43	102.58	102.51	103.49	104.37	103.93
18	Sivagangai	103.28	103.12	103.20	102.54	102.29	102.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	100.87	100.85	100.86	102.08	101.20	101.64	102.15	102.95	102.55
20	Theni	102.73	102.65	102.69	102.76	102.65	102.70	103.11	103.87	103.49
21	The Nilgiris	103.65	103.35	103.50	102.90	102.65	102.78	105.15	105.44	105.30
22	Thiruchirappalli	102.38	102.49	102.44	102.89	102.92	102.90	102.15	102.55	102.35
23	Thirunelveli	102.78	102.77	102.78	102.91	102.87	102.89	102.76	102.49	102.63
24	Thiruvallur	101.05	100.25	100.65	101.40	101.15	101.28	101.49	101.67	101.58
25	Thiruvannamalai	101.09	101.10	101.10	101.36	101.27	101.32	101.36	101.38	101.37
26	Thiruvarur	100.08	100.05	100.07	100.88	101.54	101.21	101.76	101.44	101.60
27	Thoothukudi	101.78	101.90	101.84	102.41	102.69	102.55	102.14	102.69	102.42
28	Vellore	100.78	100.65	100.72	101.45	101.74	101.60	101.25	101.39	101.32
29	Villupuram	100.68	100.77	100.73	101.16	101.17	101.17	101.11	101.46	101.29
30	Virudhunagar	102.28	102.33	102.31	102.40	102.45	102.42	102.48	102.37	102.43
	<b>State</b>	<b>101.58</b>	<b>101.53</b>	<b>101.55</b>	<b>101.74</b>	<b>101.76</b>	<b>101.75</b>	<b>102.22</b>	<b>102.46</b>	<b>102.34</b>

*Source: DISE 2006 & EER*

The GER of primary is 101.55% and the GER of girls is also 101.53. The GER in all districts is above 100%.

The GER of SC and ST is 101.75 and 102.34 respectively. The GER of SC and ST girls is 101.76 and 102.46 respectively.

(The GER is more than 100% due to inclusion of over aged and under aged children studying in I-V Std.)

### 1.7.2 GER – Upper Primary

District -wise GER in upper primary stage is given in the table below:

**Table - 18**  
**GER – Upper Primary (11-13 age group)**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	102.55	102.77	102.66	102.74	102.96	102.85	102.77	102.78	102.78
2	Coimbatore	102.38	102.74	102.56	103.68	103.35	103.52	103.45	103.59	103.52
3	Cuddalore	103.08	103.24	103.16	104.45	104.91	104.68	105.56	105.90	105.73
4	Dharmapuri	104.82	104.96	104.89	105.47	105.86	105.67	105.33	105.86	105.60
5	Dindigul	102.66	102.78	102.72	102.10	102.29	102.20	104.29	104.39	104.34
6	Erode	104.33	104.77	104.55	103.56	103.85	103.71	105.10	105.29	105.20
7	Kancheepuram	103.60	103.49	103.55	103.11	103.29	103.20	102.70	102.47	102.59
8	Kanyakumari	102.47	102.38	102.43	102.27	102.21	102.24	102.32	102.27	102.30
9	Karur	103.94	103.56	103.75	103.27	103.89	103.58	101.87	101.92	101.90
10	Krishnagiri	105.31	105.69	105.50	104.78	104.47	104.63	104.90	104.85	104.88
11	Madurai	104.93	105.04	104.99	103.28	104.46	103.87	105.80	106.15	105.98
12	Nagapattinam	102.21	102.53	102.37	102.76	103.10	102.93	105.10	105.22	105.16
13	Namakkal	103.47	103.59	103.53	103.24	103.75	103.50	106.40	106.57	106.49
14	Perambalur	103.78	103.76	103.77	102.75	102.58	102.67	103.80	103.08	103.44
15	Pudukkottai	103.69	103.64	103.67	102.56	102.76	102.66	103.20	103.36	103.28
16	Ramanathapuram	103.25	103.26	103.26	102.16	102.88	102.52	102.10	102.27	102.19
17	Salem	105.44	105.79	105.62	103.23	103.74	103.49	104.55	104.88	104.72
18	Sivagangai	103.27	103.38	103.33	103.34	103.56	103.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	103.72	103.89	103.81	102.56	102.77	102.67	104.10	105.10	104.60
20	Theni	103.55	103.69	103.62	103.37	103.72	103.55	104.07	104.33	104.20
21	The Nilgiris	105.16	104.74	104.95	104.92	104.73	104.83	105.10	106.06	105.58
22	Thiruchirappalli	103.53	103.28	103.41	102.78	103.01	102.90	104.15	104.19	104.17
23	Thirunelveli	103.74	103.89	103.82	103.11	103.49	103.30	104.10	101.76	102.93
24	Thiruvallur	102.76	102.68	102.72	102.10	102.44	102.27	102.15	102.77	102.46
25	Thiruvannamalai	104.42	104.66	104.54	102.57	102.65	102.61	101.80	102.08	101.94
26	Thiruvarur	103.28	103.67	103.48	103.78	103.54	103.66	103.70	104.10	103.90
27	Thoothukudi	103.11	103.49	103.30	103.48	103.78	103.63	102.60	103.15	102.88
28	Vellore	104.62	104.77	104.70	103.77	103.89	103.83	105.40	106.11	105.76
29	Villupuram	104.48	104.59	104.54	103.83	103.96	103.90	105.48	105.71	105.60
30	Virudhunagar	103.27	103.64	103.46	103.17	103.42	103.30	104.10	104.77	104.44
	<b>State</b>	<b>103.69</b>	<b>103.81</b>	<b>103.75</b>	<b>103.27</b>	<b>103.51</b>	<b>103.39</b>	<b>100.53</b>	<b>100.70</b>	<b>100.62</b>

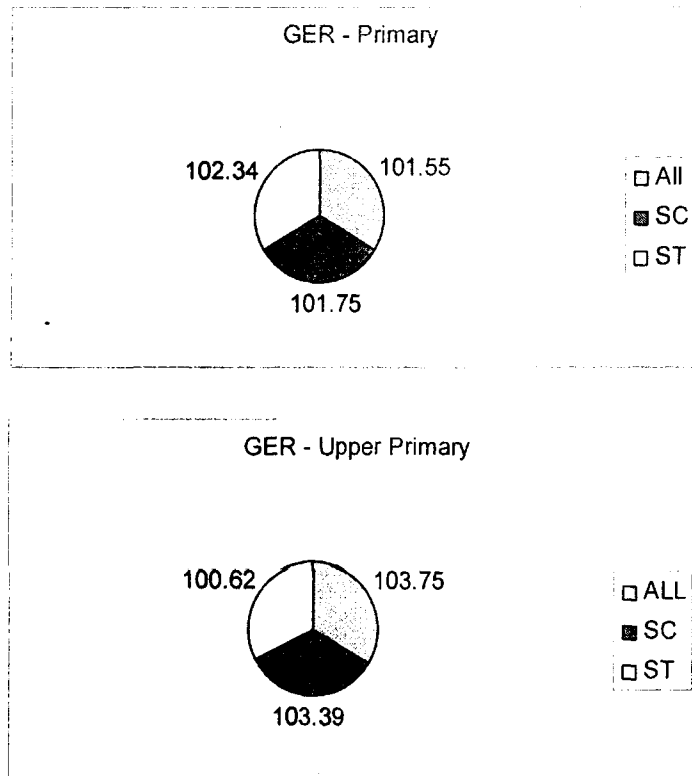
Source: DISE 2006

The GER of upper primary level is 103.75. The GER of girls & boys is 103.81 and 103.69 respectively.

Similarly the GER of SC and ST is 103.39 and 100.62 respectively. The GER of ST is slightly lower than the GER of SC. The GER of SC and ST girls is 103.51 and 100.70 respectively.

(The GER of upper primary is higher than the GER of primary which denotes that the number of over age children are in VI – VIII class.)

(GER of Primary and Upper Primary in all districts is greater than 100 in all districts due to over aged children in I-V/VI-VIII Stds.)



### 1.7.3. *NER – Primary*

NER is worked out by deleting the over aged and under aged children in I-V and VI-VIII class.

The NER of primary is 99.39. The NER of boys and girls is 99.42 and 99.35 respectively.

The NER is greater than 99 in all districts except 4 districts. The NER is less in Krishnagiri district (97.28%) when compared to all districts.

The NER of SC and ST is 99.20 and 96.57 respectively. The NER of ST is comparatively less than SC. The NER of SC and ST girls is 99.24 and 96.74 respectively. The NER of ST girls is little less than the SC girls.

District wise NER is furnished in the table below:

**Table - 19**  
**NER -Primary (5-10 Age Group) 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	99.55	99.53	99.54	99.73	99.73	99.73	99.04	98.88	98.96
2	Coimbatore	99.49	99.47	99.48	99.78	99.73	99.76	99.38	99.44	99.41
3	Cuddalore	99.66	99.53	99.60	99.43	99.58	99.50	96.34	99.36	97.77
4	Dharmapuri	98.94	98.72	98.84	98.03	98.01	98.02	97.15	96.96	97.06
5	Dindigul	98.91	98.70	98.81	98.46	98.86	98.65	91.30	95.08	93.11
6	Erode	99.79	99.43	99.62	98.72	98.99	98.85	90.28	87.95	89.16
7	Kancheepuram	99.40	99.37	99.38	99.70	99.70	99.70	99.72	99.82	99.77
8	Kanyakumari	99.89	99.88	99.88	99.52	99.76	99.64	99.31	99.55	99.43
9	Karur	99.76	99.76	99.76	99.66	99.63	99.65	98.41	100.00	99.24
10	Krishnagiri	97.48	97.05	97.28	92.98	90.99	92.02	53.83	69.70	61.42
11	Madurai	99.48	99.33	99.41	99.40	99.31	99.35	87.87	86.36	87.13
12	Nagapattinam	99.39	99.57	99.48	99.41	99.43	99.42	96.04	96.50	96.26
13	Namakkal	99.48	99.44	99.46	99.30	99.41	99.35	98.92	98.98	98.95
14	Perambalur	99.44	99.47	99.46	99.45	99.56	99.51	98.78	98.89	98.84
15	Pudukkottai	99.90	99.91	99.90	99.82	99.88	99.85	100.00	77.27	86.84
16	Ramanathapuram	99.68	99.50	99.59	99.40	99.27	99.34	97.82	98.67	98.23
17	Salem	99.35	99.30	99.33	99.39	99.44	99.41	98.40	98.10	98.26
18	Sivagangai	99.39	99.51	99.45	98.97	99.30	99.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	98.26	98.56	98.41	97.57	98.03	97.80	89.66	95.73	92.66
20	Theni	99.75	99.77	99.76	99.58	99.58	99.58	98.08	96.76	97.46
21	The Nilgiris	99.56	99.08	99.32	98.52	99.49	99.00	97.57	96.16	96.85
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.46	99.41	99.43	99.75	99.74	99.75	99.28	99.12	99.21
23	Thirunelveli	99.56	99.51	99.53	99.56	99.47	99.52	98.84	99.31	99.06
24	Thiruvallur	99.42	99.30	99.36	98.46	98.75	98.60	96.11	95.71	95.91
25	Thiruvannamalai	99.28	99.27	99.27	99.33	99.63	99.48	98.45	96.96	97.76
26	Thiruvarur	99.39	99.31	99.35	99.02	99.08	99.05	87.83	92.97	90.53
27	Thoothukudi	99.88	99.82	99.85	99.72	99.81	99.76	98.54	99.15	98.84
28	Vellore	99.80	99.74	99.77	99.65	99.76	99.70	97.58	96.69	97.16
29	Villupuram	99.68	99.49	99.59	99.14	99.26	99.20	98.98	99.80	99.37
30	Virudhunagar	99.68	99.66	99.67	99.65	99.59	99.62	97.31	98.08	97.66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>99.42</b>	<b>99.35</b>	<b>99.39</b>	<b>99.17</b>	<b>99.24</b>	<b>99.20</b>	<b>96.41</b>	<b>96.74</b>	<b>96.57</b>

*Source: DISE & EER 2007-08*

The NER is comparatively higher 99% in 26 districts and little less in Krishnagiri district (97.28%). Similarly NER of SC is Similar in almost all districts and less in Krishnagiri districts (92.02%). The NER of ST is also very less in Krishnagiri Districts (61.42%).

#### 1.7.4. NER - Upper Primary

The NER of upper primary is 98.62 which is little less than the NER of primary (99.39 %) which indicates that almost all the children in 5-10 age group are enrolled in schools.

The NER of girls is 98.60 and the NER of boys is 98.64 which indicates gender equity in enrolment.

The NER of SC and ST girls is 98.80 and 96.04 respectively. The NER of ST girls is less than the NER of SC girls.

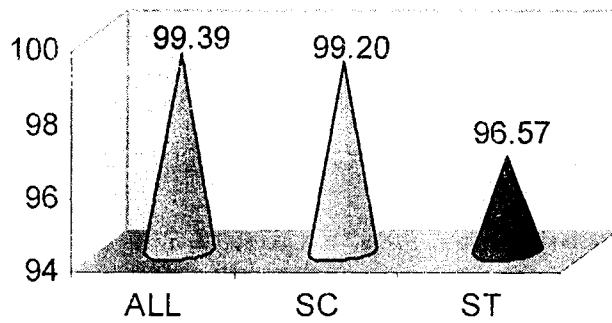
NER is above 97% in all almost all districts. The NER is comparatively less in namakkal districts (95.33%) and higher in Pudukottai districts. (99.69%).

**Table - 20**  
**NER -Upper Primary (11-13 age group) 2007-08**

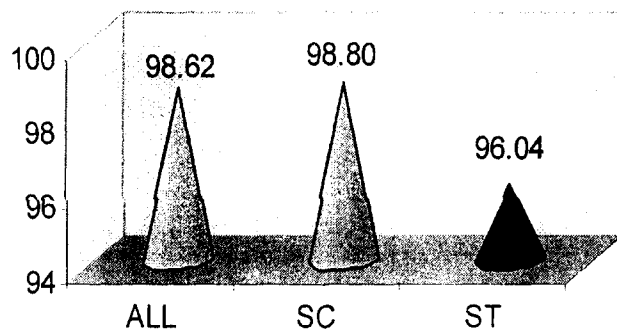
S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	98.77	98.66	98.72	99.33	99.34	99.33	99.05	98.94	99.00
2	Coimbatore	98.85	98.80	98.83	99.19	99.12	99.16	99.42	99.15	99.30
3	Cuddalore	99.38	99.43	99.41	99.19	99.27	99.23	98.27	98.09	98.20
4	Dharmapuri	97.39	96.94	97.18	98.93	98.95	98.94	99.06	99.22	99.15
5	Dindigul	97.58	97.41	97.50	98.36	98.34	98.35	93.24	95.18	94.07
6	Erode	99.32	99.31	99.32	98.63	98.78	98.70	84.26	85.98	85.10
7	Kancheepuram	99.30	99.27	99.29	99.55	99.56	99.56	99.30	99.28	99.30
8	Kanyakumari	99.28	99.39	99.33	98.94	99.34	99.14	93.87	96.90	95.36
9	Karur	99.23	99.10	99.17	99.16	98.71	98.95	96.30	96.30	96.30
10	Krishnagiri	97.08	97.31	97.19	95.42	95.62	95.52	69.60	55.12	62.61
11	Madurai	98.08	97.68	97.89	98.27	98.02	98.15	96.96	95.32	96.25
12	Nagapattinam	99.25	99.43	99.33	99.09	99.25	99.16	95.54	97.17	96.33
13	Namakkal	95.67	94.93	95.33	98.38	98.23	98.31	99.22	99.15	99.19
14	Perambalur	99.00	98.82	98.91	98.76	98.34	98.56	95.80	94.26	95.06
15	Pudukkottai	99.72	99.66	99.69	99.64	99.66	99.65	33.33	66.67	44.44
16	Ramanathapuram	98.77	98.53	98.65	98.98	98.78	98.88	98.94	99.16	99.07
17	Salem	98.75	98.84	98.79	99.34	99.19	99.27	95.39	95.13	95.27
18	Sivagangai	98.18	98.56	98.37	97.04	97.19	97.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	97.03	97.87	97.43	96.48	97.01	96.74	96.83	92.98	95.39
20	Theni	99.42	99.47	99.44	98.65	98.81	98.73	93.15	93.88	93.44
21	The Nilgiris	97.66	97.27	97.48	99.12	99.30	99.21	94.14	92.21	93.29
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.04	98.95	98.99	99.69	99.67	99.68	99.23	99.12	99.18
23	Thirunelveli	99.08	98.91	99.00	99.02	98.93	98.97	98.85	99.31	99.16
24	Thiruvallur	99.44	99.48	99.46	99.15	99.50	99.31	96.29	96.20	96.25
25	Thiruvannamalai	98.54	98.40	98.47	98.52	98.76	98.64	92.90	91.68	92.35
26	Thiruvaurur	98.27	98.60	98.43	97.69	98.07	97.88	95.80	97.72	96.95
27	Thoothukudi	98.10	97.97	98.04	99.22	99.22	99.22	99.05	98.57	98.81
28	Vellore	99.24	99.30	99.27	99.24	99.46	99.35	93.46	90.23	92.04
29	Villupuram	98.57	98.28	98.43	98.04	97.77	97.91	98.74	98.66	98.70
30	Virudhunagar	98.21	97.99	98.10	98.83	98.74	98.79	91.18	94.17	92.98
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>98.64</b>	<b>98.60</b>	<b>98.62</b>	<b>98.78</b>	<b>98.82</b>	<b>98.80</b>	<b>96.27</b>	<b>95.78</b>	<b>96.04</b>

Source: DISE & EER 2007-08

NER - Primary



NER - Upper Primary



### 1.7.5. Completion Rate - Primary Level

Cohaort Study has been conducted in 20% sample schools in all categories. The cohort data have been computerized and generated key indicators such as CR, RR, DR and evolved strategies for improving school efficiencies.

District wise CR primary is given in the table below.



**Table - 21**  
**Completion Rate -Primary 2007-08**

S.No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	96.34	96.42	96.39	95.21	95.48	95.34	98.42	97.73	98.07
2	Coimbatore	94.81	95.13	94.96	92.56	91.30	91.94	88.08	85.58	86.84
3	Cuddalore	93.15	93.66	93.42	92.07	92.60	92.35	88.60	86.41	87.52
4	Dharmapuri	91.55	92.87	92.20	88.45	89.00	88.74	87.87	86.82	87.36
5	Dindigul	92.22	91.86	92.05	89.29	88.50	88.91	86.00	86.92	86.47
6	Erode	92.87	91.23	92.06	88.94	87.97	88.45	88.10	88.09	88.11
7	Kancheepuram	92.44	92.68	92.55	91.24	91.49	91.38	88.94	88.62	85.27
8	Kanyakumari	96.55	97.45	97.00	94.83	94.79	90.32	89.21	88.46	88.85
9	karur	91.08	90.65	90.88	88.59	81.26	84.92	88.82	88.64	85.24
10	Krishnagiri	90.87	90.12	90.51	88.19	82.57	85.37	85.48	82.32	83.91
11	Madurai	95.15	94.86	95.02	94.19	94.29	93.23	95.84	95.93	95.88
12	Nagapattinam	90.54	90.87	90.72	90.45	90.44	90.46	86.33	84.15	85.25
13	Namakkal	91.87	90.21	91.05	88.71	87.24	87.99	86.29	85.81	83.54
14	Perambalur	91.24	91.35	91.31	88.78	89.20	88.98	88.28	86.26	87.28
15	Pudukottai	93.99	94.85	94.41	93.40	93.96	93.67	92.35	93.79	93.08
16	Ramanathapuram	92.43	92.47	92.44	88.70	88.99	88.86	86.62	86.79	86.72
17	Salem	90.44	90.76	90.61	89.30	88.12	88.72	84.33	84.06	84.21
18	Sivagangai	90.42	90.72	90.58	89.92	88.35	89.15	96.96	97.67	92.33
19	Thanjavur	91.76	91.55	91.67	88.21	88.01	88.12	86.69	85.30	86.01
20	Theni	90.67	91.23	90.94	89.59	88.05	88.83	82.81	81.33	73.08
21	The Nilgiris	93.27	94.83	94.04	93.50	94.74	94.13	84.33	85.76	85.06
22	Thiruchirappalli	91.33	91.86	91.61	89.20	88.29	88.76	88.37	88.75	88.57
23	Thirunelveli	94.17	94.86	94.53	90.29	88.66	89.47	90.14	84.27	87.22
24	Thiruvallur	92.66	93.15	92.90	91.91	88.34	90.14	86.66	87.70	87.19
25	Thiruvannamalai	95.01	95.67	95.35	93.99	94.42	94.22	87.50	86.14	86.83
26	Thiruvarur	90.81	90.17	90.48	88.20	88.84	88.53	84.71	85.78	85.26
27	Thoothukudi	91.68	92.14	91.92	89.69	88.85	89.28	88.16	83.67	85.93
28	Vellore	90.11	90.67	90.40	88.27	88.63	88.46	86.05	83.37	84.72
29	Villupuram	90.78	91.45	91.13	88.47	88.67	88.58	88.60	87.33	87.98
30	Virudhunagar	90.76	91.23	91.02	89.82	88.04	88.94	88.95	88.89	88.93
	<b>Total</b>	<b>92.35</b>	<b>92.58</b>	<b>92.46</b>	<b>90.48</b>	<b>89.65</b>	<b>89.88</b>	<b>88.32</b>	<b>87.42</b>	<b>87.10</b>

*Source: Cohort Study 2007*

The CR of primary is 92.46. The CR of girl and boys is 92.58 and 92.35 respectively. The CR of girls is little higher than the CR of boys.

The CR of SC and and ST is 89.88 and 87.10 respectively. The CR of ST is less than the CR of SC.

The CR is high in Kanyakumari District (97.00%) and least in Vellore District (90.40%). The CR is above 90% in all districts.

### 1.7.6. Completion Rate – Upper Primary

The CR of ALL, SC & ST is 91.29%, 88.89% and 87.73% respectively. The CR of girls (91.77%) is higher than the CR of boys (90.81%). The CR of SC & ST girls is also higher than the CR of boys of the respective community group.

District wise CR of upper primary is given in the table below

**Table – 22**  
**Completion Rate –Upper Primary 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	97.42	98.16	97.80	94.85	96.08	95.48	96.76	96.98	96.88
2	Coimbatore	91.24	92.33	91.78	75.96	85.15	80.57	86.76	89.46	88.10
3	Cuddalore	90.22	91.17	90.71	86.26	87.90	87.09	93.44	94.88	94.17
4	Dharmapuri	90.15	90.44	90.31	81.05	86.68	83.88	84.76	90.16	87.47
5	Dindigul	89.77	90.35	90.07	82.04	83.95	83.01	85.98	87.94	86.97
6	Erode	90.06	90.84	90.46	89.10	88.80	88.96	82.84	78.02	80.44
7	Kancheepuram	90.19	90.88	90.55	88.35	88.88	88.63	81.04	79.39	80.23
8	Kanyakumari	93.95	97.32	95.63	89.76	94.15	91.97	92.98	94.20	93.58
9	karur	88.76	89.19	88.99	88.10	87.91	88.02	89.80	91.42	90.60
10	Krishnagiri	88.70	88.24	88.48	86.10	85.90	86.01	86.81	82.56	84.68
11	Madurai	93.80	94.32	94.07	94.72	90.86	92.78	95.98	85.18	90.59
12	Nagapattinam	90.11	90.29	90.21	89.98	88.36	89.18	86.18	81.02	83.61
13	Namakkal	88.79	91.47	90.14	88.12	88.20	88.15	86.26	86.56	86.41
14	Perambalur	89.22	89.37	89.31	88.16	88.86	88.50	83.55	82.56	83.07
15	Pudukottai	90.15	91.16	90.67	89.88	90.80	90.33	80.56	88.94	84.76
16	Ramanathapuram	94.37	95.20	94.80	93.63	94.80	94.21	85.76	85.54	85.66
17	Salem	89.92	90.30	90.12	87.10	86.86	86.97	85.66	91.16	88.42
18	Sivagangai	89.19	89.67	89.44	82.02	86.56	84.28	88.11	88.26	88.21
19	Thanjavur	90.14	92.36	91.26	87.54	89.96	88.76	84.56	85.59	85.09
20	Theni	88.76	89.35	89.07	88.10	88.30	88.21	82.54	80.14	81.35
21	The Nilgiris	93.18	95.27	94.22	90.64	94.40	92.52	90.44	91.47	90.97
22	Thiruchirappalli	96.85	97.21	97.04	97.18	97.15	97.17	97.82	97.98	97.91
23	Thirunelveli	90.15	91.88	91.03	89.21	89.20	89.20	90.58	89.22	89.92
24	Thiruvallur	90.27	91.15	90.72	89.95	88.88	89.41	86.65	85.85	86.26
25	Thiruvannamalai	89.28	90.37	89.82	89.68	88.56	89.11	87.53	85.26	86.39
26	Thiruvarur	89.10	89.37	89.23	88.45	88.71	88.57	84.66	85.26	84.95
27	Thoothukudi	90.07	93.38	91.72	88.59	90.80	89.71	95.53	94.76	95.14
28	Vellore	89.15	89.28	89.23	88.32	87.19	87.77	84.48	83.46	83.96
29	Villupuram	90.80	91.35	91.07	89.85	89.64	89.76	89.83	87.96	88.91
30	Virudhunagar	90.15	91.25	90.71	88.91	88.62	88.76	89.19	86.19	87.70
	<b>Total</b>	<b>90.81</b>	<b>91.77</b>	<b>91.29</b>	<b>88.40</b>	<b>89.39</b>	<b>88.89</b>	<b>87.89</b>	<b>87.57</b>	<b>87.73</b>

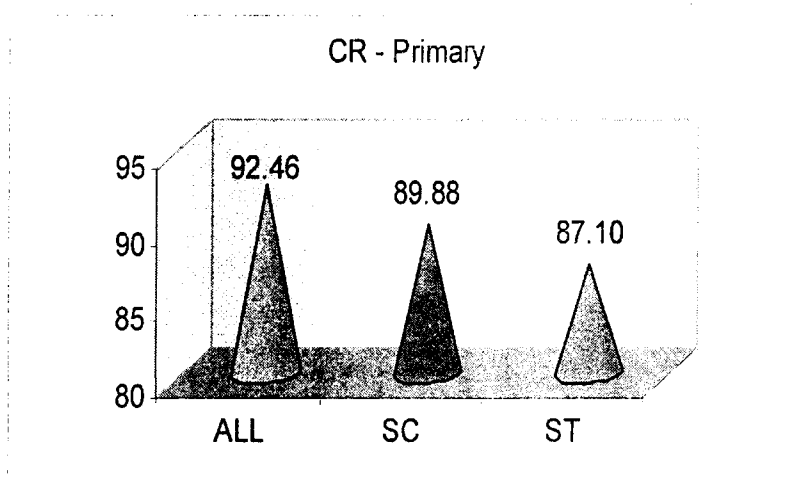
Source: Cohort Study 2007

The CR of Upper Primary is above 90% in 22 districts and 89% in 8 districts. The CR is high in Chennai (97.80%) and least in Krishnagiri district (88.48%).

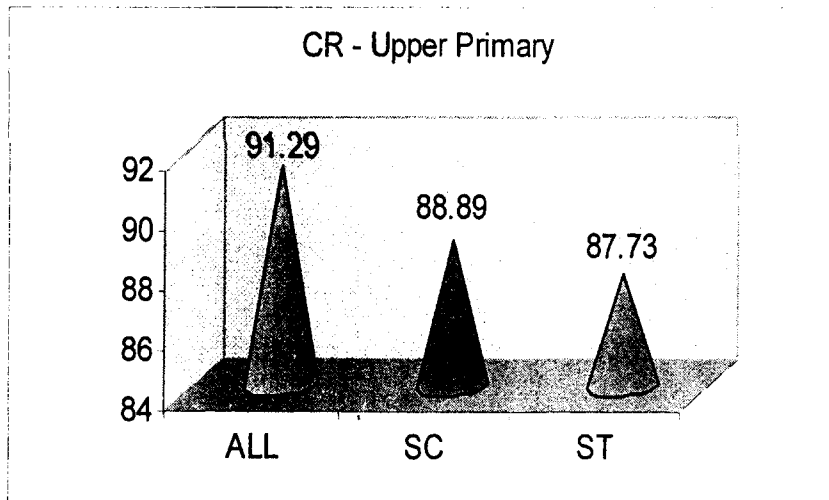
The CR of SC is also high in Chennai District (95.48%) and CR of SC is least in Dharmapuri (83.88%).

The CR of ST is least in Kanchipuram districts (80.23%).

### Completion Rate - Primary



### Completion Rate - Upper Primary



#### 1.7.7. Repetition Rate - Primary

RR (Repetition Rate) is the negative indicator which indicates higher in Repetition Rate shows poor performance of the school and vice versa. RR of primary is 6.14% and the RR of boys is 6.26% and RR of girls is 6.02 is little less than boys indicates better performance of girls. The RR of SC & ST is 8.90% and 11.06% respectively.

District wise RR of primary is presented in the table below.

**Table - 23**  
**Repetition Rate - Primary 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	2.54	2.18	2.35	3.54	3.22	3.39	1.31	1.91	1.62
2	Coimbatore	3.21	3.07	3.15	5.43	6.60	6.01	9.82	11.69	10.75
3	Cuddalore	6.29	5.83	6.05	7.38	6.80	7.08	10.88	12.63	11.74
4	Dharmapuri	5.85	4.35	5.11	9.10	8.45	8.76	8.63	9.60	9.10
5	Dindigul	5.82	6.17	5.99	8.11	8.85	8.47	10.40	9.13	9.76
6	Erode	5.37	7.14	6.25	9.26	10.18	9.73	8.70	8.45	8.56
7	Kancheepuram	6.66	6.47	6.58	8.26	7.96	8.10	9.61	9.53	13.08
8	Kanyakumari	2.70	1.93	2.32	4.31	4.25	8.77	9.59	9.94	9.75
9	karur	7.22	7.91	7.55	10.40	17.76	14.09	9.08	9.09	12.58
10	Krishnagiri	7.29	8.20	7.73	10.01	15.57	12.80	12.32	15.34	13.82
11	Madurai	3.37	3.94	3.64	4.62	4.78	5.71	2.81	2.67	2.75
12	Nagapattinam	8.64	8.34	8.48	9.02	8.98	8.99	11.02	13.11	12.06
13	Namakkal	6.07	7.53	6.79	10.04	11.49	10.75	12.21	12.52	14.88
14	Perambalur	8.06	8.00	8.02	10.38	10.15	10.28	10.92	12.84	11.87
15	Pudukottai	4.91	3.84	4.39	5.10	4.79	4.96	6.60	5.00	5.79
16	Ramanathapuram	6.56	6.80	6.69	10.62	10.35	10.47	11.28	10.46	10.86
17	Salem	7.08	6.40	6.73	8.80	9.87	9.33	13.17	13.14	13.14
18	Sivagangai	8.43	8.33	8.37	9.18	10.70	9.92	3.04	2.33	7.67
19	Thanjavur	7.14	6.87	6.99	10.58	10.74	10.65	12.29	13.60	12.93
20	Theni	7.75	6.59	7.18	9.36	10.85	10.10	15.04	17.37	25.20
21	The Nilgiris	4.94	3.60	4.28	5.40	4.01	4.70	12.57	10.74	11.64
22	Thiruchirappalli	7.77	7.19	7.47	10.05	10.73	10.38	10.38	9.99	10.18
23	Thirunelveli	5.25	4.61	4.92	9.11	10.69	9.91	8.76	14.83	11.78
24	Thiruvallur	5.39	5.05	5.22	6.99	10.21	8.59	11.44	10.20	10.81
25	Thiruvannamalai	3.51	2.93	3.21	4.81	4.23	4.51	9.95	11.11	10.52
26	Thiruvarur	8.37	9.03	8.71	10.95	10.21	10.57	14.19	13.08	13.62
27	Thoothukudi	6.87	6.54	6.70	9.16	9.95	9.55	10.59	14.93	12.75
28	Vellore	8.69	8.03	8.35	10.78	10.27	10.52	12.80	15.13	13.96
29	Villupuram	7.42	6.60	7.00	10.48	10.06	10.26	9.50	10.69	10.08
30	Virudhunagar	8.09	7.57	7.81	9.00	10.68	9.83	9.00	8.81	8.89
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6.26</b>	<b>6.02</b>	<b>6.14</b>	<b>8.33</b>	<b>9.10</b>	<b>8.90</b>	<b>9.93</b>	<b>10.65</b>	<b>11.06</b>

*Source: Cohort Study 2006*

The repetition rate is highest in Nilgiri district (8.48%) and lowest in Chennai district (2.35%).

The repetition rate of SC is also high in karur (14.09%) and least in Chennai district (3.39%).

The RR of SC girls is 9.10 % little higher than the boys 8.33%

The RR of ST girls is 10.65% is also little higher than the boys 9.93%.

### 1.7.8. Repetition Rate – Upper Primary

Repetition rate of upper primary is 6.67%. The repetition rate of boys and girls is 7.14% and 6.21% respectively. Similarly repetition rate of SC & ST is 8.78% and 9.86% respectively.

District wise repetition rate of upper primary is given in the table below.

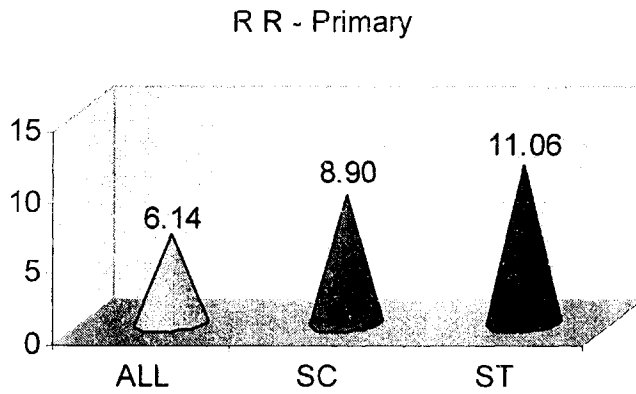
**Table – 24**  
**Repetition Rate – Upper Primary 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	0.73	0.18	0.45	3.08	1.85	2.45	1.71	1.75	1.72
2	Coimbatore	6.65	5.52	6.09	21.78	12.20	16.98	10.41	7.66	9.05
3	Cuddalore	7.88	6.76	7.31	11.62	9.99	10.80	4.21	4.48	4.34
4	Dharmapuri	6.88	6.56	6.71	15.95	10.28	13.10	11.73	6.56	9.14
5	Dindigul	8.17	7.15	7.65	15.68	13.61	14.63	11.31	9.39	10.34
6	Erode	7.93	6.80	7.36	8.77	8.79	8.77	14.53	19.44	16.98
7	Kancheepuram	8.36	7.96	8.15	10.01	9.96	9.97	17.09	18.08	17.57
8	Kanyakumari	4.65	1.70	3.18	8.44	4.20	6.31	5.14	5.09	5.13
9	karur	8.75	8.60	8.66	9.17	9.27	9.21	8.17	6.61	7.40
10	Krishnagiri	8.55	8.89	8.71	10.96	11.23	11.09	9.53	13.69	11.62
11	Madurai	4.25	3.89	4.06	3.15	7.03	5.10	1.59	13.83	7.70
12	Nagapattinam	8.01	7.84	7.92	7.98	8.89	8.42	11.49	16.48	13.98
13	Namakkal	8.76	5.77	7.26	9.21	9.16	9.20	10.90	10.97	10.94
14	Perambalur	8.88	8.85	8.85	9.56	8.57	9.08	13.64	14.77	14.19
15	Pudukottai	8.00	7.19	7.58	8.01	6.72	7.38	16.93	8.58	12.75
16	Ramanathapuram	4.45	3.81	4.12	5.31	4.56	4.94	13.33	13.33	13.32
17	Salem	7.16	6.86	7.00	9.98	10.62	10.31	11.40	6.20	8.79
18	Sivagangai	8.70	8.08	8.38	15.62	11.04	13.34	9.29	8.80	9.02
19	Thanjavur	8.07	5.51	6.78	10.23	7.70	8.95	12.78	11.78	12.27
20	Theni	9.25	8.82	9.02	9.84	8.94	9.38	15.36	18.80	17.07
21	The Nilgiris	4.81	2.89	3.86	6.77	2.93	4.85	6.70	5.66	6.17
22	Thiruchirappalli	1.55	1.23	1.38	0.84	1.47	1.15	0.89	0.16	0.52
23	Thirunelveli	7.97	6.46	7.20	8.87	8.65	8.77	6.46	7.97	7.20
24	Thiruvallur	7.76	7.22	7.48	7.87	9.08	8.48	10.63	11.19	10.90
25	Thiruvannamalai	8.66	7.08	7.88	8.01	8.69	8.36	9.75	11.80	10.78
26	Thiruvarur	8.89	8.81	8.86	8.85	8.30	8.59	12.34	11.49	11.93
27	Thoothukudi	7.99	4.64	6.32	8.94	6.27	7.59	3.41	3.35	3.39
28	Vellore	8.18	8.60	8.38	8.95	9.95	9.44	12.68	13.57	13.14
29	Villupuram	6.88	6.21	6.55	7.48	8.07	7.76	7.30	9.15	8.21
30	Virudhunagar	7.76	6.64	7.19	8.80	8.46	8.63	8.31	11.14	9.72
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7.14</b>	<b>6.21</b>	<b>6.67</b>	<b>9.31</b>	<b>8.23</b>	<b>8.78</b>	<b>9.65</b>	<b>10.07</b>	<b>9.86</b>

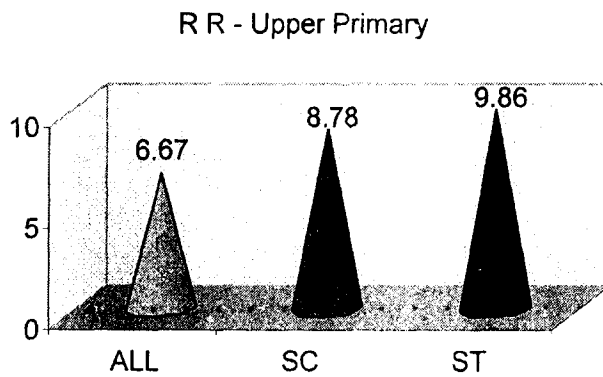
Source: Cohort Study 2007

The RR is higher than the state average (6.67%) in 22 districts. The RR is very less in Chennai district (0.45%) and higher in Theni district (9.02%). Similarly trend is noticed in case of SC & ST.

**Repetition Rate - Primary**



**Repetition Rate - Upper Primary**



**1.7.9. Dropout Rate - Primary**

Dropout Rate is also a negative indicator. The higher Dropout Rate shows poor efficiency of the school. The Dropout Rate of primary is 1.40%. The Dropout Rate of boys & girls is 1.39% and 1.40% respectively indicating better performance of girls.

District wise Dropout Rate Primary is given in the table below.

**Table - 25**  
**Dropout Rate - Primary - 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	1.12	1.40	1.26	1.25	1.30	1.28	0.27	0.36	0.32
2	Coimbatore	1.98	1.80	1.89	2.01	2.10	2.06	2.10	2.73	2.42
3	Cuddalore	0.56	0.51	0.54	0.55	0.60	0.58	0.52	0.96	0.74
4	Dharmapuri	2.60	2.78	2.69	2.45	2.55	2.50	3.50	3.58	3.54
5	Dindigul	1.96	1.97	1.97	2.60	2.65	2.63	3.60	3.95	3.78
6	Erode	1.76	1.63	1.70	1.80	1.85	1.83	3.20	3.46	3.33
7	Kancheepuram	0.90	0.85	0.88	0.50	0.55	0.53	1.45	1.85	1.65
8	Kanyakumari	0.75	0.62	0.69	0.86	0.96	0.91	1.20	1.60	1.40
9	karur	1.70	1.44	1.57	1.01	0.98	1.00	2.10	2.27	2.19
10	Krishnagiri	1.84	1.68	1.76	1.80	1.86	1.83	2.20	2.34	2.27
11	Madurai	1.48	1.20	1.34	1.19	0.93	1.06	1.35	1.40	1.38
12	Nagapattinam	0.82	0.79	0.81	0.53	0.58	0.56	2.65	2.74	2.70
13	Namakkal	2.06	2.26	2.16	1.25	1.27	1.26	1.50	1.67	1.59
14	Perambalur	0.70	0.65	0.68	0.84	0.65	0.75	0.80	0.90	0.85
15	Pudukottai	1.10	1.31	1.21	1.50	1.25	1.38	1.05	1.21	1.13
16	Ramanathapuram	1.01	0.73	0.87	0.68	0.66	0.67	2.10	2.75	2.43
17	Salem	2.48	2.84	2.66	1.90	2.01	1.96	2.50	2.80	2.65
18	Sivagangai	1.15	0.95	1.05	0.90	0.95	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	1.10	1.58	1.34	1.21	1.25	1.23	1.02	1.10	1.06
20	Theni	1.58	2.18	1.88	1.05	1.10	1.08	2.15	1.30	1.73
21	The Nilgiris	1.79	1.57	1.68	1.10	1.25	1.18	3.10	3.50	3.30
22	Thiruchirappalli	0.90	0.95	0.93	0.75	0.98	0.87	1.25	1.26	1.26
23	Thirunelveli	0.58	0.53	0.56	0.60	0.65	0.63	1.10	0.90	1.00
24	Thiruvallur	1.95	1.80	1.88	1.10	1.45	1.28	1.90	2.10	2.00
25	Thiruvannamalai	1.48	1.40	1.44	1.20	1.35	1.28	2.55	2.75	2.65
26	Thiruvarur	0.82	0.80	0.81	0.85	0.95	0.90	1.10	1.14	1.12
27	Thoothukudi	1.45	1.32	1.39	1.15	1.20	1.18	1.25	1.40	1.33
28	Vellore	1.20	1.30	1.25	0.95	1.10	1.03	1.15	1.50	1.33
29	Villupuram	1.80	1.95	1.88	1.05	1.27	1.16	1.90	1.98	1.94
30	Virudhunagar	1.15	1.20	1.18	1.18	1.28	1.23	2.05	2.30	2.18
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1.39</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>1.40</b>	<b>1.19</b>	<b>1.25</b>	<b>1.22</b>	<b>1.75</b>	<b>1.93</b>	<b>1.84</b>

*Source: Cohort Study 2007*

Dropout Rate is greater than state average 1.40% in 13 districts. The DR is higher in Dharmapuri districts (2.69%) and least in Cuddalore districts (0.54%). The DR of SC and ST is 1.22% and 1.84% respectively. The DR of SC and ST girls is little higher than the boys.

### 1.7.10 Dropout Rate - Upper Primary

The dropout rate of upper primary is 2.04% which is higher than the dropout rate of primary (1.40%). The DR of SC & ST is 2.33% and 2.4% respectively.

District wise dropout rate upper primary is presented in the table below.

**Table - 26**  
**Dropout Rate - Upper Primary - 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	ALL			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	1.85	1.66	1.76	2.07	2.07	2.07	1.53	1.27	1.40
2	Coimbatore	2.11	2.15	2.13	2.26	2.65	2.46	2.83	2.88	2.86
3	Cuddalore	1.90	2.07	1.99	2.12	2.11	2.12	2.35	0.64	1.50
4	Dharmapuri	2.97	3.00	2.99	3.00	3.04	3.02	3.51	3.28	3.40
5	Dindigul	2.06	2.50	2.28	2.28	2.44	2.36	2.71	2.67	2.69
6	Erode	2.01	2.36	2.19	2.13	2.41	2.27	2.63	2.54	2.59
7	Kancheepuram	1.45	1.16	1.31	1.64	1.16	1.40	1.87	2.53	2.20
8	Kanyakumari	1.40	0.98	1.19	1.80	1.65	1.73	1.88	0.71	1.30
9	karur	2.49	2.21	2.35	2.73	2.82	2.78	2.03	1.97	2.00
10	Krishnagiri	2.75	2.87	2.81	2.94	2.87	2.91	3.66	3.75	3.71
11	Madurai	1.95	1.79	1.87	2.13	2.11	2.12	2.43	0.99	1.71
12	Nagapattinam	1.88	1.87	1.88	2.04	2.75	2.40	2.33	2.50	2.42
13	Namakkal	2.45	2.76	2.61	2.67	2.64	2.66	2.84	2.47	2.66
14	Perambalur	1.90	1.78	1.84	2.28	2.57	2.43	2.81	2.67	2.74
15	Pudukottai	1.85	1.65	1.75	2.11	2.48	2.30	2.51	2.48	2.50
16	Ramanathapuram	1.18	0.99	1.09	1.06	0.64	0.85	0.91	1.13	1.02
17	Salem	2.92	2.84	2.88	2.92	2.52	2.72	2.94	2.64	2.79
18	Sivagangai	2.11	2.25	2.18	2.36	2.40	2.38	2.60	2.94	2.77
19	Thanjavur	1.79	2.13	1.96	2.23	2.34	2.29	2.66	2.63	2.65
20	Theni	1.99	1.83	1.91	2.06	2.76	2.41	2.10	1.06	1.58
21	The Nilgiris	2.01	1.84	1.93	2.59	2.67	2.63	2.86	2.87	2.87
22	Thiruchirappalli	1.60	1.56	1.58	1.98	1.38	1.68	1.29	1.86	1.58
23	Thirunelveli	1.88	1.66	1.77	1.92	2.15	2.04	2.96	2.81	2.89
24	Thiruvallur	1.97	1.63	1.80	2.18	2.04	2.11	2.72	2.96	2.84
25	Thiruvannamalai	2.06	2.55	2.31	2.31	2.75	2.53	2.72	2.94	2.83
26	Thiruvarur	2.01	1.82	1.92	2.70	2.99	2.85	3.00	3.25	3.13
27	Thoothukudi	1.94	1.98	1.96	2.47	2.93	2.70	1.06	1.89	1.48
28	Vellore	2.67	2.12	2.40	2.73	2.86	2.80	2.84	2.97	2.91
29	Villupuram	2.32	2.44	2.38	2.67	2.29	2.48	2.87	2.89	2.88
30	Virudhunagar	2.09	2.11	2.10	2.29	2.92	2.61	2.50	2.67	2.59
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2.05</b>	<b>2.02</b>	<b>2.04</b>	<b>2.29</b>	<b>2.38</b>	<b>2.33</b>	<b>2.47</b>	<b>2.36</b>	<b>2.41</b>

Source: Cohort Study 2007

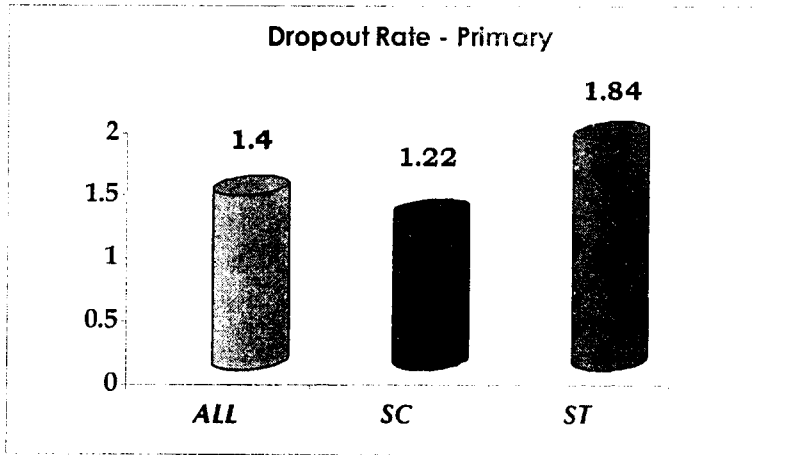
The dropout rate is higher than the state average 2.04% in 13 districts. DR is highest in Dharmapuri District (2.99%) and the lowest in Ramanathapuram District (1.09%).

The dropout rate of SC is also high in Dharmapuri district and least in Ramanathapuram district 0.85%. The dropout rate is least in Ramanathapuram district 0.85%. The dropout rate of SC boys is little less than the dropout rate SC of girls.

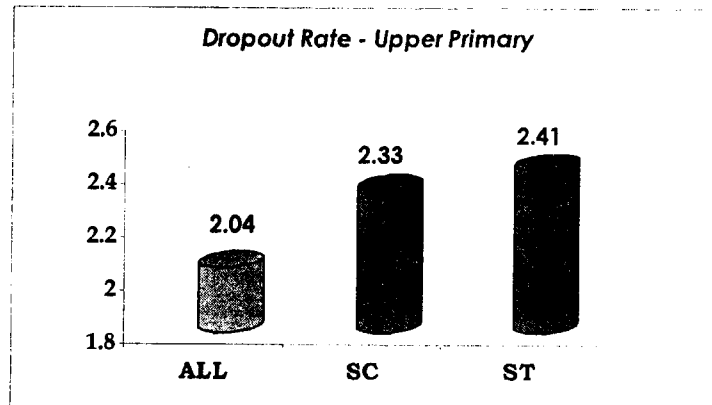


The dropout rate of ST boys is higher than the girls. The dropout rate of ST is very high in Thiruvarur District (3.13%) and least in Pudukottai district (1.02%).

### Dropout Rate – Primary



### Dropout Rate – Upper Primary



#### 1.7.11 Transition Rate – V – VI

The Transition rate is worked out from EER data to monitor the programme of the children towards completion of Elementary Education. District wise TR is presented in the table below.

**Table - 27**  
**Transition Rate - Std.V to Std.VI -2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	All			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	98.15	98.34	98.27	92.50	95.02	93.77	91.10	94.25	92.67
2	Coimbatore	99.93	99.94	99.93	99.25	99.95	99.61	99.96	99.97	99.98
3	Cuddalore	99.75	99.25	99.52	99.06	99.00	99.05	99.02	98.98	99.01
4	Dharmapuri	98.94	98.88	98.91	98.66	98.41	98.53	97.10	96.10	96.61
5	Dindigul	99.14	99.12	99.14	99.15	99.20	99.19	99.14	99.16	99.14
6	Erode	99.61	99.70	99.68	98.70	97.40	98.06	97.95	96.62	97.30
7	Kancheepuram	99.24	99.80	99.54	98.95	98.98	98.98	96.22	95.36	95.80
8	Kanyakumari	99.90	99.90	99.91	99.12	99.91	99.54	99.75	99.70	99.72
9	Karur	98.45	99.20	98.84	99.30	98.03	98.66	91.56	90.75	91.15
10	Krishnagiri	98.83	98.25	98.55	99.60	97.63	98.63	96.48	97.36	96.91
11	Madurai	99.30	99.65	99.51	99.58	99.52	99.56	99.54	99.56	99.56
12	Nagapattinam	98.65	98.90	98.79	98.40	98.25	98.32	97.56	98.87	98.23
13	Namakkal	98.64	98.25	99.46	98.12	96.87	97.49	99.30	99.16	99.25
14	Perambalur	99.10	99.06	99.09	98.85	98.70	98.79	96.40	95.70	96.07
15	Pudukkottai	99.24	99.15	99.21	98.93	97.86	98.41	98.69	98.60	98.66
16	Ramanathapuram	98.40	98.90	98.67	97.58	98.20	97.88	97.65	98.38	98.03
17	Salem	98.87	98.70	98.81	97.56	97.30	97.42	96.78	95.40	96.10
18	Sivagangai	99.46	99.15	99.33	98.56	98.75	98.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	98.20	98.57	98.40	98.51	98.48	98.51	98.70	96.32	97.52
20	Theni	98.69	98.60	98.66	98.48	98.40	98.43	98.42	98.38	98.39
21	The Nilgiris	99.00	99.15	99.07	98.70	99.10	98.91	97.96	98.15	98.07
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.54	99.71	99.62	99.80	99.52	99.67	98.16	92.36	95.27
23	Thirunelveli	99.01	99.40	99.22	98.42	98.82	98.63	98.80	98.44	98.63
24	Thiruvallur	99.61	99.72	99.68	99.62	99.63	99.64	98.62	94.16	96.40
25	Thiruvannamalai	99.25	99.15	99.21	98.38	98.88	98.63	98.86	98.46	98.67
26	Thiruvarur	98.34	98.52	98.44	98.92	97.92	98.44	96.68	96.36	96.53
27	Thoothukudi	98.55	98.92	98.73	97.62	98.02	97.83	95.78	94.75	95.28
28	Vellore	99.07	99.06	99.06	99.04	99.22	99.14	96.60	94.70	95.67
29	Villupuram	98.37	98.61	98.50	98.72	98.62	98.66	96.24	96.04	96.14
30	Virudhunagar	97.65	97.70	97.69	97.20	97.58	97.40	98.04	97.86	97.94
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>98.95</b>	<b>99.03</b>	<b>99.01</b>	<b>98.46</b>	<b>98.49</b>	<b>98.47</b>	<b>94.22</b>	<b>93.67</b>	<b>93.95</b>

Source: EER 2007-08

The TR from V Std. to VI Std. is 99.01%. The TR of SC and ST children are 98.47% and 93.95%. The TR of ST is lower than TR of SC children. The TR is greater than 99 in 17 districts. TR is less in Virudhunagar district 97.69%.

TR of SC is greater than 99% in 8 districts. TR is less in Chennai district 93.77%. Similarly TR of ST is greater than 99% in 5 districts. The TR is less in Chennai District 92.67%.

### **1.7.12 Transition Rate - VIII to IX**

TR from VIII Std. to IX Std. at State level is 97.87%. The TR of SC and ST is 96.99% and 91.61% respectively. The TR of ST is very low.

District wise TR from VIII Std. to IX Std. is given in the table below.

**Table - 28**  
**Transition Rate - Std. VIII to Std. IX - 2007**

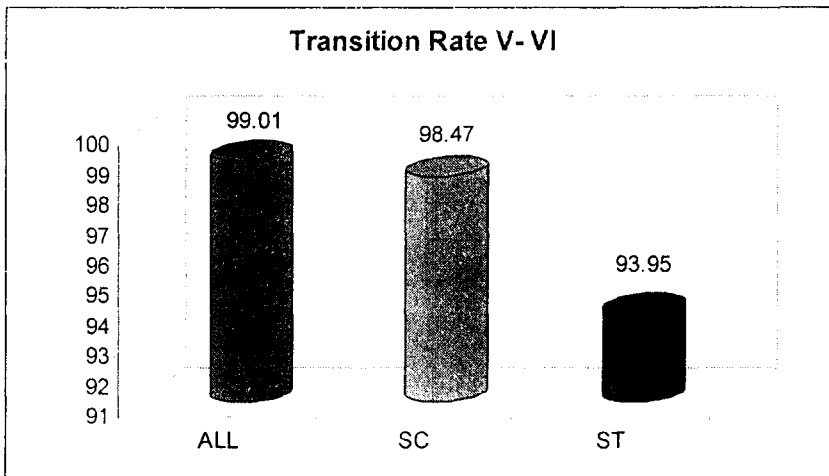
S. No.	Districts	All			SC			ST		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	97.10	97.05	97.08	94.80	95.10	94.95	90.40	90.60	90.50
2	Coimbatore	99.95	99.94	99.95	99.96	99.94	99.95	99.90	99.94	99.92
3	Cuddalore	99.06	99.02	99.04	98.15	97.80	97.98	95.10	94.80	94.95
4	Dharmapuri	99.57	99.48	99.53	99.09	98.95	99.02	99.10	98.40	98.75
5	Dindigul	97.86	97.49	97.68	97.42	97.14	97.28	97.60	97.20	97.40
6	Erode	96.80	96.44	96.62	96.40	96.70	96.55	97.15	97.90	97.53
7	Kancheepuram	97.39	97.48	97.44	97.60	97.85	97.73	97.30	97.08	97.19
8	Kanyakumari	99.74	99.87	99.81	98.75	98.90	98.83	98.90	98.50	98.70
9	Karur	96.15	96.80	96.48	96.75	96.85	96.80	90.80	90.60	90.70
10	Krishnagiri	97.60	98.15	97.88	98.07	97.95	98.01	90.25	90.15	90.20
11	Madurai	96.40	96.85	96.63	95.15	94.60	94.88	92.25	92.35	92.30
12	Nagapattinam	98.30	98.15	98.23	93.97	93.75	93.86	90.80	90.60	90.70
13	Namakkal	97.80	97.20	97.50	97.65	97.40	97.53	97.80	97.90	97.85
14	Perambalur	98.60	98.45	98.53	98.10	98.70	98.40	96.30	96.70	96.50
15	Pudukkottai	99.05	98.25	98.65	98.20	98.35	98.28	97.80	97.60	97.70
16	Ramanathapuram	98.10	97.80	97.95	97.15	96.86	97.01	97.80	97.40	97.60
17	Salem	98.10	97.60	97.85	97.05	96.05	96.55	96.30	96.65	96.48
18	Sivagangai	98.85	98.70	98.78	98.60	98.30	98.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	97.20	97.15	97.18	96.75	96.60	96.68	90.15	90.70	90.43
20	Theni	98.30	97.80	98.05	97.80	98.35	98.08	98.80	98.20	98.50
21	The Nilgiris	96.40	96.20	96.30	90.15	90.05	90.10	90.30	89.90	90.10
22	Thiruchirappalli	98.60	97.80	98.20	96.90	97.20	97.05	90.35	90.15	90.25
23	Thirunelveli	98.25	98.45	98.35	96.40	96.25	96.33	94.20	93.70	93.95
24	Thiruvallur	98.15	98.30	98.23	96.80	96.60	96.70	96.65	96.10	96.38
25	Thiruvannamalai	97.40	97.16	97.28	96.35	96.65	96.50	94.80	95.60	95.20
26	Thiruvarur	97.60	97.15	97.38	97.10	97.30	97.20	92.60	92.75	92.68
27	Thoothukudi	97.30	97.12	97.21	97.45	97.15	97.30	90.10	90.05	90.08
28	Vellore	98.15	97.80	97.98	96.45	96.60	96.53	97.80	97.90	97.85
29	Villupuram	98.25	98.15	98.20	98.60	98.30	98.45	94.75	94.30	94.53
30	Virudhunagar	96.80	96.70	96.75	96.80	96.65	96.73	93.80	92.90	93.35
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>97.96</b>	<b>97.82</b>	<b>97.89</b>	<b>97.01</b>	<b>96.96</b>	<b>96.99</b>	<b>91.66</b>	<b>91.55</b>	<b>91.61</b>

*Source: Cohort & EER 2007-08*

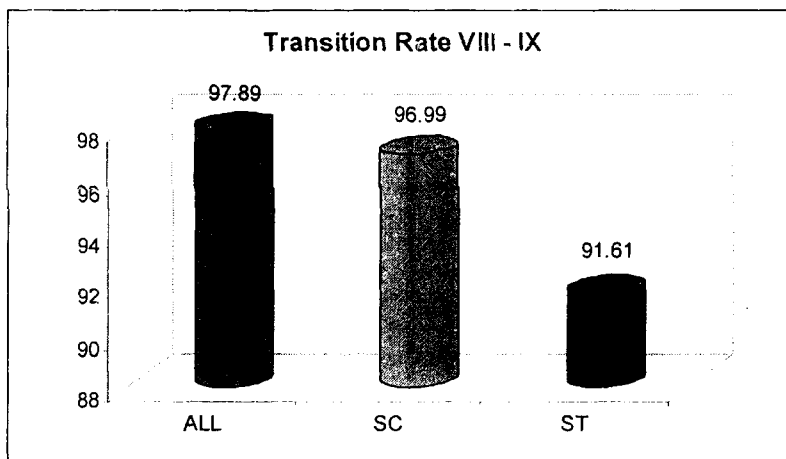
TR of 4 districts is greater than 99%. The TR is less in Nilgiris District 96.30%. The TR of SC children is higher than 99% in two districts viz Coimbatore and Dharmapuri districts.

Similarly the TR of ST is greater than 99% only in one district viz. Coimbatore District. The TR is less in Thoothukudi District 90.08%.

### Transition Rate - Std.V to Std.VI



### Transition Rate - Std. VIII to Std. IX



#### 1.7.13. Pupil's Attendance Rate - Primary & Upper Primary

AR (Attendance Rate) is calculated based on the Monthly Report compiled at AEEO's Office. Attendance rate is also an indicator for school efficiency. Attendance Rate of primary school children is 97.70%. The AR of SC and ST is 96.57% and 96.34% respectively. The AR of ST is slightly less. Similarly the AR of upper primary school children is 97.24%. The AR of SC and ST is 96.24% and 94.48% respectively. The AR of upper primary school children is less than the AR of primary.

The district wise AR of primary and upper primary school children is given in the table below.

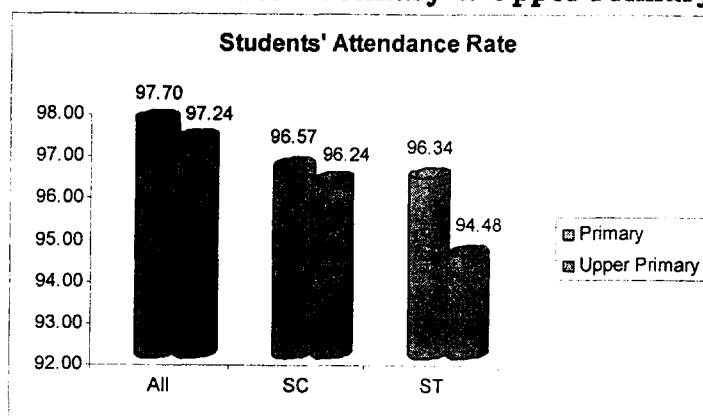
**Table 29**  
**Students' Attendance Rate - Primary & Upper Primary -2007**

S. No.	Districts	Primary			Upper Primary		
		All	SC	ST	All	SC	ST
1	Chennai	98.18	97.10	94.25	96.70	96.10	96.20
2	Coimbatore	96.30	97.06	95.10	96.10	96.25	95.15
3	Cuddalore	96.40	96.80	95.25	96.25	96.15	94.31
4	Dharmapuri	97.20	96.55	96.20	98.45	95.80	93.61
5	Dindigul	98.22	97.15	96.25	96.80	95.90	92.65
6	Erode	97.20	96.40	96.60	96.75	95.85	91.22
7	Kancheepuram	97.85	96.15	95.80	96.80	95.90	91.10
8	Kanyakumari	98.16	97.20	95.65	97.90	95.75	93.26
9	Karur	98.18	97.10	96.40	97.85	95.90	96.12
10	Krishnagiri	97.47	95.40	96.10	96.25	96.10	90.25
11	Madurai	97.25	96.70	96.45	94.80	96.25	96.15
12	Nagapattinam	97.20	96.50	96.36	97.65	95.65	96.32
13	Namakkal	98.90	96.75	97.20	98.05	97.90	98.05
14	Perambalur	98.45	96.40	97.40	98.15	94.50	94.82
15	Pudukkottai	97.80	96.65	97.35	98.22	95.18	92.30
16	Ramanathapuram	98.46	98.10	97.72	97.30	97.30	96.65
17	Salem	97.60	96.35	96.80	97.28	96.15	94.60
18	Sivagangai	98.10	98.10	96.90	97.45	98.05	97.15
19	Thanjavur	97.35	96.20	96.35	97.35	96.75	96.22
20	Theni	96.80	95.80	96.20	97.65	96.71	96.27
21	The Nilgiris	96.90	94.70	96.45	97.15	95.14	92.62
22	Thiruchirappalli	98.22	96.40	96.52	97.18	96.65	92.36
23	Thirunelveli	98.28	97.30	96.32	97.32	96.75	95.68
24	Thiruvallur	98.10	95.90	96.28	96.72	96.14	94.65
25	Thiruvannamalai	98.15	96.20	96.37	96.80	96.30	92.36
26	Thiruvarur	97.90	96.65	96.42	97.25	95.80	94.65
27	Thoothukudi	98.20	96.80	96.34	97.44	96.28	96.21
28	Vellore	97.80	96.25	96.28	97.22	96.10	94.32
29	Villupuram	97.25	96.10	96.58	98.80	97.15	94.65
30	Virudhunagar	97.15	96.45	96.42	97.45	96.86	94.52
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>97.70</b>	<b>96.57</b>	<b>96.34</b>	<b>97.24</b>	<b>96.24</b>	<b>94.48</b>

*Source: Cohort 2007*

The districtwise AR of primary school children is greater than 96% in all Districts. The AR is less in Coimbatore District (96.30%). Similarly the AR of upper primary is greater than 96% in 29 Districts. The AR is less in Madurai District (94.80%).

**Attendance Rate - Primary & Upper Primary**



**Table 29 a**  
**Teachers' Attendance Rate - Primary & Upper Primary -2007**

S. No.	Districts	Primary	Upper Primary
1	Chennai	92.63	91.79
2	Coimbatore	92.24	90.86
3	Cuddalore	91.82	91.36
4	Dharmapuri	90.91	90.45
5	Dindigul	91.24	91.59
6	Erode	92.25	91.41
7	Kancheepuram	91.79	91.28
8	Kanyakumari	91.71	91.71
9	Karur	92.19	91.69
10	Krishnagiri	91.36	90.10
11	Madurai	91.81	91.16
12	Nagapattinam	92.33	91.20
13	Namakkal	91.28	91.79
14	Perambalur	92.61	91.36
15	Pudukkottai	91.39	91.40
16	Ramanathapuram	91.22	90.94
17	Salem	91.48	90.45
18	Sivagangai	91.09	91.39
19	Thanjavur	92.53	91.72
20	Theni	91.59	91.49
21	The Nilgiris	90.28	90.81
22	Thiruchirappalli	91.77	91.66
23	Thirunelveli	92.38	91.29
24	Thiruvallur	92.24	91.47
25	Thiruvannamalai	91.07	91.59
26	Thiruvarur	91.73	91.21
27	Thoothukudi	91.97	92.81
28	Vellore	91.81	91.89
29	Villupuram	90.89	90.86
30	Virudhunagar	91.31	91.19
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	91.76	91.38

Teachers Attendance Rate is worked out based on the Monthly Report of the AEEO's The TAR of Primary school Teachers is 91.76%. The TAR is above 90% in all districts. The TAR is little high in Chennai district (92.63%) and little less in Viruthunagar (90.89%).

The TAR of Upper Primary is 91.38% which is little less than the TAR of Primary Teachers (91.76%). The TAR of Upper Primary School Teachers is also 90% in all districts. TAR is little high in Thoothukodi district (92.81%) and little less in Dharmapuri district(90.45%).

### 1.7.14 Pupil Teacher Ratio

Under DISE, PTR reports have been generated by using software supplied by NUEPA. The PTR Primary, middle, High & Higher Secondary Schools is 29, 36, 38, 34 respectively.

The district wise PTR is given in the table below

**Table - 30**  
**Pupil Teacher Ratio - 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	Govt. & Local body			
		Primary	Middle (Primary & Upper Primary)	High (Upper Primary)	Hr.Sec (Upper Primary)
1	Chennai	33.31	34.77	28.63	34.83
2	Coimbatore	27.91	38.53	37.39	40.85
3	Cuddalore	33.56	39.72	42.13	44.71
4	Dharmapuri	28.06	34.23	27.22	22.42
5	Dindigul	27.82	34.84	42.79	42.60
6	Erode	25.01	36.46	49.65	46.73
7	Kancheepuram	30.76	35.75	47.21	51.11
8	Kanyakumari	35.68	36.03	36.13	38.29
9	Karur	26.20	36.03	50.72	47.69
10	Krishnagiri	32.07	37.34	43.73	43.42
11	Madurai	28.57	35.74	36.08	38.59
12	Nagapattinam	28.21	35.28	27.65	17.90
13	Namakkal	28.30	37.00	40.00	43.84
14	Perambalur	32.78	36.88	61.48	53.35
15	Pudukkottai	30.28	35.18	42.63	43.32
16	Ramanathapuram	24.30	31.92	29.26	23.18
17	Salem	30.56	37.85	29.25	21.61
18	Sivagangai	23.11	32.01	35.95	37.54
19	Thanjavur	26.97	29.59	23.35	14.48
20	Theni	31.20	31.96	40.38	41.36
21	The Nilgiris	25.97	33.60	28.72	34.29
22	Thiruchirappalli	29.53	33.69	42.07	45.80
23	Thirunelveli	28.51	35.54	31.05	33.12
24	Thiruvallur	28.53	34.81	46.52	43.15
25	Thiruvannamalai	30.75	37.83	47.50	41.09
26	Thiruvarur	28.63	34.88	30.81	22.14
27	Thoothukudi	21.57	29.64	33.20	38.93
28	Vellore	31.59	38.76	43.31	37.77
29	Villupuram	33.26	39.03	56.02	53.06
30	Virudhunagar	27.77	36.36	46.11	47.99
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>29.29</b>	<b>36.04</b>	<b>38.41</b>	<b>34.53</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

The PTR is less than 40 in all districts. However the PTR of Primary and Upper primary class in Government schools is about 40 in few schools. The districts wise Additional Teachers requirement is presented in the table below.

**Table 30 (a)**  
**District wise No.of Govt.& Local body Schools according to range of PTR and Additional Teachers Required**

Sl. No	District	Total No.of Govt & Local body Schools				Range of PTR								Requirement of Addl. Trs.		
						Primary		Middle		High School		HSS		No of schools required One Teacher	No. of schools required Two Teachers	Total No. of Teachers : eqd.
		P	M	HS	HSS	50-80	>80	50-80	>80	50-80	>80	50-80	>80	50-80	>80	
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	3
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	9	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	12	2	16
5	Dindigul	955	191	53	50	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	680	161	45	74	0	1	4	2	0	0	1	0	5	3	11
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	12	3	4	2	2	0	1	0	19	5	29
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	The Nilgiris	265	86	45	32	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2
21	Theni	336	83	41	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirapalli	832	227	73	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	2	2	6
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	18	2	8	1	1	0	0	0	27	3	33
26	Thiruvarur	626	163	56	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	15	0	4	4	1	0	0	2	20	6	32
29	Villupuram	1308	433	123	118	8	4	6	1	0	0	1	0	15	5	25
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<b>State Total</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>163</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08



## **1.8 PUPIL's ACHIEVEMENT – EXAMINATION RESULT**

Data relating to annual Examination result of V Std. and VIII Std. are captured under DISE.

The percentage of children passed in V std. is 99.37%. The percentage of girls and boys passed in V Std. is 99.41% and 99.33% respectively. The percentage of boys passed is little less than the percentage of girls.

The percentage of children passed with more than 60% of marks in V std. is 68.92%. The percentage of Boys and girls passed with more the 60% of marks is 71.69% and 66.15% respectively. The performance of girls is better than boys.

However the pass percentage is high in V Std. is due to Government Policy of not detaining any student upto V standard.

Similarly the Promotion Percentage in VIII Std is 97.13%. The promotion percentage of boys and girls is 97.75% and 96.52% respectively.

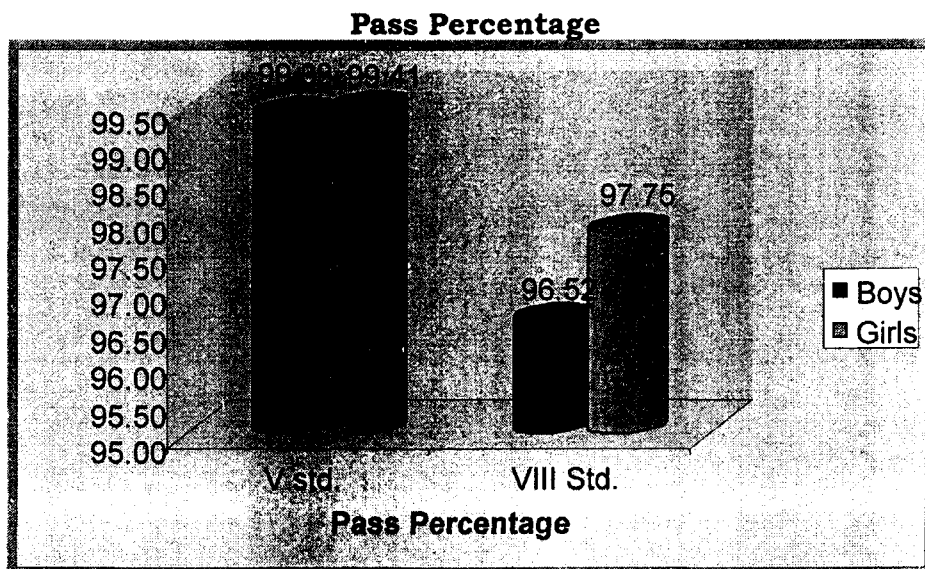
The percentage of children passed with more than 60% of marks is only 45.88%.

The promotion percentage of boys and girls into more than 60% of marks is 48.69% and 43.08% respectively. The percentage of girls is comparatively better.

Table - 31  
V Std. and VIII Std. Pass Percentage - ALL -2007

S. No.	District	V Std.						VIII Std.					
		Passed %			Passed with more than 60% Marks			Passed %			Passed with more than 60% Marks		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	99.09	99.23	99.16	62.08	65.28	63.68	95.37	97.52	96.45	48.13	52.64	50.39
2	Coimbatore	99.58	99.80	99.69	63.03	70.22	66.63	98.68	99.23	98.96	46.16	53.35	49.76
3	Cuddalore	98.89	99.32	99.11	68.86	71.19	70.03	96.29	96.92	96.61	47.46	47.75	47.61
4	Dharmapuri	99.85	99.92	99.89	64.94	70.12	67.53	95.75	97.17	96.46	43.06	44.69	43.88
5	Dindigul	98.78	99.03	98.91	59.48	65.16	62.32	94.64	96.80	95.72	41.22	49.04	45.13
6	Erode	99.74	99.80	99.77	62.50	69.39	65.95	95.79	96.52	96.16	49.11	54.28	51.70
7	Kancheepuram	99.80	99.82	99.81	68.14	73.74	70.94	95.89	97.39	96.64	41.79	46.10	43.95
8	Kanyakumari	99.62	99.77	99.70	58.04	70.00	64.02	99.52	99.65	99.59	39.52	52.45	45.99
9	Karur	99.31	99.77	99.54	58.35	66.45	62.40	98.49	98.73	98.61	40.65	51.62	46.14
10	Krishnagiri	99.71	99.54	99.63	73.31	77.74	75.53	98.96	98.63	98.90	47.01	48.71	47.86
11	Madurai	99.18	99.67	99.43	66.98	70.91	68.95	97.09	98.44	97.77	44.71	47.87	46.29
12	Nagapattinam	97.93	98.41	98.17	78.91	81.29	80.10	92.57	95.40	93.99	42.95	47.50	45.23
13	Namakkal	99.94	99.81	99.88	75.11	81.17	78.14	99.77	99.72	99.75	50.01	58.46	54.24
14	Perambalur	99.90	99.88	99.89	62.03	66.91	64.47	96.01	96.95	96.48	38.99	41.00	40.00
15	Pudukkottai	100.00	100.00	100.00	68.95	73.41	71.18	97.63	98.60	98.12	40.15	45.14	42.65
16	Ramanathapuram	99.10	99.11	99.11	59.60	64.79	62.20	95.23	97.52	96.38	40.33	45.26	42.80
17	Salem	99.90	97.29	98.60	73.02	78.17	75.60	99.93	99.30	99.62	43.27	48.98	46.13
18	Sivagangai	99.85	99.93	99.89	61.45	67.77	64.61	96.11	97.52	96.82	41.42	49.76	45.59
19	Thanjavur	99.26	99.39	99.33	73.60	77.65	75.63	94.78	96.45	95.62	45.62	51.80	48.71
20	Theni	97.44	98.11	97.78	57.21	63.08	60.15	93.98	96.18	95.08	39.92	49.16	44.54
21	The Nilgiris	99.50	99.47	99.49	62.00	70.39	66.20	97.10	97.44	97.27	43.80	47.28	45.54
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.87	99.87	99.87	58.22	65.20	61.71	95.54	97.86	96.70	38.19	44.55	41.37
23	Thirunelveli	99.27	99.42	99.35	61.43	69.82	65.63	95.86	97.86	96.86	40.93	48.82	44.88
24	Thiruvallur	99.36	99.44	99.40	61.29	66.61	63.95	97.07	98.13	97.60	43.56	46.86	45.21
25	Thiruvannamalai	99.76	99.83	99.80	72.26	76.93	74.60	97.38	98.71	98.05	41.36	44.96	43.16
26	Thiruvarur	98.01	99.39	98.70	89.72	90.87	90.30	91.61	95.02	93.32	44.09	48.20	46.15
27	Thoothukudi	99.50	99.65	99.58	63.43	72.15	67.79	98.28	99.26	98.77	40.36	49.88	45.12
28	Vellore	98.56	98.30	98.43	67.07	71.32	69.20	95.64	96.67	96.16	42.19	45.91	44.05
29	Villupuram	99.83	99.76	99.80	66.47	70.75	68.61	99.24	99.01	99.13	42.31	45.01	43.66
30	Virudhunagar	99.29	99.49	99.39	66.95	72.32	69.64	95.33	97.56	96.45	44.13	53.62	48.88
	<b>Total</b>	<b>99.33</b>	<b>99.41</b>	<b>99.37</b>	<b>66.15</b>	<b>71.69</b>	<b>68.92</b>	<b>96.52</b>	<b>97.75</b>	<b>97.13</b>	<b>43.08</b>	<b>48.69</b>	<b>45.88</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08



### **1.8.1. PASS PERCENTAGE (SC)**

The SC children promotion percentage in V std. is 99.21% and the percentage with more than 60% of marks is 63.90%. The promotion percentage of girls which is higher than the percentage of boys.

Similarly the promotion percentage of SC girls with more than 60% of marks is 66.55% which is higher than the percentage of boys 61.23%.

The promotion percentage in VIII Std. is 95.08% and the percentage with more than 60% of marks is 38.32%. The SC girls and boys pass percentage with more than 60% marks is 38.92% and 36.20% respectively. The performance of the girls is better than boys.

District wise SC pass percentage details are presented in the table below.

**Table -32**  
**V Std. and VIII Std. Pass Percentage – SC-2007**

S. No.	Districts	V Std.						VIII Std.					
		Passed %			Passed with More Than 60% Marks			Passed %			Passed with more than 60% Marks		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	98.66	99.25	98.96	50.83	55.41	53.12	92.35	95.04	93.70	33.94	41.67	37.81
2	Coimbatore	99.48	99.55	99.52	53.55	61.18	57.37	98.92	99.59	99.26	33.59	40.47	37.03
3	Cuddalore	98.80	98.39	98.60	67.16	69.83	68.50	96.05	97.15	96.60	41.36	40.59	40.98
4	Dharmapuri	99.91	99.76	99.84	62.48	66.11	64.30	94.67	93.75	94.21	38.86	45.07	41.97
5	Dindigul	98.56	99.33	98.95	55.02	62.11	58.57	93.27	95.97	94.62	35.35	42.79	39.07
6	Erode	99.96	99.87	99.91	52.53	61.27	56.90	91.91	94.52	93.22	35.95	41.14	38.55
7	Kancheepuram	98.95	99.91	99.43	65.53	71.41	68.47	95.41	96.68	96.05	33.77	37.63	35.70
8	Kanyakumari	99.80	99.90	99.85	45.11	55.38	50.25	99.92	99.78	99.85	31.80	40.77	36.29
9	Karur	98.66	99.31	98.99	52.47	57.40	54.94	97.56	98.90	98.23	30.90	39.45	35.18
10	Krishnagiri	99.77	99.77	99.77	71.00	74.80	72.90	99.63	99.43	99.53	44.19	41.74	42.97
11	Madurai	99.73	99.34	99.54	60.94	62.87	61.91	94.17	97.72	65.65	33.91	40.03	36.97
12	Nagapattinam	97.41	97.73	97.57	76.24	78.36	77.30	91.10	89.90	90.50	37.81	40.35	39.08
13	Namakkal	99.58	99.78	99.68	72.24	77.14	74.69	99.24	99.80	99.52	39.72	45.00	42.36
14	Perambalur	99.91	100.00	99.96	56.76	58.59	57.68	94.87	95.66	95.27	33.67	33.76	33.72
15	Pudukkottai	99.81	99.69	99.75	64.85	68.62	66.74	93.50	96.67	95.09	35.41	38.46	36.94
16	Ramanathapuram	99.00	98.94	98.97	56.38	66.59	61.49	95.43	95.77	95.60	46.10	47.36	46.73
17	Salem	99.80	99.77	99.79	70.91	76.01	73.46	99.62	99.56	99.59	32.04	38.66	35.35
18	Sivagangai	99.06	99.08	99.07	57.48	62.90	60.19	92.92	96.30	94.61	36.91	43.29	40.10
19	Thanjavur	98.46	98.76	98.61	71.38	75.31	73.35	93.83	95.53	94.68	37.74	40.75	39.25
20	Theni	95.71	96.17	95.94	49.47	57.68	53.58	93.84	97.91	95.88	34.06	35.41	34.74
21	The Nilgiris	99.16	99.50	99.33	56.08	66.87	61.48	95.34	96.65	96.00	30.66	35.89	33.28
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.52	99.86	99.69	52.58	57.57	55.08	93.36	96.35	94.86	35.83	40.96	38.40
23	Thirunelveli	99.24	99.76	99.50	55.59	63.64	59.62	94.39	96.10	95.25	36.00	41.84	38.92
24	Thiruvallur	99.49	99.57	99.53	56.17	60.38	58.28	96.83	97.75	97.29	33.83	35.45	34.64
25	Thiruvannamalai	99.54	99.76	99.65	68.27	72.95	70.61	97.82	97.64	97.73	35.94	39.94	37.94
26	Thiruvarur	99.10	99.25	99.18	88.65	89.62	89.14	90.30	92.17	91.24	40.34	39.47	39.91
27	Thoothukudi	98.85	99.69	99.27	58.38	65.61	62.00	97.91	98.88	98.40	33.71	39.85	36.78
28	Vellore	98.63	99.06	98.85	65.67	69.05	67.36	95.63	96.09	95.86	39.36	39.58	39.47
29	Villupuram	99.64	99.72	99.68	61.67	66.41	64.04	98.90	98.60	98.75	39.28	40.30	39.79
30	Virudhunagar	98.84	99.27	99.06	61.52	65.55	63.54	93.23	97.46	95.35	33.92	45.40s	39.66
	<b>Total</b>	<b>99.10</b>	<b>99.32</b>	<b>99.21</b>	<b>61.23</b>	<b>66.55</b>	<b>63.90</b>	<b>95.40</b>	<b>96.78</b>	<b>95.08</b>	<b>36.20</b>	<b>38.92</b>	<b>38.32</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.8.2. PASS PERCENTAGE (ST)

The ST children promotion percentage in V std. is 93.03% and the percentage with more than 60% of marks is 59.26%. The promotion percentage of boys which is higher than the percentage of girls. The pass percentage of ST girls with more than 60% of marks is 61.77% which is higher than the percentage of boys 56.74%.

The percentage of promotion in VIII Std. is 89.75% and the percentage with more than 60% of marks is 43.36%. The ST girls pass percentage and the percentage with more than 60% marks is 91.40% and 48.62% respectively. The performance of the girls is better than boys. District wise details are furnished below.

**Table -33**  
**V Std. and VIII Std. Pass Percentage - ST -2007**

S. No.	Districts	V Std						VIII Std					
		Passed %			Passed with More Than 60% Marks			Passed %			Passed with more than 60% Marks		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	97.00	98.66	97.83	47.01	46.15	46.58	99.59	95.39	97.49	58.91	71.13	65.02
2	Coimbatore	98.96	100.26	99.61	76.84	89.74	83.29	97.03	97.82	97.43	45.41	79.46	62.44
3	Cuddalore	98.49	97.42	97.96	65.90	64.39	65.15	85.59	86.15	85.87	43.16	36.30	39.73
4	Dharmapuri	98.81	99.81	99.31	45.07	69.31	57.19	97.02	98.18	97.60	64.05	73.37	68.71
5	Dindigul	95.33	94.62	94.98	40.20	47.73	43.97	87.76	93.02	90.39	23.26	25.00	24.13
6	Erode	99.09	0.00	49.55	54.60	50.64	52.62	79.39	87.14	83.27	40.00	47.14	43.57
7	Kancheepuram	99.69	99.68	99.69	61.32	64.02	62.67	94.94	96.25	95.60	36.68	41.48	39.08
8	Kanyakumari	100.00	100.00	100.00	38.75	51.52	45.14	100.00	100.00	100.00	32.93	39.70	36.32
9	Karur	100.00	100.00	100.00	30.43	68.18	49.31	100.00	100.00	100.00	20.83	22.72	21.78
10	Krishnagiri	100.00	99.37	99.69	64.46	68.15	66.31	98.78	95.50	97.14	25.93	19.81	22.87
11	Madurai	91.49	89.51	90.50	76.74	80.47	78.61	69.03	84.28	76.66	51.33	82.85	67.09
12	Nagapattinam	98.46	100.00	99.23	51.56	65.22	58.39	95.83	68.42	82.13	34.78	61.53	48.16
13	Namakkal	99.74	100.00	99.87	60.34	66.05	63.20	99.61	100.00	99.81	49.03	56.62	52.83
14	Perambalur	99.43	100.00	99.72	60.69	59.89	60.29	92.66	96.61	94.64	38.61	34.21	36.41
15	Pudukkottai	100.00	100.00	100.00	58.82	63.64	61.23	100.00	100.00	100.00	50.00	66.66	58.33
16	Ramanathapuram	100.00	100.00	100.00	84.21	81.82	83.02	90.90	14.55	52.73	10.91	75.00	42.96
17	Salem	99.78	100.00	99.89	64.41	67.05	65.73	99.14	97.89	98.52	37.00	38.93	37.97
18	Sivagangai	No ST Population											
19	Thanjavur	100.00	100.00	100.00	85.00	72.55	78.78	96.30	89.47	92.89	30.77	80.39	55.58
20	Theni	100.00	100.00	100.00	41.67	66.67	54.17	100.00	100.00	100.00	18.18	38.71	28.45
21	The Nilgiris	99.74	98.92	99.33	41.36	44.93	43.15	95.37	97.30	96.34	31.07	29.63	30.35
22	Thiruchirappalli	99.10	99.03	99.07	55.16	54.11	54.64	83.68	95.48	89.58	42.71	58.29	50.50
23	Thirunelveli	99.12	95.93	97.53	52.68	53.39	53.04	95.60	96.19	95.90	47.13	40.59	43.86
24	Thiruvallur	99.25	99.54	99.40	49.17	54.99	52.08	97.97	96.79	97.38	39.53	33.77	36.65
25	Thiruvannamalai	100.00	100.00	100.00	67.10	68.66	67.88	90.92	96.31	93.62	45.82	63.82	54.82
26	Thiruvavur	77.75	82.75	80.25	69.70	75.86	72.78	85.53	100.00	92.77	58.46	48.21	53.34
27	Thoothukudi	98.94	90.65	94.80	42.11	48.60	45.36	96.67	97.44	97.06	37.07	56.57	46.82
28	Vellore	98.75	98.39	98.57	65.63	63.10	64.37	94.84	91.34	93.09	36.67	38.85	37.76
29	Villupuram	99.78	99.74	99.76	57.66	60.82	59.24	99.12	99.54	99.33	60.36	76.30	68.33
30	Virudhunagar	91.43	97.62	94.53	93.75	85.37	89.56	94.35	96.35	95.35	32.48	21.43	26.96
	Total	94.67	91.40	93.03	56.74	61.77	59.26	90.59	88.91	89.75	38.10	48.62	43.36

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.8.3 Activity Based Learning (ABL)

It is given more importance in quality education to all children with special focus on low performing children. ABL methodology has been implemented in all Government Local Body and Aided primary schools on the success of the Chennai Corporation schools. Distriwise number of schools implementing ABL methodology and materials supplied and class combination are presented in the table given below.

**Table 33a**  
**District wise No. of Schools, ABL implementing Schools, Materials supplied and class combination**

Sl. No	District	Total No.of Schools	ABL not Covered Schools			ABL Schools			Racks/Selve Received	
			Un aided	HS,Hr.Sec, KGBV, Other Schools	Total	Imple menting	Non imple menting	Total	Yes	No
1	Chennai	1504	778	264	1042	458	4	462	364	94
2	Coimbatore	2841	712	283	995	1845	1	1846	1843	2
3	Cuddalore	1894	285	195	480	1410	4	1414	1009	401
4	Dharmapuri	1466	160	142	302	1115	49	1164	1018	97
5	Dindigul	1797	225	171	396	1396	5	1401	1253	143
6	Erode	2228	329	197	526	1701	1	1702	1587	114
7	Kancheepuram	2229	622	256	878	1348	3	1351	1236	112
8	Kanniyakumari	1114	309	250	559	554	1	555	410	144
9	Karur	967	127	90	217	749	1	750	703	46
10	Krishnagiri	1804	213	177	390	1406	8	1414	1022	384
11	Madurai	2034	560	229	789	1245	0	1245	1160	85
12	Nagapattinam	1374	189	152	341	1026	7	1033	894	132
13	Namakkal	1259	206	138	344	914	1	915	845	69
14	Perambalur	1135	134	153	287	848	0	848	724	124
15	Pudukkottai	1820	227	184	411	1409	0	1409	1316	93
16	Ramnad	1461	162	133	295	1166	0	1166	1165	1
17	Selam	2231	432	246	678	1553	0	1553	1553	0
18	Sivagangai	1442	171	150	321	1118	3	1121	1073	45
19	Thanjavur	1950	343	229	572	1378	0	1378	1377	1
20	Theni	856	112	124	236	614	6	620	440	174
21	The Nilgiris	717	152	108	260	457	0	457	382	75
22	Thiruchirappalli	1941	381	227	608	1331	2	1333	1002	329
23	Thirunelveli	2570	421	270	691	1803	76	1879	1354	449
24	Thiruvallur	2202	625	218	843	1325	34	1359	1049	276
25	Thiruvannamalai	2228	196	263	459	1769	0	1769	1627	142
26	Thiruvarur	1189	171	126	297	889	3	892	839	50
27	Thoothukudi	1729	202	172	374	1349	6	1355	975	374
28	Vellore	3024	559	335	894	2075	55	2130	1733	342
29	Villupuram	2701	372	302	674	2024	3	2027	1807	217
30	Virudhunagar	1600	200	183	383	1211	6	1217	1211	0
	<b>State</b>	<b>53307</b>	<b>9575</b>	<b>5967</b>	<b>15542</b>	<b>37486</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>37765</b>	<b>32971</b>	<b>4515</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

**Table 33a (Contd...)**  
**District wise No.of Schools, ABL implementing Schools,**  
**Materials supplied and class combination**

Sl. No	District	Sufficient No.Of Trays		Logo Introduction			Maths Kit Received		Class Combination			
		Yes	No	Logo introduction not completed	Logo introduction not completed but ladder not completed	Logo & ladder introduction Completed	Yes	No	Class 1&2, Class 3&4, Class 5	Class 1to 4, Class 5	Class 1 & 2, Class 3, Class 4, Class 5	Class 1 to 5
1	Chennai	376	82	55	67	336	254	204	364	27	67	0
2	Coimbatore	1843	2	33	295	1517	134	1711	136	33	1635	41
3	Cuddalore	1328	82	28	147	1235	307	1103	493	330	212	375
4	Dharmapuri	1064	51	18	91	1006	230	885	1067	13	8	27
5	Dindigul	1256	140	39	77	1280	235	1161	1396	0	0	0
6	Erode	1637	64	1	2	1698	129	1572	1701	0	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	1270	78	15	119	1214	150	1198	1187	20	11	130
8	Kanniyakumari	434	120	15	40	499	211	343	265	278	4	7
9	Karur	704	45	8	20	721	212	537	148	62	115	424
10	Krishnagiri	1061	345	157	153	1096	245	1161	1406	0	0	0
11	Madurai	1194	51	13	62	1170	133	1112	1092	59	36	58
12	Nagapattinam	942	84	37	185	804	185	841	1026	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	842	72	25	71	818	259	655	832	26	24	32
14	Perambalur	714	134	26	95	727	227	621	848	0	0	0
15	Pudukkottai	1356	53	16	59	1334	141	1268	1104	55	50	200
16	Ramnad	1135	31	9	61	1096	168	998	1139	17	8	2
17	Selam	1553	0	0	0	1553	85	1468	421	285	320	527
18	Sivagangai	1076	42	14	43	1061	109	1009	991	76	33	18
19	Thanjavur	1358	20	0	30	1348	617	761	1378	0	0	0
20	Theni	551	63	13	58	543	258	356	177	68	193	176
21	The Nilgiris	392	65	33	70	354	126	331	457	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	1194	137	17	128	1186	207	1124	1331	0	0	0
23	Thirunelveli	1601	202	58	189	1556	300	1503	693	574	482	54
24	Thiruvallur	1126	199	0	0	1325	409	916	540	383	157	245
25	Thiruvannamalai	1698	71	57	260	1452	145	1624	1681	22	34	32
26	Thiruvannur	860	29	15	51	823	122	767	683	69	20	117
27	Thoothukudi	1121	228	25	107	1217	107	1242	1126	133	25	65
28	Vellore	1885	190	70	412	1593	169	1906	1784	98	62	131
29	Vilupuram	1757	267	26	146	1852	205	1819	1895	49	17	63
30	Virudhunagar	1203	8	11	26	1174	135	1076	990	72	56	93
	<b>State</b>	<b>34531</b>	<b>2955</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>3064</b>	<b>33588</b>	<b>6214</b>	<b>31272</b>	<b>28351</b>	<b>2749</b>	<b>3569</b>	<b>2817</b>

### 1.8.4 Achievement Test

Achievement Test was conducted in sample Govt and Local body schools for classes II in Tamil, English and Maths subjects. The districts wise pass percentage is given in the table below. The pass percentage in Tamil, English and Maths is 63.83%, 56.40% and 58.03% respectively.

The pass percentage in Tamil is very less in Perambalur district (27.84%) and Salem district (28.85%) and higher in Viruthunagar district (90%) in Std.II.

The pass state percentage of Std.II in English language is also very less in Perambalur district (15.91%) and higher in Viruthunagar district (80.25%). Similarly the pass percentage in Maths is very less in salem (24.82%) and Perambalur districts (25.88%). The percentage is higher in Coimbatore district (90.91%).

Table 33 b  
ACHIEVEMENT TEST JULY 2007 - CLASS II

Sl.No	District	PERCENTAGE OF PASS			GRADING		
		TAMIL	ENGLISH	MATHS	T1	T2	T3
1	Chennai	74.97	73.78	67.03	21.00	38.14	40.86
2	Coimbatore	88.38	79.57	90.91	30.37	37.38	32.24
3	Cuddalore	41.67	38.24	38.69	18.08	30.21	51.72
4	Dharmapuri	74.14	65.35	71.29	16.25	46.88	36.88
5	Dindigul	70.08	70.94	58.82	28.81	38.23	32.96
6	Erode	71.43	60.78	53.33	20.00	38.31	41.69
7	Kancheepuram	38.26	35.71	50.94	11.11	33.33	55.56
8	Kanyakumari	88.37	70.59	85.53	47.22	34.72	18.06
9	Karur	67.21	55.56	55.36	23.70	48.89	27.41
10	Krishnagiri	62.94	59.85	62.02	15.62	38.39	45.98
11	Madurai	63.91	58.39	56.15	23.47	39.12	36.92
12	Nagapattinam	59.84	44.64	48.25	17.78	41.59	40.63
13	Namakkal	42.86	22.31	35.71	18.88	43.36	37.76
14	Perambalur	27.84	15.91	25.88	7.78	44.07	48.15
15	Pudukkottai	61.07	55.12	57.98	24.32	36.49	38.85
16	Ramanathapuram	71.62	57.14	61.43	21.79	35.90	42.31
17	Salem	28.85	38.00	24.82	11.81	37.01	50.66
18	Sivagangai	77.08	53.93	58.62	31.14	40.12	28.14
19	Thanjavur	43.51	27.97	30.99	17.94	36.47	45.59
20	Theni	73.68	62.26	69.81	27.33	39.13	33.54
21	The Nilgiris	70.59	82.35	66.67	40.00	42.00	18.00
22	Thiruchirappalli	68.49	74.63	71.94	26.87	39.61	33.52
23	Thirunelvell	84.28	74.47	81.08	38.14	36.86	25.00
24	Thiruvallur	53.10	50.54	65.00	15.73	43.95	39.52
25	Thiruvannamalai	56.17	50.34	53.70	17.49	40.64	41.87
26	Thiruvarur	50.00	48.84	44.68	13.06	23.42	63.51
27	Thoothukudi	87.95	78.79	70.83	27.54	55.69	16.77
28	Vellore	59.06	57.25	49.30	15.75	43.98	40.04
29	Villupuram	67.53	48.37	56.36	21.01	42.86	36.13
30	Virudhunagar	90.00	80.25	77.78	27.73	56.30	15.97
	State	63.83	56.40	58.03	22.59	40.10	37.21

Note :

T1: Tamil Reading well

T2: Tamil Reading with Errors

T3: Tamil not Reading



The achievement test result of IV std is presented in the table below. The percentage of pass in Tamil language is high in Chennai (80.06%) very less in Perambalur district (22.83%). The pass percentage in English is high in Thirunelveli (79.17%) least in Perambalur district (3.61%). Similarly the pass percentage in Maths is high in Thirunelveli district (85.14%) and least in Kancheepuram district (24.47%).

Table 33 c  
ACHIEVEMENT TEST JULY 2007 - CLASS IV

Sl. No	District	PERCENTAGE OF PASS			GRADING			GRADING		
		TAMIL	ENGLISH	MATHS	T1	T2	T3	E1	E2	E3
1	Chennai	80.06	34.15	60.54	44.67	47.67	7.67	15.69	25.54	58.77
2	Coimbatore	62.23	62.13	75.84	48.94	35.11	15.96	14.69	26.54	58.77
3	Cuddalore	35.2	24.26	40.72	30.5	39.21	30.29	0.61	19.23	80.16
4	Dharmapuri	35.42	42.62	56.62	39.05	43.79	17.16	8.84	34.25	56.91
5	Dindigul	59.84	25	53.33	41.31	47.86	10.83	5.49	37.86	56.36
6	Erode	55.73	33.04	49.07	50	37.86	12.14	12.14	29.48	58.38
7	Kancheepuram	37.27	15.69	24.47	35.65	43.06	21.3	3	21.46	75.54
8	Kanyakumari	71.05	38.71	51.79	52.42	43.55	4.03	24.65	26.76	48.59
9	Karur	55.56	55.22	63.33	46.63	39.38	13.99	14.06	51.04	34.9
10	Krishnagiri	50	34.48	60.49	28.97	53.45	17.24	9.85	15.33	74.45
11	Madurai	49.09	15.72	48.15	37.83	41.09	21.09	3	12.9	84.1
12	Nagapattinam	35.54	31.03	41.59	38.89	33.02	28.09	2.25	15.43	82.32
13	Namakkal	38.57	11.48	26.23	33.77	52.98	13.25	2.17	26.81	71.01
14	Perambalur	22.83	3.61	30	38.19	32.28	29.53	3.15	16.93	79.92
15	Pudukkottai	43.87	29.29	52.35	36.99	47.26	15.75	3.87	38.38	57.75
16	Ramanathapuram	49.47	36.14	67.82	31.54	55.03	13.42	2.68	28.86	68.46
17	Salem	35.06	21.52	28.18	33.8	45.45	20.75	4.95	21.78	73.27
18	Sivagangai	63.48	18.81	43.69	35.56	49.44	15	7.78	23.95	68.26
19	Thanjavur	34.36	5.33	22.75	32.6	45.03	22.38	5.43	16.29	78.29
20	Theni	77.42	33.9	67.92	56.9	27.59	15.52	10.34	21.84	67.82
21	The Nilgiris	51.52	53.12	62.5	31.67	48.33	20	3.39	28.81	67.8
22	Thiruchirappalli	49.66	39.57	61.31	42.71	38.99	18.3	6.17	21.98	71.85
23	Thirunelveli	69.14	79.17	85.14	44.67	48.67	6.67	6.67	27.11	66.22
24	Thiruvallur	43.75	20.49	40.68	25.17	52.07	22.76	2.05	19.86	78.08
25	Thiruvannamalai	38.83	25.71	41.46	25.51	50.11	24.38	2.34	17.8	79.86
26	Thiruvarur	40.38	37.63	64.63	30.77	44.94	24.29	5.95	25.4	68.65
27	Thoothukudi	74.7	30.14	71.67	41.48	43.75	14.77	4.09	18.71	77.19
28	Vellore	45.82	41.04	53.23	37.59	41.31	21.1	7.18	22.8	70.02
29	Villupuram	36.28	14.62	31.77	39.64	45.56	14.81	3.07	14.66	82.27
30	Virudhunagar	61.05	40.48	75.86	54.55	37.37	8.08	6.98	33.72	59.3
	State	50.11	31.80	51.77	38.93	43.71	17.35	6.75	24.72	68.51

**Note**

T1: Tamil Reading well  
T2: Tamil Reading with Errors  
T3: Tamil not Reading

**Note :**

E1: English Reading well  
E2: English Reading with Errors  
E3: English not Reading

### 1.8.5 Remedial Teaching - Low Performing Children

The number of low performing children in I – V class and VI – VIII class is presented in the table below. The total number of low performing children identified in I – V class is 336575 and VI – VIII class is 254565. The total number of low performing children in I – VIII class is 591140. These children are to be given remedial teaching in all subjects to ensure quality education to all.

Table 33 d  
District wise No. of Low Performing Children to be covered (Remedial Teaching) in 2008-09

S. No	District	Enrolment in Std. I - V Govt & Aided Schools			No. of Low Performing Children	Enrolment in Std. VI - VIII Govt & Aided Schools			No. of Low Performing Children	No. of Low Performing Children in Std. I-VIII
		Boys	Girls	Total		Boys	Girls	Total		
1	Chennai	67018	69095	136113	10345	64900	69430	134330	10478	20822
2	Coimbatore	111928	111569	223497	18908	92815	88919	181734	15993	34900
3	Cuddalore	81874	84696	166570	13342	60794	58074	118868	9866	23208
4	Dharmapuri	56009	50885	106894	8862	41362	35613	76975	6789	15651
5	Dindigul	80023	75690	155713	13111	52730	49286	102016	8671	21782
6	Erode	73018	71799	144817	12020	53798	51062	104860	9028	21048
7	Kancheepuram	84366	86758	171124	13005	75160	73797	148957	11768	24773
8	Kanyakumari	46987	48201	95188	5911	38371	37406	75777	5380	11291
9	Karur	31818	31101	62919	5027	21339	21080	42419	3415	8442
10	Krishnagiri	69996	68193	138189	12271	43211	41417	84628	7701	19972
11	Madurai	94830	90700	185530	13024	67699	65404	133103	9517	22541
12	Nagapattinam	61051	59814	120865	8170	45844	42896	88740	6265	14436
13	Namakkal	47161	45366	92527	7485	34393	31196	65589	5346	12831
14	Perambalur	49951	49406	99357	8346	33143	32128	65271	5528	13874
15	Pudukkottai	58891	59146	118037	9868	41533	40719	82252	7238	17106
16	Ramanad	52997	52020	105017	8538	34689	33301	67990	5949	14487
17	Salem	111220	100731	211951	18546	79111	70191	149302	13288	31834
18	Sivagangai	42551	42237	84788	6223	32397	31357	63754	5642	11866
19	Thanjavur	75287	76275	151562	11079	57514	56363	113877	9235	20315
20	Theni	51632	47326	98958	7778	32875	28793	61668	5026	12804
21	The Nilgiris	19336	19730	39066	3215	14701	14797	29498	2463	5678
22	Thiruchirappalli	84331	83474	167805	12132	64744	62024	126768	10281	22413
23	Thirunelveli	121672	119908	241580	15268	78726	76347	155073	11630	26898
24	Thiruvallur	74007	76633	150640	12142	61953	60763	122716	10063	22204
25	Thiruvannamalai	85167	84913	170080	13742	55941	54300	110241	9536	23278
26	Thiruvarur	43459	43529	86988	7107	33379	32773	66152	5795	12902
27	Thoothukudi	64064	61473	125537	9014	42910	40822	83732	6364	15377
28	Vellore	126876	126660	253536	22337	94070	92141	186211	16480	38816
29	Villupuram	116608	120133	236741	19413	76500	74611	151111	12693	32106
30	Virudhunagar	78741	76830	155572	10346	49665	47429	97094	7136	17482
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2162869</b>	<b>2134291</b>	<b>4297161</b>	<b>336575</b>	<b>1576267</b>	<b>1514439</b>	<b>3090706</b>	<b>254565</b>	<b>591140</b>

Source: Achievement Test 2007-08

### 1.8.6 Learning Achievement

The children in Govt schools are identified based on the achievement test result of Language, Maths and Science subjects is presented in the table below.

It is planned to cover 388454 children under Learning Achievement Programme to improve their performance.

Table- 33 e  
Intervention of Learning Enhancement of children in Government Schools 2008-09

S.No.	District	Total No. of Govt & Local body Schools					No. of Schools to be covered	No. of children to be covered
		P	M	HS	HSS	Total		
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	360	360	5230
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	1888	1888	20750
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	1318	1318	14320
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	1284	1284	18457
5	Dindigul	955	191	53	50	1249	1249	12551
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	1727	1727	16350
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	1351	1351	15745
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	522	522	4200
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	779	779	6860
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	1563	1563	17883
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	1145	1145	13577
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	863	863	11289
13	Namakkal	680	161	45	74	960	960	11573
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	876	876	10200
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	1481	1481	14500
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	1039	1039	9785
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	1653	1653	21987
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	1049	1049	10387
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	1308	1308	13460
20	Theni	265	86	45	32	428	428	6080
21	The Nilgiris	336	83	41	45	505	505	3570
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	227	73	64	1196	1196	11682
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	879	879	11051
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	1368	1368	13749
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	1847	1847	18270
26	Thiruvaur	626	163	56	48	893	893	10789
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	677	677	7574
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	2135	2135	23326
29	Villupuram	1308	433	123	118	1982	1982	22769
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	898	898	10490
	<b>State</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>35223</b>	<b>35223</b>	<b>388454</b>

Source : Achievement Test 2007

## 1.9 Educational Development Index

Educational Development Index has been worked out based on 12 parameters. Viz. School Access, NER, Enrolment Gap, Completion Rate, Repetition Rate, Dropout Rate, Attendance Rate, Transition Rate, Pupil Teacher Ratio, Exam Result, Achievement Test, Student Classroom Ratio.

The District wise EDI for primary, upper primary and Composite is presented in the table below.

**Table 34**  
**Educational Development Index (EDI) – Primary and Upper Primary**

S. No	District	Primary	Rank	Upper Primary	Rank	Composite (Primary & Upperprimary)	Rank	Mean Difference	Mean Deviation
1	Chennai	0.6875	7	0.6667	1	0.677	2	0.133	24.46
2	Coimbatore	0.7083	4	0.5208	6	0.615	4	0.071	12.97
3	Cuddalore	0.6250	11	0.5208	7	0.573	10	0.029	5.32
4	Dharmapuri	0.4792	30	0.4583	14	0.469	25	-0.075	-13.83
5	Dindigui	0.5000	29	0.4167	24	0.458	28	-0.086	-15.75
6	Erode	0.5625	20	0.4375	20	0.500	22	-0.044	-8.09
7	Kancheepuram	0.7083	5	0.4792	11	0.594	6	0.050	9.15
8	Kanyakumari	0.7917	1	0.6250	2	0.708	1	0.164	30.21
9	Karur	0.5208	25	0.4167	25	0.469	26	-0.075	-13.83
10	Krishnagiri	0.5417	22	0.3750	29	0.458	29	-0.086	-15.75
11	Madurai	0.7083	6	0.4167	26	0.563	12	0.019	3.40
12	Nagapattinam	0.6667	9	0.5000	9	0.583	7	0.039	7.23
13	Namakkal	0.5417	23	0.3750	30	0.458	30	-0.086	-15.75
14	Perambalur	0.6042	13	0.4583	15	0.531	17	-0.013	-2.34
15	Pudukkottai	0.7292	2	0.5417	4	0.635	3	0.091	16.80
16	Ramanathapuram	0.6250	12	0.5417	5	0.583	8	0.039	7.23
17	Salem	0.5208	26	0.4375	21	0.479	24	-0.065	-11.92
18	Sivagangai	0.5417	24	0.4583	16	0.500	23	-0.044	-8.09
19	Thanjavur	0.6042	14	0.4375	22	0.521	18	-0.023	-4.26
20	The Nilgiris	0.5208	27	0.4167	27	0.469	27	-0.075	-13.83
21	Theni	0.6042	15	0.4167	28	0.510	20	-0.034	-6.17
22	Thiruchirappalli	0.6042	16	0.6042	3	0.604	5	0.060	11.06
23	Thirunelveli	0.6667	10	0.4583	17	0.563	13	0.019	3.40
24	Thiruvallur	0.6042	17	0.4792	12	0.542	14	-0.002	-0.43
25	Thiruvannamalai	0.7292	3	0.4375	23	0.583	9	0.039	7.23
26	Thiruvarur	0.6875	8	0.4583	18	0.573	11	0.029	5.32
27	Thoothukudi	0.5833	19	0.5000	10	0.542	15	-0.002	-0.43
28	Vellore	0.6042	18	0.4792	13	0.542	16	-0.002	-0.43
29	Villupuram	0.5208	28	0.5208	8	0.521	19	-0.023	-4.26
30	Virudhunagar	0.5625	21	0.4583	19	0.510	21	-0.034	-6.17
						<b>0.544</b>			

Source : DISE, Cohort & EER

Composite Education Development Index (EDI) have been worked out and districts are ranked.

It is observed from the table above that the mean deviation is less than one percent which shows that impact is more or less or same in all districts. However the impact is poor in Namakkal Krishnagiri, Dindigul, The Nilgiris Karur and Dharmapuri districts.

### 1.9.1 SCHOOL ACCESS (PRIMARY)

Provision of school access to all habitation is ensured to enroll all school age children. Tamil Nadu has already ensured cent percent school access to all habitations as per norms. However there are 498 habitations are unserved habitations due to not satisfying the norms. Among 498 habitations 253 habitations mostly new settlement, hill area are eligible for formal primary school which are to be provided primary school access. The district wise habitations to be provided primary school access is presented in the table below.

**Table - 35**  
**Habitations and Access (Primary) - 2007**

S. No.	District	Total No. of habitations	Habitations covered by Primary School	Habitations without Primary schools	No. of Habitations	
					Eligible for primary school as per norms	Not eligible for primary school as per norms
1	Chennai	1166	1166	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	3187	3148	39	25	14
3	Cuddalore	2667	2652	15	9	6
4	Dharmapuri	2381	2323	58	42	16
5	Dindigul	3599	3590	9	0	9
6	Erode	5513	5492	21	7	14
7	Kancheepuram	3721	3709	12	6	6
8	Kanyakumari	2195	2189	6	0	6
9	Karur	2086	2082	4	0	4
10	Krishnagiri	2892	2840	52	33	19
11	Madurai	1752	1737	15	9	6
12	Nagapattinam	2045	2032	13	6	7
13	Namakkal	2455	2442	13	5	8
14	Perambalur	1085	1071	14	5	9
15	Pudukkottai	3557	3533	24	18	6
16	Ramanathapuram	2120	2109	11	3	8
17	Salem	6490	6467	23	14	9
18	Sivagangai	2432	2425	7	1	6
19	Thanjavur	2084	2072	12	3	9
20	Theni	756	746	10	2	8
21	The Nilgiris	1202	1196	6	1	5
22	Thiruchirappalli	2178	2171	7	1	6
23	Thirunelveli	2982	2970	12	2	10
24	Thiruvallur	3539	3528	11	3	8
25	Thiruvannamalai	3167	3139	28	17	11
26	Thiruvarur	1655	1645	10	3	7
27	Thoothukudi	1467	1455	12	7	5
28	Vellore	4893	4870	23	15	8
29	Villupuram	2830	2810	20	9	11
30	Virudhunagar	2497	2486	11	7	4
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>80593</b>	<b>80095</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>245</b>

Source: School Mapping & DISE 2007

### 1.9.2. School Access (Upper Primary)

Though all the eligible habitations are provided upper primary school access as per norms, there are deserving primary schools fulfilling the norms to be upgraded into upper primary schools for extending Upper Primary school access to SC and ST habitations, hill area minority concerned habitations to ensure enrolment of girls.

District wise number of primary schools to be upgraded into upper primary schools is presented in the table below. It is prepared 1005 primary schools which fulfil the norms for upgradation as upper Middle schools.

**Table - 36**  
**Habitations and Access (Upper Primary)**

S. No.	District	Total habitations	No. of Habitations having UPS facility in 3 KM area	No. of habitations without UPS facility in 3 KM area	No. of eligible schoolless habitations for UPS as per distance and population norms
1	Chennai	1166	1166	0	0
2	Coimbatore	3187	3145	82	57
3	Cuddalore	2667	2616	80	40
4	Dharmapuri	2381	2303	106	40
5	Dindigul	3599	3527	88	44
6	Erode	5513	5411	154	64
7	Kancheepuram	3721	3660	110	55
8	Kanyakumari	2195	2195	0	0
9	Karur	2086	2067	35	20
10	Krishnagiri	2892	2840	80	40
11	Madurai	1752	1716	60	30
12	Nagapattinam	2045	2012	55	25
13	Namakkal	2455	2428	40	20
14	Perambalur	1085	1044	70	35
15	Pudukkottai	3557	3530	50	25
16	Ramanathapuram	2120	2084	39	24
17	Salem	6490	6409	140	70
18	Sivagangai	2432	2398	60	30
19	Thanjavur	2084	2045	50	25
20	Theni	756	729	30	15
21	The Nilgiris	1202	1191	10	5
22	Thiruchirappalli	2178	2150	20	8
23	Thirunelveli	2982	2946	30	15
24	Thiruvallur	3539	3497	50	25
25	Thiruvannamalai	3167	3085	100	50
26	Thiruvarur	1655	1606	81	41
27	Thoothukudi	1467	1439	40	20
28	Vellore	4893	4807	149	79
29	Villupuram	2830	2738	143	78
30	Virudhunagar	2497	2466	50	25
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>80593</b>	<b>79250</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>1005</b>

**Table - 36 (Contd...)**  
**Primary Upper Primary Ratio and new upper primary school**  
**proposed for 2008-09**

S. No.	District	No. of Govt. & Aided Schools with Primary class	No. of Govt. & Aided schools Upper Primary Class	Primary and Upper Primary ratio	No. of UPS eligible as per norms proposed for 2008-09	After Upgradation		
						No. of Govt. & Aided Schools with primary class	No. of Govt. & Aided schools with upper primary class	Gap in UPS
1	Chennai	491	445	1.10	0	491	445	1.10
2	Coimbatore	1848	711	2.60	57	1848	768	2.41
3	Cuddalore	1417	542	2.61	40	1417	582	2.43
4	Dharmapuri	1166	452	2.58	40	1166	492	2.37
5	Dindigul	1408	419	3.36	44	1408	463	3.04
6	Erode	1703	497	3.43	64	1703	561	3.04
7	Kancheepuram	1358	585	2.32	55	1358	640	2.12
8	Kanyakumari	575	406	1.42	0	575	406	1.42
9	Karur	750	215	3.49	20	750	235	3.19
10	Krishnagiri	1416	471	3.01	40	1416	511	2.77
11	Madurai	1263	527	2.40	30	1263	557	2.27
12	Nagapattinam	1041	413	2.52	25	1041	438	2.38
13	Namakkal	918	314	2.92	20	918	334	2.75
14	Perambalur	848	348	2.44	35	848	383	2.21
15	Pudukkottai	1411	508	2.78	25	1411	533	2.65
16	Ramanathapuram	1166	348	3.35	24	1166	372	3.13
17	Salem	1556	549	2.83	70	1556	619	2.51
18	Sivagangai	1122	380	2.95	30	1122	410	2.74
19	Thanjavur	1384	515	2.69	25	1384	540	2.56
20	Theni	628	277	2.27	15	628	292	2.15
21	The Nilgiris	459	203	2.26	5	459	208	2.21
22	Thiruchirappalli	1340	549	2.44	8	1340	557	2.41
23	Thirunelveli	1889	673	2.81	15	1889	688	2.75
24	Thiruvallur	1364	521	2.62	25	1364	546	2.50
25	Thiruvannamalai	1771	603	2.94	50	1771	653	2.71
26	Thiruvarur	893	322	2.77	41	893	363	2.46
27	Thoothukudi	1356	467	2.90	20	1356	487	2.78
28	Vellore	2137	781	2.74	79	2137	860	2.48
29	Villupuram	2028	781	2.60	78	2028	859	2.36
30	Virudhunagar	1219	409	2.98	25	1219	434	2.81
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>37925</b>	<b>14231</b>	<b>2.66</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>37925</b>	<b>15236</b>	<b>2.49</b>

Source : DISE & School Mapping 2007-08

### 1.9.3. New Schools Opened 2007-08

During 2007-08, 210 Primary schools and 338 Upper Primary schools were opened for which 420 teachers in the new primary schools and 1256 teachers in the Middle schools were appointed.

**Table - 37**  
**New Schools opened and Teachers posted - 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	New Schools opened		New Teachers appointed	
		Primary	Upper Primary	Primary	Upper Primary
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	26	15	52	52
3	Cuddalore	8	24	16	58
4	Dharmapuri	40	50	80	112
5	Dindigul	1	18	2	43
6	Erode	0	11	0	82
7	Kancheepuram	16	18	32	37
8	Kanyakumari	4	1	8	3
9	Karur	2	5	4	27
10	Krishnagiri	13	15	26	78
11	Madurai	3	10	6	41
12	Nagapattinam	5	6	10	57
13	Namakkal	3	8	6	39
14	Perambalur	1	10	2	40
15	Pudukkottai	0	9	0	45
16	Ramanathapuram	6	7	12	25
17	Salem	25	25	50	88
18	Sivagangai	1	7	2	22
19	Thanjavur	0	4	0	21
20	Theni	10	3	20	5
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	8
22	Thiruchirappalli	4	3	8	34
23	Thirunelveli	2	6	4	21
24	Thiruvallur	2	20	4	33
25	Thiruvannamalai	10	8	20	55
26	Thiruvarur	1	10	2	32
27	Thoothukkudi	1	4	2	13
28	Vellore	11	7	22	62
29	Villupuram	4	8	8	57
30	Virudhunagar	11	26	22	66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>1256</b>

Source: DISE & Progress Report



## 1.10 GRANTS

Grants are given to schools and to teachers to improve school efficiency every year to achieve the objects of SSA.

During 2007-08 School Grant for all Government & Local body schools and aided schools, Maintenance Grant for Government & Local Body schools, TLE for new Government & Local Body schools and Teacher grant for all teachers in Government & Local Body and Aided schools were given. District wise details are furnished below.

**Table - 38**  
**Release of Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant,**  
**TLE and TLM Grants for 2007-08**

S. No.	District	Achievement 2007-2008							
		No. of schools						No. of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	473	461	272	212	0	0	4574	2213
2	Coimbatore	1837	725	1659	606	26	15	4796	6759
3	Cuddalore	1405	524	1165	404	8	22	4482	2542
4	Dharmapuri	1129	401	1113	391	40	50	2587	4140
5	Dindigul	1406	400	1145	275	1	18	3612	4234
6	Erode	1705	484	1579	430	0	11	3734	3711
7	Kancheepuram	1334	559	1150	442	16	18	3728	4524
8	Kanyakumari	556	410	398	231	4	1	1903	2815
9	Karur	753	214	702	191	2	5	1745	1380
10	Krishnagiri	1331	442	1314	426	13	15	2828	2483
11	Madurai	1244	518	1013	360	3	10	3174	4886
12	Nagapattinam	1025	422	743	309	5	6	2504	4250
13	Namakkal	915	308	840	274	3	8	2255	4426
14	Perambalur	846	341	742	292	1	10	2254	2454
15	Pudukkottai	1414	501	1325	447	0	9	2757	3736
15	Ramanathapuram	1161	346	951	254	6	7	2711	3142
17	Salem	1528	536	1424	469	25	25	4830	4573
18	Sivagangai	1123	375	953	260	1	7	2262	2648
19	Thanjavur	1380	518	1138	392	0	4	3461	6376
20	Theni	612	274	409	165	10	3	1888	2587
21	The Nilgiris	455	209	349	162	0	0	1125	1189
22	Thiruchirappalli	1333	544	1057	360	4	3	3447	4752
23	Thirunelveli	1877	671	748	236	2	6	4869	6107
24	Thiruvallur	1345	493	1207	446	2	20	3243	4027
25	Thiruvannamalai	1757	593	1612	542	10	8	3982	4076
26	Thiruvarur	885	313	793	262	1	10	1997	3678
27	Thoothukkudi	1359	466	618	162	1	4	3102	3573
28	Vellore	2122	773	1860	654	11	7	5691	6013
29	Villupuram	2024	775	1738	668	4	8	6416	3455
30	Virudhunagar	1170	419	772	263	11	26	3276	3675
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>37504</b>	<b>14015</b>	<b>30787</b>	<b>10587</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>99235</b>	<b>114424</b>

*Source: Progress Reports*

District wise number of schools to be given school grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and number teachers to be given TLM is also presented in the table below.

**Table - 38 (Contd...)**  
Grants proposed for 2008-09

S. No.	Districts	Grants proposed for 2008-09									
		No. of schools								No. of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance grant				TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	Priamry		Upper Primary		P	UP	P	UP
<3 class room	>3 class room			<3 class room	>3 class room						
1	Chennai	491	445	37	114	27	182	0	0	2270	5439
2	Coimbatore	1848	711	832	445	83	528	25	57	4807	6662
3	Cuddalore	1417	542	437	450	92	339	9	40	3198	3882
4	Dharmapuri	1166	452	481	362	42	399	42	40	2512	3974
5	Dindigul	1408	419	337	618	13	281	0	44	3442	3561
6	Erode	1703	497	965	320	36	406	7	64	3681	3505
7	Kancheepuram	1358	585	547	338	37	429	6	55	3484	4520
8	Kanyakumari	575	406	89	204	19	210	0	0	1858	2493
9	Karur	750	215	387	198	8	186	0	20	1621	1387
10	Krishnagiri	1416	471	726	377	33	427	33	40	3125	2927
11	Madurai	1263	527	528	247	40	330	9	30	3138	4967
12	Nagapattinam	1041	413	307	249	25	282	6	25	2554	4706
13	Namakkal	918	314	413	267	22	258	5	20	2208	2308
14	Perambalur	848	348	290	287	34	265	5	35	2092	2107
15	Pudukkottai	1411	508	695	332	42	412	18	25	2546	3021
16	Ramanathapuram	1166	348	665	115	27	232	3	24	2836	3028
17	Salem	1556	549	662	495	21	475	14	70	4782	7041
18	Sivagangai	1122	380	508	274	18	249	1	30	2223	2502
19	Thanjavur	1384	515	520	394	15	379	3	25	3625	6447
20	Theni	628	277	162	174	19	150	2	15	1864	2324
21	The Nilgiris	459	203	157	108	68	95	1	5	1026	1145
22	Thiruchirappalli	1340	549	446	386	44	320	1	8	3310	4624
23	Thirunelveli	1889	673	393	247	49	190	2	15	4778	5821
24	Thiruvallur	1364	521	650	257	50	411	3	25	3268	4051
25	Thiruvannamalai	1771	603	732	563	42	510	17	50	3856	3867
26	Thiruvarur	893	322	381	245	5	262	3	41	2004	2992
27	Thoothukudi	1356	467	424	86	47	120	7	20	3070	3246
28	Vellore	2137	781	732	744	157	502	15	79	5496	6250
29	Villupuram	2028	781	789	519	99	575	9	78	4555	5204
30	Virudhunagar	1219	409	499	143	25	231	7	25	3316	3108
	<b>Total</b>	<b>37925</b>	<b>14231</b>	<b>14791</b>	<b>9558</b>	<b>1239</b>	<b>9635</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>92545</b>	<b>117109</b>

Source: Progress Reports

## **1.11 VEC, CRC & BRC**

### **Village Education Committee (VEC)**

The VEC has been constituted in all Government & local body and Aided schools. Similarly PTA is functioning as VEC in Government & Local body, High & Higher Secondary for upper primary classes at grass root level for planning and implementation of SSA.

### **Cluster Resource Centre (CRC)**

CRC has been constituted at the rate of one CRC per 10 to 15 schools. At present 4088 CRCs are in the State to facilitate the VEC's.

### **Block Resource Centre (BRC)**

Similatrly, BRC has been constituted in all 385 rural blocks and in 16 Urban municipal/Corporation areas.

District wise number of VEC, CRC, BRC and the resource persons posted is presented in the table below.

Table 39

## Block Resource Centres (BRCs) and Cluster Resource Centres (CRCs) with Resource Persons (RPs) -2007-08

S. No.	Name of the District	No. of VECs/ WEC	No. of BRCs/URCs			No. of RPs		No. of CRCs			No. of RPs		No. of meetings/ trainings conducted	
			Rural	Urban	Total	Sanctioned	In position	Rural	Urban	Total	Sanctioned	In position	BRC/ URC	CRC
1	Chennai	758	0	10	10	10	0	0	110	110	110	110	120	110
2	Coimbatore	2095	19	1	20	67	66	135	64	199	199	199	266	265
3	Cuddalore	1600	13	0	13	48	48	167	5	172	172	172	220	220
4	Dharmapuri	1282	8	0	8	18	18	100	0	100	100	100	118	118
5	Dindigul	1563	14	0	14	84	84	140	23	163	163	163	247	247
6	Erode	1893	20	0	20	120	120	142	0	142	142	142	262	262
7	Kancheepuram	1579	13	1	14	79	78	143	29	172	172	172	251	250
8	Kanyakumari	806	9	0	9	21	21	89	0	89	89	89	110	110
9	Karur	838	8	0	8	48	48	75	0	75	75	75	123	123
10	Krishnagiri	1553	10	0	10	57	56	121	0	121	121	121	178	177
11	Madurai	1453	13	1	14	79	79	132	33	165	165	165	244	244
12	Nagapattinam	1166	11	0	11	66	66	100	0	100	100	100	166	166
13	Namakkal	1059	15	0	15	67	67	83	0	83	83	83	150	150
14	Perambalur	994	10	0	10	31	31	107	0	107	107	107	138	138
15	Pudukottai	1585	13	0	13	23	23	145	0	145	145	145	168	168
16	Ramanathapuram	1297	11	0	11	32	32	124	0	124	124	124	156	156
17	Salem	1761	20	1	21	87	86	164	10	174	174	174	261	260
18	Sivagangai	1180	12	0	12	72	72	109	0	109	109	109	181	181
19	Thanjavur	1601	14	0	14	43	43	121	44	165	165	165	209	208
20	Theni	579	8	0	8	20	20	80	0	80	80	80	100	100
21	The Nilgiris	730	4	0	4	24	23	45	0	45	45	45	69	68
22	Thiruchirapalli	1570	14	1	15	77	76	154	29	183	183	183	260	259
23	Thirunelveli	2146	19	1	20	105	105	176	16	192	192	192	297	297
24	Thiruvallur	1554	14	0	14	84	84	133	0	133	133	133	217	217
25	Thiruvannamalai	2006	18	0	18	108	108	167	0	167	167	167	275	275
26	Thiruvarur	1009	10	0	10	55	55	95	0	95	95	95	150	150
27	Thoothukudi	1536	12	0	12	72	72	88	20	108	108	108	180	180
28	Vellore	2443	20	0	20	120	120	182	20	202	202	202	322	322
29	Villupuram	2301	22	0	22	129	129	234	0	234	234	234	363	363
30	Virudhunagar	1386	11	0	11	66	66	134	0	134	134	134	200	200
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>43323</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>1912</b>	<b>1896</b>	<b>3685</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>6000</b>	<b>5984</b>

Source: DISE 2005 &amp; District Review Reports

## 1.12 IN-SERVICE TRAINING

In order to address issues related to efficacy of teacher training an initiative called ADEPTs has been rolled out. It is felt that teacher training to be more outcome oriented. As such teacher training programme has been devised and performed during 2007-08.

The year 2007-2008 has seen a tremendous change in the teaching – learning process at the Elementary level in Tamilnadu. The paradigm shift is aiming and focusing on quality improvement and all the in-service training programmes have been planned in accordance to the methodologies up-scaled in all the Primary and Upper Primary schools.

The Activity Based Learning has been introduced for the qualitative and personality development of children at the upper primary level. In continuation to that the Active Learning Methodology is being practiced in the Upper Primary classes.

### Training Programmes

#### Primary Level

Name of the Training	Days	Objectives	Mode and Methodology
<b>Child Care and Development</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To understand the nature of children.</li> <li>• To know the stages of development</li> <li>• To know how nature and needs are influenced by developmental stages.</li> <li>• To know the Childs intellectual development</li> <li>• To build active listening and comprehension skills</li> <li>• To develop speaking and decision – making skill</li> <li>• To get an insight into the causes of behaviour problems;</li> <li>• To understand it and develop skill in handling behaviour problems.</li> <li>• To develop the qualities of a counsellor</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.

<b>Activity Based Learning</b>  <b>Hands on experience: Visit to ABL model schools</b>	<b>3</b>  <b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To know the need for a change – from teacher centred to child centred. Learning joyfully. Learning through activities &amp; self.</li> <li>• ABL Methodology To know the logos and milestones</li> <li>• To learn how to handle the cards and how to act as a facilitator.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>Self Learning Mathematics kit training</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To make the teaching and learning of mathematics effective and interesting.</li> <li>• To help the children learn by themselves at their own pace.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>Toy making with low cost, &amp; no cost materials</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To learn to kindle the creative capacity in the child.</li> <li>• To make them understand the importance of hand besides head and heart. (3Hs)</li> <li>• To help to bring out the latent talents of child.</li> <li>• To understand the maxim that 'All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy'.</li> <li>•</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>School Development Programme Training</b>	<b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To know the requirements of the school.</li> <li>• To find means for its development two ways – Quality enhancement, Quantity increasing.</li> <li>• Infrastructure facilities.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.

<b>CRC Level Training</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To clear doubts in the Activity Based Learning.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>ABL Methodology</b>	<b>3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To learn about grouping with demonstration classes.</li> </ul>	
<b>Yoga and Meditation</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To create awareness to keep body and mind healthy</li> </ul>	
<b>Health Awareness</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To inculcate values</li> </ul>	
<b>Value Education</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To protect in times of disaster</li> </ul>	
<b>Disaster Management</b>	<b>1</b>		

### Upper Primary Level

<b>Training Programme</b>	<b>Days</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Mode and Methodology</b>
<b>Active Learning Methodology:</b>	<b>4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To make child learn by himself.</li> <li>• To understand and learn.</li> <li>• To kindle creative thinking in the child.</li> <li>• To reinforce the learnt lesson with understanding.</li> <li>• To develop self confidence in the child.</li> <li>• To help child to learn a lot of portions easily and quickly.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>Educative Toy making using low-cost, no-cost Materials</b>	<b>2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To bring out the latent talents in children.</li> <li>• To make learning interesting by 'learning by doing'</li> <li>• To drive home the fact that head and heart alone are not important 'hand' – creative capacity is also to be developed.(3 Hs)</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.

<b>School Development Programme:</b>	<b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To identify the needs of the school.</li> <li>• To find resources for the improvement and management of the school.</li> <li>• To create awareness about the community ownership and partnership.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>Communicative English</b>	<b>3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To converse and comprehend English.</li> <li>• To develop the skills of expression – speaking and writing.</li> <li>• To make the students feel free to face globalisation and challenging situations.</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>CRC Level Training</b>  <b>Active Learning Methodology</b>  <b>Yoga and Meditation</b>  <b>Health Awareness</b>  <b>Value Education</b>  <b>Disaster Management</b>	<b>3</b>  <b>2</b>  <b>2</b>  <b>2</b>  <b>1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To rectify doubts on this innovative approach.</li> <li>• To make them learn the lesson - plan formats.</li> <li>• To orient teachers on the importance of continuous evaluation.</li> <li>• To make the teachers understand that they are not source of knowledge transfer but facilitators for the child to acquire knowledge and enrich himself.</li> <li>• To create awareness to keep body and mind healthy</li> <li>• To inculcate values</li> <li>• To protect in times of disaster</li> </ul>	Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.



<b>Block Resource Teacher Educators</b>			Activity Oriented Cascade Mode Key Resource Persons are trained by experts in the relevant area. Key Resource Persons in turn train the Resource Persons (Block Resource Teachers) Resource Persons in turn train the Teachers in their Blocks.
<b>Child Care and Development</b>	5		
<b>Induction Training</b>	2		
<b>ABL Training</b>	4		
<b>Toy making training:</b>	3		
<b>ALM training</b>	4		
<b>Training on SLM – Mathematics.</b>	2		
<b>Value Education:</b>	3		
<b>Toys making</b>	2		
<b>Yoga and Meditation</b>	5		
<b>Disaster Management</b>	2		

**Module for Upper Primary:** 1. Understanding Child Development,  
2. Active Learning Methodology

**Module for Primary:** 1. Teacher Manual for Activity Based Learning  
2. Self Learning - Mathematics – Teachers Manual

In-service training target and achievement under various type during 2007-08 and proposal for 2008-09 are furnished in the table below.

**Table -- 40**  
**In-service Training - Target & Achievement 2007-2008 and**  
**Target proposed for 2008-2009**

S.No.	District	Target(2007-08)		Achievement (2007-08)		Proposed( 2008-09)		
		No. of Teachers	No. of Officers and Staff	No. of teacher training days	No. of Officers & Staff	No. of Teachers	No. of Teachers Trg. Days	No. of Officers and Staff
1	Chennai	10226	81	135740	81	7709	154180	81
2	Coimbatore	11555	211	231100	211	11469	229380	211
3	Cuddalore	8444	136	140480	136	7080	141600	136
4	Dharmapuri	6727	0	134540	0	6486	129720	0
5	Dindigul	7848	350	156960	350	7003	140060	350
6	Erode	7445	370	148900	370	7186	143720	370
7	Kancheepuram	8252	300	165040	300	8004	160080	300
8	Kanyakumari	4718	89	94360	89	4351	87020	89
9	Karur	4149	155	62500	155	3008	60160	155
10	Krishnagiri	5311	193	106220	193	6052	121040	193
11	Madurai	8060	320	161200	320	8105	162100	320
12	Nagapattinam	6754	116	135080	116	7260	145200	116
13	Namakkal	6681	90	133620	90	4516	90320	90
14	Perambalur	4708	227	94160	227	4199	83980	227
15	Pudukkottai	6493	48	129860	48	5567	111340	48
16	Ramanathapuram	5853	110	117060	110	5864	117280	110
17	Salem	9403	347	188060	347	11823	236460	347
18	Sivagangai	4910	472	98200	472	4725	94500	472
19	Thanjavur	9837	345	196740	345	10072	201440	345
20	Theni	4475	100	89500	99	4188	83760	100
21	The Nilgiris	2314	0	46280	0	2171	43420	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	8199	178	163980	178	7934	158680	178
23	Thirunelveli	10976	157	219520	157	10599	211980	157
24	Thiruvallur	7270	254	145400	254	7319	146380	254
25	Thiruvannamalai	8058	34	161160	34	7723	154460	34
26	Thiruvavur	5783	193	113500	193	4996	99920	193
27	Thoothukudi	6675	130	133500	130	6316	126320	130
28	Vellore	11704	330	234080	330	11746	234920	330
29	Villupuram	11825	450	197420	450	9759	195180	450
30	Virudhunagar	6951	251	139020	251	6424	128480	251
	<b>Total</b>	<b>221604</b>	<b>6037</b>	<b>4273180</b>	<b>6036</b>	<b>209654</b>	<b>4193080</b>	<b>6037</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

On the success in changing the class room environment, demand in 2007-08 the inservice training programme is devised and to be followed in 2008-09 also as effective input for quality education.

It is proposed to give 10 days in-service training to all 209654 teachers on the following area and to improve the quality of education during 2008-09 at Block level and another 10 days training to all the teachers at CRC level at the rate of one day per month in the following area.

**Type of Training  
Primary Level**

S.No.	Level	No. of Days
<b>BRC</b>		
1	Child Care and Development	2
2	Activity Based Learning	3
3	Self – Learning Mathematics Kit Learning	2
4	Toy Making with low cost and no cost material	2
5	School development	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>CRC</b>		
1	ABL Methodology	3
2	Yoga and Meditation	2
3	Health Awareness	2
4	Value Education	2
5	Disaster Management	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>

**Upper Primary Level**

S.No.		No. of Days
<b>BRC</b>		
1	Activity Learning Methodology	4
2	Educative Toy Making using low cost no cost materials	2
3	School Development Programme	1
4	Communicative English	3
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>CRC</b>		
1	ABL Methodology	3
2	Yoga and Meditation	2
3	Health Awareness	2
4	Value Education	2
5	Disaster Management	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>

**1.13 INTERVENTION FOR OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDREN**

Alternative and Innovative Education is the strategy followed to ensure elementary education for all the out of school children in the age group of 6-14. The Out-of-School Children are either never enrolled or dropouts from schools. As per the House Hold Survey 2001 there were 5.74 lakhs out of school children in the State. The number of out of school children has largely reduced 1.03 lakhs as the target for 2007-08.

The district wise details of target number of out of school and achievement during 2006-07 is given the table below.

**Table - 41**  
**Enrolment of Out of School Children - 2007-2008**

S No	Districts	Target	Direct Enrolment in Formal Schools	Back to School	Bridge Course	Residential Camps	Total	Children enrolled in NCLP/INDUS	Total children Covered 2007-2008	Children Uncovered 2007-08	Percentage
1	Chennai	4882	3349	872	375	50	4646	0	4646	236	95.17
2	Coimbatore	5268	1901	1221	1066	23	4211	995	5206	62	98.82
3	Cuddalore	1724	196	628	258	17	1099	135	1234	490	71.58
4	Dharmapuri	5180	1542	622	824	40	3028	285	3313	1867	63.96
5	Dindigul	4478	368	1626	420	80	2494	620	3114	1364	69.54
6	Erode	2512	1538	605	65	35	2243	190	2433	79	96.86
7	Kancheepuram	4019	2011	359	445	40	2855	980	3835	184	95.42
8	Kanyakumari	815	515	207	25	60	807	0	807	8	99.02
9	Karur	797	41	582	65	43	731	45	776	21	97.37
10	Krishnagiri	8342	2480	958	920	75	4433	480	4913	3429	58.89
11	Madurai	5970	1604	1377	750	25	3756	0	3756	2214	62.91
12	Nagapattinam	1390	643	382	250	40	1315	0	1315	75	94.60
13	Namakkal	7085	1546	878	821	40	3285	1120	4405	2680	62.17
14	Perambalur	1687	636	341	291	50	1318	0	1318	369	78.13
15	Pudukkottai	796	446	114	92	25	677	0	677	119	85.05
16	Ramanathapuram	2014	515	528	326	40	1409	0	1409	605	69.96
17	Salem	7222	4760	1062	480	30	6332	780	7112	110	98.48
18	Sivagangai	2276	881	964	310	35	2190	55	2245	31	98.64
19	Thanjavur	3613	889	967	625	30	2511	0	2511	1102	69.50
20	Theni	794	150	510	126	0	786	0	786	8	98.99
21	The Nilgiris	2363	1102	137	330	34	1603	0	1603	760	67.84
22	Thiruchirappalli	3770	1213	856	425	37	2531	710	3241	529	85.97
23	Thirunelveli	3787	650	822	525	40	2037	725	2762	1025	72.93
24	Thiruvallur	3298	1171	969	203	30	2373	875	3248	50	98.48
25	Thiruvanamalai	4127	230	1933	450	40	2653	1140	3793	334	91.91
26	Thiruvavur	1751	1146	407	160	30	1743	0	1743	8	99.54
27	Thoothukudi	2427	1178	359	136	35	1708	650	2358	69	97.16
28	Vellore	3167	635	1105	375	35	2150	920	3070	97	96.94
29	Villupuram	4270	1126	1433	520	40	3119	840	3959	311	92.72
30	Virudhunagar	3437	243	650	380	40	1313	1425	2738	699	79.66
	<b>Total</b>	<b>103261</b>	<b>34735</b>	<b>23474</b>	<b>12038</b>	<b>1139</b>	<b>71356</b>	<b>12970</b>	<b>84326</b>	<b>18935</b>	<b>81.66</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

Among the Target number of out of school children of 1.03 lakhs, the number of out of school children enrolled in formal schools directly is 0.35 lakhs, through back to schools i.e 0.23 lakh. The number of out of school children enrolled in non-residential bridge course is 0.12 lakhs and in RBC is 0.11 lakh. Apart from the above, number of out of school children enrolled in NCLP/INDUS centres is 0.13 lakhs.

### **1.13.1 Mainstreaming Strategy**

- All the out of school children enrolled in AIE centres are given photo identity card with all information relating to the child.
- The fresh dropouts (less than a year) have been enrolled directly in the formal school through special enrolment drive by involving self-help groups, NGOs, Welfare Organisations etc. and orienting the parent of the out of school children to continue their studies.
- Short term back to school camps were organized for the dropouts (1-2 years) and mainstreamed them in formal schools.
- All the children mainstreamed in the formal school were given certificate of competence, Transfer Certificates. Instructions also were given to all Government school HMs to admit the children based on the Certificates during the academic year without any restriction.
- All the children mainstreamed in the formal school are being given special care and attention to improve their learning capacity. Further parents are oriented periodically to continue the studies of their children.
- The never enrolled children and the dropout children more than two year period are enrolled in non-residential bridge course and residential bridge course.
- It is observed that the children mainstreamed in formal school again dropped out due to various reasons relating to class room environment and external environment. Therefore it is planned to run these centres throughout the year and enable the children to appear VIII Std. annual examination as private candidate instead of mainstream them in schools.

### **1.14 PLANNING OF AIE 2008-09**

Updated Elementary Education Register is the source for identification of out-of-school children in the State. The number of out-of-school children in the State is 36,979 in the age group of 5-10. 49,435 are in the age group of 11-13. The total number of out of school children is 86,414.

The number of out-of-school children by age group are presented in the table below.

**Enrolment and Out of School Children (5-10 age group) - 2007-2008**

S. No.	District	Enrolment (5-10 age group) 2007-08											
		All			SC			ST			Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	187445	181482	368927	45141	43373	88514	1027	1506	3153	18962	15938	34900
2	Coimbatore	197525	185911	383436	40326	38782	79108	3552	3540	7056	12424	12195	24619
3	Cuddalore	116165	111470	227635	42145	40951	83096	1855	1700	3515	5040	5255	10295
4	Dharmapuri	70973	61483	132456	12083	10914	22997	3038	2811	5849	1756	1764	3520
5	Dindigul	96455	88821	185276	23712	21989	45701	546	522	1068	4773	4596	9369
6	Erode	103067	95005	198072	22684	21811	44495	1227	1168	2450	4837	5460	10297
7	Kancheepuram	144362	139308	283670	46410	45431	91841	3577	3819	7770	9173	8657	17830
8	Kanyakumari	76700	73954	150654	5167	5013	10180	100	439	872	3115	3177	6292
9	karur	43389	39805	83194	10301	9683	19984	100	69	131	1940	1847	3787
10	Krishnagiri	97168	89851	187019	12879	11841	24720	1026	1217	2242	15346	14772	30118
11	Madurai	141150	129254	270404	23613	21864	45477	100	614	1259	6811	6678	13489
12	Nagapattinam	74463	71594	146057	29394	27907	57301	100	331	695	4136	6145	10281
13	Namakkal	69095	60914	130009	15620	14412	30032	100	2720	5839	1254	1282	2536
14	Perambalur	60383	56663	117046	18178	17488	35666	100	984	2038	1849	2040	3889
15	Pudukottai	74006	70974	144980	14475	13985	28460	100	17	33	6119	5896	12015
16	Ramanathapuram	64234	60825	125059	14020	13259	27279	100	296	610	8111	9704	17815
17	Salem	153270	132375	285645	29450	26813	56263	100	6038	12817	3746	3604	7350
18	Sivagangai	54865	52096	106961	10878	10638	21516	100	0	0	3233	3065	6298
19	Thanjavur	104569	100418	204987	24832	24578	49410	100	381	745	8327	8192	16519
20	Theni	60964	54071	115035	16272	14582	30854	100	179	383	2019	2309	4328
21	The Nilgiris	31246	29715	60961	12512	12199	24711	100	2055	4061	3084	3274	6358
22	Thiruchirapalli	114520	108275	222795	24045	23007	47052	100	1696	3750	7993	7796	15789
23	Tirunelveli	150987	142873	293860	32179	30679	62858	100	1003	2108	12954	13632	26586
24	Thiruvallur	145170	137510	282680	40851	39598	80449	100	4399	8990	12675	12656	25331
25	Thiruvannamalai	103784	99031	202815	26066	25287	51353	100	5647	12266	3914	4056	7970
26	Thiruvarur	55269	53517	108786	22853	21766	44619	100	119	220	3657	4367	8024
27	Thoothukudi	80485	75405	155890	18966	17218	36184	100	700	1444	3508	3891	7399
28	Vellore	181458	172165	353623	43867	41575	85442	100	4553	9866	21823	22652	44475
29	Villupuram	149598	143655	293253	49630	47950	97580	100	5428	11247	6229	6096	12325
30	Virudhunagar	91987	87291	179278	23424	22469	45893	100	153	334	2369	2165	4534
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3094752</b>	<b>2905711</b>	<b>6000463</b>	<b>751973</b>	<b>717061</b>	<b>1469034</b>	<b>5877</b>	<b>54104</b>	<b>112811</b>	<b>201177</b>	<b>203161</b>	<b>404338</b>

Source: EER & DISE 2007-08

**Table - 42 (Contd...)**  
**Enrolment and Out of School Children (5-10 age group)**

S. No.	District	Out of School Children (5-10 age group) Target 2008-09															
		All				SC				ST				Minority			
		B	G	T	% of OSC to Child pop	B	G	T	% of OSC to SC Child pop	B	G	T	% of OSC to ST Child pop	B	G	T	% of osc to Mnt Child pop
1	Chennai	842	865	1707	0.46	124	117	241	0.27	16	17	33	1.04	103	83	186	0.62
2	Coimbatore	1004	992	1996	0.52	88	105	193	0.24	22	20	42	0.59	37	43	80	0.43
3	Cuddalore	392	523	915	0.40	242	174	416	0.50	69	11	80	2.23	52	69	121	1.33
4	Dharmapuri	761	800	1561	1.16	243	222	465	1.98	89	88	177	2.94	67	53	120	4.00
5	Dindigul	1061	1173	2234	1.19	370	254	624	1.35	52	27	79	6.89	14	24	38	0.47
6	Erode	219	544	763	0.38	293	223	516	1.15	138	160	298	10.84	16	51	67	0.84
7	Kancheepuram	878	887	1765	0.62	139	137	276	0.30	11	7	18	0.23	44	57	101	0.70
8	Kanyakumari	87	92	179	0.12	25	12	37	0.36	3	2	5	0.57	4	4	8	0.14
9	karur	106	97	203	0.24	35	36	71	0.35	1	0	1	0.76	8	4	12	0.37
10	Krishnagiri	2512	2727	5239	2.72	972	1173	2145	7.98	879	529	1408	38.58	546	141	687	2.59
11	Madurai	737	867	1604	0.59	143	153	296	0.65	89	97	186	12.87	37	28	65	0.54
12	Nagapattinam	455	308	763	0.52	173	159	332	0.58	15	12	27	3.74	81	94	175	1.98
13	Namakkal	362	341	703	0.54	110	85	195	0.65	34	28	62	1.05	16	27	43	1.99
14	Perambalur	338	301	639	0.54	100	77	177	0.49	13	11	24	1.16	4	11	15	0.45
15	Pudukottai	77	65	142	0.10	26	17	43	0.15	0	5	5	13.16	24	14	38	0.37
16	Ramanathapuram	207	307	514	0.41	84	98	182	0.66	7	4	11	1.77	21	51	72	0.46
17	Salem	1001	932	1933	0.67	182	151	333	0.59	110	117	227	1.74	11	6	17	0.26
18	Sivagangai	337	258	595	0.55	113	75	188	0.87	0	0	0	0.00	28	22	50	0.90
19	Thanjavur	1850	1470	3320	1.59	619	494	1113	2.20	42	17	59	7.34	269	198	467	3.14
20	Theni	150	125	275	0.24	69	62	131	0.42	4	6	10	2.54	5	3	8	0.21
21	The Nilgiris	138	277	415	0.68	188	62	250	1.00	50	82	132	3.15	23	36	59	1.07
22	Thiruchirapalli	624	645	1269	0.57	60	59	119	0.25	15	15	30	0.79	6	15	21	0.15
23	Tirunelveli	674	702	1376	0.47	142	163	305	0.48	13	7	20	0.94	77	80	157	0.67
24	Thiruvallur	851	966	1817	0.64	641	503	1144	1.40	186	197	383	4.09	123	126	249	1.11
25	Thiruvannamalai	756	728	1484	0.73	175	93	268	0.52	104	177	281	2.24	35	36	71	1.03
26	Thiruvarur	342	372	714	0.65	226	203	429	0.95	14	9	23	9.47	47	79	126	1.74
27	Thoothukudi	99	136	235	0.15	54	32	86	0.24	11	6	17	1.16	3	5	8	0.12
28	Vellore	365	441	806	0.23	155	100	255	0.30	132	156	288	2.84	72	126	198	0.51
29	Villupuram	485	733	1218	0.41	432	356	788	0.80	60	11	71	0.63	5	8	13	0.12
30	Virudhunagar	298	297	595	0.33	82	92	174	0.38	5	3	8	2.34	38	31	69	1.53
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>18008</b>	<b>18971</b>	<b>36979</b>	<b>0.61</b>	<b>6305</b>	<b>5487</b>	<b>11792</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>1821</b>	<b>4007</b>	<b>3.43</b>	<b>1816</b>	<b>1541</b>	<b>3357</b>	<b>0.96</b>

Source: EER & Household survey 2005

**Enrollment and Out of School Children (11-14 age group) - 2007-2008**

S. No.	District	Enrolment (11-13 age group) 2007-08											
		All			SC			ST			Minority		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	110987	109730	220717	26833	26527	53360	1869	1405	3274	10592	8353	18945
2	Coimbatore	124377	115589	239966	26227	24127	50354	2728	2229	4957	4479	4619	9098
3	Cuddalore	70138	65062	135200	23695	22529	46224	793	514	1307	2717	2629	5346
4	Dharmapuri	43929	36379	80308	7454	6412	13866	1904	2549	4453	887	856	1743
5	Dindigul	54783	50502	105285	13862	12852	26714	207	158	365	2133	2164	4297
6	Erode	66733	59871	126604	14214	13126	27340	573	546	1119	2266	2788	5054
7	Kancheepuram	95944	90051	185995	32906	30764	63670	1571	1388	2959	4010	3869	7879
8	Kanyakumari	45232	42742	87974	3747	3777	7524	628	625	1253	1562	1527	3089
9	karur	25841	23525	49366	6019	5519	11538	26	26	52	849	887	1736
10	Krishnagiri	47714	43635	91349	7456	7137	14593	364	269	633	11474	9032	20506
11	Madurai	77234	70420	147654	12791	11970	24761	574	428	1002	3154	3107	6261
12	Nagapattinam	47398	44023	91421	18413	17131	35544	107	103	210	2276	2716	4992
13	Namakkal	43284	35781	79065	9949	8620	18569	2176	1857	4033	516	586	1102
14	Perambalur	36127	33415	69542	10804	10154	20958	433	394	827	955	945	1900
15	Pudukottai	43431	41638	85069	8804	8570	17374	2	2	4	2893	2719	5612
16	Ramanathapuram	36579	34587	71166	7933	7028	14961	656	942	1598	4214	4739	8953
17	Salem	90362	76601	166963	17813	15697	33510	3314	2948	6262	1907	1822	3729
18	Sivagangai	35639	33081	68720	7256	6741	13997	0	0	0	1606	1503	3109
19	Thanjavur	63416	59552	122968	15602	14982	30584	367	212	579	4153	3843	7996
20	Theni	34913	30112	65025	8563	7550	16113	68	46	114	1001	1141	2142
21	The Nilgiris	18946	17444	36390	7767	7677	15444	996	769	1765	1529	1700	3229
22	Thiruchirapalli	72000	66926	138926	15553	15001	30554	1414	1124	2538	3945	4087	8032
23	Tirunelveli	85502	79625	165127	18235	16884	35119	515	1144	1659	6655	6568	13223
24	Thiruvallur	88894	81326	170220	26400	24161	50561	2855	2303	5158	6038	6180	12218
25	Thiruvannamalai	59509	55712	115221	15326	14507	29833	2237	1785	4022	1832	1807	3639
26	Thiruvarur	34430	32873	67303	14471	13683	28154	365	300	665	1851	1942	3793
27	Thoothukudi	45885	43146	89031	10595	9891	20486	415	415	830	1727	1842	3569
28	Vellore	105262	100342	205604	25806	25056	50862	2674	2042	4716	8207	8667	16874
29	Villupuram	82584	77198	159782	27730	26291	54021	2347	1835	4182	3080	2988	6068
30	Virudhunagar	50624	47479	98103	12554	11705	24259	62	97	159	1177	1155	2332
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1837697</b>	<b>1698367</b>	<b>3536064</b>	<b>454778</b>	<b>426069</b>	<b>880847</b>	<b>32240</b>	<b>28455</b>	<b>60695</b>	<b>99685</b>	<b>96781</b>	<b>196466</b>

Source: EER & DISE 2007-08



**Table - 42 (Contd...)**  
**Enrolment and Out of School Children (11-13 age group) - 2008-2009**

S. No.	District	Out of School Children (11-13 age group) 2008-09															
		All				SC				ST				Muslim Minority			
		B	G	T	% of OSC to Child pop	B	G	T	% of OSC to SC Child pop	B	G	T	% of OSC to ST Child pop	B	G	T	% of OSC to Minority Child pop
1	Chennai	1386	1485	2871	1.28	182	176	358	0.67	18	15	33	1.00	222	206	428	2.22
2	Coimbatore	1443	1403	2846	1.17	215	214	429	0.84	16	19	35	0.70	67	105	172	1.85
3	Cuddalore	436	370	806	0.59	194	166	360	0.77	14	10	24	1.80	22	24	46	0.86
4	Dharmapuri	1178	1149	2327	2.82	81	68	149	1.06	18	20	38	0.85	7	7	14	0.79
5	Dindigul	1361	1343	2704	2.50	231	217	448	1.65	15	8	23	5.93	80	94	174	3.90
6	Erode	457	415	872	0.68	197	162	359	1.30	107	89	196	14.90	19	24	43	0.85
7	Kancheepuram	681	658	1339	0.71	149	135	284	0.44	11	10	21	0.70	20	36	56	0.69
8	Kanyakumari	327	264	591	0.67	40	25	65	0.86	41	20	61	4.64	25	16	41	1.32
9	karur	200	213	413	0.83	51	72	123	1.05	1	1	2	3.70	4	10	14	0.80
10	Krishnagiri	1436	1208	2644	2.81	358	327	a	4.48	159	219	378	37.39	103	46	149	1.95
11	Madurai	1510	1674	3184	2.11	225	242	467	1.85	18	21	39	3.75	29	51	80	1.25
12	Nagapattinam	360	253	613	0.67	170	130	300	0.84	5	3	8	3.67	61	53	114	2.34
13	Namakkal	1961	1909	3870	4.67	164	155	319	1.69	17	16	33	0.81	2	10	12	1.16
14	Perambalur	364	399	763	1.09	136	171	307	1.44	19	24	43	4.94	2	6	8	0.43
15	Pudukottai	123	140	263	0.31	32	29	61	0.35	4	1	5	55.56	12	13	25	0.46
16	Ramanathapuram	457	516	973	1.35	82	87	169	1.12	7	8	15	0.93	151	165	316	3.51
17	Salem	1142	901	2043	1.21	118	128	246	0.73	160	151	311	4.73	9	8	17	0.47
18	Sivagangai	659	483	1142	1.63	221	195	416	2.89	0	0	0	0.00	28	19	47	1.50
19	Thanjavur	1944	1296	3240	2.57	569	462	1031	3.26	12	16	28	4.61	68	58	126	1.51
20	Theni	202	161	363	0.56	117	91	208	1.27	5	3	8	6.56	6	7	13	0.60
21	The Nilgiris	453	489	942	2.52	69	54	123	0.79	62	65	127	6.71	8	7	15	0.47
22	Thiruchirappalli	700	713	1413	1.01	49	49	98	0.32	11	10	21	0.82	4	6	10	0.12
23	Tirunelveli	796	879	1675	1.00	181	183	364	1.03	6	8	14	0.84	31	32	63	0.47
24	Thiruvallur	504	428	932	0.54	227	122	349	0.69	110	91	201	3.75	33	35	68	0.43
25	Thiruvannamalai	882	904	1786	1.53	230	182	412	1.36	171	162	333	7.65	19	18	37	1.06
26	Thiruvarur	607	468	1075	1.57	342	269	611	2.12	16	7	21	3.05	60	69	129	3.23
27	Thoothukudi	887	892	1779	1.96	83	78	161	0.78	4	6	10	1.19	29	29	58	1.59
28	Vellore	810	710	1520	0.73	198	135	333	0.65	187	221	408	7.96	114	126	240	1.41
29	Villupuram	1201	1350	2551	1.57	555	600	1155	2.09	30	25	55	1.30	5	4	9	0.16
30	Virudhunagar	922	973	1895	1.90	149	149	298	1.21	6	6	12	7.02	21	16	37	1.59
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>25389</b>	<b>24046</b>	<b>49435</b>	<b>1.38</b>	<b>5615</b>	<b>5073</b>	<b>10688</b>	<b>1.20</b>	<b>1250</b>	<b>1255</b>	<b>2505</b>	<b>3.96</b>	<b>1261</b>	<b>1300</b>	<b>2561</b>	<b>1.36</b>

Source: EER & Household survey 2005

#### **1.14.1. Out of School Children (Never Enrolled & Dropout)**

The number of never enrolled children in 5-10 age group is 5172 of which 3533 are girls and the number of never enrolled in 11-13 age group is 5353 of which 2488 are girls.

The number of dropout children in 5-10 age group is 31807 of which 15438 are girls and the number in 11-13 age group is 44082. Among them 21558 are girls. The number of dropout children is higher than the number of never enrolled children.

The total number of out of school children in 5-13 age group is 86414 of which 43017 are girls.

The number of out of school children is high in Thanjavur (6560) and the number is least in Karur (616) and Theni (770) district.

Details of district wise out-of-school is presented below.

**Table - 43**  
**District wise Out of School Children**

Sl. No	District	Dropout						Neverenrolled					
		All						All					
		5-10 Age Group			11-13 Age Group			5-10 Age Group			11-13 Age Group		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	765	795	1560	1257	1318	2575	77	70	147	129	167	296
2	Coimbatore	1004	992	1996	1443	1403	2846	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Cuddalore	386	392	778	298	248	546	6	131	137	138	122	260
4	Dharmapuri	688	720	1408	1117	1100	2217	73	80	153	61	49	110
5	Dindigul	898	813	1711	934	886	1820	163	360	523	427	457	884
6	Erode	218	186	404	321	337	658	1	358	359	136	78	214
7	Kancheepuram	878	858	1736	663	648	1311	0	29	29	18	10	28
8	Kanniyakumari	87	92	179	321	260	581	0	0	0	6	4	10
9	Karur	54	63	117	179	192	371	52	34	86	21	21	42
10	Krishnagiri	2369	2046	4415	933	835	1768	143	681	824	503	373	876
11	Madurai	737	867	1604	1510	1674	3184	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Nagapattinam	418	272	690	353	249	602	37	36	73	7	4	11
13	Namakkal	358	326	684	1942	1889	3831	4	15	19	19	20	39
14	Perambalur	303	262	565	341	378	719	35	39	74	23	21	44
15	Pudukkottai	77	65	142	123	140	263	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Ramanthapuram	144	234	378	330	396	726	63	73	136	127	120	247
17	Salem	776	761	1537	978	786	1764	225	171	396	164	115	279
18	Sivagangai	328	207	535	615	465	1080	9	51	60	44	18	62
19	Thanjavur	1644	1258	2902	1770	1172	2942	206	212	418	174	124	298
20	The Nilgiris	138	117	255	322	299	621	0	160	160	131	190	321
21	Theni	150	125	275	202	161	363	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Thiruchirappalli	624	645	1269	700	713	1413	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	Thirunelveli	674	699	1373	796	879	1675	0	3	3	0	0	0
22	Thiruvallur	531	460	991	250	234	484	320	506	826	254	194	448
27	Thiruvannamalai	556	578	1134	755	793	1548	200	150	350	127	111	238
23	Thiuvavar	335	365	700	599	461	1060	7	7	14	8	7	15
24	Thoothukudi	99	118	217	868	874	1742	0	18	18	19	18	37
28	Vellore	365	300	665	702	609	1311	0	141	141	108	101	209
29	Villupuran	467	545	1012	996	1214	2210	18	188	206	205	136	341
30	Viridhunagar	298	277	575	906	945	1851	0	20	20	16	28	44
	<b>State Total</b>	<b>16369</b>	<b>15438</b>	<b>31807</b>	<b>22524</b>	<b>21558</b>	<b>44082</b>	<b>1639</b>	<b>3533</b>	<b>5172</b>	<b>2865</b>	<b>2488</b>	<b>5353</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

**Table - 43 (Contd...)  
District wise Out of School Children**

Sl. No	District	Out Of School children								
		All								
		5-10 Age Group			11-13 Age Group			5-13 Age Group		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	842	865	1707	1386	1485	2871	2228	2350	4578
2	Coimbatore	1004	992	1996	1443	1403	2846	2447	2395	4842
3	Cuddalore	392	523	915	436	370	806	828	893	1721
4	Dharmapuri	761	800	1561	1178	1149	2327	1939	1949	3888
5	Dindigui	1061	1173	2234	1361	1343	2704	2422	2516	4938
6	Erode	219	544	763	457	415	872	676	959	1635
7	Kancheepuram	878	887	1765	681	658	1339	1559	1545	3104
8	Kanniyakumari	87	92	179	327	264	591	414	356	770
9	Karur	106	97	203	200	213	413	306	310	616
10	Krishnagiri	2512	2727	5239	1436	1208	2644	3948	3935	7883
11	Madurai	737	867	1604	1510	1674	3184	2247	2541	4788
12	Nagapattinam	455	308	763	360	253	613	815	561	1376
13	Namakkal	362	341	703	1961	1909	3870	2323	2250	4573
14	Perambalur	338	301	639	364	399	763	702	700	1402
15	Pudukkottai	77	65	142	123	140	263	200	205	405
16	Ramanthapuram	207	307	514	457	516	973	664	823	1487
17	Salem	1001	932	1933	1142	901	2043	2143	1833	3976
18	Sivagangai	337	258	595	659	483	1142	996	741	1737
19	Thanjavur	1850	1470	3320	1944	1296	3240	3794	2766	6560
20	The Nilgiris	138	277	415	453	489	942	591	766	1357
21	Theni	150	125	275	202	161	363	352	286	638
25	Thiruchirappalli	624	645	1269	700	713	1413	1324	1358	2682
26	Thirunelveli	674	702	1376	796	879	1675	1470	1581	3051
22	Thiruvallur	851	966	1817	504	428	932	1355	1394	2749
27	Thiruvannamalai	756	728	1484	882	904	1786	1638	1632	3270
23	Thiuvavarur	342	372	714	607	468	1075	949	840	1789
24	Thoothukudi	99	136	235	887	892	1779	986	1028	2014
28	Vellore	365	441	806	810	710	1520	1175	1151	2326
29	Villupuran	485	733	1218	1201	1350	2551	1686	2083	3769
30	Viridhunagar	298	297	595	922	973	1895	1220	1270	2490
<b>State Total</b>		<b>18008</b>	<b>18971</b>	<b>36979</b>	<b>25389</b>	<b>24046</b>	<b>49435</b>	<b>43397</b>	<b>43017</b>	<b>86414</b>

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### 1.14.2. Out of School Children by Reason

EER is the source for identify the Out of school children with reasons.

**Table - 44**  
**Out of school children with reasons - 2008-2009**

S. No.	District	No. of out of school children	No. of out of School Children with reason					
			Lack of Interest	Lack of Access	Household Work	Migration	Earning Compulsion	Failure
1	Chennai	4578	343	0	539	0	3658	38
2	Coimbatore	4842	398	110	421	266	3622	25
3	Cuddalore	1721	325	80	256	213	804	43
4	Dharmapuri	3888	244	64	233	320	3003	24
5	Dindigul	4938	292	0	1207	260	3137	42
6	Erode	1635	243	75	319	78	889	31
7	Kancheepuram	3104	225	35	1072	21	1711	40
8	Kanyakumari	770	324	0	16	36	365	29
9	Karur	616	484	5	18	32	58	19
10	Krishnagiri	7883	262	89	419	24	7047	42
11	Madurai	4788	211	0	2611	23	1897	46
12	Nagapattinam	1376	287	0	131	48	877	33
13	Namakkal	4573	200	31	141	20	4154	27
14	Perambalur	1402	269	21	148	12	914	38
15	Pudukkottai	405	115	0	63	11	198	18
16	Ramanathapuram	1487	182	21	137	185	938	24
17	Salem	3976	208	86	450	173	3039	20
18	Sivagangai	1737	251	12	128	16	1300	30
19	Thanjavur	6560	628	0	218	37	5583	94
20	Theni	638	59	6	6	6	550	11
21	The Nilgiris	1357	398	26	51	42	741	99
22	Thiruchirappalli	2682	235	67	941	12	1407	20
23	Thirunelveli	3051	720	0	155	37	2037	102
24	Thiruvallur	2749	231	16	148	86	2234	34
25	Thiruvannamalai	3270	379	15	123	16	2663	74
26	Thiruvarur	1789	115	12	118	41	1481	22
27	Thoothukudi	2014	184	18	236	114	1428	34
28	Vellore	2326	203	27	362	145	1556	33
29	Villupuram	3769	1779	34	682	854	78	342
30	Virudhunagar	2490	279	0	243	22	1911	35
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>86414</b>	<b>10073</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>11592</b>	<b>3150</b>	<b>59280</b>	<b>1469</b>

Source: EER 2007

The major reason for out of school in all districts is earning compulsion (59280) and household work (11592). The strategy is evolved to enroll all the out of school children in AIE based on the reasons.

### 1.14.3. Strategies to enroll out of school children

As many as 18,310 of fresh dropout children are to be given remedial teaching through 3 months summer camp to enroll in formal schools, 39,065 children in NRBC and 14,052 in RBC. Further 1587 mentally challenged children are also to be supported through special RBC, and 13400 through NCLP, INDUS and KGBV.

The coverage of out of school children under different strategies during 2008-09 is presented in the table below.

**Table - 45**  
**District-wise No. of out of school children to be covered under different Strategies for 2008-09**

S. No.	District	No. of Out of school children identified	No. of Out of School Children to be covered under different strategies 2008 - 09										Others (KGBV & NCLP)
			Summer Camp	NRBC			RBC			Residential Camp for Mentally Challenged			
				No. of children			No. of children			No. of children			
			Continuing	New	Total	Continuing	New	Total	Continuing	New	Total		
1	Chennai	4578	800	362	2316	2678	375	160	535	50	15	65	500
2	Coimbatore	4842	1050	525	1113	1638	1066	50	1116	23	15	38	1000
3	Cuddalore	1721	560	325	423	748	258	25	283	15	15	30	100
4	Dharmapuri	3888	1050	320	1384	1704	824	50	874	40	20	60	200
5	Dindigul	4938	1720	745	1173	1918	420	210	630	60	10	70	600
6	Erode	1635	235	275	525	800	65	235	300	35	15	50	250
7	Kancheepuram	3104	410	105	1099	1204	445	35	480	40	20	60	950
8	Kanyakumari	770	220	65	335	400	25	75	100	40	10	50	0
9	Karur	616	125	245	53	298	65	20	85	43	15	58	50
10	Krishnagiri	7883	2060	375	3618	3993	920	30	950	65	15	80	800
11	Madurai	4788	1140	675	2133	2808	750	50	800	25	15	40	0
12	Nagapattinam	1376	375	75	601	676	250	25	275	40	10	50	0
13	Namakkal	4573	245	255	2142	2397	821	50	871	40	20	60	1000
14	Perambalur	1402	350	80	471	551	291	50	341	50	10	60	100
15	Pudukkottai	405	95	40	123	163	92	15	107	25	15	40	0
16	Ramanad	1487	165	225	646	871	326	75	401	40	10	50	0
17	Salem	3976	625	460	1341	1801	480	220	700	30	20	50	800
18	Sivagangai	1737	125	420	677	1097	310	110	420	35	10	45	50
19	Thanjavur	6560	1200	375	4260	4635	625	50	675	30	20	50	0
20	Theni	638	65	25	230	255	25	149	174	34	10	44	100
21	The Nilgiris	1357	730	195	251	446	126	20	146	15	20	35	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	2682	125	825	52	877	450	170	620	40	20	60	1000
23	Thirunelveli	3051	950	110	1031	1141	160	50	210	30	20	50	700
24	Thiruvallur	2749	490	325	632	957	425	225	650	37	15	52	600
25	Thiruvannamalai	3270	980	80	1289	1369	136	25	161	35	25	60	700
26	Thiruvarur	1789	825	110	244	354	525	25	550	40	20	60	0
27	Thoothukudi	2014	215	315	291	606	203	40	243	30	20	50	900
28	Vellore	2326	335	380	276	656	375	0	375	35	25	60	900
29	Villupuram	3769	855	475	1029	1504	520	80	600	40	20	60	750
30	Virudhunagar	2490	190	245	275	520	380	0	380	40	10	50	1350
	<b>State</b>	<b>86414</b>	<b>18310</b>	<b>9032</b>	<b>30033</b>	<b>39065</b>	<b>11733</b>	<b>2319</b>	<b>14052</b>	<b>1102</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>1587</b>	<b>13400</b>

Source : EER and Progress Report

### 1.15 Inclusive Education

It is the objective of SSA to ensure education to all children including the children with special needs of disability in an appropriate environment and **adopt' zero rejection'** policy so that no child is left out of the education system.

District wise number of children with special needs and number of children supported under SSA during 2007-2008 is presented in the table below.

**Table - 46**  
**Inclusive Education - Achievement 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	No. of NGOs involved	No. of Disabled Children	No. of camps conducted	No. of disabled children		No. of Children in Home based care	No. of Day care centres functioning	No. of Beneficiaries in Day care centres	No. of Existing Inclusive Play parks	No. of Beneficiaries
					Assistive devices Supplied	Surgery done					
1	Chennai	2	5790	10	605	12	267	10	200	10	272
2	Coimbatore	1	3609	22	425	72	487	7	140	22	436
3	Cuddalore	2	3641	14	765	77	524	14	138	14	342
4	Dharmapuri	1	2630	8	768	47	350	8	82	8	194
5	Dindigul	2	4059	16	370	38	448	16	153	16	371
6	Erode	1	2784	20	788	44	649	10	124	20	402
7	Kancheepuram	2	4100	14	344	33	499	16	140	13	317
8	Kanyakumari	1	2921	9	238	69	321	9	92	9	204
9	Karur	1	1822	8	250	17	285	4	38	0	0
10	Krishnagiri	1	6277	10	256	54	633	10	106	10	221
11	Madurai	2	3826	15	895	132	597	15	154	15	325
12	Nagapattinam	1	3103	11	241	22	425	11	105	11	252
13	Namakkal	2	2542	15	648	30	751	4	65	15	361
14	Perambalur	1	2732	10	690	62	550	10	110	10	230
15	Pudukkottai	1	6863	13	2594	58	163	13	138	13	340
16	Ramanathapuram	1	2205	11	897	34	168	11	121	11	245
17	Salem	2	5849	21	498	52	687	21	231	21	500
18	Sivagangai	1	2150	12	221	11	414	12	128	12	289
19	Thanjavur	1	5426	15	156	11	853	10	115	15	475
20	Theni	1	2148	8	825	15	91	8	98	8	350
21	The Nilgiris	1	1200	4	118	10	109	4	44	4	88
22	Thiruchirappalli	2	5400	16	1548	106	763	10	63	16	392
23	Thirunelveli	3	5840	21	598	52	782	18	8	21	517
24	Thiruvallur	1	3791	33	943	7	414	14	67	14	340
25	Thiruvannamalai	1	4761	19	780	120	735	18	686	18	450
26	Thiruvarur	1	3349	10	107	59	578	5	35	10	215
27	Thoothukkudi	1	3564	13	395	8	972	13	172	13	302
28	Vellore	2	4941	22	918	85	1178	22	107	22	525
29	Villupuram	2	6296	22	1053	2	914	22	116	22	536
30	Virudhunagar	1	4400	11	557	34	617	11	106	11	265
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>118019</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>19491</b>	<b>1373</b>	<b>16224</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>3882</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>9756</b>

Source: Monthly Review Reports

By involving doctors, 433 medical camps were organized to identify the disabled children in school and out of school for providing assistive devices. 19491 children were given assistive devices, and surgery was done to 1373 children. By involving 42 NGOs 16,224 children were given home based support.

### 1.15.1 Target 2008-2009

The districtwise No. of disabled children by type and by age group is also presented in the Table below.

**Table - 47**  
**Number of disabled children in School and Out of Schools by Type 2007-08**

S. No	District	Age Group 5 to 10																							
		VI			HI			ORT			MC			Multiple			In Speech			Others			Total 5-10		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T			
1	Chennai	168	147	315	182	162	344	108	106	214	163	141	304	53	31	84	105	71	176	77	87	164	1601		
2	Coimbatore	125	92	217	142	127	269	249	164	413	181	151	332	107	69	176	174	102	276	67	45	112	1795		
3	Cuddalore	142	103	245	78	63	141	199	125	324	272	193	465	103	72	175	203	167	370	47	55	102	1822		
4	Dharmapuri	64	46	110	102	64	166	160	76	236	142	108	250	60	32	92	20	10	30	12	1	13	897		
5	Dindigul	83	73	156	68	45	113	183	99	282	235	187	422	106	60	166	172	129	301	62	42	104	1544		
6	Erode	82	77	159	120	109	229	212	114	326	345	203	548	54	40	94	121	65	186	88	55	143	1685		
7	Kancheepuram	116	112	228	116	97	213	205	129	334	344	239	583	106	80	186	167	116	283	64	52	116	1943		
8	Kanyakumari	49	44	93	84	61	145	125	75	200	170	98	268	50	38	88	6	6	12	9	6	15	821		
9	Karur	47	28	75	42	40	82	87	54	141	110	110	220	41	26	67	21	79	100	110	22	132	817		
10	Krishnagiri	91	65	156	53	38	91	210	106	316	213	120	333	85	39	124	147	92	239	40	26	66	1325		
11	Madurai	151	115	266	160	95	255	190	96	286	330	245	575	72	54	126	141	107	248	54	32	86	1842		
12	Nagapattinam	88	67	155	32	27	59	190	111	301	189	116	305	81	58	139	133	113	246	54	48	102	1307		
13	Namakkal	71	39	110	42	24	66	146	78	224	142	81	223	66	42	108	112	84	196	53	26	79	1006		
14	Perambalur	62	50	112	43	25	68	156	94	250	201	138	339	57	47	104	110	67	177	41	37	78	1128		
15	Pudukkottai	360	348	708	113	111	224	267	145	412	349	251	600	23	14	37	162	94	256	61	35	96	2333		
16	Ramanadhapuram	75	55	130	67	42	109	131	65	196	187	156	343	54	59	113	90	55	145	29	23	52	1088		
17	Salem	142	80	222	110	64	174	303	131	434	408	249	657	58	63	121	188	120	308	74	42	116	2032		
18	Sivagangai	41	31	72	114	85	199	135	100	235	148	107	255	40	34	74	78	42	120	29	13	42	997		
19	Thanjavur	76	63	139	117	88	205	240	142	382	254	197	451	99	78	177	124	101	225	58	36	94	1673		
20	Theni	70	39	109	50	44	94	131	57	188	211	110	321	19	13	32	74	57	131	24	12	36	911		
21	The Nilgiris	30	33	63	20	17	37	36	36	72	58	41	99	32	22	54	37	27	64	9	11	20	409		
22	Thiruchirapalli	108	105	213	53	43	96	213	129	342	213	186	399	87	65	152	185	122	307	74	52	126	1635		
23	Tirunelveli	157	95	252	172	107	279	371	223	594	313	225	538	87	64	151	159	111	270	61	52	113	2197		
24	Thiruvallur	121	74	195	66	69	135	156	84	240	182	149	331	102	60	162	177	112	289	51	35	86	1438		
25	Thiruvanamalai	82	58	140	101	91	192	230	143	373	425	289	714	152	110	262	179	158	337	57	46	103	2121		
26	Thiruvarur	66	56	122	32	26	58	146	69	215	182	131	313	63	37	100	155	106	261	50	28	78	1147		
27	Thoothukkudi	48	42	90	41	22	63	159	88	247	191	138	329	45	30	75	78	65	143	43	31	74	1021		
28	Vellore	98	83	181	145	97	242	233	140	373	264	197	461	141	114	255	235	170	405	93	61	154	2071		
29	Vilupuram	125	107	232	122	99	221	324	237	561	402	329	731	106	76	182	220	169	389	78	65	143	2459		
30	Virudhunagar	97	79	176	84	69	153	216	133	349	243	162	405	64	49	113	72	71	143	38	29	67	1406		
	<b>State</b>	<b>3035</b>	<b>2406</b>	<b>5441</b>	<b>2671</b>	<b>2051</b>	<b>4722</b>	<b>5711</b>	<b>3349</b>	<b>9060</b>	<b>7067</b>	<b>5047</b>	<b>12114</b>	<b>2213</b>	<b>1576</b>	<b>3789</b>	<b>3845</b>	<b>2788</b>	<b>6633</b>	<b>1607</b>	<b>1105</b>	<b>2712</b>	<b>44471</b>		

Source : DISE 2007-08



**Table - 47 (Contd...)  
Number of disabled children in School and Out of Schools by Type 2007-08**

S. No.	District	Age Group 11 to 13 in School																					In School Total 5-13	Out of School Total 5-13	Total Disabled Children	
		VI			HI			ORT			MC			Multiple			Inspeech			Others						Total
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T				11-13
1	Chennai	265	223	488	118	135	253	110	70	180	46	39	85	23	12	35	91	26	117	25	19	44	1202	2803	2865	5668
2	Coimbatore	153	101	254	126	102	228	173	100	273	94	44	138	25	23	48	79	30	109	27	34	61	1111	2906	711	3617
3	Cuddalore	212	118	330	123	90	213	140	78	218	100	91	191	30	19	49	130	66	196	30	25	55	1252	3074	565	3639
4	Dharmapuri	161	254	415	116	63	179	146	53	199	43	33	76	22	14	36	74	42	116	24	13	37	1058	1955	683	2638
5	Dindigul	63	68	131	32	35	67	83	51	134	62	46	108	27	13	40	70	50	120	38	33	71	671	2215	1788	4003
6	Erode	73	104	177	78	64	142	127	65	192	48	33	81	26	17	43	34	44	78	63	32	95	808	2493	293	2786
7	Kancheepuram	123	106	229	71	61	132	183	104	287	125	79	204	43	23	66	85	42	127	47	27	74	1119	3062	1026	4088
8	Kanyakumari	50	28	78	61	36	97	93	53	146	115	61	176	21	15	36	22	21	43	25	15	40	616	1437	1418	2855
9	Karur	78	29	107	34	28	62	65	35	100	22	23	45	9	5	14	41	24	65	20	6	26	419	1236	581	1817
10	Krishnagiri	132	78	210	50	34	84	119	49	168	44	34	78	24	9	33	70	30	100	18	10	28	701	2026	3249	5275
11	Madurai	249	200	449	106	96	202	149	82	231	90	81	171	24	14	38	71	31	102	43	29	72	1265	3107	810	3917
12	Nagapattinam	105	46	151	34	22	56	136	95	231	56	41	97	21	21	42	58	43	101	36	22	58	736	2043	989	3032
13	Namakkai	237	220	457	85	27	112	130	49	179	62	36	98	15	13	28	103	42	145	32	18	50	1069	2075	461	2536
14	Perambalur	75	48	123	26	19	45	101	58	159	92	51	143	24	9	33	75	39	114	30	24	54	671	1799	927	2726
15	Pudukkottai	1571	1439	3010	80	71	151	154	80	234	140	93	233	29	33	62	95	59	154	40	27	67	3911	6244	719	6963
16	Ramnad	106	98	204	53	44	97	66	45	111	80	57	137	24	10	34	37	33	70	20	20	40	693	1781	419	2200
17	Salem	211	136	347	80	70	150	226	107	333	165	85	250	31	26	57	99	58	157	46	18	64	1358	3390	2515	5905
18	Sivagangai	57	33	90	66	46	112	91	45	136	41	33	74	17	10	27	37	28	65	33	21	54	558	1555	611	2166
19	Thanjavur	108	117	225	96	79	175	207	118	325	90	58	148	24	21	45	39	42	81	26	28	54	1053	2726	2618	5344
20	Theni	62	58	120	32	23	55	79	45	124	45	27	72	17	19	36	22	15	37	4	14	18	462	1373	515	1888
21	The Nilgiris	30	36	66	6	6	12	28	16	44	34	16	50	7	7	14	19	6	25	7	5	12	223	632	839	1471
22	Thiruchirappalli	164	179	343	47	28	75	136	115	251	86	59	145	47	25	72	94	58	152	23	18	41	1079	2714	2597	5311
23	Tirunelveli	157	119	276	142	88	230	222	122	344	114	74	188	26	22	48	74	33	107	39	33	72	1265	3462	2294	5756
24	Thiruvallur	186	148	334	58	45	103	102	82	184	85	46	131	57	39	96	116	50	166	20	20	40	1054	2492	1284	3776
25	Thiruvananthapuram	54	91	145	76	83	159	112	91	203	121	68	189	35	29	64	76	38	114	27	13	40	914	3035	1731	4766
26	Thiruvannamalai	56	37	93	26	26	52	80	60	140	84	37	121	21	14	35	48	36	84	29	22	51	576	1723	1597	3320
27	Thoothukkudi	244	52	296	24	16	40	94	57	151	46	35	81	21	13	34	34	18	52	26	8	34	688	1709	1818	3527
28	Vellore	141	108	249	110	75	185	167	119	286	78	57	135	41	30	71	114	67	181	37	30	67	1174	3245	1641	4886
29	Vilupuram	212	287	499	126	108	234	288	193	481	156	108	264	37	29	66	167	92	259	63	42	105	1908	4367	1819	6186
30	Virudhunagar	51	55	106	52	49	101	138	81	219	66	31	97	12	6	18	29	23	52	22	19	41	634	2040	2237	4277
	State	5386	4616	10002	2134	1669	3803	3945	2318	6263	2430	1576	4006	780	540	1320	2103	1186	3289	920	645	1565	30248	74719	41620	116339

Source : DISE 2007-08

In the age group 5-10, there are 44,471 differently abled children in the state of which 5441 children are visually impaired, 4722, are hearing impaired, 9060 orthopaedic, 12114 are mentally challenged, 3784 are multiple, 6633 are in speech disability and 2712 are other type of disabled children. The number of disabled children in this age group is high in Villupuram district (2459) and least in The Nilgiris District (409).

Similarly the number of disabled children in 11-13 age group is 30248. Among them, 10,002 are visually impaired children in the State.

Among the 1,16,339 disabled children in 5-13 age group, 41620 are out of school and 74,719 are in school.

It is planned to support all the disabled children including children out of school under SSA through different strategies.

District-wise coverage of CWSN is planned for 2008-09 is given in the following table.

**Table 48**  
**Children with Special Need (CWSN) - Target 2008-2009**

S. No.	District	No. of CWSN identified	No. of CWSN Proposed to cover through			No. of schools proposed to be made barrier free
			Schools	AIE	HBE	
1	Chennai	5668	2803	2755	110	0
2	Coimbatore	3617	2906	556	155	82
3	Cuddalore	3639	3074	425	140	49
4	Dharmapuri	2638	1955	558	125	82
5	Dindigul	4003	2215	1633	155	44
6	Erode	2786	2493	123	170	71
7	Kancheepuram	4088	3062	846	180	61
8	Kanyakumari	2855	1437	1308	110	0
9	Karur	1817	1236	501	80	20
10	Krishnagiri	5275	2026	3127	122	73
11	Madurai	3917	3107	660	150	39
12	Nagapattinam	3032	2043	869	120	31
13	Namakkal	2536	2075	371	90	25
14	Perambalur	2726	1799	802	125	40
15	Pudukkottai	6963	6244	609	110	43
16	Ramanathapuram	2200	1781	298	121	27
17	Salem	5905	3390	2305	210	84
18	Sivagangai	2166	1555	521	90	31
19	Thanjavur	5344	2726	2458	160	28
20	Theni	1888	1373	480	35	17
21	The Nilgiris	1471	632	787	52	6
22	Thiruchirappalli	5311	2714	2427	170	9
23	Thirunelveli	5756	3462	2108	186	17
24	Thiruvallur	3776	2492	1174	110	28
25	Thiruvannamalai	4766	3035	1521	210	67
26	Thiruvarur	3320	1723	1497	100	44
27	Thoothukudi	3527	1709	1683	135	27
28	Vellore	4886	3245	1461	180	94
29	Villupuram	6186	4367	1569	250	87
30	Virudhunagar	4277	2040	2117	120	32
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>116339</b>	<b>74719</b>	<b>37549</b>	<b>4071</b>	<b>1258</b>

*Source: EER 2007*

It is planned to organise medical camp at all blocks to identify the children in need of assistive devices, surgery by involving Doctors, NGO's, Teachers and Parents. All the Disabled children are to be supported under SSA. Similarly it is also planned to provide ramps for the new schools (1258) to be made barrier free.

### **1.16 CIVIL WORKS**

Information relating to Infrastructure such as classrooms, toilets, drinking water, furniture, play ground, compound wall etc are collected under DISE. Provision of adequate infrastructure is planned to improve the classrooms environment for quantitative and qualitative education.

#### **1.16.1 INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS IN PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Among 24,349 Govt & Local body primary schools 272 schools are not having own building. 7511 schools require major repair for classrooms. The availability of infrastructure in primary school is presented in the table below.

**Table 49**  
**School Infrastructure Status - Primary**

S. No.	District	No. of Schools	No. of schools without own building	No. of schools with major repair class rooms	Total No. of Pucca Classrooms	No. of repairable class rooms	No. of PS with HM room	No. of schools with Drinking water facility	No. of schools with Toilet facility	No. of schools with Girls toilet	No. of schools with access ramp	No. of schools with Boundary wall	No. of schools with play ground	No. of schools with kitchen for mid day meal
1	Chennai	151	3	12	899	77	122	151	124	102	44	129	80	129
2	Coimbatore	1277	25	295	3130	1289	704	1277	918	730	695	584	989	1091
3	Cuddalore	887	0	392	1968	1277	92	887	525	391	754	171	472	798
4	Dharmapuri	843	32	284	2014	930	240	843	610	447	358	227	694	756
5	Dindigul	955	5	228	2761	1198	1308	955	694	454	429	129	697	872
6	Erode	1285	6	230	2605	1165	340	1285	760	863	656	308	1081	1152
7	Kancheepuram	885	14	283	2011	1213	365	885	885	365	386	185	517	734
8	Kanyakumari	293	7	112	879	405	247	293	165	214	133	126	183	251
9	Karur	585	2	163	1177	658	76	585	346	381	327	124	414	514
10	Krishnagiri	1103	0	706	1982	1541	161	1103	835	329	625	273	690	1013
11	Madurai	775	5	198	1520	902	129	775	506	244	293	112	410	694
12	Nagapattinam	556	11	223	1253	654	652	556	371	212	211	128	331	496
13	Namakkal	680	3	225	1499	923	110	680	409	246	418	135	433	585
14	Perambalur	577	4	198	1378	771	66	577	363	239	332	147	400	518
15	Pudukkottai	1027	9	332	2029	1151	115	1027	834	320	332	80	822	889
16	Ramanathapuram	780	7	142	1294	742	251	780	563	210	506	99	649	694
17	Salem	1157	19	392	2814	1521	168	1157	626	367	572	177	848	0
18	Sivagangai	782	1	261	1464	946	214	782	479	213	231	69	559	692
19	Thanjavur	914	0	325	1953	1267	275	914	622	394	444	125	609	827
20	Theni	336	20	43	1040	388	98	336	230	185	52	88	211	336
21	The Nilgiris	265	3	81	557	312	215	265	196	165	167	17	136	247
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	8	267	2047	880	182	832	631	419	441	139	578	832
23	Thirunelveli	640	17	147	1688	498	216	640	471	361	359	132	503	594
24	Thiruvallur	907	9	223	1783	1040	82	907	567	243	527	171	510	728
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	5	501	2856	1524	216	1295	885	267	429	247	715	1135
26	Thiruvarur	626	0	213	1279	759	183	626	563	412	298	114	423	574
27	Thoothukudi	510	10	89	990	363	110	510	416	269	466	99	417	462
28	Vellore	1476	39	220	4262	1576	111	1476	1020	667	252	386	797	1260
29	Villupuram	1308	7	592	2588	1775	526	1308	696	396	1049	228	760	1182
30	Virudhunagar	642	1	134	1279	580	101	642	456	379	238	60	497	549
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>7511</b>	<b>54999</b>	<b>28325</b>	<b>7675</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>16766</b>	<b>10484</b>	<b>12024</b>	<b>5009</b>	<b>16425</b>	<b>20604</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

**1.16.2 INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS IN UPPER PRIMARY  
SCHOOL/SCHOOLS WITH UPPER CLASS**

The number of Govt & Local body schools with Upper primary class is 10874. All the schools are having their own land and buildings. The number of schools with major repair classrooms is 3016. The number of schools with HM's room is 7644.

Districts wise schools with infrastructure availability is furnished in the table below.

**Table 50**  
**School Infrastructure Status - Upper Primary**

S. No.	District	Total No. of schools	No. of schools without own building	No. of schools having classrooms in dilapidated condition	Total No. of Pucca Class rooms	No. of repairable class rooms	No. of UPS with HM room	No. of schools with Drinking water facility	No. of schools with Toilet facility	No. of schools with Girls toilet	No. of schools with access ramp	No. of schools with Boundary wall	No. of schools with play ground	No. of schools with kitchen for mid day meal
1	Chennai	209	0	43	1624	211	184	186	148	184	87	175	127	190
2	Coimbatore	611	0	186	3760	779	551	521	343	529	420	316	475	523
3	Cuddalore	431	0	133	1961	685	286	386	257	291	371	115	268	375
4	Dharmapuri	441	0	186	2823	937	112	311	280	355	303	139	383	401
5	Dindigul	294	0	81	2142	782	184	264	176	224	211	62	239	260
6	Erode	442	0	162	2258	838	164	342	165	402	326	166	365	401
7	Kancheepuram	466	0	111	2651	905	172	376	466	371	325	139	330	378
8	Kanyakumari	229	0	84	1245	437	218	189	107	210	144	121	157	214
9	Karur	194	0	92	1276	569	121	169	86	167	147	65	125	177
10	Krishnagiri	460	0	121	2550	1345	354	372	258	279	311	103	327	416
11	Madurai	370	0	99	1938	694	196	299	210	240	269	105	241	323
12	Nagapattinam	307	0	76	1567	547	201	264	181	229	219	108	212	281
13	Namakkal	280	0	93	1711	437	187	187	154	207	225	98	214	226
14	Perambalur	299	0	72	1350	576	186	191	156	197	221	87	235	260
15	Pudukkottai	454	0	104	2372	1066	378	317	258	301	267	89	378	388
16	Ramanathapuram	259	0	77	1401	556	156	181	146	183	226	50	230	216
17	Salem	496	0	179	3776	1248	430	298	204	326	379	132	390	496
18	Sivagangai	267	0	76	1620	521	189	188	145	163	159	35	207	225
19	Thanjavur	394	0	121	2364	919	394	210	236	289	273	100	277	353
21	Theni	169	0	33	678	216	105	97	100	137	64	59	114	152
20	The Nilgiris	163	0	22	1020	201	146	99	103	149	119	18	121	163
22	Thiruchirappalli	364	0	101	1938	687	398	189	215	289	281	121	274	364
23	Thirunelveli	239	0	85	1345	264	188	176	139	202	197	100	192	225
24	Thiruvallur	461	0	97	2347	906	110	272	256	332	380	130	317	377
25	Thiruvannamalai	552	0	88	2780	907	416	315	286	274	366	153	357	490
26	Thiruvarur	267	0	62	1596	698	160	127	165	235	193	91	192	248
27	Thoothukudi	167	0	49	693	228	158	117	105	129	160	59	129	150
28	Vellore	659	0	162	3396	836	445	436	361	444	242	213	390	561
29	Villupuram	674	0	155	3133	1320	615	488	422	365	592	152	493	600
30	Virudhunagar	256	0	66	1647	573	240	187	143	215	183	69	201	218
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>10874</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3016</b>	<b>60962</b>	<b>20888</b>	<b>7644</b>	<b>7754</b>	<b>6271</b>	<b>7918</b>	<b>7660</b>	<b>3370</b>	<b>7960</b>	<b>9651</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.16.3 Civil Works Achievement in 2007-08

All the civil works have been completed and there is no spill over works.

Civil works achievement during 2007-08 by district is presented in the table below.

**Table 51**  
**Progress in Civil Works – 2007-2008**

S. No	District	Upper primary building 2006-07 (Spillover)		Primary school building		Upper primary building 2007-08	
		Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	21	21	26	26	15	15
3	Cuddalore	21	21	8	8	24	24
4	Dharmapuri	41	41	40	40	50	50
5	Dindigul	13	13	1	1	18	18
6	Erode	55	55	0	0	11	11
7	Kancheepuram	7	7	16	16	18	18
8	Kanyakumari	2	2	4	4	1	1
9	Karur	15	15	2	2	5	5
10	Krishnagiri	42	42	13	13	15	15
11	Madurai	21	21	3	3	10	10
12	Nagapattinam	31	31	5	5	6	6
13	Namakkal	24	24	3	3	8	8
14	Perambalur	21	21	1	1	10	10
15	Pudukkottai	17	17	0	0	9	9
16	Ramanathapuram	8	8	6	6	7	7
17	Salem	46	46	25	25	25	25
18	Sivagangai	8	8	1	1	7	7
19	Thanjavur	2	2	0	0	4	4
20	Theni	0	0	10	10	3	3
21	The Nilgiris	3	3	0	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	19	19	4	4	3	3
23	Thirunelveli	6	6	2	2	6	6
24	Thiruvallur	3	3	2	2	20	20
25	Thiruvannamalai	32	32	10	10	8	8
26	Thiruvarur	15	15	1	1	10	10
27	Thoothukudi	4	4	1	1	4	4
28	Vellore	13	13	11	11	7	7
29	Villupuram	29	29	4	4	8	8
30	Virudhunagar	27	27	11	11	26	26
<b>Total</b>		<b>546</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>338</b>

### 1.16.4 CIVIL WORKS PROPOSED FOR 2008- 09

The reports relating to availability and non Availability of infrastructure such as toilets, drinking water classrooms etc have been generated from the DISE database and presented below.

The District wise infrastructure need is presented the table below.

**Table 52**  
**Civil Works - BRC, CRC and School Buildings Proposed for 2008-2009**

S. No.	Districts	BRC		CRC		Primary Schools (New)	Upper primary schools (New)	Additional Classrooms requirement		No. of schools in need of Drinking Water	No. of Schools in need of Toilets		In need of furniture for students	
		Total Nos (Existing)	No. to be Provided buildings	Total Nos	No. to be provided buildings			No. of schools	No. of classrooms		Common	Girls	No. of schools	No. of Students
1	Chennai	0	10	110	52	0	0	0	0	90	88	68	161	13878
2	Coimbatore	19	1	199	18	25	57	422	890	125	627	620	171	34696
3	Cuddalore	13	0	172	12	9	40	311	455	213	536	623	192	19859
4	Dharmapuri	8	0	100	31	42	40	134	183	98	394	473	194	18399
5	Dindigul	14	0	163	57	0	44	97	149	148	379	561	183	13965
6	Erode	20	0	142	40	7	64	153	258	91	802	452	148	20475
7	Kancheepuram	13	1	172	10	6	55	226	250	112	80	608	145	26228
8	Kanyakumari	9	0	89	46	0	0	22	39	65	250	96	61	7349
9	Karur	8	0	75	9	0	20	50	61	41	347	226	69	8583
10	Krishnagiri	10	0	121	45	33	40	207	377	234	470	940	115	19808
11	Madurai	13	1	165	61	9	30	197	350	174	429	649	105	15696
12	Nagapattinam	11	0	100	10	6	25	172	220	77	311	414	86	14151
13	Namakkal	15	0	83	30	5	20	134	240	58	397	486	160	13944
14	Perambalur	10	0	107	10	5	35	173	236	102	354	437	164	12727
15	Pudukkottai	13	0	145	52	18	25	180	192	161	389	851	168	16335
16	Ramanathapuram	11	0	124	22	3	24	112	148	365	330	641	160	8878
17	Salem	20	1	174	97	14	70	335	469	197	823	947	247	30259
18	Sivagangai	12	0	109	42	1	30	49	68	68	425	667	168	8705
19	Thanjavur	14	0	165	62	3	25	133	189	71	450	619	137	16875
20	Theni	8	0	80	17	2	15	65	97	83	172	170	122	6949
21	The Nilgiris	4	0	45	0	1	5	43	59	47	132	125	86	4490
22	Tiruchirappalli	14	1	183	79	1	8	142	213	66	350	478	127	17348
23	Thirunelveli	19	1	192	80	2	15	143	215	105	269	309	122	11599
24	Thiruvallur	14	0	133	44	3	25	303	350	149	545	788	249	23372
25	Tiruvannamalai	18	0	167	24	17	50	316	359	298	675	1298	226	23482
26	Thiruvarur	10	0	95	0	3	41	84	86	53	231	240	183	11563
27	Thoothukkudi	12	0	108	41	7	20	61	94	69	155	276	122	5048
28	Vellore	20	0	202	58	15	79	476	856	388	754	1000	241	34391
29	Villupuram	22	0	234	20	9	78	563	852	462	872	1205	232	30534
30	Virudhunagar	11	0	134	68	7	25	106	118	80	299	302	246	10832
	<b>Total</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>1137</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>5409</b>	<b>8073</b>	<b>4290</b>	<b>12335</b>	<b>16569</b>	<b>4790</b>	<b>500417</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08



The number of schools in need of drinking water is 4290 and the number of schools in need of common toilet and girls toilet is 12336 and 16569 respectively.

The number of primary schools in need of additional classrooms is 1850 and number of classrooms needed is 1817. 1681 middle schools are in need of classrooms and the number of classrooms needed is 2981.

The number of high schools and Higher secondary schools in need of classrooms is 1086 and 1031 respectively and the number of classrooms required is 2233 and 3350 respectively. The total number of schools require classrooms is 10381 and the number of classrooms needed is 8073. The details are presented in the table below.

**Table 52 a**  
**No. of Schools Required Class Rooms and No. of Class rooms required -**  
**Proposed for 2008-09**

Sl. No	District	Primary					Middle				
		Total No. of Schools SCR-40	Total Enrolment	Total Class Rooms available	Enrolment/ 40	Class Rooms Needed	Total No. of Schools SCR-40	Total Enrolment	Total Class Rooms available	Enrolment/ 40	Class Rooms Needed
1	Chennai	44	21551	422	539	117	32	15991	296	400	104
2	Coimbatore	113	25303	462	633	171	151	67135	1183	1678	495
3	Cuddalore	91	13132	274	328	54	90	27143	570	679	109
4	Dharmapuri	44	7913	172	198	26	54	14277	300	357	57
5	Dindigul	37	7012	146	175	29	42	14690	297	367	70
6	Erode	49	6895	146	172	26	59	23316	452	583	131
7	Kancheepuram	117	24140	484	604	120	93	32361	640	809	169
8	Kanniyakumari	30	7497	164	187	23	4	1474	27	37	10
9	Karur	15	2864	62	72	10	27	9698	201	242	41
10	Krishnagiri	111	23665	398	592	194	57	17000	337	425	88
11	Madurai	56	12429	231	311	80	60	22471	421	562	141
12	Nagapattinam	38	6308	117	158	41	55	19026	379	476	97
13	Namakkal	35	8330	176	208	32	30	12692	268	317	49
14	Perambalur	42	8014	165	200	35	37	10889	230	272	42
15	Pudukkottai	68	9759	210	244	34	72	17538	349	438	89
16	Ramanathapuram	59	10816	208	270	62	44	11560	214	289	75
17	Salem	145	32048	690	801	111	117	42222	860	1056	196
18	Sivagangai	15	2152	42	54	12	19	4740	100	119	19
19	Thanjavur	58	8244	165	206	41	28	9682	202	242	40
20	Theni	23	5424	111	136	25	7	2980	55	75	20
21	The Nilgiris	7	1091	22	27	5	10	2619	52	65	13
22	Thiruvallur	89	19731	370	493	123	97	32169	609	804	195
23	Thiruvarur	32	5031	106	126	20	27	7574	169	189	20
24	Thoothukudi	19	2412	53	60	7	10	2982	61	75	14
25	Thiruchirappalli	35	7485	153	187	34	42	14565	306	364	58
26	Thirunelveli	42	7960	165	199	34	16	4618	92	115	23
27	Thiruvannmalai	70	12059	254	301	47	71	21838	469	546	77
28	Vellore	132	23164	481	579	98	106	34373	679	859	180
29	Villupuram	190	32598	657	815	158	182	60293	1190	1507	317
30	Virudhunagar	44	8334	161	208	47	42	12225	265	306	41
	<b>State Total</b>	<b>1850</b>	<b>363361</b>	<b>7267</b>	<b>9084</b>	<b>1817</b>	<b>1681</b>	<b>570141</b>	<b>11273</b>	<b>14254</b>	<b>2981</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

**Table 52 a (Contd...)**  
**No.of Schools Required Class Rooms and No.of Class rooms required - Proposed for 2008-09**

Sl. No	District	High Schools					Hr.Sec.Schools					All Total		No. of class rooms proposed as per ceiling
		Total No. of Schools SCR-40	Total Enrolment	Total Class Rooms available	Enrolment/40	Class Rooms Needed	Total No. of Schools SCR-40	Total Enrolment	Total Class Rooms available	Enrolment /40	Class Rooms Needed	No. of Schools Required Class Rooms	No. of Class Rooms Required	
1	Chennai	21	8700	148	218	70	22	12784	241	320	79	119	369	-
2	Coimbatore	74	24046	339	601	262	84	45452	643	1136	493	422	1421	890
3	Cuddalore	63	17391	245	435	190	67	29590	337	740	403	311	755	455
4	Dharmapuri	23	6361	112	159	47	13	6849	118	171	53	134	183	183
5	Dindigul	15	6097	111	152	41	3	1124	20	28	8	97	149	149
6	Erode	24	6007	113	150	37	21	8464	148	212	64	153	258	258
7	Kancheepuram	56	18586	357	465	108	60	33061	616	827	211	326	607	250
8	Kanniyakumari	6	1190	26	30	4	2	512	11	13	2	42	39	39
9	Karur	6	2308	51	58	7	2	1098	24	27	3	50	61	61
10	Krishnagiri	30	7902	138	198	60	9	3935	63	98	35	207	377	377
11	Madurai	39	10653	209	266	57	42	18630	361	466	105	197	383	350
12	Nagapattinam	43	11265	201	282	81	36	14307	255	358	103	172	321	220
13	Namakkal	21	5332	102	133	31	48	22178	427	554	127	134	240	240
14	Perambalur	42	9889	199	247	48	52	17902	337	448	111	173	236	236
15	Pudukkottai	29	6502	119	163	44	11	3940	73	99	26	180	192	192
16	Ramanad	6	1685	37	42	5	3	1444	31	36	5	112	148	148
17	Salem	38	13169	277	329	52	35	23817	485	595	110	335	469	469
18	Sivagangai	9	2236	37	56	19	6	2947	55	74	19	49	68	68
19	Thanjavur	26	7734	142	193	51	21	8045	145	201	56	133	189	189
20	Theni	11	2771	55	69	14	24	8278	168	207	39	65	97	97
21	The Nilgiris	9	1542	27	39	12	17	3827	67	96	29	43	59	59
22	Thiruvallur	73	22592	418	565	147	44	19623	388	491	103	303	568	350
23	Thiruvarur	17	5315	110	133	23	8	3472	64	87	23	84	86	86
24	Thoothukudi	11	1974	34	49	15	21	7407	127	185	58	61	94	94
25	Thiruchirappalli	25	6415	121	160	39	40	16478	331	412	81	142	213	213
26	Thirunelveli	29	7233	141	181	40	56	20317	390	508	118	143	215	215
27	Thiruvannmalai	104	24642	489	616	127	71	24964	517	624	107	316	359	359
28	Vellore	128	37485	526	937	411	110	43982	602	1100	498	476	1187	856
29	Villupuram	97	24331	431	608	177	94	36561	647	914	267	563	920	852
30	Virudhunagar	11	2836	57	71	14	9	3304	66	83	17	106	118	118
<b>State Total</b>		<b>1086</b>	<b>304189</b>	<b>5372</b>	<b>7605</b>	<b>2233</b>	<b>1031</b>	<b>444292</b>	<b>7757</b>	<b>11107</b>	<b>3350</b>	<b>5648</b>	<b>10381</b>	<b>8073</b>

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.16.5 Furniture

Similarly the schools in need of furniture for students and number of students in need of furniture is also presented in the table below.

**Table 52 b**  
**Information on Govt. Upper Primary Schools Without Furniture**

S. No	District	Total No. of Govt. schools with upper primary classes	No. of UPS Sanctioned under SSA Since 2001	UPS Provided TLE under SSA as non OBB School Since 2001	Balance UPS (6=3-4-5)	No. of Govt. UPS without Furniture (Out of Col. 6)	Enrolment in these Govt. UPS
1	Chennai	209	6	0	203	161	13878
2	Coimbatore	611	226	0	385	171	34696
3	Cuddalore	431	136	0	295	192	19859
4	Dharmapuri	441	246	0	195	194	18399
5	Dindigul	294	76	0	218	183	13965
6	Erode	442	131	0	311	148	20475
7	Kancheepuram	466	121	0	345	145	26228
8	Kanyakumari	229	6	0	223	61	7349
9	Karur	194	49	0	145	69	8583
10	Krishnagiri	460	208	0	252	115	19808
11	Madurai	370	126	0	244	105	15696
12	Nagapattinam	306	110	0	196	86	14151
13	Namakkal	280	119	0	161	160	13944
14	Perambalur	299	96	0	203	164	12727
15	Pudukkottai	454	169	0	285	168	16335
16	Ramanathapuram	259	74	0	185	160	8878
17	Salem	496	193	0	303	247	30259
18	Sivagangai	267	99	0	168	168	8705
19	Thanjavur	394	97	0	297	137	16875
20	Theni	169	39	0	130	122	6949
21	The Nilgiris	163	26	0	137	86	4490
22	Thiruchirappalli	364	71	0	293	127	17348
23	Thirunelveli	239	39	0	200	122	11599
24	Thiruvallur	461	149	0	312	249	23372
25	Thiruvannamalai	552	163	0	389	226	23482
26	Thiruvarur	267	89	0	178	183	11563
27	Thoothukudi	167	23	0	144	122	5048
28	Vellore	659	153	0	506	241	34391
29	Villupuram	674	241	0	433	232	30534
30	Virudhunagar	256	81	0	175	246	10832
<b>State Total</b>		<b>10873</b>	<b>3362</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7511</b>	<b>4790</b>	<b>500417</b>

## 1.17 RESEARCH EVALUATION AND MONITORING (REM)

REM is the important activity in implementing the programme towards achieving the objectives within the time. Under SSA funds are allotted to conduct surveys, studies, achievement studies, impact studies to identify issues and strategies for implementing the programme effectively towards achieving the objectives.

During 2007-08, 5214 Action Research Studies and 313 impact studies were planned. All the studies have been completed. Based on the studies, issues have been identified and appropriate strategies have been developed for 2008-09. It is also proposed 4010 studies for 2008-09.

**Table 53**  
**Research, Evaluation and Monitoring - Target, Achievement and Proposal**

S. No.	Districts	No. of studies planned in 2007-08			No. of studies completed in 2007-08			No. of studies proposed for 2008-09	
		Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies (GIS)	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies (GIS)	Action Research, Achievement Test, Cohort, Trg. Impact, Child Tracking, School Grading, Teachers attendance, Pupils attendance and Pupils achievement @ 10 per Block	Evaluation & impact studies, All surveys by involving Independent Agencies @ 1 per District
1	Chennai	55	3	0	55	3	0	100	1
2	Coimbatore	281	17	0	281	17	0	200	1
3	Cuddalore	196	12	0	196	12	0	130	1
4	Dharmapuri	187	11	0	187	11	0	80	1
5	Dindigul	186	11	0	186	11	0	140	1
6	Erode	259	16	0	259	16	0	200	1
7	Kancheepuram	198	12	0	198	12	0	140	1
8	Kanyakumari	78	5	0	78	5	0	90	1
9	Karur	117	7	0	117	7	0	80	1
10	Krishnagiri	221	13	0	221	13	0	100	1
11	Madurai	171	10	0	171	10	0	140	1
12	Nagapattinam	127	8	0	127	8	0	110	1
13	Namakkal	143	9	0	143	9	0	150	1
14	Perambalur	131	8	0	131	8	0	100	1
15	Pudukkottai	222	13	0	222	13	0	130	1
16	Ramanathapuram	155	9	0	155	9	0	110	1
17	Salem	243	15	0	243	15	0	210	1
18	Sivagangai	157	9	0	157	9	0	120	1
19	Thanjavur	195	12	0	195	12	0	140	1
20	Theni	74	4	0	74	4	0	80	1
21	The Nilgiris	64	4	0	64	4	0	40	1
22	Thiruchirappalli	160	10	0	160	10	0	150	1
23	Thirunelveli	131	8	0	131	8	0	200	1
24	Thiruvallur	206	12	0	206	12	0	140	1
25	Thiruvannamalai	274	16	0	274	16	0	180	1
26	Thiruvarur	135	8	0	135	8	0	100	1
27	Thoothukkudi	101	6	0	101	6	0	120	1
28	Vellore	318	19	0	318	19	0	200	1
29	Villupuram	296	18	0	296	18	0	220	1
30	Virudhunagar	133	8	0	133	8	0	110	1
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5214</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5214</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4010</b>	<b>30</b>

Source: Monthly Review Reports

### **1.17.1 Monitoring**

SSA envisages community based monitoring system. The Educational Management Information System (EMIS) incorporates provision for correlation of school level data with community bound information.

All Schools send monthly reports relating to enrolment, attendance of teachers, pupils, noon meal beneficiary particulars, grants received, utilized, other incentives received, community contribution pupils performance etc. to the block officer and block consolidation sent to the district officer and district consolidation sent to the State Directorate. The periodic reporting system also ensure feed back system.

In addition, research and institution are also involved in monitoring at all stages.

Panchayat raj institution formed standing committee/sub committee which is the nodal body for all matters relating to elementary education. The VEC is linked with the nodal body in implementing the SSA programme and also to monitor the progress at grass root level.

The village, block and district committee are involved and given roles of supervision over the SSA programme.

The State implementing societies, representatives form NUPEA, NCERT, NCTE are also undertaking periodic monitoring.

Autonomous institution such as Karaikudi Alagappa University. Avinasy Home Service Coimbatore are also inoved in undertaking Research Studies and also monitoring. Joint Review Mission is also taking periodicial review.

### **1. 17.2 Monitoring Programme**

#### **State Level**

- Monthly review and periodical field visist by the State Project Director other official and co-ordinators.
- Audit of SSA accounting interal auditing by Chartered Accountants annually.

#### **District Level**

- Frequently and monthly review of BRCs by the District Programme Co-ordinator

- Weekly review of District Co-ordinator by the District Programme Co-ordinator.
- Field visit by the District co-ordinator.

### **Block Level**

- Fortnight review of BRTEs by the BRCs. school visit by the BRTEs.

### **Village Level**

- VEC meeting is organized twice in a month.
- VEC reviewed the progress of school performance, pupils' and teachers attendance, usage of grants, and other incentives, civil works etc.

Monthly reports in the reporting formats are received from school by block the block level reports are received by District Programme Co-ordinator and district reports received by the State Project Office. The reports are reviewed at all level and initiated actions.

Monitoring system in Tamilnadu is most efficient and effective to achieve the objectives of SSA.

## **1.18 MANAGEMENT**

SSA Mission is being implemented in Tamil Nadu since 2001-2002 to achieve the objectives through the following Management structure

The SSA Mission is being implemented by the State society, namely, **Tamil Nadu State Mission of Education for All (TANSMEA)** is a society registered under the Societies Registration Act. **The Society has a General Council and an Executive Committee.** The *General Council* is headed by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu and the *Executive Committee* by the Secretary, School Education Department. Under the guidance and advice of the General Council and the Executive Committee, the State Project Directorate headed by the State Project Director implements and monitors the programme at State level. In each District, there is a District Project Office. The Chief Education Officer of the District is the District Project Coordinator. The District Elementary Education Officer is the Additional District Programme Coordinator. An Assistant District Programme Coordinator in the cadre of Higher Secondary School Headmaster assists in the planning, implementing and monitoring the programme at the District level integrating the School Education and Elementary Education department.

As per G.O.Ms.No.53, School Education dated 26.04.2002 and G.O.Ms.No.108, School Education dated 31.07.2003, Four-Tier

Committees, viz, State, District, Block and Village levels have been constituted to implement and monitor the programme. The Secretary, School Education Department is the Chairperson for the State-level Committee. The District Collector is the Chairperson of the District-level Committee. The Panchayat Union Chairman is the Chairperson of the Block-level Committee. The Panchayat President is the Chairperson of the Village Education Committee and Ward member holds the position in urban areas.

### 1.19 SSA MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE

The Programme implementation is carried out through the Project Management Structures viz., Village Education Committees / Parent Teacher Associations, *Cluster Resource Centres, Block Resource Centres, District Project Offices* and *State Project Office* with integrating Education Department structure at field level.

District-wise number of VECs/PTAs, CRCs, BRCs in the State is furnished below.

**Table - 54**  
**District wise No. of VECs/PTAs, CRCs & BRCs**

S.No.	District	VECs	CRCs	BRCs	URCs
1	Chennai	758	110	0	10
2	Coimbatore	2095	199	19	1
3	Cuddalore	1600	172	13	0
4	Dharmapuri	1282	100	8	0
5	Dindigui	1563	163	14	0
6	Erode	1893	142	20	0
7	Kancheepuram	1579	172	13	1
8	Kanyakumari	806	89	9	0
9	Karur	838	75	8	0
10	Krishnagiri	1553	121	10	0
11	Madurai	1453	165	13	1
12	Nagapattinam	1166	100	11	0
13	Namakkal	1059	83	15	0
14	Perambalur	1001	107	10	0
15	Pudukkottai	1585	145	13	0
16	Ramanathapuram	1297	124	11	0
17	Salem	1761	174	20	1
18	Sivagangai	1180	109	12	0
19	Thanjavur	1601	165	14	0
20	Theni	730	80	8	0
21	The Nilgiris	579	45	4	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	1570	183	14	1
23	Thirunelveli	2146	192	19	1
24	Thiruvallur	1554	133	14	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	2006	167	18	0
26	Thiruvarur	1009	95	10	0
27	Thoothukudi	1536	108	12	0
28	Vellore	2443	202	20	0
29	Villupuram	2301	234	22	0
30	Virudhunagar	1386	134	11	0
	<b>State</b>	<b>43330</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>16</b>

Source: District Reports/DISE 2007

**State Project Directorate – Staff Structure**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>No. of Posts</b>
1.	State Project Director	1
2.	Joint Directors (Deputation from School Education Department)	4
3.	Secretary to SPD (Deputy Director) (Deputation from School Education Department)	1
4.	Finance and Accounts Officer (Under Secretary - Finance)	1
5.	MIS Co-ordinator (Deputation from Statistics Department)	1
7.	Co-ordinators (Hr. Sec. School HMs)	5
8.	Deputy Co-ordinators (P.G. Assistants)	4
9.	Assistant Co-ordinators B.T. Assistants)	7
<b>Total</b>		<b>24</b>
<b>Ministerial Staff</b>		
1	Superintendent	4
2	Assistant	7
3	Typist	3
4	Steno-Typist	3
5	Driver	3
6	Office Assistant	5
<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>
1	Consultant on consolidated pay	7
2	Staff on Consolidated service fees	19
<b>Total</b>		<b>23</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>72</b>

**District Project Office – Staff Structure**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Post</b>	<b>No. of Posts</b>
1.	District Programme Co-ordinator	1
2.	Assistant Project Officer	1
3.	Training Officer/ Media and Documentation Officer or Women Development Officer	1 1
4.	Accountant/Finance and Accounts Officer	1
5.	Statistical Officer	1
6.	Superintendent	1
7.	Assistant	2
8.	Assistant Executive Engineer	1
9.	Programmer	2
10.	Data Entry Operator	3
11.	Academic Consultant	2
12.	Civil Consultant	4
13.	Office Assistant	1



### **1.19.1 Capacity Building**

SSA envisages much importance in capacity building of teachers for improving learning capacity of the children in school and community member, staff and officials in effective planning, implementing and management of the programme to achieve the objectives with in the time period.

- Under SSA 20 days inservice training programme for all the teachers as the capacity building initiative especially for quality education to all the children.
- Ten-day induction training to newly recruited teachers.
- Five-day training to officials and staff for management.
- Two-day training to community members for planning implementing and monitoring the programme.
- Computer training and data management to MIS staff.

### **1.19.2 Media and Documentation**

Usage of media effectively in also the strategy for translating the inputs into positive changes in achieving the ultimate objectives of SSA.

#### **Use of media for quantitative achievement**

- Cent percent enrolment of children and cent percent completion is the target.
- To achieve this objectives the following strategies are followed.

Creating awarness of parent through the media viz. T.V. programme, radio programme through press media including handbills phamplets.

#### **Use of Media for Quality Education**

- Computer Aided Learning
- Recorded programmes including EDUSAT programme, video conferencing etc.

#### **Documentation**

- All the reports including progress reports study, survey, reports relating all acitivities are computerized and saved as soft and hard copy.

### **1.19.3 Integration in Implementing the Programme**

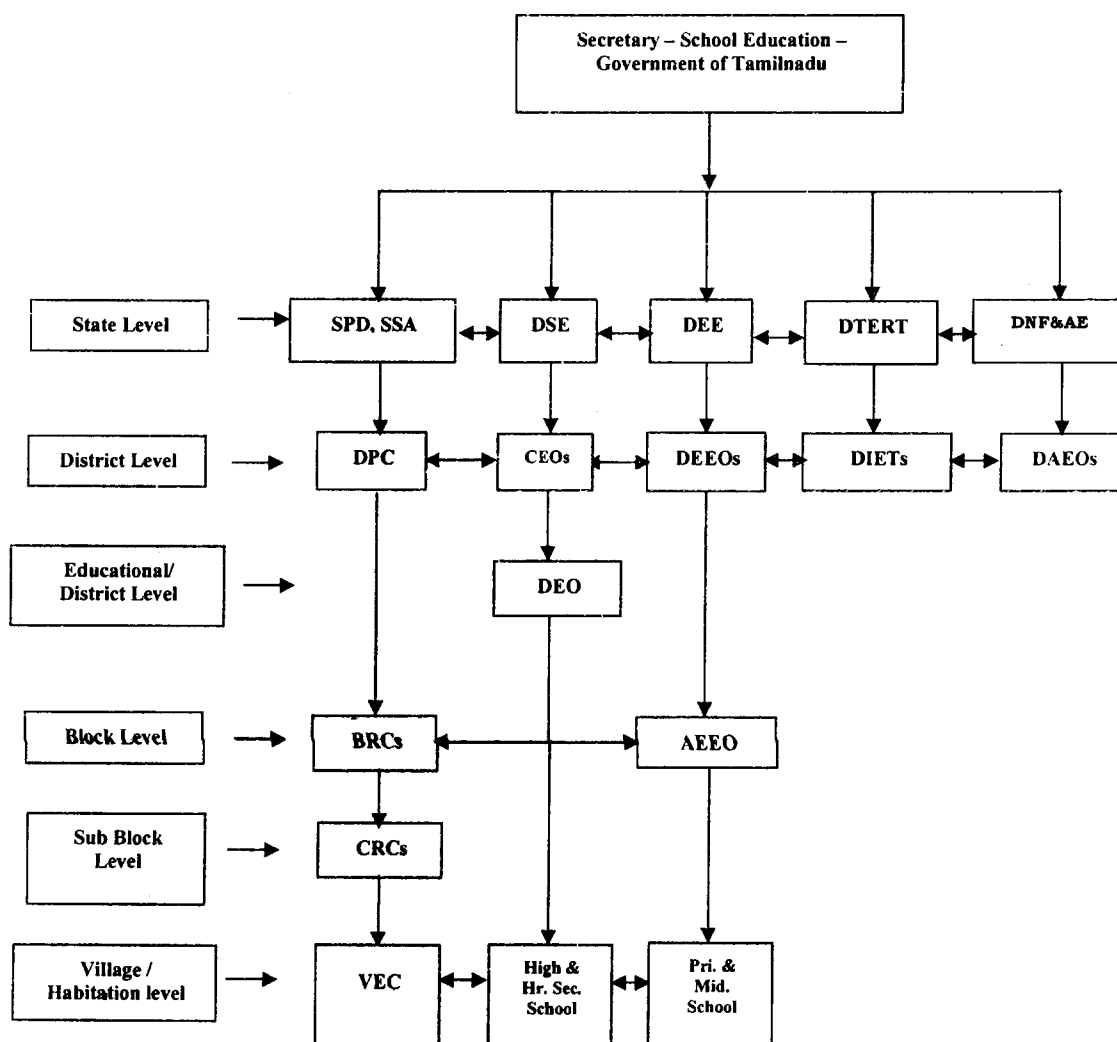
The officials of Directorate of School Education, Directorate of Elementary Education and Directorate of Teacher Education Research and Training actively participate in planning and implementing process of SSA at district and sub district level.

- District Programme Co-ordinator in the cadre of CEO is posted.
- District Elementary Education Officer is the Additional District Programme Co-ordinator of SSA.
- The CEO, DPC, Principal DIET are all actively involving.
- All activities of the programme are being carried out by the field officials with convergence of other departments.
- Provision of primary and upper primary school access by preparation of programme deputing teacher for training.
- Posting teacher to the new primary sections
- Issue of grants to schools
- Reimbursement of the teachers salary.
- Formation of VECs.
- Monitoring of Schools
- Organizing Special Focus Districts
- Conduct of assess Achievement Test
- Provision of infrastructure to schools.
- Transfer and posting of teacher

All the activities are being carried out in coordination with field officials of the Education Department and flow chart is furnished below.

The project management structure integrating the Directorates in School Education department is shown below.

## SSA Organisational Structure



### 1.20 Distance Education Programme (DEP)

Distance Education Programme (DEP) is one of the important interventions of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan. It provides technical and academic support to the on going programmes of SSA. With the advent of Edusat facilities in Tamil Nadu, the State Project Directorate has been continuously broadcasting educational programmes since 2006.

All 385 Block Resource Centres, 27 Urban Cluster Resource Centres and 9 Govt . Teacher Training Institutes are provided with Satellite Interactive Terminals (SIT) or learning ends to facilitate the live video conferencing programmes. The programmes are broadcasted from Anna University HUB Station..

Districtwise number of SIT centres functioning, number of Staff and number of Programme conducted, number of children benefited during 2007 - 08 are presented in the table below.

**DEP PROGRAMME FOR 2007 - 08**

<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Resource Persons conducting the Programme</b>	<b>No.of Programmes to be Organised</b>	<b>No.of Beneficiaries to be covered</b>
Subjects-Primary (Tamil,Eng,Mat,EVS, Science, So.science	BRTE Subject Teachers/PG Teachers	15	25,000
Subjects- UpperPrimary (Tamil,English,Maths, Science, So.science	BRTE Subject Teachers	10	28,500
SSA Components	Officers,State Co-ordinators	15	6500
Training to Teachers in subjects	Key Resource persons, Co-ordinators	5	41,000
Periodical Review Meeting	Officers	12	12,000

**DEP PROGRAMME FOR 2008-09**

<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Resource Persons conducting the Programme</b>	<b>No.of Programmes to be Organised</b>	<b>No.of Beneficiaries to be covered</b>
Subjects-Primary (Tamil,Eng,Mat,EVS, Science, So.science	BRTE Subject Teachers/PG Teachers	18	38,000
Subjects- UpperPrimary (Tamil,English,Maths, Science, So.science	BRTE Subject Teachers	15	32,500
SSA Components	Officers,State Co-ordinators	15	6500
Training to Teachers in subjects	Key Resource persons, Co-ordinators	10	80,000
Periodical Review Meeting	Officers	12	12,000

## **1.21 MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**

A fulfilled MIS unit has been established at state and district level with hardware and staff supports.

At State level the following staff are attached

- Programmer - 1
- Junior Programmer - 2
- Computer operator - 2

### **HARDWARE**

- Server - 1
- Components - 5
- Printer - 2

### **SOFTWARE**

- House hold survey/Child Labour.
- Cohort study.
- DISE - form NUPEA.

At District Level the following staff are attached

- Structural Officer - 1
- Programmer - 1
- Computer Operator - 1

### **HARDWARE**

- Computer - 2
- Printer - 1

Software supply is through SPO.

## **PROPOSAL FOR STRENGTHENING OF MIS UNIT**

It is proposed to establish a network system connect all Districts and sub districts for which external agency support is to be sought.

### **HARDWARE**

All the blocks will be supplied one computer and printer exclusively for MIS unit.

### **COMPUTER TRAINING TO STAFF**

All the BRTE's at CRC and BRC level are to be given one week computer training especially MS office and also to use the NUPEA software for dissemination of DISE data, Planning, monitoring at sub district level.

Similarly Officers and staff at SPO are also to be given computer training on programming and to use the software supplied by NUPEA for dissemination of data for planning and monitoring.

## **SUPERVISION AND MONITORING**

The MIS unit at SPO and district offices generate reports from various data base such as House hold survey/Child Labour, DISE, Cohort study, EER. Achievement test, Monthly reports and periodical review is being taken up by the field officials at State, Districts and Sub districts level.

The District and Sub district core plan team is also to monitor the programme clearly and effectively.

Further external agencies are also involved to monitor the programme as per the guidelines issued by GOI.

At grass root level VEC is the body to monitor the programme implementation very clearly.

The VEC members have been given Orientation and Training for Planning and Monitoring.

The role of the VEC in monitoring the programme implementations are,

- The pupil's attendance.
- The teacher's attendance.
- Progress of civil works.
- Conveyance of schools in providing water, toilet, health components.
- Procuring of commodities.
- Supply of materials.
- Supply of noon meal.
- Function of AIE centre.
- ABL progress.
- Child progress.

**Table 55**  
**District wise No. of Schools by No. of visits by BRTes & BRCs**

Sl. No	District	No. of Visits by BRTes & Supervisors							Total Schools
		0	1	2	3	4	5	>5	
1	Chennai	119	7	10	18	13	39	154	360
2	Coimbatore	342	126	127	129	155	194	815	1888
3	Cuddalore	102	91	132	156	162	159	516	1318
4	Dharmapuri	178	111	120	103	111	108	553	1284
5	Dindigul	163	71	131	101	113	106	564	1249
6	Erode	12	53	109	115	157	196	1085	1727
7	Kancheepuram	7	220	235	172	165	155	397	1351
8	Kanniyakumari	68	59	73	51	60	54	157	522
9	Karur	105	67	108	75	104	88	232	779
10	Krishnagiri	327	255	221	176	153	111	320	1563
11	Madurai	82	71	112	106	140	135	499	1145
12	Nagapattinam	60	127	179	103	91	99	204	863
13	Namakkal	81	56	86	60	63	74	540	960
14	Perambalur	114	67	103	119	90	98	285	876
15	Pudukkottai	0	196	386	197	157	151	394	1481
16	Ramnad	75	116	299	207	158	98	86	1039
17	Salem	129	90	85	89	97	158	1005	1653
18	Sivagangai	0	70	93	84	127	216	459	1049
19	Thanjavur	129	187	222	127	112	109	422	1308
20	Theni	43	44	48	43	54	41	232	505
21	The Nilgiris	27	78	75	58	52	46	92	428
22	Thiruchirapalli	79	19	294	130	125	96	453	1196
23	Thirunelveli	60	54	88	79	63	98	437	879
24	Thiruvallur	119	87	175	169	194	206	418	1368
25	Thiruvannmalai	171	171	289	257	261	225	473	1847
26	Thiruvarur	108	75	100	85	79	124	322	893
27	Thoothukudi	0	42	98	138	108	93	198	677
28	Vellore	182	269	331	259	225	223	646	2135
29	Villupuram	289	307	315	243	201	207	420	1982
30	Virudhunagar	0	44	90	100	117	125	422	898
	<b>State</b>	<b>3171</b>	<b>3230</b>	<b>4734</b>	<b>3749</b>	<b>3707</b>	<b>3832</b>	<b>12800</b>	<b>35223</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

## 1.22 SPECIAL FOCUS DISTRICTS

The following 20 districts have been identified as districts that required special attention to provide infrastructure and other facilities for quality education. They are

**INFRA STRUCTURE GAP****SOCIAL CATEGORY****A****B**

1. Dindigul
2. Erode
3. Karur
4. Pudukottai
5. Ramanathapuram
6. Sivagangai
7. Thanjavur
8. Thiruvarur
9. Thiruvannamalai
10. Thoothukodi
11. Vellore
12. Viruthunagar

1. Cuddalore
2. Kanchipuram
3. Kanniyakumari
4. Nagapattinam
5. Perambalur
6. The Nilgiris
7. Thiruvarur
8. Villupuram

Many interventions have already been implemented in these Districts with special focus on Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe children particularly girl children minority children. Special Focus is also given in preparation of plan for these districts for 2008 - 09.

These Districts are given special attention this year and area-specific, problem-specific, child-specific interventions have been planned to be implemented in 2008-2009, the proposals of which are detailed in Chapter IV – Activities & Budget.

**1.23 INNOVATION**

Innovation is also the component of the SSA programme for certain thrust area identified district specific for accuracy the objectives.

There is a budget proposal of Rs.100 lakhs for each district. The selected thrust area are CAL, ECCE, Girls education, SC&ST Education, and Minority Education.

**1.24. COMPUTER AIDED LEARNING**

Computer Aided Learning is felt very much and also given importance under SSA as 15.00 lakhs was allotted per district for purchase of hardware and for preparation of modules in CD.

During 2007-2008 as many as 4340 CAL centres were functioning, 13925 teachers were given training. The number of children benefited is 150263.

It is proposed to cover all the upper primary schools under CAL during 2008-2009.

The number of schools to be covered, teachers to be trained during 2008-2009 is presented in the table below.



**Table -56**  
**Computer Aided Learning (CAL), achievement for 2007-08 and**  
**proposal for 2008-09**

S. No.	District	No of Govt. Schools with upper primary classes	Achievement for 2007-08			No. of Schools to be provided CAL centres	Proposal for 2008-09			
			No. of schools with CAL centres	No of Beneficiaries	No of teachers trained on CAL		No. of schools where CAL centres proposed	Provision of Hardwares /Softwares	No. of Children to be Covered	No. of Teachers to be Trained
1	Chennai	209	73	4179	743	136	120	100	6270	120
2	Coimbatore	611	223	6200	842	388	120	100	18330	120
3	Cuddalore	431	252	6160	572	179	120	100	12930	120
4	Dharmapuri	441	121	3554	160	320	120	100	13230	120
5	Dindigul	294	96	5487	94	198	120	100	8820	120
6	Erode	442	110	8411	800	332	120	100	13260	120
7	Kancheepuram	466	341	4267	46	125	120	100	13980	120
8	Kanyakumari	229	66	1860	110	163	120	100	6870	120
9	Karur	194	68	2791	320	126	120	100	5820	120
10	Krishnagiri	460	170	30287	200	290	120	100	13800	120
11	Madurai	370	91	4500	172	279	120	100	11100	120
12	Nagapattinam	307	153	4745	757	154	120	100	9210	120
13	Namakkal	280	92	3741	580	188	120	100	8400	120
14	Perambalur	299	211	2577	395	88	120	100	8970	120
15	Pudukkottai	454	125	872	520	329	120	100	13620	120
16	Ramanathapuram	259	169	2787	378	90	120	100	7770	120
17	Salem	496	116	1036	1036	380	120	100	14880	120
18	Sivagangai	277	81	4117	420	196	120	100	8310	120
19	Thanjavur	394	112	1245	600	282	120	100	11820	120
20	The Nilgiris	163	59	1365	160	104	120	100	4890	120
21	Theni	169	68	879	600	101	120	100	5070	120
22	Thiruchirappalli	364	99	677	741	265	120	100	10920	120
23	Thirunelveli	239	99	4457	77	140	120	100	7170	120
24	Thiruvallur	461	132	7034	560	329	120	100	13830	120
25	Thiruvannamalai	552	259	3985	720	293	120	100	16560	120
26	Thiruvarur	267	150	7364	100	117	120	100	8010	120
27	Thoothukkudi	167	74	4208	520	93	120	100	5010	120
28	Vellore	659	193	3908	1576	466	120	100	19770	120
29	Villupuram	674	459	13469	82	215	120	100	20220	120
30	Virudhunagar	256	78	4101	44	178	120	100	7680	120
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10884</b>	<b>4340</b>	<b>150263</b>	<b>13925</b>	<b>6544</b>	<b>3600</b>	<b>3000</b>	<b>326520</b>	<b>3600</b>

Source : Monthly Review Reports

## 1.25 ECCE

ECCE is to be given importance so as to enroll all the children after completing 5 years in formal schools.

The population in 3-4 age group is about 31.90 lakhs in the State as many as 11 lakhs children are in ECCE centres. Supporting ECCE centre is the preparatory activity to bring the children in to the formal schools.

Under SSA, Play Materials and TLM are supplied to these centres. Further joint training to Anganwadi workers are given to improve the learning skill of the children and to orient the parents to ensure education for their children.

District wise number of ICDS/TINP centres and number of enrolled under SSA is given in the table below.

**Table - 57**

**District wise number of ECCE Centres, No. of Children covered in 2007-08 (No. of centres to be covered and Children to be benefited in 2008-09)**

S. No.	Districts	Population 3-<5 Age	ICDS/TINP-2007-08					
			No. of centres supplied			No. of Beneficiaries		
			Upgraded	Existing	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	204777	730	165	895	15935	13276	29211
2	Coimbatore	225977	730	150	880	18471	15975	34446
3	Cuddalore	122813	730	0	730	21637	30454	52091
4	Dharmapuri	70363	730	35	765	8111	7611	15722
5	Dindigul	98971	730	300	1030	24532	21514	46046
6	Erode	118863	730	400	1130	19234	17417	36651
7	Kancheepuram	150889	730	400	1130	27619	23257	50876
8	Kanyakumari	76833	730	113	843	8928	9162	18090
9	Karur	45107	730	0	730	8891	8765	17656
10	Krishnagiri	88465	730	50	780	16728	15788	32516
11	Madurai	135652	730	400	1130	44043	33010	77053
12	Nagapattinam	72709	730	0	730	13285	11100	24385
13	Namakkal	67937	730	300	1030	16277	15285	31562
14	Perambalur	67844	730	120	850	19150	17108	36258
15	Pudukkottai	82257	730	300	1030	20907	20647	41554
16	Ramanathapuram	55480	730	0	730	14502	13120	27622
17	Salem	154982	730	350	1080	31249	28831	60080
18	Sivagangai	59817	730	0	730	17205	10323	27528
19	Thanjavur	111288	730	400	1130	19989	19749	39738
20	Theni	48313	730	196	926	14682	13857	28539
21	The Nilgiris	33167	730	11	741	6080	4881	10961
22	Thiruchirappalli	119901	730	0	730	18908	19256	38164
23	Thirunelveli	142038	730	0	730	10750	10460	21210
24	Thiruvallur	137739	730	300	1030	24288	24147	48435
25	Thiruvannamalai	109109	730	300	1030	18590	16606	35196
26	Thiruvarur	55302	730	0	730	0	0	0
27	Thoothukudi	82044	730	0	730	25676	23893	49569
28	Vellore	192472	730	350	1080	44723	40187	84910
29	Villupuram	169538	730	400	1130	46490	53348	99838
30	Virudhunagar	90041	730	0	730	19633	19344	38977
	<b>Total</b>	<b>3190688</b>	<b>21900</b>	<b>5040</b>	<b>26940</b>	<b>596513</b>	<b>558371</b>	<b>1154884</b>

Source: House Hold Survey-2005, Social Welfare Department & Monthly Review Reports

**Table - 57a**  
**Districts number of ECCE Centres, No. of Children to be covered in 2008-09**

S. No.	Districts	Proposal for 2008-09					
		No. of Existing Centres	No. of centres to be supplied learning materials	No. of Anganwadi workers to be given training	No. of children to be covered		
					Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	1146	1146	1146	16856	14168	31024
2	Coimbatore	2184	2184	2184	19299	17539	36838
3	Cuddalore	1745	1745	1745	22552	21240	43792
4	Dharmapuri	980	980	980	9004	8232	17236
5	Dindigul	1887	1887	1887	25217	22343	47560
6	Erode	2402	2402	2402	19757	18026	37783
7	Kancheepuram	2096	2096	2096	28131	26978	55109
8	Kanyakumari	1134	1134	1134	9656	9988	19644
9	Karur	716	716	716	9941	9686	19627
10	Krishnagiri	1068	1068	1068	17820	16766	34586
11	Madurai	1778	1778	1778	44879	42931	87810
12	Nagapattinam	885	885	885	14206	12152	26358
13	Namakkal	1368	1368	1368	16929	16011	32940
14	Perambalur	1071	1071	1071	20132	18022	38154
15	Pudukkottai	1459	1459	1459	21532	21445	42977
16	Ramanathapuram	1060	1060	1060	15227	13924	29151
17	Salem	2383	2383	2383	32455	29903	62358
18	Sivagangai	1004	1004	1004	17834	14024	31858
19	Thanjavur	1626	1626	1626	20703	20427	41130
20	Theni	1040	1040	1040	15501	14726	30227
21	The Nilgiris	432	432	432	6685	6311	12996
22	Thiruchirappalli	1392	1392	1392	19880	20265	40145
23	Thirunelveli	2307	2307	2307	11652	11355	23007
24	Thiruvallur	1976	1976	1976	25277	25052	50329
25	Thiruvannamalai	1611	1611	1611	19495	17475	36970
26	Thiruvarur	896	896	896	936	1075	2011
27	Thoothukudi	1310	1310	1310	26647	24862	51509
28	Vellore	2724	2724	2724	45625	41246	86871
29	Villupuram	2721	2721	2721	47446	54450	101896
30	Virudhunagar	1368	1368	1368	20438	20205	40643
	<b>Total</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>621712</b>	<b>590827</b>	<b>1212539</b>

*Source: House Hold Survey-2005, Social Welfare Department & Monthly Review Reports*

## 1.26 GIRLS EDUCATION

Girls education is also the priority area to ensure gender equity. Under SSA 15 lakshs is earmarked for the activities such as English Communication Skill Improvement and for quality education.

During 2007-08, as many as 35,520 girls were given Life Skill Training, 1,20,000 girls were given English Communication Skill Improvement Training.

District wise details are furnished in the table below.

**Table-58**  
**Girls Education -Achievement in 2007-08**

S.No	Districts	Achievement 2007-2008						
		No of Schools			No of beneficiaries			
		Middle	High	HSS	Life Skill Training	Supply of Learning Materials/Workbooks/ Maths & Sciencekit	English Common Skill Development	Vocational Trg.
1	Chennai	115	47	50	1180	1000	4000	4100
2	Coimbatore	390	109	107	1180	1000	4000	4100
3	Cuddalore	263	73	69	1180	1000	4000	4100
4	Dharmapuri	260	58	73	1180	500	4000	4100
5	Dindigul	177	48	50	1180	1000	4000	4100
6	Erode	281	68	81	1180	1000	4000	4100
7	Kancheepuram	272	92	78	1180	1000	4000	4100
8	Kanyakumari	108	75	48	1180	1000	4000	4100
9	Karur	116	41	31	1180	1000	4000	4100
10	Krishnagiri	272	100	61	1180	500	4000	4100
11	Madurai	244	68	58	1180	1000	4000	4100
12	Nagapattinam	203	62	44	1180	1000	4000	4100
13	Namakkal	158	46	70	1180	1000	4000	4100
14	Perambalur	163	73	56	1180	1000	4000	4100
15	Pudukkottai	295	85	67	1180	1000	4000	4100
16	Ramanathapuram	175	39	40	1180	1000	4000	4100
17	Salem	276	99	94	1180	1000	4000	4100
18	Sivagangai	169	58	33	1180	1000	4000	4100
19	Thanjavur	228	99	65	1180	1000	4000	4100
20	Theni	82	38	45	1180	1000	4000	4100
21	The Nilgiris	86	62	16	1180	1000	4000	4100
22	Thiruchirappalli	230	71	59	1180	1000	4000	4100
23	Thirunelveli	111	57	68	1180	1000	4000	4100
24	Thiruvallur	279	109	58	1180	1000	4000	4100
25	Thiruvannamalai	325	136	81	1180	1000	4000	4100
26	Thiruvarur	158	57	47	1180	1000	4000	4100
27	Thoothukudi	104	25	33	1300	1000	4000	3500
28	Vellore	392	143	119	1180	1000	4000	4100
29	Villupuram	430	126	110	1180	1000	4000	4100
30	Virudhunagar	146	65	52	1180	1000	4000	4100
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6508</b>	<b>2229</b>	<b>1863</b>	<b>35520</b>	<b>29000</b>	<b>120000</b>	<b>122400</b>

Source: Monthly Review Reports

**Table-58a**  
**Girls Education**  
**Proposal for 2008-09**

S.No	Districts	Proposed 2008-2009				
		No of Schools			English Communication Skill Development	Supply of Learning Materials/Workbooks/ Maths & Sciencekit
		Middle	High	HSS		
1	Chennai	113	47	49	4100	4210
2	Coimbatore	399	109	103	4100	4210
3	Cuddalore	286	70	75	4100	4210
4	Dharmapuri	308	61	72	4100	4210
5	Dindigul	191	53	50	4100	4210
6	Erode	291	68	83	4100	4210
7	Kancheepuram	283	93	90	4100	4210
8	Kanyakumari	104	73	52	4100	4210
9	Karur	119	42	33	4100	4210
10	Krishnagiri	294	96	70	4100	4210
11	Madurai	241	67	62	4100	4210
12	Nagapattinam	197	61	49	4100	4210
13	Namakkal	161	45	74	4100	4210
14	Perambalur	167	74	58	4100	4210
15	Pudukkottai	297	89	68	4100	4210
16	Ramanathapuram	177	37	45	4100	4210
17	Salem	298	98	100	4100	4210
18	Sivagangai	171	57	39	4100	4210
19	Thanjavur	223	100	71	4100	4210
20	Theni	83	41	45	4100	4210
21	The Nilgiris	86	45	32	4100	4210
22	Thiruchirappalli	227	73	64	4100	4210
23	Thirunelveli	113	52	74	4100	4210
24	Thiruvallur	292	102	67	4100	4210
25	Thiruvannamalai	329	134	89	4100	4210
26	Thiruvavur	163	56	48	4100	4210
27	Thoothukudi	108	24	35	4100	4210
28	Vellore	394	141	124	4100	4210
29	Villupuram	433	123	118	4100	4210
30	Virudhunagar	161	36	59	4100	4210
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>123000</b>	<b>126300</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

It is proposed English communication skill development training for 1.23 lakhs children and 126300 girl children are to be supplied learning materials such as work book, Maths kit.

## 1.27 SC & ST INTERVENTION

Education of SC&ST children is also given priority. Under SSA budget Rs.15.00 lakhs was allotted for SC&ST intervention.

During 2007-08 the low performing children in I-VIII Std. were given Remedial Coaching to improve their learning skill. Further Exposure Visits, Multiple Intelligence Training, Life Skill Training and English Communication Skill Improvement Training were also given.

Distict wise details are given in the table below.

**Table 59**  
**Innovative Intervention for SC/ST Children Achievement 2007-08**

S.No.	District	Achievement 2007-08							
		No. of schools (Govt. & Local body) Primary				No. of Children			
		Primary	Middle	High	HSS	Supply of Learning Materials/Workbook s/Maths&Science Kit	Life Skill trg.	Exposure visit	English Communication Skill
1	Chennai	155	115	47	50	2000	1300	2000	1500
2	Coimbatore	1269	390	109	107	2000	1300	2000	1500
3	Cuddalore	904	261	81	62	2000	1300	2000	1500
4	Dharmapuri	853	260	58	73	1000	650	1000	750
5	Dindigul	968	177	48	50	2000	1300	2000	1500
6	Erode	1298	281	68	81	2000	1300	2000	1500
7	Kancheepuram	878	272	92	78	2000	1300	2000	1500
8	Kanyakumari	290	108	75	48	2000	1300	2000	1500
9	Karur	586	116	41	32	2000	1300	2000	1500
10	Krishnagiri	1049	265	100	61	1000	650	1000	750
11	Madurai	779	234	68	58	2000	1300	2000	1500
12	Nagapattinam	540	203	62	44	2000	1300	2000	1500
13	Namakkal	682	158	46	70	2000	1300	2000	1500
14	Perambalur	579	163	73	56	2000	1300	2000	1500
15	Pudukkottai	1030	295	85	67	2000	1300	2000	1500
16	Ramanathapuram	776	175	39	40	2000	1300	2000	1500
17	Salem	1148	276	99	94	2000	1300	2000	1500
18	Sivagangai	784	169	58	33	2000	1300	2000	1500
19	Thanjavur	910	228	99	65	2000	1300	2000	1500
20	Theni	327	82	38	45	2000	1300	2000	1500
21	The Nilgiris	263	86	62	16	2000	1300	2000	1500
22	Thiruchirappalli	827	230	71	59	2000	1300	2000	1500
23	Thirunelveli	637	111	57	68	2000	1300	2000	1500
24	Thiruvallur	928	279	109	58	2000	1300	2000	1500
25	Thiruvannamalai	1287	325	136	81	2000	1300	2000	1500
26	Thiruvaur	635	158	57	47	2000	1300	2000	1500
27	Thoothukudi	514	104	25	33	2000	1300	2000	1500
28	Vellore	1468	392	143	119	2000	1300	2000	1500
29	Villpuram	1307	430	126	110	2000	1300	2000	1500
30	Virudhunagar	626	146	65	52	2000	1300	2000	1500
	<b>State</b>	<b>24297</b>	<b>6489</b>	<b>2237</b>	<b>1857</b>	<b>58000</b>	<b>37700</b>	<b>58000</b>	<b>43500</b>

Source: Monthly Review Reports

**Table 59 a**  
**Innovative Intervention for SC/ST Children Proposal for 2008-09**

S.No.	District	Proposal for 2008-09					
		No. of schools (Govt. & Local body)				No. of children to be covered	
		Primary	Middle	High	Higher Secondary	Supply of Learning Materials/Workbooks/Maths & Science Kit	English Communication Skill development
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	4300	4000
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	4300	4000
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	4300	4000
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	4300	4000
5	Dindigul	955	191	53	50	4300	4000
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	4300	4000
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	4300	4000
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	4300	4000
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	4300	4000
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	4300	4000
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	4300	4000
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	4300	4000
13	Namakkal	680	161	45	74	4300	4000
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	4300	4000
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	4300	4000
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	4300	4000
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	4300	4000
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	4300	4000
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	4300	4000
20	Theni	336	83	41	45	4300	4000
21	The Nilgiris	265	86	45	32	4300	4000
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	227	73	64	4300	4000
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	4300	4000
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	4300	4000
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	4300	4000
26	Thiruvarur	626	163	56	48	4300	4000
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	4300	4000
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	4300	4000
29	Villupuram	1308	433	123	118	4300	4000
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	4300	4000
	<b>State</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>129000</b>	<b>120000</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

It is also planned to give English communication skill to 1.20 lakhs SC/ST children during the year. In addition 1.29 low performing SC/ST children to be supply learning materials for quality education.

## 1.28 MINORITY CHILDREN

Though it is planned to suggest exclusively the low performing minority children, 0.37 lakhs children are to be given English communication and personal development training and 0.45 children are to be given learning materials.

**Table-59 b**  
**Innovative Intervention for Minority Children Education - Proposal for 2008-09**

S.No.	District	Total No.of Govt & Local body Schools				No.of Minority Children to be covered	
		P	M	HS	HSS	English Communication skill development	Supply of Learning Materials / Workbooks / Maths and Science Kit
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	1250	1500
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	1250	1500
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	1250	1500
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	1250	1500
5	Dindigul	955	191	53	50	1250	1500
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	1250	1500
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	1250	1500
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	1250	1500
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	1250	1500
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	1250	1500
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	1250	1500
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	1250	1500
13	Namakkal	680	161	45	74	1250	1500
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	1250	1500
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	1250	1500
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	1250	1500
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	1250	1500
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	1250	1500
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	1250	1500
20	Theni	265	86	45	32	1250	1500
21	The Nilgiris	336	83	41	45	1250	1500
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	227	73	64	1250	1500
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	1250	1500
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	1250	1500
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	1250	1500
26	Thiruvarur	626	163	56	48	1250	1500
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	1250	1500
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	1250	1500
29	Villupuram	1308	433	123	118	1250	1500
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	1250	1500
	<b>State</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>37500</b>	<b>45000</b>

Source : Monthly Review Reports



## 1.29 LEARNING ENHANCEMENT PROGRAMME

The AWP&B for 2008- 09 gives much importance in quality education to all the children through the intervention of remedial teaching and learning enhancement programme for low performing children. It is observed that the percentage of children passed in V std with 60% and above is 68.92% and in VIII std is 45.88%

The achievement test result and ABL performance shows that about 8% of the children are low performing. Therefore it is planned to cover all those children through this learning enhancement programme by supplying additional input as learning materials and training for 388454 children.

Districts wise number of children to be enrolled is presented in the table below.

**Table -60**  
District wise ABL Schools and Performance

Sl. No	District Name	No.Of children Observed	No.of children Progressing	% of Progressing	% of low performing	Enrolment in Govt. & Aided Schools	
						Std. I-V	Std. VI-VIII
1	Chennai	16111	13276	82.40	7.60	136113	134330
2	Combatore	62332	57683	92.54	8.46	223497	181734
3	Cuddalore	54535	43729	80.19	8.01	166570	118868
4	Dharmapuri	34604	31042	89.71	8.29	106894	76975
5	Dindigul	43896	26594	60.58	8.42	155713	102016
6	Erode	45685	37781	82.70	8.30	144817	104860
7	Kancheepuram	44856	43242	96.40	7.60	171124	148957
8	Kanyakumari	21062	19029	90.35	6.21	95188	75777
9	Karur	22822	18489	81.01	7.99	62919	42419
10	Krishnagiri	40894	38082	93.12	8.88	138189	84628
11	Madurai	30845	26519	85.98	7.02	185530	133103
12	Nagapattinam	38782	35384	91.24	6.76	120865	88740
13	Namakkal	29534	26612	90.11	8.09	92527	65589
14	Perambalur	23061	22737	98.60	8.40	99357	65271
15	Pudukkottai	47661	41768	87.64	8.36	118037	82252
16	Ramanathapuram	38130	35525	93.17	8.13	105017	67990
17	Selam	46364	29790	64.25	8.75	211951	149302
18	Sivagangai	37151	34795	93.66	7.34	84788	63754
19	Thanjavur	49041	43496	88.69	7.31	151562	113877
20	Theni	22146	14869	67.14	7.86	98958	61668
21	The Nilgiris	11242	9305	82.77	8.23	39066	29498
22	Thiruchirappalli	40583	34809	85.77	7.23	167805	126768
23	Thirunelveli	67592	59383	87.86	6.32	241580	155073
24	Thiruvallur	45819	38917	84.94	8.06	150640	122716
25	Thiruvannmalai	57317	47010	82.02	8.08	170080	110241
26	Thiruvarur	32728	25798	78.83	8.17	86988	66152
27	Thoothukudi	38336	32899	85.82	7.18	125537	83732
28	Vellore	62650	53998	86.19	8.81	253536	186211
29	Villupuram	70743	51639	73.00	8.20	236741	151111
30	Virudhunagar	40564	34800	85.79	6.65	155572	97094
	<b>State</b>	<b>1217086</b>	<b>1029000</b>	<b>84.55</b>	<b>7.82</b>	<b>4297161</b>	<b>3090706</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

**Table 61**  
**Intervention of Learning Enhancement of children in**  
**Government Schools 2008-09**

S.No.	District	Total No. of Govt & Local body Schools					No. of Schools to be covered	No. of children to be covered
		P	M	HS	HSS	Total		
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	360	360	5230
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	1888	1888	20750
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	1318	1318	14320
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	1284	1284	18457
5	Dindigul	955	191	53	50	1249	1249	12551
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	1727	1727	16350
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	1351	1351	15745
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	522	522	4200
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	779	779	6860
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	1563	1563	17883
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	1145	1145	13577
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	863	863	11289
13	Namakkal	680	161	45	74	960	960	11573
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	876	876	10200
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	1481	1481	14500
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	1039	1039	9785
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	1653	1653	21987
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	1049	1049	10387
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	1308	1308	13460
20	Theni	265	86	45	32	428	428	6080
21	The Nilgiris	336	83	41	45	505	505	3570
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	227	73	64	1196	1196	11682
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	879	879	11051
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	1368	1368	13749
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	1847	1847	18270
26	Thiruvavur	626	163	56	48	893	893	10789
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	677	677	7574
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	2135	2135	23326
29	Vilupuram	1308	433	123	118	1982	1982	22769
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	898	898	10490
	<b>State</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>35223</b>	<b>35223</b>	<b>388454</b>

Source : Achievement Test 2007

### 1.30 COMMUNITY MOBILISATION

SSA Assigns greater importance on systematic Mobilisation of the community in planning and implementing and monitoring the programme.

The VEC, BEC, DEC have been formed at Village, Block and District Level respectively with community members. The success of the SSA depends on the quality of the community based planning process. Since the tremendous requirement for developing capacities in communities is accepted, all the community members are given Orientation and capacity building training in planning and Implementation and Monitoring to achieve the objectives of SSA.

District wise information relating to number of VECs, number of members, number of members given training and VEC's contribution during 2007- 08 are presented in the table below.

**Table - 62**  
**Community Mobilization - 2007-08**

S.No.	District	Training					Contribution (value in Rs.)
		Total No. of VEC's	Total Members	No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held	
1	Chennai	758	15160	6370	12740	15160	1517260
2	Coimbatore	2095	41900	8124	16248	41900	60852532
3	Cuddalore	1600	32000	7824	15648	32000	562000
4	Dharmapuri	1282	25640	4842	9684	25640	11560000
5	Dindigul	1563	31260	7184	14368	31260	1118600
6	Erode	1893	37860	8276	16552	37860	2999500
7	Kancheepuram	1579	31580	9378	18756	31580	2944000
8	Kanyakumari	806	16120	2414	4828	16120	1299000
9	Karur	838	16760	3040	6080	16760	1045000
10	Krishnagiri	1553	31060	6086	12172	31060	2294626
11	Madurai	1453	29060	6804	13608	29060	1750000
12	Nagapattinam	1166	23320	4992	9984	23320	3152000
13	Namakkal	1059	21180	4418	8836	21180	403000
14	Perambalur	1001	20020	3670	7340	20020	1973868
15	Pudukkottai	1585	31700	6516	13032	31700	0
16	Ramanathapuram	1297	25940	4524	9048	25940	0
17	Salem	1761	35220	10010	20020	35220	2284070
18	Sivagangai	1180	23600	5240	10480	23600	0
19	Thanjavur	1601	32020	7110	14220	32020	1024000
20	Theni	730	14600	2578	5156	14600	0
21	The Nilgiris	579	11580	1714	3428	11580	40550
22	Thiruchirappalli	1570	31400	5820	11640	31400	800000
23	Thirunelveli	2146	42920	8584	17168	42920	249100
24	Thiruvallur	1554	31080	7340	14680	31080	1173000
25	Thiruvannamalai	2006	40120	9628	19256	40120	5871200
26	Thiruvarur	1009	20180	4794	9588	20180	15480200
27	Thoothukkudi	1536	30720	5330	10660	30720	3198100
28	Vellore	2443	48860	10492	20984	48860	1082072
29	Villupuram	2301	46020	10884	21768	46020	4304310
30	Virudhunagar	1386	27720	9372	18744	27720	717451
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>43330</b>	<b>866600</b>	<b>193358</b>	<b>386716</b>	<b>866600</b>	<b>62369792</b>

Source : Progress Report

It is planned to constitute the new VECs for the new primary schools proposed and number of members to be given capacity building training during 2008 – 09 is also presented in the table below.

**Table 63**  
**District wise number of new VEC and number of members to be given training in 2008 -09**

S. No.	Districts	Total No. of Existing VEC's	Total No of New VEC s	No. of Existing VEC members	No. of members in the New VECs	Total VEC members	No. of members to be given Training
1	Chennai	758	0	15160	0	15160	3032
2	Coimbatore	2095	25	41900	500	42400	8480
3	Cuddalore	1600	9	32000	180	32180	6436
4	Dharmapuri	1282	42	25640	840	26480	5296
5	Dindigul	1563	0	31260	0	31260	6252
6	Erode	1893	7	37860	140	38000	7600
7	Kancheepuram	1579	6	31580	120	31700	6340
8	Kanyakumari	806	0	16120	0	16120	3224
9	Karur	838	0	16760	0	16760	3352
10	Krishnagiri	1553	33	31060	660	31720	6344
11	Madurai	1453	9	29060	180	29240	5848
12	Nagapattinam	1166	6	23320	120	23440	4688
13	Namakkal	1059	5	21180	100	21280	4256
14	Perambalur	1001	5	20020	100	20120	4024
15	Pudukkottai	1585	18	31700	360	32060	6412
16	Ramanathapuram	1297	3	25940	60	26000	5200
17	Salem	1761	14	35220	280	35500	7100
18	Sivagangai	1180	1	23600	20	23620	4724
19	Thanjavur	1601	3	32020	60	32080	6416
20	Theni	730	2	14600	40	14640	2928
21	The Nilgiris	579	1	11580	20	11600	2320
22	Thiruchirappalli	1570	1	31400	20	31420	6284
23	Thirunelveli	2146	2	42920	40	42960	8592
24	Thiruvallur	1554	3	31080	60	31140	6228
25	Thiruvannamalai	2006	17	40120	340	40460	8092
26	Thiruvarur	1009	3	20180	60	20240	4048
27	Thoothukkudi	1536	7	30720	140	30860	6172
28	Vellore	2443	15	48860	300	49160	9832
29	Villupuram	2301	9	46020	180	46200	9240
30	Virudhunagar	1386	7	27720	140	27860	5572
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>43330</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>866600</b>	<b>5060</b>	<b>871660</b>	<b>174332</b>

*Source : Progress Report*

### **1.31 National Programme for Education of Girls at Elementary Level (NPEGEL)**

National Programme for Education of Girls at Elementary Level (NPEGEL) is an intervention being implemented specially for all the girls in I-VIII std. in Government, Local Body and Aided schools in Educationally Backward Blocks (EBBs) where rural female literacy rate is below the national average (46.13%) and the gender gap is more than the national average (21.59). Initially it was launched in the year 2003-2004 in 13 blocks in 8 districts based on the 1991 census data. Subsequently, it has been extended to 37 blocks in 11 districts based on 2001 Literacy Rate.

#### **1.31.1 Achievement in 2007-2008**

During 2007 - 08 all the 937 of approved MCS were functioning. The number of girl children benefited is 286562, The number of schools/teachers given award was 937, the number of teachers given training was 18740. Similarly 1874 BRTE's were given training. The number of children enrolled in child care centre was 18740.

District wise details are presented below.

**Table - 64**  
**NPEGEL - Achievement in 2007-08**

S. No.	District	No. of EBBs	Name of the EBBs	No. of MCSs	No. of Beneficiaries (girls)	No. of MCSs provided with		No. of school/teachers given award	No. of teachers given training	No. of BRTE given training	No. of children benefitted in the child care centres
						Addl. Class rooms	TLE				
1	Cuddalore	3	Mangalur	29	10800	27	27	29	580	58	580
			Nallur	29	8000	27	27	29	580	58	580
			Panruti	28	13000	27	27	28	560	56	560
			<b>Total</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>31800</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1720</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>1720</b>
2	Dharmapuri	3	Karimangalam	38	9500	25	25	38	760	76	760
			Palakkodu	38	12000	25	25	38	760	76	760
			Pennagaram	50	15000	28	28	50	1000	100	1000
			<b>Total</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>36000</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>2520</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>2520</b>
3	Erode	5	Anthiyur	26	7100	13	13	26	520	52	520
			Ammamet	23	6800	13	13	23	460	46	460
			Nambiyur	23	4777	12	12	23	460	46	460
			Kundadam	26	3040	15	15	26	520	52	520
			Mulanur	26	2242	15	15	26	520	52	520
<b>Total</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>23832</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>2480</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>2480</b>			
4	Karur	1	Kadavur	25	6318	25	25	25	500	50	500
			<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6318</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>500</b>
5	Krishnagiri	3	Shoolagiri	44	13263	22	22	44	880	88	880
			Veppanapalli	26	6503	15	15	26	520	52	520
			Kelamangalam	40	10974	27	27	40	800	80	800
			<b>Total</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>30740</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>2200</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>2200</b>
6	Namakkal	1	Mallasamudram	17	3164	6	6	17	340	34	340
			<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3164</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>340</b>
7	Perambalur	2	Veppur	26	9503	20	20	26	520	52	520
			Ariyalur *	27	9163	21	21	27	540	54	540
			<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>18666</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1060</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>1060</b>
8	Selam	10	Kolathur	20	7163	19	19	20	400	40	400
			Kadayampatti	25	8156	18	18	25	500	50	500
			Yercaud	13	2769	8	8	13	260	26	260
			Nangavalli	21	7682	19	19	21	420	42	420
			Edappadi	20	6848	18	18	20	400	40	400
			Sankari	21	5218	9	9	21	420	42	420
			Konganapuram	13	3773	8	8	13	260	26	260
			Mc. Donal Choultry	16	3916	15	15	16	320	32	320
			Veerapandi	17	7934	12	12	17	340	34	340
<b>Total</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>60526</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3600</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>3600</b>			
9	Sivagangai	1	S.Pudur	15	3311	15	15	15	300	30	300
			<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3311</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>300</b>
10	Thiruvanna malai	1	Jawathu Hills	20	4495	20	20	20	400	40	400
			<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4495</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>400</b>
11	Villupuram	7	Thiruvonnainal lur	23	9377	11	11	23	460	46	460
			Thirukkoyilur	20	10187	11	11	20	400	40	400
			Rishivandiyam	24	10129	13	13	24	480	48	480
			Kallakkurichi	35	10222	21	21	35	700	70	700
			Thiagadurgam	22	7886	18	18	22	440	44	440
			Uludurepettai	29	11559	17	17	29	580	58	580
			Thirunavalur	28	8333	18	18	28	560	56	560
<b>Total</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>67693</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>3620</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>3620</b>			
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>37</b>		<b>937</b>	<b>286562</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>642</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>18740</b>	<b>1874</b>	<b>18740</b>	

Source: Monthly Review Report

**Table - 64 (contd..)**  
**NPEGEL - Proposal for 2008-09**

S. No.	Name of the District	No. of EBBs	Name of the EBBs	No. of MCSs (Existing)	No. of children to be covered (girls)	No. of school/ teachers to be given award	No. of teachers to be given training	No. of BRTE to be given training	No. of children to be covered through child care centres
1	Cuddalore	3	Mangalur	29	10800	29	580	58	580
			Nallur	29	8000	29	580	58	580
			Panruti	28	13000	28	560	56	560
			<b>Total</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>31800</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1720</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>1720</b>
2	Dharmapuri	3	Karimangalam	38	9500	38	760	76	760
			Palakkodu	38	12000	38	760	76	760
			Pennagaram	50	15000	50	1000	100	1000
			<b>Total</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>36500</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>2520</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>2520</b>
3	Erode	5	Anthiyur	26	7100	26	520	52	520
			Ammamet	23	6800	23	460	46	460
			Nambiyur	23	4800	23	460	46	460
			Kundadam	26	3000	26	520	52	520
			Mulanur	26	2300	26	520	52	520
			<b>Total</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>24000</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>2480</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>2480</b>
4	Karur	1	Kadavur	25	6400	25	500	50	500
			<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>6400</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>500</b>
5	Krishnagiri	3	Shoolagiri	44	13300	44	880	88	880
			Veppanapalli	26	6500	26	520	52	520
			Kelamangalam	40	11000	40	800	80	800
			<b>Total</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>30800</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>2200</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>2200</b>
6	Namakkal	1	Mallasamudram	17	3200	17	340	34	340
			<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3200</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>340</b>
7	Perambalur	2	Veppur	26	9500	26	520	52	520
			Ariyalur *	27	9200	27	540	54	540
			<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>18700</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1060</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>1060</b>
8	Selam	10	Kolathur	20	7200	20	400	40	400
			Kadayampatti	25	8200	25	500	50	500
			Yercaud	13	2800	13	260	26	260
			Nangavalli	21	7700	21	420	42	420
			Edappadi	20	6900	20	400	40	400
			Sankari	21	5200	21	420	42	420
			Konganapuram	13	3800	13	260	26	260
			Mc. Donal Choultry	16	4000	16	320	32	320
			Vecrapandi	17	8000	17	340	34	340
			Panaimarathupatti	14	7000	14	280	28	280
<b>Total</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>60800</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3600</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>3600</b>			
9	Sivagangai	1	S.Pudur	15	3400	15	300	30	300
			<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3400</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>300</b>
10	Thiruvannamalai	1	Jawathu Hills	20	4500	20	400	40	400
			<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4500</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>400</b>
11	Villupuram	7	Thiruvannainallur	23	9400	23	460	46	460
			Thirukkoyilur	20	10200	20	400	40	400
			Rishivandiyam	24	10200	24	480	48	480
			Kallakkurichi	35	10300	35	700	70	700
			Thiagadurgam	22	7900	22	440	44	440
			Ulundurepettai	29	11600	29	580	58	580
			Thirunavalur	28	8400	28	560	56	560
<b>Total</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>68000</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>3620</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>3620</b>			
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>937</b>	<b>288100</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>18740</b>	<b>1874</b>	<b>18740</b>

Source: Monthly Review Report

### 1.32 Kasthurba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV)

Kasthurba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV) Scheme is a special intervention for out of girls in the age group of 10-13 especially in Educationally Backward Blocks. PAB has approved 37 Residential schools in 22 Educationally Backward Blocks in 10 districts in the year 2004-2005 and subsequently extended to 37 in 10 districts through 26 NGOs.

#### 1.32.1 Achievement in 2007-2008

During 2007-2008, as many as 2850 out-of-school girls' were enrolled in 53 KGBV Hostels functioning in 39 Blocks in 11 Districts.

Details on Community-wise enrolment of out of school girls in the age group of 10-14 is furnished in the following table.

**Table 65**  
**Community-wise Enrolment Details in**  
**KGBV Schools 2007-2008**

S.No	Name of the District	No. of EBBs	No. of KGBV hostels	No. of Children					Total
				SC	ST	MBC/BC	Muslim Minority	Others	
1	Cuddalore	3	3	90	4	49	1	0	150
2	Dharmapuri	3	3	102	17	75	0	0	200
3	Erode	6	6	144	29	115	0	0	300
4	Karur	1	1	17	0	31	0	0	50
5	Krishnagiri	3	3	116	10	111	7	0	250
6	Namakkal	1	3	15	129	2	0	0	150
7	Salem	11	11	203	124	191	0	10	550
8	Sivagangai	1	1	28	0	20	0	0	50
9	Thiruvannamalai	2	5	80	117	46	0	0	250
10	Villupuram	7	14	310	120	249	50	0	750
11	Virudhunagar	1	3	81	0	65	0	0	150
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1186</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>954</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2850</b>

- Out of 2850 girls enrolled in 53 KGBV residential schools 1186 girls are SC and 550 are ST community.
- Among the 11 districts, Cuddalore shows the highest enrolment of girls from SC community (60%).
- In Namakkal 86% of enrollment belongs to ST community
- In Villupuram 6.67% of the girls enrolled belong to Muslim minority.



Details on the number of NGOs involved in running the schools, number of staff appointed, the progress of civil works provided and supply of TLE and other equipments are furnished in the following table.

**Table – 66**  
**Details of No.of KGBV, No.of NGOs, Staff Appointed, Provision of**  
**Civil works & TLE – 2007-08**

S. No	District	Educationally Backward Bloc	No.of KGBV	No.of NGOs	Staff Appointed			Civil works		TLE supplied
					Full time	Part time	Supple mentary	Site selection	Progress	
1	Cuddalore	Mangalore	1	1	5	1	6			
		Nallur	1	1	5	3	2			
		Panruti	1	1	5	3	4			
2	Dharmapuri	Karimangalam	1	1	4	2	4			
		Pennagaram	1	1	5	3	4			
		Palacode	1	1	4	3	3			
3	Erode	Anthiyur	1	1	5	5	5			
		Nambiyur	1	1	5	3	5			
		T.N.Palayan	1	1	5	3	4			
		Ammappettai	1	1	5	3	5			
		Mulanur	1	1	5	5	5			
4	Karur	Kundadam	1	1	5	3	3			
		Kadavoor	1	1	5	3	5			
5	Krishnagiri	Veppanappalli	1	1	5	4	3			
		Keelamangalam	1	1	5	5	3			
		Shoolagiri	1	1	6	2	5			
6	Namakkal	Kollihills I	1	1	3	2	4			
			1	1	5	2	4			
			1	1	5	2	4			
7	Salem	Kadayampatti	1	1	5	4	5			
		Nangavalli	1	1	5	1	5			
		Veerapandi	1	1	5	1	5			
		Kolathur	1	1	5	4	5			
		Edapadi	1	1	5	1	5			
		Sankari	1	1	5	1	5			
		Yercaud	1	1	5	4	5			
		Magaudanchaval	1	1	5	2	5			
		Konganapuram	1	1	5	2	5			
		Kolathur	1	1	5	3	5			
8	Sivagangai	Penamarathupatti	1	1	5	2	5			
		S.Pudhur	1	1	5	3	5			
9	Thiruvannamalai	Jawadhu Hills	1	1	5	3	5			
			1	1	5	3	5			
			1	1	5	2	5			
			1	1	5	2	5			
		Thandrapet	1	1	5	3	6			
10	Villupuram	Thiruvannainallur	1	1	5	3	6			
			1	1	5	3	6			
		Thiyagadurgam	1	1	5	3	5			
			1	1	5	3	5			
		Ulundurpet	1	1	5	3	4			
			1	1	5	3	4			
		Rishivandhiyam	1	1	5	6	3			
			1	1	5	6	3			
		Thirunavallur	1	1	5	3	4			
			1	1	5	3	6			
11	Virudhunagar	Kallakurichi	1	1	5	3	5			
			1	1	5	1	4			
			1	1	5	1	4			
		Tirukovilur	1	1	5	1	5			
			1	1	5	4	5			
Total		Narikudi	1	1	5	1	1			
			1	1	5	1	1			
			1	1	5	1	1			
		39	53	34	262	46	232			

Source: Monthly Review Reports

\* Type I : 100 girls; Type II 50 girls :

### 1.33 City Plan 2008-09

#### 1.33.1 Introduction

It is felt very much a separate plan for educational needs of urban deprived children. The urban area have special problem like the education of street children, children engaged in profession, poor awareness of parents etc. A diversity of approaches is required to tackle educational problem. Therefore, it is planned to cover all the urban deprived children in major cities viz. Chennai, Madurai and Coimbatore with innovative strategies.

Since Chennai district is urban district the district plan itself is the city plan. Madurai and Coimbatore city planning are the part of district plans.

#### 1.33.2 Population

Population, SC & ST population and slum population in three cities are presented in the table below. The percentage of slum population is high in Chennai city (24.60%) compared to other two cities. Similarly the number of slum is also high in Chennai.

**Table - 67**  
**Population**

S. No.	Name of the City	Total Population	SC/ST Population	No. of Slums	Slum population	% of slum population
1	Chennai	4343645	604838	1240	1068490	24.60
2	Coimbatore	983600	108499	216	151942	15.45
3	Madurai	928869	55740	208	141180	15.20

Source: Census 2001.

**Table - 68**  
**School age Population**

S. No.	City	School Age Population					
		5-10 Age Group			11-13 Age Group		
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	Chennai	188287	182347	370684	112373	111215	223588
2	Coimbatore	42578	41224	83802	25360	25098	50458
3	Madurai	40256	38976	79232	24257	23486	47743

#### 1.33.3 Literacy

Cent percent is high in Madurai City 82.92% comparatively less in Coimbatore District. The literacy rate is presented in the table below.

**Table -69  
LITERACY**

S. No	Name of the City	LITERACY				
		ALL			Density	Sex Ratio
		B	G	T		
1	Chennai	84.71	75.32	80.14	34963	937
2	Coimbatore	89.85	79.60	84.69	2217	975
3	Madurai	<b>89.60</b>	<b>76.10</b>	<b>82.92</b>	<b>21858</b>	<b>978</b>

*Source: Census of India -2001.*

### 1.33.4 School Access

Corporation School access is ensured in all the cities and there is no need for formal schools. There is no need for nay more formal school.

**Table - 70  
ACCESS**

S.No	Name of the City	Access Rate	
		Primary	Upper Primary
1	Chennai	100	100
2	Coimbatore	100	100
3	Madurai	100	100

*Source : DISE 2006-07*

### 1.33.5 Schools by Category

The primary upper primary ratio is more or less similar in the three districts. The ratio is little high in Coimbatore city. There is no need for upgradation of primary schools.

The number of schools by category and Management category is presented in the table below.

**Table -71  
SCHOOLS**

S. No	Name of the City	Primary				Upper Primary				Primary Upper Primary Ratio
		Govt/ Corp.	Pvt. Aided	Pvt. Unaided	Total	Govt/ Corp.	Pvt. Aided	Pvt. Unaided	Total	
1	Chennai	151	124	339	614	209	236	445	890	1.60
2	Coimbatore	48	33	50	131	49	42	81	172	1.89
3	Madurai	38	43	74	155	43	76	60	179	1.68

*Source: DISE 2006-07*

### 1.33.6 Enrolment Primary & Upper Primary

The percentage of Boys and Girls enrolment is more or less similar in the three cities. The boys and girls enrolment gap is also similar. Similarly Status is also noticed in upper primary.

**Table - 72**  
**Enrolment Primary (All Management)**

S. No	City	ALL				SC				ST			
		B	G	T	% of Girls	B	G	T	% of Girls	B	G	T	% of Girls
1	Chennai	190339	184079	374418	49.16	45817	43990	89807	48.98	1688	1546	3234	47.80
2	Coimbatore	56536	54230	110766	48.96	6389	5769	12158	47.45	234	306	540	56.67
3	Madurai	52117	50125	102242	49.03	5440	5285	10725	49.28	382	440	822	50.53

Source: DISE 2007-08

**Table - 72 (Conti...)**  
**Enrolment Upper Primary (All Management)**

S. No	City	ALL				SC				ST			
		B	G	T	% of Girls	B	G	T	% of Girls	B	G	T	% of Girls
1	Chennai	115239	114296	229535	49.79	45817	43990	89807	48.98	1939	1459	3398	42.94
2	Coimbatore	36432	35972	72404	49.68	4878	4384	9262	47.33	189	177	366	48.36
3	Madurai	32277	31242	63519	49.19	3434	3397	6831	49.73	281	207	488	42.42

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.33.7 Teachers

The percentage of female teacher is less in Coimbatore City. The percentage of female teacher in primary school is above 90 in all three districts.

**Table - 73**  
**TEACHERS - Primary**

City	Primary											
	Corp. Govt.				Aided				Total			
	M	F	T	% of F	M	F	T	% of F	M	F	T	% of F
Chennai	51	1013	1064	95.21	66	1140	1206	94.53	117	2153	2270	94.85
Coimbatore	37	315	352	89.49	33	344	377	91.25	70	659	729	90.40
Madurai	9	100	109	91.74	39	449	488	92.00	48	549	597	91.96

Source : DISE 2007-08

The percentage of female teacher in upper primary school is less in Madurai city compared to other cities.

**Table - 73 (Conti...)**  
**TEACHERS - Upper Primary**

S. No	City	Upper Primary											
		Corp. Govt.				Aided				Total			
		M	F	T	% of F	M	F	T	% of F	M	F	T	% of F
1	Chennai	259	1983	2242	88.45	692	2505	3197	78.35	951	4488	5439	82.5
2	Coimbatore	46	297	343	86.59	98	285	383	74.4	144	582	726	80.0
3	Madurai	44	208	252	82.54	304	905	1209	74.85	348	1113	1461	76.0

Source : DISE 2007-08

### 1.33.8 Key Indicators

The PTR in the three cities is presented in the table below. The PTR of primary is little high Madurai City.

**Table - 74**  
**Pupil - Teacher Ratio**

S.No	City	Primary	Upper Primary
1	Chennai	33	27
2	Coimbatore	32	28
3	Madurai	33	29

Source: DISE 2007-08

### 1.33.9 CR, RR, DR

Cohort indicators are presented below. The CR is little less in Chennai city, high in Madurai city. The RR and DR are very less in Madurai city.

**Table - 75**  
**CR, DR AND RR 2007-08**

S. No	City	Primary								
		CR			RR			DR		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	96.34	96.42	96.39	2.54	2.18	2.35	1.12	1.40	1.26
2	Coimbatore	96.88	96.59	96.61	2.03	2.01	2.03	1.39	1.21	1.36
3	Madurai	99.51	99.54	99.52	0.21	0.20	0.20	0.27	0.25	0.27

Source: EER & Cohort

The CR, RR, DR indicate Good at upper primary level.

**Table - 75 (contd.)**  
CR, DR AND RR 2007-08

S. No	Name of the Zone	Upper Primary								
		CR			RR			DR		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	97.42	98.16	97.80	0.73	0.18	0.45	1.85	1.66	1.76
2	Coimbatore	97.13	97.11	97.11	1.08	1.04	1.02	51.90	1.80	1.85
3	Madurai	99.37	99.29	99.33	0.33	0.39	0.36	0.29	0.31	0.30

**Source: EER**

GER & NER of the three cities is more or less similar. GER & NER information is presented below.

**Table - 76**  
**GER & NER - Primary**

S. No	City	Primary					
		GER			NER		
		B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	101.09	100.95	101.02	99.55	99.53	99.54
2	Coimbatore	102.10	101.30	101.70	99.10	99.05	99.09
3	Madurai	104.70	104.80	104.90	99.55	99.45	99.50

**Table - 76 (Conti...)**  
**GER & NER - Upper Primary**

S. No	City	Upper Primary					
		GER			NER		
		B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	102.55	102.77	102.66	98.77	98.66	98.72
2	Coimbatore	101.87	101.75	101.80	98.40	98.15	98.35
3	Madurai	<b>102.21</b>	<b>102.10</b>	<b>102.17</b>	<b>98.75</b>	<b>98.69</b>	<b>98.72</b>

**Table - 77**  
**ATTENDANCE RATE**

S. No	City	Primary			Upper Primary		
		B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	98.20	98.15	98.18	96.80	97.10	96.70
2	Coimbatore	97.66	98.20	97.85	97.40	97.35	97.37
3	Madurai	97.53	97.58	97.55	97.15	97.40	97.27

**Source: Block Report**

**Table - 78  
Promotion Rate**

S.No	City	Primary			Upper Primary		
		B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	99.09	99.23	99.16	92.37	97.52	96.45
2	Coimbatore	99.01	99.15	99.11	97.35	97.42	97.40
3	Madurai	99.17	99.22	100.00	98.00	96.75	97.50

**Source: Block Report**

**Table - 79  
TRANSITION RATE**

S.No	City	Primary			Upper Primary		
		B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	98.15	98.34	98.27	97.10	97.05	97.08
2	Coimbatore	98.30	98.40	98.35	97.15	97.10	97.10
3	Madurai	98.60	97.80	97.75	97.25	95.75	96.75

**Source: Block Report**

**Table - 80  
Coverage of Out of School Children in 2008-09**

S. No	City	No. of Disabled Children	Support Through		
			Schools	AIE	HBE
1	Chennai	5668	2803	2755	110
2	Coimbatore	875	721	140	14
3	Madurai	632	533	88	11

**Table - 81  
AIE Centres 2007 - 2008**

S. No	City	No. of AIE Centres	Children Age 6-10			Enrolled in AIE Centres age 11-14			Total		
			M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
			1	Chennai	220	841	876	1717	1441	1488	2929
2	Coimbatore	14	115	88	208	76	69	145	191	157	348
3	Madurai	12	105	96	201	41	26	67	146	122	268

**Source : EER**

## **Issues**

- Identification of out of school children since migrating frequently.
- Identification of street children since no parent
- Compulsion to earn
- Poor awareness of parent in slums.

## **Strategies**

- Involving NGOs in identification of out of school children and to reduce the RBC NRBC centres.
- Involving urban SHGs.
- Organising awareness of slum welfare schools.
- Promoting slum SHS through Women Development Corporation.
- Promoting ECCE centres, ICDS centres.
- Establishment of OSC tracking system.

### **1.34. FINANCIAL ACHIEVEMENT**

Under SSA Rs.736.16 crore was approved including NPEGEL & KGBV by Project Approval Board for the year 2006-07. The financial achievement is Rs.727.65 crores and the percentage achieved is 98.84. The success of planning & implementation of the SSA programme is the joint effort, involvement and integration of the staff and officials of education, directors and district & sub district level offices. The SSA management structures itself integrate the education structures at all levels.

The districtwise budget approved and financial achievement for 2006-07 is presented in the table below.



**Table - 82**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007-2008**

S. No.	District	Teachers salary		Teachers grant		BRC		CRC	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	21.60	21.60	51.13	51.13	17.95	17.95	179.64	179.64
2	Coimbatore	1524.36	1195.52	57.78	57.78	110.22	110.22	323.18	323.18
3	Cuddalore	886.92	592.60	42.22	42.22	77.94	77.94	279.33	279.33
4	Dharmapuri	1591.44	1127.04	33.64	33.64	29.96	29.96	162.40	162.40
5	Dindigul	428.76	313.52	39.24	39.24	134.33	134.33	264.71	264.71
6	Erode	873.00	618.00	37.23	37.23	191.90	191.90	230.61	230.61
7	Kancheepuram	967.38	622.24	41.26	41.26	127.53	127.53	279.33	279.33
8	Kanyakumari	24.30	24.24	23.59	23.59	34.88	34.88	144.54	144.54
9	Karur	413.22	277.24	20.75	20.75	76.77	76.77	121.80	121.80
10	Krishnagiri	1640.34	1191.72	26.56	26.56	91.27	91.27	196.50	196.50
11	Madurai	671.40	543.68	40.30	40.30	127.53	127.53	267.96	267.96
12	Nagapattinam	675.12	496.52	33.77	33.77	105.55	105.55	162.40	162.40
13	Namakkal	751.68	552.96	33.41	33.41	108.05	108.05	134.79	134.79
14	Perambalur	694.14	458.40	23.54	23.54	50.71	50.71	173.77	173.77
15	Pudukkottai	981.54	785.84	32.47	32.47	38.94	38.94	235.48	235.48
16	Ramanathapuram	425.82	344.48	29.27	29.27	52.54	52.54	201.38	201.38
17	Salem	1743.44	1094.92	47.02	47.02	141.66	141.66	282.58	282.58
18	Sivagangai	467.94	415.80	24.55	24.55	115.14	115.14	177.02	177.02
19	Thanjavur	509.46	465.96	49.19	49.19	70.37	70.37	267.96	267.96
20	Theni	283.98	232.68	22.38	22.38	33.08	33.08	129.92	129.92
21	The Nilgiris	127.92	128.72	11.57	11.57	38.38	38.38	73.08	73.08
22	Thiruchirappalli	489.24	348.68	41.00	41.00	124.65	124.65	297.19	297.19
23	Thirunelveli	277.02	187.24	54.88	54.88	169.50	169.50	311.81	311.81
24	Thiruvallur	952.38	714.80	36.35	36.35	134.33	134.33	215.99	215.99
25	Thiruvannamalai	1162.02	821.92	40.29	40.29	172.71	172.71	271.21	271.21
26	Thiruvarur	664.38	510.84	28.92	28.92	88.15	88.15	154.28	154.28
27	Thoothukudi	107.76	107.52	33.38	33.38	115.14	115.14	175.39	175.39
28	Vellore	1487.82	971.08	58.52	58.52	191.90	191.90	348.20	348.20
29	Villupuram	1559.94	1130.28	59.13	59.13	206.40	206.40	380.02	380.02
30	Virudhunagar	421.50	282.56	34.76	34.76	105.55	105.55	217.62	217.62
	SPO								
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>22825.80</b>	<b>16578.60</b>	<b>1108.02</b>	<b>1108.02</b>	<b>3082.96</b>	<b>3082.96</b>	<b>6660.11</b>	<b>6660.11</b>

**Table -82(Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	Teachers Training		OSC		IED	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	143.16	143.16	139.11	139.11	68.69	68.69
2	Coimbatore	162.5	162.5	99.16	99.16	42.83	42.83
3	Cuddalore	118.73	118.73	37.94	37.94	43.83	43.83
4	Dharmapuri	95.52	95.52	125.52	125.52	30.96	30.96
5	Dindigul	110.19	110.19	96.24	96.24	47.75	47.75
6	Erode	104.8	104.8	48.77	48.77	32.81	32.81
7	Kancheepuram	116.01	116.01	70.45	70.45	48.48	48.48
8	Kanyakumari	66.13	66.13	20.21	20.21	34.09	34.09
9	Karur	58.3	58.3	19.3	19.3	21.14	21.14
10	Krishnagiri	75.08	75.08	184.18	184.18	74.24	74.24
11	Madurai	113.17	113.17	144.47	144.47	45.43	45.43
12	Nagapattinam	95.03	95.03	33.68	33.68	36.64	36.64
13	Namakkal	93.85	93.85	152.34	152.34	29.78	29.78
14	Perambalur	66.21	66.21	38.53	38.53	32.06	32.06
15	Pudukkottai	91.22	91.22	17.97	17.97	81.88	81.88
16	Ramanathapuram	82.2	82.2	43.78	43.78	25.86	25.86
17	Salem	132.61	132.61	160.54	160.54	69.59	69.59
18	Sivagangai	68.91	68.91	52.9	52.9	25.32	25.32
19	Thanjavur	137.87	137.87	87.95	87.95	64.51	64.51
20	Theni	62.83	62.83	19.89	19.89	25.3	25.3
21	The Nilgiris	32.45	32.45	56.16	56.16	13.92	13.92
22	Thiruchirappalli	115.08	115.08	78.86	78.86	64.2	64.2
23	Thirunelveli	153.84	153.84	76.23	76.23	69.36	69.36
24	Thiruvallur	102.04	102.04	56.29	56.29	44.89	44.89
25	Thiruvannamalai	113.34	113.34	75.7	75.7	56.41	56.41
26	Thiruvarur	81.2	81.2	42.55	42.55	39.59	39.59
27	Thoothukudi	93.56	93.56	42.37	42.37	42.05	42.05
28	Vellore	164.44	164.44	53.79	53.79	58.57	58.57
29	Villupuram	166.01	166.01	82.43	82.43	74.83	74.83
30	Virudhunagar	97.93	97.93	50.62	50.62	52.2	52.2
	SPO						
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>3114.19</b>	<b>3114.19</b>	<b>2207.92</b>	<b>2207.92</b>	<b>1396.71</b>	<b>1396.71</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	Civil Works		TLE		Maintenance Grant	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	56.11	43.66	0.00	0.00	24.10	24.10
2	Coimbatore	913.5	832.35	10.10	10.10	113.25	113.25
3	Cuddalore	1084.25	860.05	12.80	12.80	78.45	78.45
4	Dharmapuri	1143.27	1025.92	29.00	29.00	75.20	75.20
5	Dindigul	418.77	437.05	9.10	9.10	71.00	71.00
6	Erode	578.92	584.14	5.50	5.50	100.45	100.45
7	Kancheepuram	1730.56	1571.01	10.60	10.60	79.60	79.60
8	Kanyakumari	125.32	121.37	0.90	0.90	31.45	31.45
9	Karur	214.1	239.53	2.70	2.70	44.65	44.65
10	Krishnagiri	715.24	771.62	8.80	8.80	87.00	87.00
11	Madurai	498.02	444.12	5.30	5.30	68.65	68.65
12	Nagapattinam	585.92	592.51	3.50	3.50	52.60	52.60
13	Namakkal	419.61	433.43	4.30	4.30	55.70	55.70
14	Perambalur	774.35	717.35	5.10	5.10	51.70	51.70
15	Pudukkottai	475.58	505.57	4.50	4.50	88.60	88.60
16	Ramanathapuram	595.34	625.51	4.10	4.10	60.25	60.25
17	Salem	872.46	743.96	15.00	15.00	94.65	94.65
18	Sivagangai	348.73	325.23	3.60	3.60	60.65	60.65
19	Thanjavur	293.28	263.88	2.00	2.00	76.50	76.50
20	Theni	253.5	66.19	2.50	2.50	25.65	25.65
21	The Nilgiris	118.54	220.95	0.00	0.00	28.70	28.70
22	Thiruchirappalli	286.86	308.41	1.90	1.90	70.85	70.85
23	Thirunelveli	333.73	316.08	3.20	3.20	49.20	49.20
24	Thiruvallur	640.37	575.27	10.20	10.20	82.65	82.65
25	Thiruvannamalai	953.42	830.22	5.00	5.00	107.70	107.70
26	Thiruvarur	501.76	461.06	5.10	5.10	52.75	52.75
27	Thoothukudi	97.41	114.98	2.10	2.10	39.00	39.00
28	Vellore	682.38	669.43	4.60	4.60	125.70	125.70
29	Villupuram	2282.75	1965.15	4.40	4.40	120.30	120.30
30	Virudhunagar	575.47	603.45	14.10	14.10	51.75	51.75
	SPO						
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>18569.45</b>	<b>17269.39</b>	<b>190.00</b>	<b>190.00</b>	<b>2068.70</b>	<b>2068.70</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	School Grant		REM		Management	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	18.68	18.68	6.69	6.69	47.71	47.71
2	Coimbatore	51.24	51.24	19.49	19.49	107.37	107.37
3	Cuddalore	38.58	38.58	14.49	14.49	92.36	92.36
4	Dharmapuri	30.6	30.6	11.76	11.76	68.14	68.14
5	Dindigul	36.12	36.12	14.14	14.14	92.00	92.00
6	Erode	43.78	43.78	17.02	17.02	94.60	94.60
7	Kancheepuram	37.86	37.86	14.23	14.23	94.29	94.29
8	Kanyakumari	19.32	19.32	7.25	7.25	32.48	32.48
9	Karur	19.34	19.34	7.53	7.53	58.63	58.63
10	Krishnagiri	35.46	35.46	13.65	13.65	75.40	75.40
11	Madurai	35.24	35.24	13.11	13.11	95.66	95.66
12	Nagapattinam	28.94	28.94	10.63	10.63	73.61	73.61
13	Namakkal	24.46	24.46	9.45	9.45	79.94	79.94
14	Perambalur	23.74	23.74	9.00	9.00	76.81	76.81
15	Pudukkottai	38.3	38.3	14.34	14.34	84.12	84.12
16	Ramanad	30.14	30.14	11.67	11.67	60.35	60.35
17	Salem	41.28	41.28	16.12	16.12	101.20	101.20
18	Sivagangai	29.96	29.96	11.43	11.43	59.09	59.09
19	Thanjavur	37.96	37.96	14.46	14.46	85.24	85.24
20	Theni	17.72	17.72	6.66	6.66	46.22	46.22
21	The Nilgiris	13.28	13.28	5.12	5.12	28.50	28.50
22	Thiruchirappalli	37.54	37.54	14.00	14.00	81.20	81.20
23	Thirunelveli	50.96	50.96	19.33	19.33	86.76	86.76
24	Thiruvallur	36.76	36.76	13.86	13.86	86.25	86.25
25	Thiruvannamalai	47	47	18.16	18.16	90.83	90.83
26	Thiruvarur	23.96	23.96	9.09	9.09	70.54	70.54
27	Thoothukudi	36.5	36.5	13.81	13.81	49.10	49.10
28	Vellore	57.9	57.9	22.16	22.16	95.12	95.12
29	Villupuram	55.98	55.98	20.81	20.81	97.23	97.23
30	Virudhunagar	31.78	31.78	12.48	12.48	71.10	71.10
	SPO						
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>1030.38</b>	<b>1030.38</b>	<b>391.94</b>	<b>391.94</b>	<b>2282.81</b>	<b>2282.81</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	Civil Works		TLE		Maintenance Grant	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	56.11	43.66	0.00	0.00	24.10	24.10
2	Coimbatore	913.5	832.35	10.10	10.10	113.25	113.25
3	Cuddalore	1084.25	860.05	12.80	12.80	78.45	78.45
4	Dharmapuri	1143.27	1025.92	29.00	29.00	75.20	75.20
5	Dindigul	418.77	437.05	9.10	9.10	71.00	71.00
6	Erode	578.92	584.14	5.50	5.50	100.45	100.45
7	Kancheepuram	1730.56	1571.01	10.60	10.60	79.60	79.60
8	Kanyakumari	125.32	121.37	0.90	0.90	31.45	31.45
9	Karur	214.1	239.53	2.70	2.70	44.65	44.65
10	Krishnagiri	715.24	771.62	8.80	8.80	87.00	87.00
11	Madurai	498.02	444.12	5.30	5.30	68.65	68.65
12	Nagapattinam	585.92	592.51	3.50	3.50	52.60	52.60
13	Namakkal	419.61	433.43	4.30	4.30	55.70	55.70
14	Perambalur	774.35	717.35	5.10	5.10	51.70	51.70
15	Pudukkottai	475.58	505.57	4.50	4.50	88.60	88.60
16	Ramanathapuram	595.34	625.51	4.10	4.10	60.25	60.25
17	Salem	872.46	743.96	15.00	15.00	94.65	94.65
18	Sivagangai	348.73	325.23	3.60	3.60	60.65	60.65
19	Thanjavur	293.28	263.88	2.00	2.00	76.50	76.50
20	Theni	253.5	66.19	2.50	2.50	25.65	25.65
21	The Nilgiris	118.54	220.95	0.00	0.00	28.70	28.70
22	Thiruchirappalli	286.86	308.41	1.90	1.90	70.85	70.85
23	Thirunelveli	333.73	316.08	3.20	3.20	49.20	49.20
24	Thiruvallur	640.37	575.27	10.20	10.20	82.65	82.65
25	Thiruvannamalai	953.42	830.22	5.00	5.00	107.70	107.70
26	Thiruvarur	501.76	461.06	5.10	5.10	52.75	52.75
27	Thoothukudi	97.41	114.98	2.10	2.10	39.00	39.00
28	Vellore	682.38	669.43	4.60	4.60	125.70	125.70
29	Villupuram	2282.75	1965.15	4.40	4.40	120.30	120.30
30	Virudhunagar	575.47	603.45	14.10	14.10	51.75	51.75
	SPO						
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>18569.45</b>	<b>17269.39</b>	<b>190.00</b>	<b>190.00</b>	<b>2068.70</b>	<b>2068.70</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	School Grant		REM		Management	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	18.68	18.68	6.69	6.69	47.71	47.71
2	Coimbatore	51.24	51.24	19.49	19.49	107.37	107.37
3	Cuddalore	38.58	38.58	14.49	14.49	92.36	92.36
4	Dharmapuri	30.6	30.6	11.76	11.76	68.14	68.14
5	Dindigul	36.12	36.12	14.14	14.14	92.00	92.00
6	Erode	43.78	43.78	17.02	17.02	94.60	94.60
7	Kancheepuram	37.86	37.86	14.23	14.23	94.29	94.29
8	Kanyakumari	19.32	19.32	7.25	7.25	32.48	32.48
9	Karur	19.34	19.34	7.53	7.53	58.63	58.63
10	Krishnagiri	35.46	35.46	13.65	13.65	75.40	75.40
11	Madurai	35.24	35.24	13.11	13.11	95.66	95.66
12	Nagapattinam	28.94	28.94	10.63	10.63	73.61	73.61
13	Namakkal	24.46	24.46	9.45	9.45	79.94	79.94
14	Perambalur	23.74	23.74	9.00	9.00	76.81	76.81
15	Pudukkottai	38.3	38.3	14.34	14.34	84.12	84.12
16	Ramanad	30.14	30.14	11.67	11.67	60.35	60.35
17	Salem	41.28	41.28	16.12	16.12	101.20	101.20
18	Sivagangai	29.96	29.96	11.43	11.43	59.09	59.09
19	Thanjavur	37.96	37.96	14.46	14.46	85.24	85.24
20	Theni	17.72	17.72	6.66	6.66	46.22	46.22
21	The Nilgiris	13.28	13.28	5.12	5.12	28.50	28.50
22	Thiruchirappalli	37.54	37.54	14.00	14.00	81.20	81.20
23	Thirunelveli	50.96	50.96	19.33	19.33	86.76	86.76
24	Thiruvallur	36.76	36.76	13.86	13.86	86.25	86.25
25	Thiruvannamalai	47	47	18.16	18.16	90.83	90.83
26	Thiruvarur	23.96	23.96	9.09	9.09	70.54	70.54
27	Thoothukudi	36.5	36.5	13.81	13.81	49.10	49.10
28	Vellore	57.9	57.9	22.16	22.16	95.12	95.12
29	Villupuram	55.98	55.98	20.81	20.81	97.23	97.23
30	Virudhunagar	31.78	31.78	12.48	12.48	71.10	71.10
	SPO						
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>1030.38</b>	<b>1030.38</b>	<b>391.94</b>	<b>391.94</b>	<b>2282.81</b>	<b>2282.81</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	Innovative Activity		Community Training		Remedial Teaching		SSA Total	
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie
1	Chennai	50	50	3.82	3.82	20.16	20.16	848.55	836.10
2	Coimbatore	50	50	4.87	4.87	20.16	20.16	3609.98	3200.02
3	Cuddalore	50	50	4.69	4.69	20.16	20.16	2882.19	2364.17
4	Dharmapuri	50	50	2.91	2.91	20.16	20.16	3500.48	2918.73
5	Dindigul	50	50	4.31	4.31	20.16	20.16	1836.81	1739.86
6	Erode	50	50	4.97	4.97	20.16	20.16	2435.5	2184.74
7	Kancheepuram	50	50	5.63	5.63	20.16	20.16	3693.36	3188.68
8	Kanyakumari	50	50	1.45	1.45	20.16	20.16	636.06	632.06
9	Karur	50	50	1.82	1.82	19.6	19.6	1149.64	1039.10
10	Krishnagiri	50	50	3.65	3.65	20.16	20.16	3297.53	2905.29
11	Madurai	50	50	4.08	4.08	20.16	20.16	2200.48	2018.86
12	Nagapattinam	50	50	3.00	3.00	20.16	20.16	1970.53	1798.54
13	Namakkal	50	50	2.65	2.65	20.16	20.16	1970.16	1785.27
14	Perambalur	50	50	2.20	2.20	19.32	19.32	2091.18	1798.44
15	Pudukkottai	50	50	3.91	3.91	20.16	20.16	2258.99	2093.30
16	Ramanathapuram	50	50	2.71	2.71	20.16	20.16	1695.54	1644.40
17	Salem	50	50	6.01	6.01	20.16	20.16	3794.27	3017.30
18	Sivagangai	50	50	3.12	3.12	20.16	20.16	1518.53	1442.88
19	Thanjavur	50	50	4.47	4.47	20.16	20.16	1771.17	1698.48
20	Theni	50	50	1.55	1.55	20.16	20.16	1004.37	762.73
21	The Nilgiris	50	50	1.03	1.03	18.76	18.76	614.36	720.62
22	Thiruchirappalli	50	50	3.49	3.49	20.16	20.16	1776.21	1657.21
23	Thirunelveli	50	50	5.15	5.15	20.16	20.16	1731.13	1623.70
24	Thiruvallur	50	50	4.40	4.40	20.16	20.16	2486.92	2184.24
25	Thiruvannamalai	50	50	5.78	5.78	20.16	20.16	3189.74	2726.43
26	Thiruvarur	50	50	2.88	2.88	20.16	20.16	1835.29	1641.07
27	Thoothukudi	50	50	3.20	3.20	20.16	20.16	920.91	938.26
28	Vellore	50	50	6.30	6.30	20.16	20.16	3427.9	2897.87
29	Vilupuram	50	50	6.53	6.53	20.16	20.16	5186.92	4439.66
30	Virudhunagar	50	50	5.62	5.62	20.16	20.16	1812.62	1701.68
	SPO								
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>1500.00</b>	<b>1500.00</b>	<b>116.20</b>	<b>116.20</b>	<b>602.00</b>	<b>602.00</b>	<b>67147.00</b>	<b>59599.93</b>

**Table - 82 (Contd...)**  
**SSA - Component-wise Budget PAB Approval & Achievement - 2007 - 2008**

S. No.	District	NPEGEL		KGBV		Total		Achievement (%)
		Appr	Achie	Appr	Achie	Approved	Achievement	
1	Chennai					755.864	748.239	98.99
2	Coimbatore					3444.904	3399.314	98.68
3	Cuddalore	190.400	88.400	124.404	124.404	3560.174	3420.874	96.09
4	Dharmapuri	303.500	219.500	41.468	41.468	2780.976	2638.576	94.88
5	Dindigul					1693.428	1678.928	99.14
6	Erode	323.520	269.520	124.400	124.400	2724.299	2637.979	96.83
7	Kancheepuram					4977.418	4933.203	99.11
8	Kanyakumari					704.652	700.087	99.35
9	Karur	54.600	22.600	41.468	41.468	1116.920	1067.085	95.54
10	Krishnagiri	283.400	41.470	41.470	41.470	3137.435	2838.305	90.47
11	Madurai					2155.244	2138.544	99.23
12	Nagapattinam					2098.576	2075.836	98.92
13	Namakkal	52.100	44.100	124.400	124.400	1968.498	1934.683	98.28
14	Perambalur	133.600	59.600			2553.541	2449.541	95.93
15	Pudukkottai					2213.675	2187.875	98.83
16	Ramanathapuram					2877.574	2867.074	99.64
17	Salem	427.700	303.700	165.870	165.870	3510.378	3303.398	94.10
18	Sivagangai	45.800	45.800			1674.252	1665.647	99.49
19	Thanjavur					1854.185	1846.651	99.59
20	The Nilgiris					696.375	693.555	99.60
21	Theni					1008.637	993.647	98.51
22	Thiruchirappalli					1682.367	1657.257	98.51
23	Thirunelveli					1798.628	1779.013	98.91
24	Thiruvallur					2412.589	2380.384	98.67
25	Thiruvannamalai	44.200	14.300	207.340	207.340	3773.576	3700.176	98.05
26	Thiruvarur					1937.315	1917.515	98.98
27	Thoothukudi					975.813	972.018	99.61
28	Vellore					3379.633	3314.133	98.06
29	Villupuram	413.500	311.500	552.720	552.720	7998.435	7840.635	98.03
30	Virudhunagar			124.400	124.400	1547.736	1530.836	98.91
	SPO					250.000	0.000	0.00
	<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>2272.320</b>	<b>1590.420</b>	<b>1547.953</b>	<b>1547.953</b>	<b>73845.903</b>	<b>72063.743</b>	<b>97.59</b>

### 1.35 SPECIAL FOCUS

- Priority to quality education – Remedial teaching, learning enhancement programme.
- Primary and upper primary schools for all eligible habitations.
- Buildings for buildingsless schools.
- Classrooms, Toilets, Water Supply and Kitchen Shed facilities for new schools. Furniture for upper primary schools.
- Priority to Special Focus Districts.
- Minority children education
- Urban deprived children

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## Chapter – 2 **PROGRESS REVIEW**

### **2.1 Introduction**

Tamil Nadu has recorded consistent progress in the implementation of various components under SSA as also in select Educational Indicators over the last six years. In the process, there has been periodical review of the strategies adopted at all levels and appropriate changes in strategies evolved and followed in subsequent years. During 2007-2008, the State has focused more on **quality**. The **upscaling of Activity Based Learning Methodology (ABL)** to all Primary schools and implementation of **Active Learning Methodology (ALM)** in 6, 7 and 8 classes in all Upper Primary Schools across the State have been **significant quality interventions**. With the introduction of these innovative Methodologies, there has been complete transformation in the classroom processes both at Primary and Upper Primary levels.

The 7<sup>th</sup> Joint Review Mission (JRM) of SSA which has recently visited Tamil Nadu (January 21 – February 5, 2008) has commended the efforts of the State in implementing Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan Mission in all Districts.

*The following are the encouraging remarks of the 7<sup>th</sup> JRM. “...Tamil Nadu is well on track to achieve the SSA Goals and some have been achieved already...”*

*“...The Mission got a strong sense that the State is on the move with regard to quality improvement and the introduction of ABL in all the primary schools and the Active Learning Methodology (ALM) in all the upper primary schools has clearly stimulated and excited officials, teachers, students and parents in an unprecedented way. The teaching and learning process in all the State’s 37,486 elementary schools has been transformed through the introduction of ABL and ALM and the Mission was greatly impressed with the way the intervention is being carried out and the speed with which change is taking place...”*

This chapter records the district-wise progress registered in Components under SSA and select educational indicators during 2002-2003 to 2007-2008 in the State.

## 2.2 Progress in Components and Educational Indicators

### 2.2.1 Access – Primary & Upper Primary

The following Table provides the District-wise and year-wise details of number of schools under various categories of management functioning in the State.

**Table – 1**  
**Total No. of Schools 2001-2002 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2001-2002				2002-2003			
		Govt./ Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools	Govt. / Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools
1	Chennai	533	123	343	999	533	123	343	999
2	Coimbatore	1710	249	446	2405	1740	252	460	2452
3	Cuddalore	1292	294	266	1852	1297	294	213	1804
4	Dharmapuri	1130	17	112	1259	1170	17	118	1305
5	Dindigul	1234	327	225	1786	1234	327	225	1786
6	Erode	1726	158	261	2145	1726	158	261	2145
7	Kancheepuram	1134	181	28	1343	1142	181	109	1432
8	Kanyakumari	519	106	90	715	519	285	106	910
9	Karur	625	40	39	704	625	40	39	704
10	Krishnagiri	Details included in Dharmapuri district							
11	Madurai	1121	311	123	1555	1118	307	36	1461
12	Nagapattinam	808	313	102	1223	815	324	106	1245
13	Namakkal	933	97	150	1180	933	97	150	1180
14	Perambalur	729	112	0	841	844	130	52	1026
15	Pudukkottai	1388	117	7	1512	1402	114	85	1601
16	Ramanathapuram	1004	290	23	1317	1011	253	17	1281
17	Salem	1518	153	243	1914	1542	146	248	1936
18	Sivagangai	936	220	41	1197	957	224	48	1229
19	Thanjavur	1208	298	74	1580	1285	298	74	1657
21	Theni	460	238	40	738	460	238	40	738
20	The Nilgiris	419	144	101	664	419	144	101	664
22	Thiruchirappalli	1022	361	155	1538	1163	362	176	1701
23	Thirunelveli	857	1304	122	2283	867	1301	122	2290
24	Thiruvalur	1317	194	240	1751	1329	194	256	1779
25	Thiruvannamalai	1753	176	56	1985	1782	176	59	2017
26	Thiruvarur	709	107	89	905	880	131	64	1075
27	Thoothukudi	666	855	163	1684	665	854	165	1684
28	Vellore	2111	335	315	2761	2100	329	582	3011
29	Villupuram	1904	321	39	2264	1954	329	114	2397
30	Virudhunagar	812	447	127	1386	817	447	131	1395
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>31578</b>	<b>7888</b>	<b>4020</b>	<b>43486</b>	<b>32329</b>	<b>8075</b>	<b>4500</b>	<b>44904</b>

**Table – 1 (cont...)**  
**Total No. of Schools 2001-2002 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2003-2004				2004-2005			
		Govt./ Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools	Govt./ Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools
1	Chennai	362	366	383	1111	367	366	692	1425
2	Coimbatore	1798	252	477	2527	1187	253	559	2629
3	Cuddaioire	1301	292	341	1934	1301	301	266	1868
4	Dharmapuri	1206	17	123	1346	1205	24	121	1350
5	Dindigul	1243	327	225	1795	1243	327	225	1795
6	Erode	1733	158	264	2155	1723	158	237	2118
7	Kancheepuram	1161	182	107	1450	1315	255	321	1891
8	Kanyakumari	519	285	118	922	516	283	148	947
9	Karur	625	40	39	704	770	61	113	944
10	Krishnagiri	Details included in Dharmapuri district				1478	27	150	1655
11	Madurai	1131	312	348	1791	1136	312	398	1846
12	Nagapattinam	820	321	98	1239	831	324	135	1290
13	Namakkal	943	90	166	1199	952	98	171	1221
14	Perambalur	853	126	66	1045	856	129	77	1062
15	Pudukkottai	1456	112	132	1700	1454	113	155	1722
16	Ramanathapuram	1004	254	35	1293	1025	257	86	1368
17	Salem	1570	128	262	1960	1572	130	324	2026
18	Sivagangai	965	221	52	1238	987	222	53	1262
19	Thanjavur	1281	300	124	1705	1290	300	211	1801
21	Theni	465	240	46	751	484	237	75	796
20	The Nilgiris	417	137	100	654	426	138	120	684
22	Thiruchirappalli	1154	368	183	1705	1164	365	196	1725
23	Thirunelveli	854	1304	122	2280	880	1257	283	2420
24	Thiruvallur	1343	194	317	1854	1339	197	240	1776
25	Thiruvannamalai	1789	176	60	2025	1802	177	146	2125
26	Thiruvarur	877	123	116	1116	878	122	123	1123
27	Thoothukudi	667	852	167	1686	669	851	181	1701
28	Vellore	2137	329	520	2986	2046	317	385	2748
29	Villupuram	1945	327	148	2420	1936	336	211	2483
30	Virudhunagar	818	445	127	1390	836	500	158	1526
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>32437</b>	<b>8278</b>	<b>5266</b>	<b>45981</b>	<b>34330</b>	<b>8437</b>	<b>6560</b>	<b>49327</b>

**Table – 1 (cont...)**  
**Total No. of Schools 2001-2002 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2005-2006				2006-2007			
		Govt. / Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools	Govt. / Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	Total Schools
1	Chennai	374	383	739	1496	367	376	759	1502
2	Coimbatore	1841	251	663	2755	1875	264	670	2809
3	Cuddalore	1303	291	266	1860	1308	294	275	1877
4	Dharmapuri	1221	23	118	1362	1244	23	128	1395
5	Dindigul	1243	327	225	1795	1243	327	225	1795
6	Erode	1733	163	324	2220	1728	163	334	2225
7	Kancheepuram	1322	241	409	1972	1320	245	431	1996
8	Kanyakumari	520	282	269	1071	521	283	281	1085
9	Karur	773	60	110	943	777	66	119	962
10	Krishnagiri	1521	27	190	1738	1475	29	236	1740
11	Madurai	1131	315	587	2033	1139	315	592	2046
12	Nagapattinam	843	325	194	1362	849	327	193	1369
13	Namakkal	946	106	173	1225	956	91	187	1234
14	Perambalur	861	131	88	1080	871	128	102	1101
15	Pudukkottai	1469	116	212	1797	1477	116	225	1818
16	Ramanathapuram	1035	265	163	1463	1030	261	161	1452
17	Salem	1588	127	432	2147	1617	149	423	2189
18	Sivagangai	1044	226	156	1426	1044	225	163	1432
19	Thanjavur	1296	306	326	1928	1302	305	331	1938
21	Theni	487	236	104	827	492	238	109	839
20	The Nilgiris	426	136	155	717	427	142	171	740
22	Thiruchirappalli	1166	366	273	1805	1187	364	347	1898
23	Thirunelveli	867	1274	357	2498	873	1273	369	2515
24	Thiruvallur	1361	194	332	1887	1374	164	497	2035
25	Thiruvannamalai	1830	176	172	2178	1829	179	191	2199
26	Thiruvarur	886	123	158	1167	897	112	164	1173
27	Thoothukudi	673	852	192	1717	676	857	190	1723
28	Vellore	2082	317	391	2790	2122	329	520	2971
29	Villupuram	1957	335	363	2655	1975	333	351	2659
30	Virudhunagar	876	499	164	1539	889	487	200	1576
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>34675</b>	<b>8473</b>	<b>8305</b>	<b>51453</b>	<b>34884</b>	<b>8465</b>	<b>8944</b>	<b>52293</b>

**Table - 1 (cont...)**  
**Total No. of Schools 2001-2002 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2007-2008				Total Schools
		Govt. / Local Body	Private Aided	Private Unaided	others/ KGBV	
1	Chennai	360	360	778	6	1504
2	Coimbatore	1888	236	712	5	2841
3	Cuddalore	1318	288	285	3	1894
4	Dharmapuri	1284	21	160	1	1466
5	Dindigul	1249	323	225	0	1797
6	Erode	1727	164	329	8	2228
7	Kancheepuram	1351	246	622	10	2229
8	Kanyakumari	522	283	309	0	1114
9	Karur	779	60	127	1	967
10	Krishnagiri	1563	25	213	3	1804
11	Madurai	1145	313	560	16	2034
12	Nagapattinam	863	320	189	2	1374
13	Namakkal	960	90	206	3	1259
14	Perambalur	876	125	134	0	1135
15	Pudukkottai	1481	112	227	0	1820
16	Ramanathapuram	1039	260	162	0	1461
17	Salem	1653	133	432	13	2231
18	Sivagangai	1049	222	171	0	1442
19	Thanjavur	1308	298	343	1	1950
21	Theni	505	236	112	3	856
20	The Nilgiris	428	137	152	0	717
22	Thiruchirappalli	1196	364	381	0	1941
23	Thirunelveli	879	1269	421	1	2570
24	Thiruvailur	1368	196	625	13	2202
25	Thiruvannamalai	1847	180	196	5	2228
26	Thiruvarur	893	125	171	0	1189
27	Thoothukudi	677	850	202	0	1729
28	Vellore	2135	328	559	2	3024
29	Villupuram	1982	333	372	14	2701
30	Virudhunagar	898	499	200	3	1600
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>35223</b>	<b>8396</b>	<b>9575</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>53307</b>

**Source: DISE**

There has been a steady growth in the number of schools in Tamil Nadu at both Primary and Upper Primary levels under different categories of management, namely, Government, Private Aided and Private unaided. The total number of schools which was 43,486 during 2001-2002 has increased to 53,307 during 2007-2008. Under all types of management, Vellore has recorded the maximum number of schools with 3,024 schools followed by Coimbatore (2,841) and Villupuram (2,701) during 2007-2008. Only three districts namely Karur, Theni and The Nilgiris have registered less than 1,000 schools and in all the other 27 districts, the number of schools ranges from 1,114 to 3,024.

### 2.2.2 Opening of Schools under SSA

The details of opening of new Primary Schools and upgradation of Primary Schools into Upper Primary Schools under SSA during the years 2001-2002 to 2007-2008 are given in the following Table.

**Table - 2**  
**Schools opened and upgraded under SSA**  
**(2001-2002 to 2007-2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2001-2002		2002-2003		2003-2004		2004-2005	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	46	36	31	41	39	29	0	68
3	Cuddalore	0	0	7	21	5	17	0	40
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	44	31	20	34	0	69
5	Dindigul	9	1	3	2	2	0	0	30
6	Erode	32	6	0	5	10	10	0	28
7	Kancheepuram	6	5	8	16	10	25	0	38
8	Kanyakumari	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
9	Karur	14	2	2	5	8	5	0	10
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	62	42	34	22	0	66
11	Madurai	17	4	0	10	15	20	0	51
12	Nagapattinam	7	2	1	11	11	17	0	24
13	Namakkal	10	20	3	5	11	14	0	41
14	Perambalur	0	0	7	23	10	19	0	14
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	34	53	20	23	0	48
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	14	5	11	14	0	30
17	Salem	31	7	9	6	17	8	0	84
18	Sivagangai	14	7	1	7	11	11	0	52
19	Thanjavur	48	38	1	1	10	11	0	26
20	Theni	5	3	5	20	19	0	0	11
21	The Nilgiris	6	4	3	9	11	5	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	7	2	6	7	4	12	0	16
23	Thirunelveli	5	2	1	0	6	6	0	10
24	Thiruvallur	32	6	3	17	14	20	0	73
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	29	71	15	5	0	32
26	Thiruvarur	75	43	0	1	8	6	0	7
27	Thoothukudi	2	0	7	3	9	3	0	4
28	Vellore	81	5	10	9	10	13	0	64
29	Villupuram	0	0	10	48	14	50	0	85
30	Virudhunagar	3	1	3	4	2	0	0	10
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1031</b>

**Table – 2 (Cont...)**  
**Schools opened and upgraded under SSA**  
**(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2005-2006		2006-2007		2007-2008		Total	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
2	Coimbatore	10	30	9	7	26	15	161	226
3	Cuddalore	4	21	2	13	8	24	26	136
4	Dharmapuri	6	50	3	12	40	50	113	246
5	Dindigul	5	20	6	5	1	18	26	76
6	Erode	10	50	3	21	0	11	55	131
7	Kancheepuram	2	12	3	7	16	18	45	121
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	2	4	1	6	6
9	Karur	3	20	3	2	2	5	32	49
10	Krishnagiri	38	50	23	13	13	15	170	208
11	Madurai	2	18	5	13	3	10	42	126
12	Nagapattinam	4	41	1	9	5	6	29	110
13	Namakkal	2	25	4	6	3	8	33	119
14	Perambalur	3	20	1	10	1	10	22	96
15	Pudukkottai	9	30	0	6	0	9	63	169
16	Ramanathapuram	3	15	4	3	6	7	38	74
17	Salem	14	40	18	23	25	25	114	193
18	Sivagangai	3	10	2	5	1	7	32	99
19	Thanjavur	1	15	2	2	0	4	62	97
20	Theni	1	2	6	0	10	3	46	39
21	The Nilgiris	4	5	0	3	0	0	24	26
22	Thiruchirappalli	4	22	4	9	4	3	29	71
23	Thirunelveli	1	10	2	5	2	6	17	39
24	Thiruvallur	10	10	3	3	2	20	64	149
25	Thiruvannamalai	5	35	5	12	10	8	64	163
26	Thiruvarur	0	20	1	2	1	10	85	89
27	Thoothukudi	5	5	2	4	1	4	26	23
28	Vellore	2	42	9	13	11	7	123	153
29	Villupuram	11	41	5	9	4	8	44	241
30	Virudhunagar	0	25	0	15	11	26	19	81
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>1610</b>	<b>3362</b>

**Source: DEE**



During 2001-2002, 452 Primary Schools were opened and 197 Primary Schools were upgraded into Upper Primary Schools, and in 2002-2003, 304 Primary Schools were opened and 479 Primary Schools were upgraded into Upper Primary Schools. During 2003-2004, 356 Primary Schools were opened and 399 Primary Schools were upgraded into Upper Primary Schools and in 2004-2005, 1,031 Primary schools have been upgraded into Upper Primary schools. During 2005-2006, 162 Primary Schools have been opened and 684 Primary Schools have been upgraded into Upper Primary Schools. During 2006-2007, 126 Primary Schools have been opened and 234 Primary Schools have been upgraded into Upper Primary Schools. During 2007-2008, 210 Primary Schools have been opened and 338 Primary Schools have been upgraded into Upper Primary Schools.

As can be seen from the Table, as many as 1,610 new Primary Schools have been opened and 3,362 Primary Schools have been upgraded into Upper Primary Schools so far in the State.

### **2.2.3 Teachers - Primary (2001-2002 to 2007-2008)**

In Tamil Nadu, the total number of Teachers at Primary level has consistently increased over the last six years. The total number of teachers during 2001-2002 was 1, 10,777 and the same has increased to 1, 38,818 in 2007-2008, recording an increase of 28041 teachers during the said period. The percentage of female teachers has also been increasing constantly over the years. The percentage of female teachers in 2001-2002 was 69.05% and this has increased to 78.48% during 2007-2008. The highest percentage of female teachers has been recorded in Chennai (96.17%) followed by Kanyakumari (88.56%), Madurai (86.89%) and Thoothukudi (87.49) during 2007-2008.

**Table – 3**  
**Teachers – Primary**  
**(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2001-2002				2002-2003			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	453	7195	7648	94.08	358	6638	6996	94.88
2	Coimbatore	1508	4072	5580	72.97	1562	4162	5724	72.71
3	Cuddalore	2309	3113	5422	57.41	2430	3262	5692	57.31
4	Dharmapuri	1198	1540	2738	56.25	1210	1615	2825	57.17
5	Dindigul	968	2515	3483	72.21	1055	2617	3672	71.27
6	Erode	1399	2510	3909	64.21	1441	2468	3909	63.14
7	Kancheepuram	658	1959	2617	74.86	1516	4630	6146	75.33
8	Kanyakumari	647	2161	2808	76.96	649	1981	2630	75.32
9	Karur	603	1386	1989	69.68	705	1727	2432	71.01
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District							
11	Madurai	1120	4393	5513	79.68	1108	3423	4531	75.55
12	Nagapattinam	954	1934	2888	66.97	1140	2180	3320	65.66
13	Namakkal	675	2016	2691	74.92	734	2128	2862	74.35
14	Perambalur	1417	1860	3277	56.76	1118	1448	2566	56.43
15	Pudukkottai	1429	2143	3572	60.71	1404	2290	3694	62.00
16	Ramanathapuram	1592	1319	2911	45.31	1694	1344	3038	44.24
17	Salem	1037	2663	3700	71.97	1055	2783	3838	72.51
18	Sivagangai	712	2183	2895	75.41	724	2173	2897	75.01
19	Thanjavur	875	2392	3267	73.22	943	2820	3763	74.94
20	Theni	859	1341	2200	60.95	856	1618	2474	65.4
21	The Nilgiris	446	888	1334	66.57	551	825	1376	59.96
22	Thiruchirappalli	1055	3589	4644	77.28	1073	3702	4775	77.53
23	Thirunelveli	1504	4020	5524	72.77	1504	4020	5524	72.77
24	Thiruvallur	829	2432	3261	74.58	975	2743	3718	73.78
25	Thiruvannamalai	2253	2407	4660	51.65	2940	2549	5489	46.44
26	Thiruvarur	1126	1368	2494	54.85	810	1663	2473	67.25
27	Thoothukudi	988	3595	4583	78.44	807	3630	4437	81.81
28	Vellore	2092	3834	5926	64.7	2098	3834	5932	64.63
29	Villupuram	2468	2898	5366	54.01	2581	3124	5705	54.76
30	Virudhunagar	1107	2770	3877	71.45	1133	2914	4047	72.00
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>34281</b>	<b>76496</b>	<b>110777</b>	<b>69.05</b>	<b>36174</b>	<b>80311</b>	<b>116485</b>	<b>68.95</b>

**Table – 3 (Cont...)**  
**Teachers – Primary**  
**(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2003- 04				2004-05			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	424	7602	8026	94.72	637	8642	9279	93.14
2	Coimbatore	1567	4190	5757	72.78	1504	4374	5878	74.41
3	Cuddalore	2430	3262	5692	57.31	1293	2714	4007	67.73
4	Dharmapuri	1198	1747	2945	59.32	1213	2437	3650	66.77
5	Dindigul	1064	2715	3779	71.84	1086	2815	3901	72.16
6	Erode	1491	2418	3909	61.86	1108	2360	3468	68.05
7	Kancheepuram	1226	4930	6156	80.08	945	2920	3865	75.55
8	Kanyakumari	676	2024	2700	74.96	531	1786	2317	77.08
9	Karur	732	1812	2544	71.23	780	1989	2769	71.83
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District				1482	3037	4519	67.21
11	Madurai	1131	3126	4257	73.43	788	4075	4863	83.80
12	Nagapattinam	1299	2193	3492	62.80	1341	2259	3600	62.75
13	Namakkal	560	2703	3263	82.84	988	2695	3683	73.17
14	Perambalur	960	1479	2439	60.64	1052	1964	3016	65.12
15	Pudukkottai	1161	1945	3106	62.00	1457	2707	4164	67.30
16	Ramanathapuram	1131	1603	2734	58.63	1072	2580	3652	70.65
17	Salem	1402	2956	4358	67.83	1739	3153	4892	64.45
18	Sivagangai	817	2102	2919	72.01	892	2027	2919	69.44
19	Thanjavur	1039	2602	3641	71.46	1121	2747	3868	71.02
20	Theni	654	1114	1768	63.01	564	1637	2201	74.38
21	The Nilgiris	1330	1972	3302	59.72	450	929	1379	67.37
22	Thiruchirappalli	1070	3675	4745	77.45	1099	3771	4870	77.43
23	Thirunelveli	1504	4020	5524	72.77	1865	5752	7617	75.52
24	Thiruvallur	1132	3297	4429	74.44	1249	4584	5833	78.59
25	Thiruvannamalai	2218	3243	5461	59.38	2154	3659	5813	62.95
26	Thiruvarur	810	1663	2473	67.25	766	1630	2396	68.03
27	Thoothukudi	807	3630	4437	81.81	703	3813	4516	84.43
28	Vellore	2125	3958	6083	65.07	2112	4187	6299	66.47
29	Villupuram	2543	3189	5732	55.64	2675	3521	6196	56.83
30	Virudhunagar	1177	2997	4174	71.80	1044	3586	4630	77.45
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>35678</b>	<b>84167</b>	<b>119845</b>	<b>70.23</b>	<b>35710</b>	<b>94350</b>	<b>130060</b>	<b>72.54</b>

**Table – 3 (Cont...)  
Teachers – Primary  
(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2005-06				2006-07			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	236	5100	5336	95.58	196	4881	5077	96.14
2	Coimbatore	1834	4533	6367	71.20	1294	5754	7048	81.64
3	Cuddalore	2107	4188	6295	66.53	1349	3321	4670	71.11
4	Dharmapur:	1350	1618	2968	54.51	1072	2110	3182	66.31
5	Dindigul	1071	3218	4289	75.03	1044	3360	4404	76.29
6	Erode	1724	4380	6104	71.76	1155	3538	4693	75.39
7	Kancheepuram	980	2908	3888	74.79	1000	3863	4863	79.44
8	Kanyakumari	449	1733	2182	79.42	385	2626	3011	87.21
9	Karur	554	1435	1989	72.15	537	1623	2160	75.14
10	Krishnagiri	6724	3331	10055	33.13	1177	2407	3584	67.16
11	Madurai	818	5224	6042	86.46	763	5055	5818	86.89
12	Nagapattinam	1517	2769	4286	64.61	1000	2369	3369	70.32
13	Namakkal	800	1954	2754	70.95	750	2035	2785	73.07
14	Perambalur	1129	2196	3325	66.05	826	1815	2641	68.72
15	Pudukkottai	1105	2253	3358	65.07	1135	2610	3745	69.69
16	Ramanathapuram	1019	1757	2776	63.29	919	2423	3342	72.50
17	Salem	1420	4572	5992	76.30	1489	5419	6908	78.45
18	Sivagangai	753	2217	2970	74.65	685	2085	2770	75.27
19	Thanjavur	2417	2328	4745	49.06	1002	3882	4884	79.48
20	Theni	782	3140	3922	80.06	520	1835	2355	77.92
21	The Nilgiris	516	1342	1858	72.23	379	1269	1648	77.00
22	Thiruchirappalli	1113	3946	5059	78.00	913	3896	4809	81.01
23	Thirunelveli	1724	7308	9032	80.91	1261	5117	6378	80.23
24	Thiruvallur	2926	5944	8870	67.01	970	3619	4589	78.86
25	Thiruvannamalai	2195	3966	6161	64.37	1684	3148	4832	65.15
26	Thiruvarur	815	2046	2861	71.51	762	2086	2848	73.24
27	Thoothukudi	693	3981	4674	85.17	552	3367	3919	85.91
28	Vellore	2624	5124	7748	66.13	2017	6140	8157	75.27
29	Villupuram	2784	3609	6393	56.45	2133	3760	5893	63.80
30	Virudhunagar	1184	3911	5095	76.76	903	3289	4192	78.46
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>45363</b>	<b>102031</b>	<b>147394</b>	<b>69.22</b>	<b>29872</b>	<b>98702</b>	<b>128574</b>	<b>76.77</b>

**Table – 3 (Cont...)**  
**Teachers – Primary**  
**(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2007-08			
		M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	194	4873	5067	96.17
2	Coimbatore	1261	6073	7334	82.81
3	Cuddalore	1186	3303	4489	73.58
4	Dharmapuri	1096	2232	3328	67.07
5	Dindigul	973	3279	4252	77.12
6	Erode	1105	3588	4693	76.45
7	Kancheepuram	863	4623	5486	84.27
8	Kanyakumari	353	2733	3086	88.56
9	Karur	480	1634	2114	77.29
10	Krishnagiri	1279	2677	3956	67.67
11	Madurai	711	5037	5748	87.63
12	Nagapattinam	1038	2528	3566	70.89
13	Namakkal	724	2080	2804	74.18
14	Perambalur	755	1884	2639	71.39
15	Pudukkottai	985	2522	3507	71.91
16	Ramanathapuram	937	2604	3541	73.54
17	Salem	1426	5669	7095	79.90
18	Sivagangai	654	2222	2876	77.26
19	Thanjavur	1004	4346	5350	81.23
20	Theni	499	1833	2332	78.60
21	The Nilgiris	331	1209	1540	78.51
22	Thiruchirappalli	819	4214	5033	83.73
23	Thirunelveli	1224	5386	6610	81.48
24	Thiruvallur	908	4320	5228	82.63
25	Thiruvannamalai	1563	3121	4684	66.63
26	Thiruvavarur	734	2277	3011	75.62
27	Thoothukudi	504	3525	4029	87.49
28	Vellore	1862	6345	8207	77.31
29	Villupuram	2046	3861	5907	65.36
30	Virudhunagar	851	3455	4306	80.24
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>28365</b>	<b>103453</b>	<b>131818</b>	<b>78.48</b>

**Source: DISE**

**Table - 4**  
**Teachers - Upper Primary**  
**(2001-2002 to 2007-2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2001-02				2002-03			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	628	7577	8205	92.35	578	9795	10373	94.43
2	Coimbatore	1184	2571	3755	68.47	1232	2666	3898	68.39
3	Cuddalore	1594	1920	3514	54.64	1717	2049	3766	54.41
4	Dharmapuri	685	719	1404	51.21	639	839	1478	56.77
5	Dindigul	883	1957	2840	68.91	1096	2168	3264	66.42
6	Erode	890	1605	2495	64.33	899	1600	2499	64.03
7	Kancheepuram	1279	2439	3718	65.60	1432	2704	4136	65.38
8	Kanyakumari	612	1463	2075	70.51	628	1338	1966	68.06
9	Karur	286	476	762	62.47	365	572	937	61.05
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District							
11	Madurai	816	1861	2677	69.52	1316	2911	4227	68.87
12	Nagapattinam	1098	1098	2196	50.00	1092	1136	2228	50.99
13	Namakkal	141	206	347	59.37	141	186	327	56.88
14	Perambalur	822	729	1551	47.00	808	1066	1874	56.88
15	Pudukkottai	1192	975	2167	44.55	825	1346	2171	68.51
16	Ramanathapuram	299	757	1056	71.69	734	865	1599	54.10
17	Salem	1235	3376	4611	73.22	1374	3593	4967	72.34
18	Sivagangai	786	1424	2210	64.43	816	1408	2224	63.31
19	Thanjavur	1173	2094	3267	64.10	1252	2695	3947	68.28
20	Theni	621	987	1608	61.38	739	1248	1987	62.81
21	The Nilgiris	696	891	1587	56.14	788	1134	1922	59.00
22	Thiruchirappalli	875	1997	2872	69.53	953	1987	2940	67.59
23	Thirunelveli	2270	3699	5969	61.97	2258	3659	5917	61.84
24	Thiruvallur	1543	3086	4629	66.67	1663	3385	5048	67.06
25	Thiruvannamalai	1361	1475	2836	52.01	1637	1429	3066	46.61
26	Thiruvarur	589	528	1117	47.27	994	1184	2178	54.36
27	Thoothukudi	815	1772	2587	68.50	766	1726	2492	69.26
28	Vellore	2323	2600	4923	52.81	2433	2642	5075	52.06
29	Villupuram	1207	1249	2456	50.86	1316	1443	2759	52.30
30	Virudhunagar	710	2309	3019	76.48	739	2342	3081	76.01
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>28613</b>	<b>53840</b>	<b>82453</b>	<b>65.30</b>	<b>31230</b>	<b>61116</b>	<b>92346</b>	<b>66.18</b>

**Table – 4 (Cont...)  
Teachers – Upper Primary  
(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2003-04				2004-05			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	868	8631	9499	90.86	542	7071	7613	92.88
2	Coimbatore	1256	2610	3866	67.51	1360	2769	4129	67.06
3	Cuddalore	1704	1949	3653	53.35	1684	2966	4650	63.78
4	Dharmapuri	597	798	1395	57.20	722	686	1408	48.72
5	Dindigul	1017	2235	3252	68.73	1146	2627	3773	69.63
6	Erode	899	1611	2510	64.18	1043	1759	2802	62.78
7	Kancheepuram	975	3187	4162	76.57	1258	4195	5453	76.93
8	Kanyakumari	641	1503	2144	70.10	671	1767	2438	72.48
9	Karur	386	595	981	60.65	456	918	1374	66.81
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District				748	1051	1799	58.42
11	Madurai	1077	3302	4379	75.41	1342	5288	6630	79.76
12	Nagapattinam	1478	1366	2844	48.03	1514	1454	2968	48.99
13	Namakkal	860	1406	2266	62.05	612	1388	2000	69.40
14	Perambalur	805	1143	1948	58.68	660	741	1401	52.89
15	Pudukkottai	1356	1634	2990	53.27	1116	913	2029	43.51
16	Ramanathapuram	865	1291	2156	59.88	564	926	1490	62.15
17	Salem	1453	4168	5621	74.15	1952	3920	5872	66.76
18	Sivagangai	769	1480	2249	65.81	702	1617	2319	69.73
19	Thanjavur	1344	2863	4207	68.05	1258	2703	3961	68.24
20	Theni	863	1265	2128	59.45	981	1977	2958	66.84
21	The Nilgiris	489	700	1189	58.87	695	1160	1855	62.53
22	Thiruchirappalli	914	2042	2956	69.08	908	2015	2923	68.94
23	Thirunelveli	2232	3569	5801	61.52	1438	3229	4667	69.19
24	Thiruvallur	1986	4078	6064	67.25	902	2129	3031	70.24
25	Thiruvannamalai	1475	1392	2867	48.55	1368	1382	2750	50.25
26	Thiruvarur	1056	1459	2515	58.01	1023	1323	2346	56.39
27	Thoothukudi	739	1765	2504	70.49	739	1722	2461	69.97
28	Vellore	2375	3591	5966	60.19	2453	3703	6156	60.15
29	Villupuram	1496	1468	2964	49.53	1616	1508	3124	48.27
30	Virudhunagar	799	2398	3197	75.01	839	1928	2767	69.68
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>32774</b>	<b>65499</b>	<b>98273</b>	<b>66.65</b>	<b>32312</b>	<b>66835</b>	<b>99147</b>	<b>67.41</b>

**Table – 4 (Cont...)**  
**Teachers – Upper Primary**  
**(2001–2002 to 2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2005-06				2006-07			
		M	F	Total	% of Female	M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	418	5593	6011	93.05	3022	17307	20329	85.13
2	Coimbatore	1462	2907	4369	66.54	2531	12030	14561	82.62
3	Cuddalore	1489	2133	3622	58.89	2974	4840	7814	61.94
4	Dharmapuri	690	793	1483	53.47	2633	3064	5697	53.78
5	Dindigul	1032	2430	3462	70.19	1840	4884	6724	72.64
6	Erode	1026	1898	2924	64.91	2209	6024	8233	73.17
7	Kancheepuram	1922	3621	5543	65.33	1812	6720	8532	78.76
8	Kanyakumari	686	2166	2852	75.95	1126	5513	6639	83.04
9	Karur	548	817	1365	59.85	1424	2550	3974	64.17
10	Krishnagiri	775	1224	1999	61.23	1381	2821	4202	67.13
11	Madurai	939	3953	4892	80.81	1966	9571	11537	82.96
12	Nagapattinam	1546	1547	3093	50.02	2569	3476	6045	57.50
13	Namakkal	727	1486	2213	67.15	2872	4845	7717	62.78
14	Perambalur	877	933	1810	51.55	1408	2270	3678	61.72
15	Pudukkottai	1104	1703	2807	59.12	2036	3590	5626	63.81
16	Ramanathapuram	822	1425	2247	63.42	1633	2916	4549	64.10
17	Salem	2592	7039	9631	73.09	2889	7970	10859	73.40
18	Sivagangai	988	1551	2539	61.09	1084	2729	3813	71.57
19	Thanjavur	1382	2614	3996	65.42	3316	5975	9291	64.31
20	Theni	820	1212	2032	59.65	1150	2828	3978	71.09
21	The Nilgiris	475	1155	1630	70.86	753	2128	2881	73.86
22	Thiruchirappalli	963	2096	3059	68.52	1654	6183	7837	78.89
23	Thirunelveli	1868	2840	4708	60.32	2551	7461	10012	74.52
24	Thiruvallur	936	2713	3649	74.35	2225	8164	10389	78.58
25	Thiruvannamalai	1585	1295	2880	44.97	2389	3962	6351	62.38
26	Thiruvaur	950	1302	2252	57.82	2212	3014	5226	57.67
27	Thoothukudi	648	1606	2254	71.25	1226	4590	5816	78.92
28	Vellore	2363	3660	6023	60.77	3259	7967	11226	70.97
29	Villupuram	2031	1969	4000	49.23	4605	5911	10516	56.21
30	Virudhunagar	1011	2658	3669	72.44	1539	4289	5828	73.59
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>34675</b>	<b>68339</b>	<b>103014</b>	<b>66.34</b>	<b>64288</b>	<b>165592</b>	<b>229880</b>	<b>72.03</b>



**Table - 4 (Cont...)**  
**Teachers - Upper Primary**  
**(2001-2002 to 2007-2008)**

S. No.	Districts	2007-08			
		M	F	Total	% of Female
1	Chennai	1950	12133	14083	86.15
2	Coimbatore	2478	10946	13424	81.54
3	Cuddalore	2025	3377	5402	62.51
4	Dharmapuri	2437	2555	4992	51.18
5	Dindigul	1349	3630	4979	72.91
6	Erode	1831	4731	6562	72.10
7	Kancheepuram	1708	6521	8229	79.24
8	Kanyakumari	801	4024	4825	83.40
9	Karur	805	1745	2550	68.43
10	Krishnagiri	1643	2663	4306	61.84
11	Madurai	1724	6833	8557	79.85
12	Nagapattinam	2706	2849	5555	51.29
13	Namakkal	1366	3122	4488	69.56
14	Perambalur	1134	1665	2799	59.49
15	Pudukkottai	1411	2345	3756	62.43
16	Ramanathapuram	1507	2467	3974	62.08
17	Salem	3992	7610	11602	65.59
18	Sivagangai	983	2199	3182	69.11
19	Thanjavur	3157	5229	8386	62.35
20	Theni	964	2317	3281	70.62
21	The Nilgiris	587	1543	2130	72.44
22	Thiruchirappalli	1573	4898	6471	75.69
23	Thirunelveli	2276	5774	8050	71.73
24	Thiruvallur	1984	7573	9557	79.24
25	Thiruvannamalai	2154	2905	5059	57.42
26	Thiruvarur	1575	2027	3602	56.27
27	Thoothukudi	961	3654	4615	79.18
28	Vellore	3158	5877	9035	65.05
29	Vilupuram	3044	3985	7029	56.69
30	Virudhunagar	1116	3054	4170	73.24
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>54399</b>	<b>130251</b>	<b>184650</b>	<b>70.54</b>

**Source: DISE**

The total number of Teachers at Upper Primary level also has shown an *increasing trend* over the last six years with a slight decline during 2007-2008. The total number of teachers during 2001-2002 was 82,453 and the same has increased to 229880 in 2006-2007. However, during 2007-2008, the same has decreased to 184650. The percentage of female teachers in 2001-2002 was 65.30% and this has increased to 72.03% during 2006-2007. There has been a slight decline in the percentage of female teachers (1.49%) during 2007-2008. The highest percentage of female teachers has been recorded in Chennai (85.13%) followed by Kanyakumari (83.04%), Madurai (82.96%) and Coimbatore (82.62%) during 2007-2008.

### 2.2.4 Appointment of Teachers under SSA

In Tamilnadu, as many as 3,220 teachers were appointed in 1,610 Primary Schools and 17,155 teachers were appointed in 3,362 Upper Primary Schools, the details of which are given in the following Table.

**Table-5**  
**Teachers appointed under SSA**

S. No.	Districts	2001-02		2002-2003		2003-2004		2004-2005	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	2	0	6	0	6	0	4
2	Coimbatore	92	36	62	77	78	106	0	138
3	Cuddalore	0	0	14	21	10	38	0	78
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	88	31	40	65	0	134
5	Dindigul	18	1	6	3	4	3	0	32
6	Erode	64	6	0	11	20	21	0	43
7	Kancheepuram	12	5	16	21	20	46	0	79
8	Kanyakumari	4	1	0	3	0	3	0	2
9	Karur	28	2	4	7	16	12	0	20
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	124	42	68	64	0	130
11	Madurai	34	4	0	14	30	34	0	81
12	Nagapattinam	14	2	2	13	22	30	0	52
13	Namakkal	20	20	6	25	22	39	0	60
14	Perambalur	0	0	14	23	20	42	0	56
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	68	53	40	76	0	124
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	28	5	22	19	0	49
17	Salem	62	7	18	13	34	21	0	98
18	Sivagangai	28	7	2	14	22	25	0	70
19	Thanjavur	96	38	2	39	20	50	0	38
20	Theni	10	3	10	23	38	23	0	31
21	The Nilgiris	12	4	6	13	22	18	0	14
22	Thiruchirappalli	14	2	12	9	8	21	0	35
23	Thirunelveli	10	2	2	2	12	8	0	16
24	Thiruvallur	64	6	6	23	28	43	0	110
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	58	71	30	76	0	108
26	Thiruvarur	150	43	0	44	16	50	0	14
27	Thoothukudi	4	0	14	3	18	6	0	10
28	Vellore	162	5	20	14	20	27	0	86
29	Villupuram	0	0	20	48	28	98	0	183
30	Virudhunagar	6	1	6	5	4	5	0	14
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>1075</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1909</b>

**Table-5 (Cont...)**  
**Teachers appointed under SSA**

S. No.	Districts	2005-2006		2006-2007		2007-2008		Total		Grand Total
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	18
2	Coimbatore	20	127	18	531	52	52	322	1067	1389
3	Cuddalore	8	78	4	447	16	58	52	720	772
4	Dharmapuri	12	153	6	715	80	112	226	1210	1436
5	Dindigul	10	50	12	200	2	43	52	332	384
6	Erode	20	88	6	420	0	82	110	671	781
7	Kancheepuram	4	75	6	495	32	37	90	758	848
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	2	8	3	12	14	26
9	Karur	6	35	6	204	4	27	64	307	371
10	Krishnagiri	76	138	46	701	26	78	340	1153	1493
11	Madurai	4	89	10	249	6	41	84	512	596
12	Nagapattinam	8	82	2	302	10	57	58	538	596
13	Namakkal	4	80	8	328	6	39	66	591	657
14	Perambalur	6	53	2	344	2	40	44	558	602
15	Pudukkottai	18	101	0	342	0	45	126	741	867
16	Ramanathapuram	6	59	8	153	12	25	76	310	386
17	Salem	28	132	36	965	50	88	228	1324	1552
18	Sivagangai	6	73	4	140	2	22	64	351	415
19	Thanjavur	2	52	4	105	0	21	124	343	467
20	Theni	2	13	12	79	20	8	92	180	252
21	The Nilgiris	8	10	0	8	0	5	48	72	140
22	Thiruchirappalli	8	50	8	226	8	34	58	377	435
23	Thirunelveli	2	26	4	138	4	21	34	213	247
24	Thiruvallur	20	103	6	395	4	33	128	713	841
25	Thiruvannamalai	10	72	10	514	20	55	128	896	1024
26	Thiruvarur	0	33	2	227	2	32	170	443	613
27	Thoothukudi	10	12	4	13	2	13	52	57	109
28	Vellore	4	119	18	774	22	62	246	1087	1333
29	Villupuram	22	176	10	692	8	57	88	1254	1342
30	Virudhunagar	0	35	0	219	22	66	38	345	383
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>2114</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>9928</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>1256</b>	<b>3220</b>	<b>17155</b>	<b>20375</b>

*Source: DISE*

### 2.2.5. Percentage of Vacancies in schools

The following Table provides the year-wise data of percentage of vacancies in schools in Tamilnadu as per DISE.

**Percentage of Vacancies in schools**

% of vacancy	No. of schools			
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
0	33125	40432	39374	36923
1-25	5931	4453	6537	5876
26-50	8827	3996	3094	1852
51-75	1400	502	383	162
76-100	172	72	67	16

*\* Particulars given above for 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07 include unaided schools.*

Tamilnadu has taken persistent efforts to fill up the vacancies of teacher posts in primary and upper primary schools. It can be seen from the Table that efficiency of appointment of teachers has resulted in 82% of the schools with nil vacancy in the year 2007-2008. As many as 16 schools function with more than 75% of vacancy. Teachers have been deputed from the nearby schools as a temporary measure. Now, the process of filling up of these vacancies has been taken up by the Government.

### 2.2.6. Percentage of non-teaching days by teachers

Utilising the services of the teachers for non-teaching works such as census, etc will have a negative impact on the efficiency of a school. This will be more so in the case of two teacher schools. This has been studied through the data available in DISE to address the same.

**Percentage of non-teaching days by teachers (in 2 teacher schools)**

S. No.	Percentage of non teaching days	No. of teachers
1	less than 5%	31240
2	5 – 10 %	2185
3	above 10%	635

As can be seen, the non-teaching days of over 31,240 teachers come to less than 5%. This exhibits that smooth and efficient functioning of the two-teacher schools has been consistently ensured.

## 2.3 Enrolment

Enrolling all school-age children in schools has been a very challenging task for the State. However, thanks to the concerted efforts involving the community in this endeavour, there has been a substantial progress in enrolment over the past six years.

### 2.3.1 Enrolment - Primary & Upper Primary - 2003-2004

The District-wise and Gender-wise details of enrolment of pupils in Primary and Upper Primary Schools in the State in 2003-2004 are given in the following Table.

**Table - 6**  
**Enrolment - Primary (2003-2004)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	62218	69606	131824	23667	25868	49535	1918	2165	4083
2	Coimbatore	194840	183725	378565	44897	42710	87607	2422	2122	4544
3	Cuddalore	126401	120723	247124	44637	42872	87509	1237	1220	2457
4	Dharmapuri	82094	67092	149186	13717	11987	25704	3214	2807	6021
5	Dindigul	102540	93916	196456	24218	22764	46982	723	618	1341
6	Erode	117077	108761	225838	23223	21403	44626	1476	1291	2767
7	Kancheepuram	143164	138231	281395	50878	49033	99911	3622	3332	6954
8	Kanyakumari	77909	74593	152502	6300	6202	12502	463	379	842
9	Karur	48637	42518	91155	10520	10400	20920	59	54	113
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District								
11	Madurai	146529	133610	280139	26156	24213	50369	633	538	1171
12	Nagapattinam	84325	79406	163731	33194	31594	64788	448	451	899
13	Namakkai	77566	67542	145108	17873	16344	34217	3532	3060	6592
14	Perambalur	63825	59940	123765	18887	18023	36910	1059	1040	2099
15	Pudukkottai	74804	71722	146526	15044	14451	29495	38	29	67
16	Ramanathapuram	65577	62527	128104	15166	14732	29898	44	51	95
17	Salem	136168	113727	249895	25783	22519	48302	6076	5904	11980
18	Sivagangai	60058	55290	115348	12011	10505	22516	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	108773	102969	211742	28559	27161	55720	319	288	607
20	Theni	56462	51593	108055	15262	13627	28889	194	136	330
21	The Nilgiris	34969	32932	67901	15041	14040	29081	2424	2362	4786
22	Thiruchirappalli	112597	109002	221599	26060	25342	51402	1299	1035	2334
23	Thirunelveli	131797	124325	256122	30664	28963	59627	658	617	1275
24	Thiruvallur	90020	90801	180821	40555	38828	79383	3629	3545	7174
25	Thiruvannamalai	108976	103795	212771	28048	27396	55444	6442	5400	11842
26	Thiruvallur	62962	60306	123268	26970	25683	52653	179	199	378
27	Thoothukudi	83126	76939	160065	22931	18090	41021	513	394	907
28	Vellore	183251	172433	355684	46229	44200	90429	5035	4252	9287
29	Villupuram	160567	153638	314205	54693	52755	107448	4877	4255	9132
30	Virudhunagar	99216	93037	192253	25366	23910	49276	121	97	218
	<b>Tami Nadu</b>	<b>2896448</b>	<b>2714699</b>	<b>5611147</b>	<b>766549</b>	<b>725615</b>	<b>1492164</b>	<b>52654</b>	<b>47641</b>	<b>100295</b>

Source: DISE 2003

**Table - 6 (Cont...)  
Enrolment - Upper Primary (2003-2004)**

S. No.	Districts	Upper Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	147145	154845	301990	32323	36754	69077	1744	2099	3843
2	Coimbatore	108441	102250	210691	22305	21021	43326	861	676	1537
3	Cuddalore	73056	68840	141896	23515	21945	45460	764	253	1017
4	Dharmapuri	43656	36946	80602	7595	6687	14282	1319	985	2304
5	Dindigul	53078	48615	101693	12615	10764	23379	264	356	620
6	Erode	63724	57559	121283	12759	11491	24250	334	259	593
7	Kancheepuram	91043	86952	177995	33299	31920	65219	908	904	1812
8	Kanyakumari	46466	44613	91079	4134	4224	8358	191	578	769
9	Karur	23713	22015	45728	6482	5885	12367	20	14	34
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapudi District								
11	Madurai	76794	73932	150726	12505	11633	24138	594	236	830
12	Nagapattinam	45029	42767	87796	16907	15943	32850	136	148	284
13	Namakkal	40332	33672	74004	8981	7714	16695	1795	1506	3301
14	Perambalur	35973	33249	69222	9995	9477	19472	386	273	659
15	Pudukkottai	44490	42274	86764	15044	14451	29495	12	9	21
16	Ramanathapuram	35237	33704	68941	8125	7778	15903	41	35	76
17	Salem	75776	63337	139113	14397	12643	27040	2829	2260	5089
18	Sivagangai	35299	31443	66742	6353	5031	11384	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	65203	60980	126183	16171	15099	31270	235	197	432
20	Theni	30392	26698	57090	8074	6917	14991	131	63	194
21	The Nilgiris	21175	20180	41355	8594	8600	17194	779	723	1502
22	Thiruchirappalli	63920	62350	126270	17031	15876	32907	799	694	1493
23	Thirunelveli	68934	66319	135253	16382	15790	32172	223	219	442
24	Thiruvallur	60402	59600	120002	25706	24189	49895	1102	1013	2115
25	Thiruvannamalai	67952	62904	130856	17514	17389	34903	2015	1295	3310
26	Thiruvarur	35059	33304	68363	14056	13149	27205	79	95	174
27	Thoothukudi	45148	42932	88080	11498	10515	22013	244	129	373
28	Vellore	105563	100041	205604	27181	26607	53788	2118	1711	3829
29	Villupuram	90638	82738	173376	30642	28500	59142	1570	1093	2663
30	Virudhunagar	50406	45849	96255	12206	10973	23179	57	46	103
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1744044</b>	<b>1640908</b>	<b>3384952</b>	<b>452389</b>	<b>428965</b>	<b>881354</b>	<b>21550</b>	<b>17869</b>	<b>39419</b>

**Source: DISE 2003**

As many as 56,11,147 children were enrolled in Primary sections, of whom 28,96,448 were boys and 27,14,699 were girls. These children comprise 14,92,164 SC children and 1,00,295 ST children. At Upper Primary level, 33,84,952 children were enrolled. They consist of 17,44,044 boys and 16,40,908 girls. Of these children, 881354 were SC children and 39,419 were ST children.

### 2.3.2. Enrolment – Primary & Upper Primary – 2004-2005

The District-wise and Gender-wise details of enrolment of pupils in Primary and Upper Primary Schools in the State in 2004-2005 are given in the following Table.

**Table – 7**  
**Enrolment – Primary (2004–2005)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	169006	179096	348102	38921	38569	77490	1133	1238	2371
2	Coimbatore	201414	190111	391525	43750	41751	85501	2617	2393	5010
3	Cuddalore	127447	121431	248878	44946	43044	87990	1927	1829	3756
4	Dharmapuri	74788	68418	143206	13068	12125	25193	2085	1910	3995
5	Dindigul	103180	94590	197770	25217	23385	48602	823	693	1516
6	Erode	106541	95427	201968	24184	22583	46767	1637	1460	3097
7	Kancheepuram	136055	131951	268006	47874	46211	94085	3551	3299	6850
8	Kanyakumari	77007	73931	150938	5963	5852	11815	480	396	876
9	Karur	47288	43053	90341	11186	10334	21520	119	107	226
10	Krishnagiri	97320	80480	177800	15011	13568	28579	2984	2612	5596
11	Madurai	143703	131131	274834	25090	23355	48445	636	497	1133
12	Nagapattinam	82553	77739	160292	32389	30816	63205	392	333	725
13	Namakkal	75170	65212	140382	17675	15904	33579	3473	3013	6486
14	Perambalur	63127	59554	122681	18901	18299	37200	1051	975	2026
15	Pudukkottai	75522	71570	147092	15116	14347	29463	152	87	239
16	Ramanathapuram	67245	63857	131102	16005	15419	31424	41	49	90
17	Salem	151298	126363	277661	28647	25021	53668	6751	6116	12867
18	Sivagangai	61366	57710	119076	12265	11747	24012	26	19	45
19	Thanjavur	110959	104672	215631	27702	26527	54229	273	245	518
20	Theni	68491	59889	128380	18127	16015	34142	124	119	243
21	The Nilgiris	35747	34000	39147	13726	13351	27077	2993	2734	5727
22	Thiruchirappalli	109628	104008	213636	25126	24676	49802	1363	1109	2472
23	Thirunelveli	167397	155824	323221	37310	34895	72205	800	680	1480
24	Thiruvallur	117126	113357	230483	39559	37607	77166	3892	3779	7671
25	Thiruvannamalai	110336	103980	214316	27575	26227	53802	6596	5527	12123
26	Thiruvaur	61737	58923	120660	26140	24984	51124	341	329	670
27	Thoothukudi	85030	78354	163384	19326	18783	38109	475	368	843
28	Vellore	178180	168349	346529	44180	42461	86641	5512	4700	10212
29	Villupuram	153068	147077	300145	51742	49692	101434	4663	4182	8845
30	Virudhunagar	97819	92012	189831	24557	23405	47962	209	144	353
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3155548</b>	<b>2921469</b>	<b>6077017</b>	<b>791278</b>	<b>750953</b>	<b>1542231</b>	<b>57119</b>	<b>50942</b>	<b>108061</b>

**Table – 7 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment – Upper Primary (2004–2005)**

S. No.	Districts	Upper Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	120524	103785	224309	24958	25436	50394	1329	1381	2710
2	Coimbatore	114437	106019	220456	23314	21470	44784	1185	1131	2316
3	Cuddalore	70059	65212	135271	23968	22683	46651	677	634	1311
4	Dharmapuri	40164	38051	78215	6882	6117	12999	919	1165	2084
5	Dindigul	54096	48816	102912	12296	11683	23979	317	679	996
6	Erode	58695	51157	109852	11928	11362	23290	2717	568	3285
7	Kancheepuram	90623	86365	176988	33656	31672	65328	1061	1082	2143
8	Kanyakumari	46628	44210	90838	3909	4035	7944	203	983	1186
9	Karur	24311	22156	46467	5499	5013	10512	39	20	59
10	Krishnagiri	52501	43314	95815	8104	7735	15839	1524	2510	4034
11	Madurai	78125	71156	149281	12505	11802	24307	726	1035	1761
12	Nagapattinam	47057	44278	91335	17691	16719	34410	264	259	523
13	Namakkal	41933	34767	76700	9300	7952	17252	1925	1403	3328
14	Perambalur	37242	34393	71635	10322	9748	20070	668	481	1149
15	Pudukkottai	45683	42655	88338	9325	9007	18332	183	99	282
16	Ramanathapuram	36753	34501	71254	7763	7235	14998	129	68	197
17	Salem	84195	70374	154569	15997	14048	30045	3143	2511	5654
18	Sivagangai	36471	33493	69964	7320	6672	13992	7	8	15
19	Thanjavur	66393	61612	128005	15905	15275	31180	331	242	573
20	Theni	35299	29665	64964	8617	7324	15941	32	24	56
21	The Nilgiris	21662	20178	41840	8103	8534	16637	1488	1351	2839
22	Thiruchirappalli	63295	61081	124376	16780	15991	32771	729	647	1376
23	Thirunelveli	88043	83389	171432	19245	18477	37722	787	690	1477
24	Thiruvallur	75414	71359	146773	25787	24199	49986	1200	1061	2261
25	Thiruvannamalai	68500	63757	132257	17362	16971	34333	2480	1884	4364
26	Thiruvarur	35578	33625	69203	14580	13485	28065	186	177	363
27	Thoothukudi	45568	41673	87241	11372	10533	21905	341	424	765
28	Vellore	105686	100838	206524	27592	27705	55297	1859	1335	3194
29	Villupuram	92267	84032	176299	31490	29144	60634	1672	1265	2937
30	Virudhunagar	50837	46201	97038	12390	11040	23430	134	124	258
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1828039</b>	<b>1672112</b>	<b>3500151</b>	<b>453960</b>	<b>429067</b>	<b>883027</b>	<b>28255</b>	<b>25241</b>	<b>53496</b>

*Source: DISE 2004*

At primary level, as many as 60,77,017 children were enrolled in Primary sections, of whom 31,55,548 were boys and 29,21,469 were girls. These children comprise 15,42,231 SC children and 1,08,061 ST children. At Upper Primary level, 35,00,151 children were enrolled. They consist of 18,28,039 boys and 16,72,112 girls. Of these children, 8,83,027 were SC children and 53,496 were ST children.



### 2.3.3. Enrolment – Primary & Upper Primary – 2005-2006

The District-wise and Gender-wise details of enrolment of pupils in Primary and Upper Primary Schools in the State in 2005-2006 are given in the following Table.

**Table – 8**  
**Enrolment – Primary (2005–2006)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	182067	166974	349041	47513	46293	93806	1223	1287	2510
2	Coimbatore	203363	192223	395586	41149	39605	80754	3671	3287	6958
3	Cuddalore	115290	112582	227872	43976	42969	86945	1331	1328	2659
4	Dharmapuri	77400	64406	141806	14366	13726	28092	2448	2033	4481
5	Dindigul	104341	96113	200454	25501	23336	48837	617	557	1174
6	Erode	114398	105610	220008	22812	21753	44565	1986	1779	3765
7	Kancheepuram	139923	135022	274945	46694	45150	91844	3998	3701	7699
8	Kanyakumari	81644	78416	160060	6142	6198	12340	498	454	952
9	Karur	46537	42408	88945	11036	10230	21266	96	83	179
10	Krishnagiri	92123	84051	176174	14743	14056	28799	1557	1319	2876
11	Madurai	295324	134420	429744	24699	23022	47721	685	676	1361
12	Nagapattinam	81376	76943	158319	28613	27411	56024	761	719	1480
13	Namakkal	73871	64672	138543	16584	15184	31768	3178	2794	5972
14	Perambalur	61932	58466	120398	18726	18174	36900	1083	1039	2122
15	Pudukkottai	76216	72383	148599	15154	14425	29579	474	400	874
16	Ramanathapuram	67259	65180	132439	12314	11662	23976	203	196	399
17	Salem	168108	140403	308511	31830	27801	59631	7501	6795	14296
18	Sivagangai	61249	57402	118651	12244	11776	24020	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	112684	104098	216782	27723	26616	54339	1018	766	1784
20	Theni	67987	58179	126166	17003	15021	32024	362	333	695
21	The Nilgiris	35190	33923	69113	14876	14630	29506	2684	2813	5497
22	Thiruchirappalli	105467	100813	206280	23723	23183	46906	1281	1129	2410
23	Thirunelveli	160289	150679	310968	35407	33324	68731	896	789	1685
24	Thiruvallur	120006	116409	236415	38706	37331	76037	4189	4011	8200
25	Thiruvannamalai	108781	103186	211967	27074	26129	53203	7280	6264	13544
26	Thiruvarur	60542	57837	118379	25312	24239	49551	313	306	619
27	Thoothukudi	86704	80778	167482	19793	18652	38445	536	447	983
28	Vellore	180683	169545	350228	45026	42613	87639	5545	4539	10084
29	Villupuram	156156	149294	305450	52544	50311	102855	5675	5172	10847
30	Virudhunagar	97979	92465	190444	24776	23591	48367	275	213	488
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3334889</b>	<b>2964880</b>	<b>6299769</b>	<b>786059</b>	<b>748411</b>	<b>1534470</b>	<b>61364</b>	<b>55229</b>	<b>116593</b>

**Table - 8 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment - Upper Primary (2005-2006)**

S. No.	Districts	Upper Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	115356	105192	220548	27708	26771	54479	2284	1035	3319
2	Coimbatore	119960	110719	230679	23627	21394	45021	1353	1145	2498
3	Cuddalore	77666	74808	152474	27970	27181	55151	608	620	1228
4	Dharmapuri	45237	38726	83963	6882	6117	12999	926	1163	2089
5	Dindigul	56705	51049	107754	13277	12149	25426	149	129	278
6	Erode	64701	56981	121682	11880	10709	22589	676	601	1277
7	Kancheepuram	93778	89894	183672	33687	31842	65529	1281	1126	2407
8	Kanyakumari	46884	43960	90844	4460	4428	8888	491	464	955
9	Karur	24806	22734	47540	5539	5139	10678	129	226	355
10	Krishnagiri	48853	44787	93640	7446	7106	14552	1002	971	1973
11	Madurai	210748	74995	285743	13856	12945	26801	713	1346	2059
12	Nagapattinam	46370	44257	90627	15525	15255	30780	285	255	540
13	Namakkal	42555	36577	79132	9240	7693	16933	1796	1306	3102
14	Perambalur	37305	33817	71122	10638	9882	20520	530	419	949
15	Pudukkottai	45507	42777	88284	9103	8821	17924	351	340	691
16	Ramanathapuram	38207	35438	73645	8279	7973	16252	10	9	19
17	Salem	93550	781993	875543	17774	15608	33382	3492	2789	6281
18	Sivagangai	37374	34359	71733	7160	6758	13918	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	66691	62841	129532	16183	15214	31397	669	646	1315
20	Theni	35922	30371	66293	8826	7402	16228	373	273	646
21	The Nilgiris	20394	19350	39744	7882	8349	16231	1481	1336	2817
22	Thiruchirappalli	64290	62990	127280	14308	13892	28200	559	495	1054
23	Thirunelveli	85640	80175	165815	19011	17452	36463	716	557	1273
24	Thiruvallur	76214	72029	148243	25132	23578	48710	1584	1526	3110
25	Thiruvannamalai	67257	62941	130198	17344	16858	34202	2521	1758	4279
26	Thiruvarur	36264	34039	70303	15303	13765	29068	218	193	411
27	Thoothukudi	46403	44476	90879	11164	10157	21321	521	377	898
28	Vellore	104778	100676	205454	27170	26223	53393	1851	1345	3196
29	Villupuram	90505	83425	173930	30797	28606	59403	2164	1772	3936
30	Virudhunagar	51536	47012	98548	12493	11349	23842	43	71	114
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1991456</b>	<b>2423388</b>	<b>4414844</b>	<b>459664</b>	<b>430616</b>	<b>890280</b>	<b>28776</b>	<b>24293</b>	<b>53069</b>

**Source: DISE 2005**

At primary level, as many as 62,99,769 children were enrolled in Primary sections, of whom 33,34,889 were boys and 29,64,880 were girls. These children comprise 15,34,470 SC children and 1,16,593 ST children. At Upper Primary level, 44,14,844 children were enrolled. They consist of 11,91,456 boys and 24,23,388 girls. Of these children, 8,90,280 were SC children and 53,069 were ST children. In Sivagangai District, there were no ST children.

### 2.3.4. Enrolment – Primary & Upper Primary – 2006-2007

The District-wise and Gender-wise details of enrolment of pupils in Primary and Upper Primary Schools in the State in 2006-2007 are given in the following Table.

**Table – 9**  
**Enrolment – Primary (2006–2007)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	180694	175220	355914	45251	42907	88158	1677	1525	3202
2	Coimbatore	198842	189633	388475	42448	40845	83293	3594	3320	6914
3	Cuddalore	122563	119711	242274	43032	42104	85136	2595	3275	5870
4	Dharmapuri	76652	64920	141572	13072	11841	24913	3322	3009	6331
5	Dindigul	101570	93634	195204	25075	23059	48134	684	623	1307
6	Erode	110900	101755	212655	24416	23251	47667	1653	1471	3124
7	Kancheepuram	136921	133926	270847	44873	43947	88820	4233	4162	8395
8	Kanyakumari	77866	74603	152469	5557	5409	10966	1051	987	2038
9	Karur	45905	42331	88236	10967	10149	21116	197	182	379
10	Krishnagiri	69980	66764	136744	10217	9823	20040	2358	2336	4694
11	Madurai	143556	131771	275327	24699	23022	47721	685	676	1361
12	Nagapattinam	79361	75304	154665	30138	28793	58931	613	579	1192
13	Namakkal	72995	64584	137579	17081	15710	32791	3112	2705	5817
14	Perambalur	60402	57285	117687	18363	17807	36170	1278	1147	2425
15	Pudukkottai	75681	72543	148224	14953	14657	29610	52	60	112
16	Ramanathapuram	67361	64074	131435	14941	14229	29170	339	324	663
17	Salem	168193	142278	310471	31413	27477	58890	9009	7940	16949
18	Sivagangai	58833	56034	114867	12003	11792	23795	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	107656	102971	210627	26464	25588	52052	1128	969	2097
20	Theni	64564	56901	121465	16999	15051	32050	262	283	545
21	The Nilgiris	34263	33187	67450	13686	13485	27171	2608	2474	5082
22	Thiruchirappalli	118147	111516	229663	25121	23784	48905	1624	1344	2968
23	Thirunelveli	156883	148261	305144	34746	32698	67444	873	807	1680
24	Thiruvallur	134907	128598	263505	39338	37653	76991	5459	5190	10649
25	Thiruvannamalai	109345	103718	213063	27198	26313	53511	6963	6012	12975
26	Thiruvarur	58140	55770	113910	24507	23612	48119	210	201	411
27	Thoothukudi	83763	79285	163048	19633	18194	37827	507	433	940
28	Vellore	180673	170047	350720	44421	42209	86630	5785	4913	10698
29	Villupuram	153862	147387	301249	51938	49683	101621	5624	5089	10713
30	Virudhunagar	97467	92538	190005	24784	23592	48376	512	458	970
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3147945</b>	<b>2956549</b>	<b>6104494</b>	<b>777334</b>	<b>738684</b>	<b>1516018</b>	<b>68007</b>	<b>62494</b>	<b>130501</b>

**Table - 9 (Cont.....)**  
**Enrolment - Upper Primary (2006-2007)**

S. No.	Districts	Upper Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	110729	110354	221083	27294	27623	54917	1907	1353	3260
2	Coimbatore	125888	116676	242564	26580	24348	50928	2056	2035	4091
3	Cuddalore	73265	69972	143237	24284	22744	47028	1207	1338	2545
4	Dharmapuri	45902	38721	84623	7712	6853	14565	1477	1342	2819
5	Dindigul	57869	52390	110259	13283	12678	25961	1104	737	1841
6	Erode	68074	60513	128587	14213	13214	27427	1148	876	2024
7	Kancheepuram	93274	89692	182966	33028	30811	63839	1460	1512	2972
8	Kanyakumari	46563	43831	90394	4104	4189	8293	894	757	1651
9	Karur	25939	23796	49735	5928	5503	11431	214	207	421
10	Krishnagiri	26610	27959	54569	3820	4075	7895	1249	1240	2489
11	Madurai	81312	76352	157664	13856	12945	26801	713	1346	2059
12	Nagapattinam	48762	45252	94014	18542	17635	36177	145	150	295
13	Namakkal	45330	38009	83339	9480	8751	18231	2750	2816	5566
14	Perambalur	37836	35209	73045	11038	10268	21306	774	739	1513
15	Pudukkottai	46380	44038	90418	9591	9101	18692	27	27	54
16	Ramanathapuram	37649	35299	72948	8572	8089	16661	673	581	1254
17	Salem	92041	79094	171135	17537	15484	33021	3314	4259	7573
18	Sivagangai	36826	33826	70652	7397	6808	14205	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	63856	61470	125326	15749	14841	30590	1541	1552	3093
20	Theni	36015	30994	67009	8632	7500	16132	84	83	167
21	The Nilgiris	20583	18966	39549	8127	7958	16085	1044	1054	2098
22	Thiruchirappalli	68693	65457	134150	14540	14300	28840	802	863	1665
23	Thirunelveli	87714	82022	169736	18734	17675	36409	796	492	1288
24	Thiruvallur	84875	79960	164835	25759	24442	50201	2930	2450	5380
25	Thiruvannamalai	66188	62172	128360	17021	16300	33321	2679	2026	4705
26	Thiruvannamalai	35930	34416	70346	15415	14120	29535	157	368	525
27	Thoothukudi	47628	44918	92546	11187	10455	21642	362	346	708
28	Vellore	109170	103000	212170	26636	26123	52759	3532	2667	6199
29	Villupuram	88521	82563	171084	29554	28177	57731	2111	1868	3979
30	Virudhunagar	53093	48724	101817	12562	11649	24211	367	349	716
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1862515</b>	<b>1735645</b>	<b>3598160</b>	<b>460175</b>	<b>434659</b>	<b>894834</b>	<b>37517</b>	<b>35433</b>	<b>72950</b>

**Source: DISE 2006**

At primary level, as many as 61,04,494 children were enrolled in Primary sections, of whom 31,47,945 were boys and 29,56,549 were girls. These children comprise 15,16,018 SC children and 1,30,501 ST children. At Upper Primary level, 35,98,160 children were enrolled. They consist of 18,62,515 boys and 17,35,645 girls. Of these children, 8,94,834 were SC children and 72,950 were ST children.

### 2.3.5. Enrolment – Primary (2007–2008)

The District-wise and Gender-wise details of enrolment of pupils in Primary and Upper Primary Schools in the State in 2007-2008 are given in the following Table.

**Table – 10**  
**Enrolment – Primary (2007–2008)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	190339	184079	374418	45817	43990	89807	1688	1546	3234
2	Coimbatore	198708	189426	388134	40677	39540	80217	3621	3651	7272
3	Cuddalore	118305	112755	231060	42768	41639	84407	1918	1745	3663
4	Dharmapuri	73613	64058	137671	12610	11375	23985	3258	3022	6280
5	Dindigul	97584	90012	187596	24359	22477	46836	611	566	1177
6	Erode	106075	97794	203869	23482	22398	45880	1469	1372	2841
7	Kancheepuram	148363	143097	291460	47596	46101	93697	4067	3933	8000
8	Kanyakumari	77232	74453	151685	5226	5053	10279	442	449	891
9	Karur	44526	40812	85338	10600	9900	20500	65	71	136
10	Krishnagiri	100757	93337	194094	14003	13300	27303	1926	1765	3691
11	Madurai	142001	130186	272187	23910	22277	46187	743	720	1463
12	Nagapattinam	74970	71967	146937	29611	28417	58028	384	347	731
13	Namakkal	71124	62817	133941	16060	14826	30886	3240	2821	6061
14	Perambalur	61122	57334	118456	18402	17698	36100	1083	1010	2093
15	Pudukkottai	74135	71075	145210	14595	14093	28688	16	22	38
16	Ramanathapuram	66278	62905	129183	14492	13723	28215	330	307	637
17	Salem	159624	137773	297397	30314	27660	57974	7129	6424	13553
18	Sivagangai	57013	53987	111000	11297	10958	22255	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	107345	102754	210099	26202	25373	51575	415	410	825
20	Theni	62782	55632	118414	16807	15032	31839	214	192	406
21	The Nilgiris	32529	30997	63526	13100	12586	25686	2162	2253	4415
22	Thiruchirappalli	117884	111632	229516	24794	23740	48534	2113	1755	3868
23	Thirunelveli	155877	147552	303429	33274	31727	65001	1149	1035	2184
24	Thiruvallur	147554	138822	286376	42177	40562	82739	4848	4673	9521
25	Thiruvannamalai	105679	100856	206535	26622	25702	52324	6814	5904	12718
26	Thiruvarur	55655	53916	109571	23137	22307	45444	117	130	247
27	Thoothukudi	82018	76976	158994	19429	17714	37143	771	725	1496
28	Vellore	183241	173728	356969	44541	42400	86941	5513	4774	10287
29	Villupuram	151104	145500	296604	50643	48871	99514	5944	5518	11462
30	Virudhunagar	94389	89629	184018	24058	23114	47172	191	160	351
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3157826</b>	<b>2965861</b>	<b>6123687</b>	<b>770603</b>	<b>734553</b>	<b>1505156</b>	<b>62241</b>	<b>57300</b>	<b>119541</b>

**Table - 10 (Cont.....)**  
**Enrolment - Upper Primary (2007-2008)**

S. No.	Districts	Upper Primary								
		ALL			SC			ST		
		B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
1	Chennai	115239	114296	229535	27755	27493	55248	1939	1459	3398
2	Coimbatore	128815	120198	249013	27415	25156	52571	2839	2329	5168
3	Cuddalore	72748	67552	140300	24952	23809	48761	852	555	1407
4	Dharmapuri	47281	39389	86670	7947	6860	14807	2024	2720	4744
5	Dindigul	57637	53286	110923	14389	13368	27757	232	173	405
6	Erode	70099	63162	133261	14924	13800	28724	715	669	1384
7	Kancheepuram	100104	93875	193979	34083	31916	65999	1625	1433	3058
8	Kanyakumari	46684	44030	90714	3873	3886	7759	685	660	1345
9	Karur	27067	24583	51650	6268	5808	12076	27	28	55
10	Krishnagiri	51760	47395	99155	8188	7798	15986	549	512	1061
11	Madurai	82626	75728	158354	13443	12757	26200	626	477	1103
12	Nagapattinam	48813	45396	94209	19096	17796	36892	118	112	230
13	Namakkal	46815	39043	85858	10441	9104	19545	2333	1996	4329
14	Perambalur	37870	35085	72955	11241	10591	21832	469	431	900
15	Pudukkottai	45161	43299	88460	9062	8836	17898	6	3	9
16	Ramanathapuram	38240	36247	74487	8188	7320	15508	677	972	1649
17	Salem	96482	81989	178471	18510	16417	34927	3632	3250	6882
18	Sivagangai	37485	34698	72183	7727	7183	14910	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	67791	63215	131006	16585	15872	32457	395	240	635
20	Theni	36362	31390	67752	8973	7925	16898	76	51	127
21	The Nilgiris	20400	18783	39183	8222	8097	16319	1112	885	1997
22	Thiruchirappalli	75266	69858	145124	16036	15503	31539	1484	1181	2665
23	Thirunelveli	89526	83636	173162	18989	17663	36652	542	1172	1714
24	Thiruvallur	91865	83945	175810	27186	24876	52062	3029	2460	5489
25	Thiruvannamalai	63060	59254	122314	15956	15078	31034	2451	1987	4438
26	Thiruvarur	36186	34565	70751	15373	14446	29819	395	320	715
27	Thoothukudi	48227	45575	93802	11050	10346	21396	430	434	864
28	Vellore	110973	105872	216845	26984	26171	53155	3015	2401	5416
29	Villupuram	87539	82153	169692	29368	27956	57324	2507	1966	4473
30	Virudhunagar	53232	50216	103448	13106	12259	25365	71	108	179
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>1931353</b>	<b>1787713</b>	<b>3719066</b>	<b>475330</b>	<b>446090</b>	<b>921420</b>	<b>34855</b>	<b>30984</b>	<b>65839</b>

**Source: DISE 2007**

At primary level, as many as 61,23,687 children were enrolled in Primary sections, of whom 31,57,826 were boys and 29,65,861 were girls. These children comprise 15,05,156 SC children and 1,19,541 ST children. At Upper Primary level, 37,19,066 children were enrolled. They consist of 19,31,353 boys and 17,87,713 girls. Of these children, 9,21,420 were SC children and 65,839 were ST children.

### 2.3.6. Enrolment Trend in Unaided schools

DISE data have been critically analysed for interventions under quality. Tamilnadu has effectively been able to generate such critical reports that have been used for improvement of school system. These reports have been extensively used for preparation of AWP&B as well.

The following Table shows the trend of enrolment of children in unaided schools in revenue villages across the State.

**Enrolment Trend in Unaided schools**

S. No.	Trend	No. of revenue villages
1	Decreasing trend of enrolment in unaided schools	2239
2	Increasing trend of enrolment in unaided schools	612

• Enrolment remains unchanged in rest of the revenue villages.

With regard to enrolment of children in unaided schools, there has been a *declining trend* in about 13% of the revenue villages (2239). And this means that children from unaided schools are *moving towards Government schools*. In 3.5% of the revenue villages, there is an increasing trend of enrolment in unaided schools. The State is now focusing on these areas for providing access and quality education.

### 2.3.7. Enrolment Trend in terms of Children Strength

The enrolment of children in primary and upper primary schools with a strength of 0-20, 20-60, 60-100 and >100 has been analysed and the report of the same is as follows.

Enrolment Trend in terms of Strength

S. No.	Total enrolment of children	Number of schools	
		Primary	Upper primary
1	0-20	1231	101
2	20-60	13785	198
3	60-100	4584	513
4	>100	9343	7640

It has been identified that 1231 primary schools and 101 upper primary schools have an enrolment of less than 20 children. The fact shows the keen interest and commitment of Tamilnadu to provide access to all the school-age children even in remote and scattered habitations.

### 2.4. NER

#### 2.4.1 NER – Primary

With reference to achievement of the Goal of Bridging gender and social gaps in Tamil Nadu, the 7<sup>th</sup> JRM observes,

***“...The State has successfully bridged the gender gap in most aspects of elementary education: the girls’ Net Enrolment Ratio (NER) is at par with boys at both levels and in all districts. The social gaps have almost been bridged: the NER at the primary level for SCs is 99.31%, higher than the State average, but it is 97.69% for STs. At the upper primary level the NER for SCs is 98.47%, higher than the State average and for STs, a little below the State average, at 98.15%. The enrolment shares of girls, SCs, and STs, in primary and upper primary is therefore maintained almost precisely relative to their share in the population at the state level...”***

The six Tables that follow indicate the *progressive trend* in *Net Enrolment Ratio (NER)* of ALL, SC and ST categories at Primary level during the years 2002 to 2007.



**Table - 11**  
**Progress in NER - Primary - ALL**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	75	95	98	97	99.49	99.55	79	95	97	98	99.51	99.53
2	Coimbatore	92	95	99	99	99.56	99.49	92	95	99	99	99.56	99.47
3	Cuddalore	94	98	99	99	99.09	99.66	95	98	99	99	99.04	99.53
4	Dharmapuri	90	90	98	98	97.32	98.94	90	89	97	98	97.34	98.72
5	Dindigul	86	95	97	98	99.27	98.91	85	95	98	98	99.33	98.70
6	Erode	92	99	99	99	99.35	99.79	92	99	99	99	99.22	99.43
7	Kancheepuram	94	95	97	97	99.36	99.40	95	95	97	97	99.40	99.37
8	Kanyakumari	99	99	100	100	99.73	99.89	99	99	100	100	99.79	99.88
9	Karur	92	94	98	99	99.50	99.76	89	93	98	97	99.46	99.76
10	Krishnagiri	91	91	99	100	97.90	97.48	90	91	98	98	98.79	97.05
11	Madurai	98	98	98	99	99.40	99.48	97	98	98	97	99.33	99.33
12	Nagapattinam	91	94	98	98	99.29	99.39	91	93	98	98	99.31	99.57
13	Namakkal	97	97	97	99	99.77	99.48	95	97	97	96	99.73	99.44
14	Perambalur	92	93	99	99	99.21	99.44	92	93	99	99	99.16	99.47
15	Pudukkottai	95	98	99	99	99.59	99.90	94	98	98	99	99.61	99.91
16	Ramanad	97	97	99	99	99.45	99.68	97	97	99	99	99.32	99.50
17	Salem	91	97	97	100	99.09	99.35	91	93	95	94	99.04	99.30
18	Sivagangai	98	98	99	99	99.19	99.39	91	96	99	99	99.23	99.51
19	Thanjavur	91	88	99	100	99.04	98.26	83	98	98	98	99.05	98.56
20	Theni	88	97	99	99	98.51	99.56	87	97	98	97	98.61	99.08
21	The Nilgiris	96	98	99	98	99.29	99.75	93	95	99	99	99.15	99.77
22	Thiruchy	99	99	99	99	99.35	99.46	99	99	99	99	99.34	99.41
23	Thirunelveli	97	98	99	99	99.33	99.56	97	98	98	99	99.29	99.51
24	Thiruvallur	96	98	98	98	99.61	99.42	97	97	99	99	99.52	99.30
25	T.V.malai	97	96	97	99	99.09	99.28	96	96	98	98	99.10	99.27
26	Thiruvarur	91	97	99	100	98.39	99.39	89	98	99	99	98.11	99.31
27	Thoothukudi	94	99	99	100	99.81	99.88	95	98	99	99	99.83	99.82
28	Vellore	92	93	98	98	99.46	99.80	94	94	98	98	99.36	99.74
29	Villupuram	97	99	99	99	99.83	99.68	97	99	99	99	99.74	99.49
30	Virudhunagar	94	96	99	99	99.45	99.68	93	95	99	99	99.44	99.66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>99.29</b>	<b>99.42</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99.29</b>	<b>99.35</b>

**Table - 11 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER - Primary - ALL**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	77	95	97	98	99.50	99.54
2	Coimbatore	92	95	99	99	99.56	99.48
3	Cuddalore	95	98	99	99	99.06	99.60
4	Dharmapuri	90	90	98	98	97.33	98.84
5	Dindigul	86	95	98	98	99.30	98.81
6	Erode	92	99	99	99	99.28	99.62
7	Kancheepuram	95	95	97	97	99.38	99.38
8	Kanyakumari	99	99	100	100	99.76	99.88
9	Karur	91	94	98	98	99.48	99.76
10	Krishnagiri	91	91	99	99	98.35	97.28
11	Madurai	98	98	98	98	99.36	99.41
12	Nagapattinam	91	94	98	98	99.30	99.48
13	Namakkal	96	97	97	98	99.75	99.46
14	Perambalur	92	93	99	99	99.19	99.46
15	Pudukkottai	95	98	98	99	99.60	99.90
16	Ramanad	97	97	99	99	99.38	99.59
17	Salem	91	95	96	97	99.07	99.33
18	Sivagangai	95	97	99	99	99.40	99.45
19	Thanjavur	87	98	98	99	99.42	98.41
20	Theni	88	97	98	98	99.46	99.32
21	The Nilgiris	95	97	99	99	99.44	99.76
22	Thiruchy	99	99	99	99	99.48	99.43
23	Thirunelveli	97	98	99	99	99.50	99.53
24	Thiruvallur	97	98	98	99	99.52	99.36
25	T.V.malai	97	96	98	98	99.54	99.27
26	Thiruvarur	90	98	99	99	99.56	99.35
27	Thoothukudi	95	98	99	99	99.58	99.85
28	Vellore	93	93	98	98	99.60	99.77
29	Villupuram	97	99	99	99	99.62	99.59
30	Virudhunagar	94	96	99	99	99.64	99.67
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99.29</b>	<b>99.39</b>

Source: DISE

The State-level NER of *ALL* category at Primary level has registered an increase of 6.39% in 2007-2008 against 93% in 2002-2003. The increase in NER in the case of boys is 6.29% and in the case of girls it is 7.35%. The increase in NER is above the State-level in 20 Districts. Chennai reports a significant increase of 22.54%.

**Table – 12**  
**Progress in NER – Primary – SC**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	72	96	96	97	99.64	99.73	76	90	94	97	99.63	99.73
2	Coimbatore	91	94	99	95	99.72	99.78	90	93	99	94	99.72	99.73
3	Cuddalore	90	98	99	97	98.91	99.43	88	97	97	97	98.89	99.58
4	Dharmapuri	86	90	90	95	97.48	98.03	86	88	88	96	97.51	98.01
5	Dindigul	87	94	99	99	98.79	98.46	85	94	99	99	98.95	98.86
6	Erode	90	99	99	97	99.06	98.72	90	99	99	99	98.9	98.99
7	Kancheepuram	91	93	97	98	99.33	99.70	89	90	97	98	99.37	99.70
8	Kanyakumari	96	97	98	97	99.56	99.52	95	97	98	98	99.48	99.76
9	Karur	84	91	96	98	99.43	99.66	82	89	97	99	99.58	99.63
10	Krishnagiri	90	90	94	97	97.15	92.98	89	90	91	97	98.41	90.99
11	Madurai	98	99	99	99	99.18	99.40	97	99	99	100	99.17	99.31
12	Nagapattinam	66	71	93	96	99.42	99.41	66	68	93	96	99.44	99.43
13	Namakkal	92	93	97	97	99.72	99.30	90	91	96	98	99.75	99.41
14	Perambalur	83	88	99	96	99.15	99.45	83	86	98	97	99.01	99.56
15	Pudukkottai	92	93	97	97	99.60	99.82	91	91	97	97	99.63	99.88
16	Ramanad	97	97	98	98	99.57	99.40	95	97	98	99	99.52	99.27
17	Salem	88	90	90	97	99.30	99.39	87	89	90	98	99.34	99.44
18	Sivagangai	92	98	98	99	98.83	98.97	90	98	98	99	98.93	99.30
19	Thanjavur	85	99	99	99	99.25	97.57	81	98	99	99	99.18	98.03
20	Theni	86	96	98	98	99.56	99.58	85	94	97	98	99.57	99.58
21	The Nilgiris	88	89	98	97	98.64	98.52	87	88	98	98	98.67	99.49
22	Thiruchy	94	97	97	98	99.79	99.75	94	97	97	99	99.83	99.74
23	Thirunelveli	94	95	97	98	99.39	99.56	93	94	97	99	99.3	99.47
24	Thiruvallur	91	95	98	97	99.66	98.46	93	94	98	97	99.59	98.75
25	T.V.malai	93	94	96	98	99.35	99.33	92	94	96	98	99.39	99.63
26	Thiruvarur	90	90	98	98	98.81	99.02	88	90	98	99	98.6	99.08
27	Thoothukudi	91	99	99	98	99.78	99.72	93	98	99	99	99.83	99.81
28	Vellore	89	89	91	97	99.55	99.65	90	91	92	97	99.44	99.76
29	Villupuram	95	97	97	97	99.78	99.14	95	96	96	98	99.7	99.26
30	Virudhunagar	89	89	93	98	99.42	99.65	88	88	93	99	99.34	99.59
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99.31</b>	<b>99.17</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99.31</b>	<b>99.24</b>

**Table - 12 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER - Primary - SC**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	74	93	95	97	99.63	99.73
2	Coimbatore	91	94	99	95	99.72	99.76
3	Cuddalore	89	97	99	97	98.90	99.50
4	Dharmapuri	86	89	89	95	97.50	98.02
5	Dindigul	86	94	99	99	98.87	98.65
6	Erode	90	99	99	98	98.98	98.85
7	Kancheepuram	90	92	97	98	99.35	99.70
8	Kanyakumari	96	97	98	97	99.52	99.64
9	Karur	83	90	96	98	99.50	99.65
10	Krishnagiri	90	90	92	97	97.79	92.02
11	Madurai	98	99	99	99	99.17	99.35
12	Nagapattinam	66	69	93	96	99.43	99.42
13	Namakkal	91	92	96	98	99.73	99.35
14	Perambalur	83	89	99	97	99.08	99.51
15	Pudukkottai	92	93	97	97	99.61	99.85
16	Ramanad	96	97	98	99	99.54	99.34
17	Salem	88	88	90	98	99.32	99.41
18	Sivagangai	91	98	98	99	98.88	99.13
19	Thanjavur	83	99	99	99	99.22	97.80
20	Theni	86	95	97	98	99.57	99.58
21	The Nilgins	88	89	98	98	98.66	99.00
22	Thiruchy	94	97	97	98	99.81	99.75
23	Thirunelveli	94	95	97	98	99.35	99.52
24	Thiruvallur	92	95	98	97	99.63	98.60
25	T.V.malai	93	94	95	98	99.37	99.48
26	Thiruvaur	89	90	98	99	98.70	99.05
27	Thoothukudi	92	98	99	98	99.81	99.76
28	Vellore	90	90	91	97	99.49	99.70
29	Villupuram	95	97	97	98	99.74	99.20
30	Virudhunagar	89	89	93	99	99.38	99.62
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>99.31</b>	<b>99.20</b>

*Source: DISE*

The State-level of NER of SC category at Primary level has improved from 89% in 2002 to 99.20% in 2007-2008, which indicates an overall increase of 10.20% though this figure is negligibly lower than that of 2006-2007. In the case of boys, the increase is 10.17% and in the case of girls the increase is 11.24%. Nagapattinam and Chennai have reported a remarkable increase of 33.42% and 25.73% respectively.

**Table – 13**  
**Progress in NER – Primary – ST**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	73	96	96	97	98.55	99.04	71	88	93	94	98.75	98.88
2	Coimbatore	85	88	98	98	99.84	99.38	84	90	98	97	99.82	99.44
3	Cuddalore	61	77	99	97	98.36	96.34	59	78	99	97	98.41	99.36
4	Dharmapuri	80	88	89	99	95.23	97.15	80	84	85	98	96.06	96.96
5	Dindigul	75	85	98	96	97.48	91.30	73	85	98	96	97.49	95.08
6	Erode	76	96	96	97	98.34	90.28	75	94	97	97	99.1	87.95
7	Kancheepuram	87	89	97	98	99.64	99.72	89	90	97	98	99.75	99.82
8	Kanyakumari	93	93	100	96	98.75	99.31	92	93	100	94	98.83	99.55
9	Karur	81	82	98	99	97.14	98.41	79	81	97	92	98.8	100.00
10	Krishnagiri	90	91	92	97	98.13	53.83	88	90	91	93	99.28	69.70
11	Madurai	100	99	99	97	97.88	87.87	98	99	99	93	96.7	86.36
12	Nagapattinam	56	66	91	99	98.7	96.04	56	58	91	96	98.89	96.50
13	Namakkal	89	92	92	98	99.82	98.92	91	91	95	98	99.73	98.98
14	Perambalur	80	88	99	99	99	98.78	78	86	98	97	98.32	98.89
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	99	98	92.96	100.00	0	0	99	94	93.94	77.27
16	Ramanad	89	89	99	98	82.05	97.82	88	89	99	96	84.21	98.67
17	Salem	87	89	89	99	96.8	98.40	85	87	88	97	96.28	98.10
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
19	Thanjavur	77	89	92	98	98.47	89.66	76	89	91	91	97.02	96.16
20	Theni	82	83	94	97	96.89	98.08	80	81	92	97	97.27	96.76
21	The Nilgiris	78	80	97	97	97.99	97.57	77	79	97	98	97.02	96.16
22	Thiruchy	90	95	95	94	98.56	99.28	90	95	99	92	99.56	99.12
23	Thirunelveli	87	95	95	95	97.76	98.84	85	93	93	94	97.93	99.31
24	Thiruvallur	75	78	95	94	96.8	96.11	77	79	95	97	97.42	95.71
25	T.V.malai	74	79	82	100	95.76	98.45	73	81	82	94	94.95	96.96
26	Thiruvarur	86	87	96	92	98.96	87.83	84	85	98	94	98.58	92.97
27	Thoothukudi	88	98	99	99	98.43	98.54	86	98	99	93	96.66	99.15
28	Vellore	93	90	91	97	98.12	97.58	80	90	92	93	96.88	96.69
29	Villupuram	98	98	99	97	99.78	98.98	96	96	98	96	99.72	99.80
30	Virudhunagar	83	83	88	98	99.18	97.31	86	82	88	93	98.77	98.08
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>97.76</b>	<b>96.41</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>97.61</b>	<b>96.74</b>

**Table – 13 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER – Primary – ST**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	72	92	95	95	98.64	98.96
2	Coimbatore	85	89	98	98	99.83	99.41
3	Cuddalore	60	78	99	97	98.38	97.77
4	Dharmapuri	80	86	87	98	95.65	97.06
5	Dindigul	74	85	98	96	97.49	93.11
6	Erode	76	95	96	97	98.72	89.16
7	Kancheepuram	88	90	97	98	99.69	99.77
8	Kanyakumari	93	93	100	95	98.79	99.43
9	Karur	80	82	97	96	98.05	99.24
10	Krishnagiri	89	91	92	95	98.79	61.42
11	Madurai	99	99	99	95	97.26	87.13
12	Nagapattinam	56	62	91	97	98.8	96.26
13	Namakkal	90	91	93	98	99.78	98.95
14	Perambalur	79	87	98	98	98.65	98.84
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	99	96	93.43	86.84
16	Ramanad	89	89	99	97	83.12	98.23
17	Salem	86	88	89	98	96.55	98.26
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
19	Thanjavur	77	89	91	94	98.54	92.66
20	Theni	81	82	93	97	97.06	97.46
21	The Nilgiris	78	80	97	97	97.52	96.85
22	Thiruchy	90	95	97	93	99.1	99.21
23	Thirunelveli	86	94	94	94	97.85	99.06
24	Thiruvallur	76	79	95	96	97.11	95.91
25	T.V.malai	74	80	82	97	95.37	97.76
26	Thiruvarur	85	86	97	93	98.76	90.53
27	Thoothukudi	87	98	99	96	97.57	98.84
28	Vellore	87	90	91	95	97.48	97.16
29	Villupuram	97	97	98	97	99.75	99.37
30	Virudhunagar	85	83	88	95	99.02	97.66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>97.69</b>	<b>96.57</b>

Source: DISE

The State-level NER of ST at Primary level has recorded an increase of 13.57% in the said period of six years. Nagapattinam and Cuddalore have registered a *conspicuous increase* of 40.26% and 37.77% respectively, though in the case of Nagapattinam, the NER has declined by 2.5% during 2007-2008. The increase in NER in the case of girls is at 14.74% and in the case of boys it is at 13.71%. While the State-level NER has almost remained constant (97.74) in the case of girls, it has reduced by 1.35% during 2007-2008 when compared to the previous year (2006-2007).

## 2.4.2. NER – Upper Primary

The progressive trend in Net Enrolment Ratio (NER) at the Upper Primary level during the last six years is shown in the six Tables that follow.

**Table – 14**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – All**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	81	93	99	99	98.65	98.77	76	93	98	99	98.58	98.66
2	Coimbatore	91	95	99	100	98.31	98.85	91	95	99	98	98.2	98.80
3	Cuddalore	93	98	99	98	99.22	99.38	92	96	97	98	99.05	99.43
4	Dharmapuri	85	82	98	98	98.5	97.39	83	81	96	96	98.54	96.94
5	Dindigul	82	92	98	98	96.69	97.58	81	92	98	98	96.31	97.41
6	Erode	93	97	98	99	98.87	99.32	91	92	98	98	98.79	99.31
7	Kancheepuram	96	96	98	98	98.65	99.30	95	95	97	98	98.67	99.27
8	Kanyakumari	99	99	99	99	98.43	99.28	99	99	99	99	98.85	99.39
9	Karur	86	90	93	95	99.03	99.23	85	91	92	93	98.77	99.10
10	Krishnagiri	86	77	93	95	94.66	97.08	82	77	90	94	97.51	97.31
11	Madurai	96	97	96	97	97.83	98.08	97	97	97	97	97.31	97.68
12	Nagapattinam	87	88	97	98	98.34	99.25	87	87	98	98	98.27	99.43
13	Namakkal	93	94	96	97	98.74	95.67	91	92	93	94	98.42	94.93
14	Perambalur	85	87	97	97	98.73	99.00	87	88	96	97	98.29	98.82
15	Pudukkottai	91	96	97	98	99.54	99.72	92	96	98	98	99.6	99.66
16	Ramanad	95	96	98	98	97.99	98.77	95	95	98	97	97.92	98.53
17	Salem	90	93	98	100	97.54	98.75	86	89	97	96	97.32	98.84
18	Sivagangai	99	96	99	98	98.14	98.18	91	95	97	98	97.99	98.56
19	Thanjavur	85	96	99	99	99.21	97.03	80	96	99	98	99.21	97.87
20	Theni	86	95	97	99	97.37	99.42	86	93	95	96	97.18	99.47
21	The Nilgiris	92	96	99	98	99.29	97.66	89	94	98	96	99.27	97.27
22	Thiruchy	93	98	98	98	99.01	99.04	92	98	98	98	98.96	98.95
23	Thirunelveli	94	99	96	98	98.82	99.08	94	99	96	96	98.5	98.91
24	Thiruvallur	92	96	97	98	99.01	99.44	92	96	97	98	98.63	99.48
25	T.V.malai	91	95	92	96	97.47	98.54	89	96	93	96	97.41	98.40
26	Thiruvarur	96	96	97	98	97.73	98.27	93	95	98	98	97.32	98.60
27	Thoothukudi	85	96	96	97	97.18	98.10	85	97	97	97	97.2	97.97
28	Vellore	91	91	97	98	99.01	99.24	87	90	97	98	98.83	99.30
29	Villupuram	98	97	100	99	98.64	98.57	97	96	99	99	98.27	98.28
30	Virudhunagar	94	95	97	98	97.6	98.21	92	95	96	96	97.28	97.99
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98.26</b>	<b>98.64</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98.25</b>	<b>98.60</b>

**Table – 14 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – All**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	84	93	98	99	98.61	98.72
2	Coimbatore	91	95	99	99	98.25	98.83
3	Cuddalore	92	97	98	98	99.13	99.41
4	Dharmapuri	84	82	97	97	98.52	97.18
5	Dindigul	82	92	98	98	96.51	97.50
6	Erode	92	98	98	98	98.83	99.32
7	Kancheepuram	96	96	98	98	98.66	99.29
8	Kanyakumari	99	99	99	99	98.64	99.33
9	Karur	86	91	93	94	98.9	99.17
10	Krishnagiri	84	77	92	95	95.82	97.19
11	Madurai	97	97	96	97	97.57	97.89
12	Nagapattinam	87	87	97	98	98.31	99.33
13	Namakkal	92	93	95	96	98.58	95.33
14	Perambalur	86	87	96	97	98.51	98.91
15	Pudukkottai	92	96	98	98	99.57	99.69
16	Ramanad	95	95	98	97	97.95	98.65
17	Salem	88	91	97	98	97.44	98.79
18	Sivagangai	95	95	98	98	98.07	98.37
19	Thanjavur	83	96	99	99	99.21	97.43
20	Theni	86	94	96	97	97.28	99.44
21	The Nilgiris	90	95	99	99	99.28	97.48
22	Thiruchy	93	98	98	98	98.98	98.99
23	Thirunelveli	84	99	96	97	98.66	99.00
24	Thiruvallur	92	96	97	98	98.82	99.46
25	T.V.malai	90	95	92	96	97.44	98.47
26	Thiruvarur	95	96	98	98	97.52	98.43
27	Thoothukudi	85	96	97	97	97.19	98.04
28	Vellore	90	91	97	98	98.92	99.27
29	Villupuram	98	97	99	99	98.46	98.43
30	Vludhunagar	93	95	97	97	97.45	98.10
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98.25</b>	<b>98.62</b>

Source: DISE

The State-level *increase* in NER for *ALL* category is at 8.62% over a period of six years from 2002-2003. The increase as regards boys is at 7.64% and in the case of girls, it is at 9.60% which means there is a *gap* in *increase* of nearly 2%. An *increase* in NER above the State-level is recorded in 13 Districts. Dindigul records the *maximum increase* of 15.50% followed by Thanjavur (14.43%).



**Table – 15**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – SC**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	75	89	93	97	99.03	99.33	71	89	92	96	99.07	99.34
2	Coimbatore	88	91	97	93	98.28	99.19	88	93	97	92	98.51	99.12
3	Cuddalore	83	97	97	96	98.98	99.19	82	96	97	95	98.75	99.27
4	Dharmapuri	82	80	91	98	98.48	98.93	80	76	89	98	98.52	98.95
5	Dindigul	84	91	98	99	97.68	98.36	83	91	98	99	97.01	98.34
6	Erode	88	99	99	98	98.08	98.63	87	99	99	96	97.89	98.78
7	Kancheepuram	91	97	97	98	98.49	99.55	90	96	96	96	98.5	99.56
8	Kanyakumari	95	98	98	95	96.35	98.94	93	99	96	94	97.02	99.34
9	Karur	82	84	94	96	98.47	99.16	81	85	93	96	98.74	98.71
10	Krishnagiri	78	77	85	99	94.85	95.42	84	81	86	99	97.3	95.62
11	Madurai	97	99	99	97	97.12	98.27	96	99	99	97	96.53	98.02
12	Nagapattinam	83	59	94	97	98.33	99.09	83	54	94	97	98.25	99.25
13	Namakkal	91	88	97	98	98.69	98.38	89	86	95	98	98.4	98.23
14	Perambalur	80	81	95	98	98.07	98.76	78	81	96	98	97.63	98.34
15	Pudukkottal	90	96	96	97	99.56	99.64	90	96	95	98	99.64	99.66
16	Ramanad	96	95	97	98	98.72	98.98	94	95	97	97	99.22	98.78
17	Salem	87	89	96	97	98.36	99.34	86	84	94	96	98.17	99.19
18	Sivagangai	93	97	98	98	98.65	97.04	91	94	98	98	98.15	97.19
19	Thanjavur	81	97	98	99	99.42	96.48	79	96	98	98	99.28	97.01
20	Theni	85	88	95	99	97.93	98.65	83	86	94	99	97.83	98.81
21	The Nilgiris	92	92	98	98	99.16	99.12	92	92	97	97	99.13	99.30
22	Thiruchy	93	98	98	98	99.41	99.69	91	98	99	99	99.35	99.67
23	Thirunelveli	91	95	94	99	98.37	99.02	89	96	96	96	98.26	98.93
24	Thiruvallur	83	62	97	97	99.18	99.15	83	67	97	99	98.71	99.50
25	T.V.malai	89	87	91	96	98.41	98.52	87	88	90	97	98.49	98.76
26	Thiruvarur	88	93	97	99	98.06	97.69	87	92	97	98	97.19	98.07
27	Thoothukudi	90	95	97	99	98.58	99.22	88	94	97	98	98.73	99.22
28	Vellore	90	88	92	97	99.26	99.24	88	88	91	98	99.07	99.46
29	Villupuram	84	97	96	99	99.17	98.04	83	96	97	98	98.68	97.77
30	Virudhunagar	92	83	92	98	98.35	98.83	90	77	91	98	98.05	98.74
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98.52</b>	<b>98.78</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98.42</b>	<b>98.82</b>

**Table – 15 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – SC**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	73	89	93	97	99.05	99.33
2	Coimbatore	88	92	97	93	98.4	99.16
3	Cuddalore	83	97	97	96	98.86	99.23
4	Dharmapuri	81	78	90	98	98.5	98.94
5	Dindigul	77	90	98	99	97.35	98.35
6	Erode	88	99	99	97	97.99	98.70
7	Kancheepuram	91	97	96	97	98.49	99.56
8	Kanyakumari	94	99	97	95	96.69	99.14
9	Karur	82	85	93	96	98.6	98.95
10	Krishnagiri	81	79	86	99	95.87	95.52
11	Madurai	94	99	99	97	96.83	98.15
12	Nagapattinam	83	54	94	97	98.29	99.16
13	Namakkal	90	87	96	98	98.55	98.31
14	Perambalur	79	81	96	98	97.85	98.56
15	Pudukkottai	90	96	95	98	99.6	99.65
16	Ramanad	95	95	97	98	98.97	98.88
17	Salem	87	86	95	97	98.27	99.27
18	Sivagangai	92	96	98	98	98.41	97.11
19	Thanjavur	80	96	98	98	99.35	96.74
20	Theni	84	87	95	99	97.88	98.73
21	The Nilgiris	92	91	97	97	99.15	99.21
22	Thiruchy	93	98	98	98	99.38	99.68
23	Thirunelveli	90	95	95	98	98.31	98.97
24	Thiruvallur	83	65	97	98	98.94	99.31
25	T.V.malai	90	88	90	97	98.45	98.64
26	Thiruvarur	88	93	97	98	97.63	97.88
27	Thoothukudi	89	94	97	98	98.66	99.22
28	Vellore	89	88	92	97	99.17	99.35
29	Villupuram	93	96	96	99	98.93	97.91
30	Virudhunagar	91	86	92	98	98.2	98.79
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98.47</b>	<b>98.80</b>

*Source: DISE*

As regards SC category, the State-level rise in NER is at 11.80% over a period of six years from 2002-2003. The increase as regards boys is at 11.78% and in the case of girls, it is at 12.82% which means there is a gap in increase of 1%. An increase in NER above the State-level is recorded in 14 Districts Thanjavur records the maximum increase of 16.74% followed by Dindigul (21.35%).

**Table – 16**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – ST**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	70	83	87	96	98.28	99.05	68	85	86	93	99.65	98.94
2	Coimbatore	81	92	100	99	98.21	99.42	83	91	100	98	98.08	99.15
3	Cuddalore	59	80	83	92	97.32	98.27	58	78	83	92	96.98	98.09
4	Dharmapuri	78	62	84	92	97.44	99.06	77	52	83	94	97.67	99.22
5	Dindigul	67	100	99	92	96.37	93.24	66	100	97	89	93.26	95.18
6	Erode	75	96	97	97	97.68	84.26	73	94	97	94	99.28	85.98
7	Kancheepuram	83	97	97	99	97.4	99.30	82	96	97	93	98.44	99.28
8	Kanyakumari	90	100	99	96	98.14	93.87	89	100	99	95	96.47	96.90
9	Karur	78	83	90	96	87.88	96.30	77	92	98	96	92.65	96.30
10	Krishnagiri	64	62	74	93	96.11	69.60	62	60	68	91	98.64	55.12
11	Madurai	99	100	100	98	96	96.96	98	100	99	97	93.95	95.32
12	Nagapattinam	70	22	93	98	96.69	95.54	70	19	93	95	98.58	97.17
13	Namakkal	89	86	97	98	98.47	99.22	87	84	97	96	98.21	99.15
14	Perambalur	74	83	96	99	97.62	95.80	72	81	93	92	96.83	94.26
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	97	96	87.88	33.33	0	0	96	98	71.94	66.67
16	Ramanad	88	100	99	98	77.78	98.94	88	100	99	97	90.91	99.16
17	Salem	85	77	88	98	93.51	95.39	84	71	87	98	90.77	95.13
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
19	Thanjavur	75	82	90	95	99.34	96.83	74	78	86	91	98.35	92.98
20	Theni	80	90	90	98	93.83	93.15	80	98	89	94	100	93.88
21	The Nilgiris	75	92	96	97	99.06	94.14	74	91	96	97	99	92.21
22	Thiruchy	87	98	98	98	99.18	99.23	86	96	98	94	99.48	99.12
23	Thirunelveli	85	91	95	97	95.17	98.85	84	89	93	96	96.72	99.31
24	Thiruvallur	76	43	83	94	94.89	96.29	74	23	82	93	94.3	96.20
25	T.V.malai	75	66	77	92	89.53	92.90	62	56	64	91	85.75	91.68
26	Thirvarur	85	89	97	96	97.5	95.80	83	88	98	95	96.26	97.72
27	Thoothukudi	85	95	98	99	97.71	99.05	86	95	99	97	93.51	98.57
28	Vellore	79	86	92	96	96.82	93.46	78	88	92	94	95.1	90.23
29	Villupuram	78	85	91	96	98.74	98.74	77	84	93	95	98.48	98.66
30	Virudhunagar	80	84	87	93	98.13	91.18	79	74	85	90	98.8	94.17
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>95.61</b>	<b>96.27</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>94.66</b>	<b>95.78</b>

**Table – 16 (Cont...)**  
**Progress in NER – Upper Primary – ST**

S. No.	Districts	Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	69	84	87	95	98.84	99.00
2	Coimbatore	82	92	100	99	98.14	99.30
3	Cuddalore	59	79	83	92	97.14	98.20
4	Dharmapuri	78	57	83	93	97.56	99.15
5	Dindigul	69	100	98	90	94.82	94.07
6	Erode	74	96	97	96	98.67	85.10
7	Kancheepuram	83	97	97	96	97.84	99.30
8	Kanyakumari	90	100	99	96	97.28	95.36
9	Karur	78	88	94	96	90.3	96.30
10	Krishnagiri	61	61	71	92	97.08	62.61
11	Madurai	89	100	100	98	95.03	96.25
12	Nagapattinam	70	20	93	97	97.71	96.33
13	Namakkal	88	85	97	97	98.35	99.19
14	Perambalur	80	82	95	95	97.25	95.06
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	97	97	79.17	44.44
16	Ramanad	88	100	99	97	85	99.07
17	Salem	85	74	88	98	92.18	95.27
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
19	Thanjavur	75	80	88	93	98.8	95.39
20	Theni	80	94	89	96	96.58	93.44
21	The Nilgiris	75	91	96	97	99.03	93.29
22	Thiruchy	87	97	98	96	99.34	99.18
23	Thirunelveli	85	90	94	96	95.92	99.16
24	Thiruvallur	75	33	83	93	94.59	96.25
25	T.V.malai	85	61	70	91	87.79	92.35
26	Thiruvavarur	84	89	97	95	96.79	96.95
27	Thoothukudi	86	95	98	98	95.44	98.81
28	Vellore	79	87	92	95	95.99	92.04
29	Villupuram	78	85	92	96	98.62	98.70
30	Virudhunagar	80	81	86	92	98.42	92.98
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>95.15</b>	<b>96.04</b>

Source: DISE

The State-level NER of *ST* category at Upper Primary level has registered an increase of 17.40%. Cuddalore and Dindigul have registered a *striking increase* of 39.20% and 25.07% respectively. The *increase* in NER in the case of boys is at 17.27% and in the case of girls it is at 15.78% with no perceptible gap among them. In Sivagangai, there has been no enrolment of *ST* children.

## 2.5. CR, RR & DR

### 2.5.1 Completion Rate – Primary

The following Table presents an *increasing trend* in Completion Rate (CR) at primary level during the years 2002 – 2007.

**Table – 17**  
**Completion Rate – Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	54	70	85	87	96.16	96.39	55	68	82	87	95.34	95.34	63	77	78	85	98.05	98.07
2	Coimbatore	62	69	77	84	92.31	94.96	57	62	70	78	89.41	91.94	53	62	69	77	86.77	86.84
3	Cuddalore	69	73	76	81	93.01	93.42	65	70	75	78	92.33	92.35	56	61	69	74	87.47	87.52
4	Dharmapuri	57	59	67	72	80.23	92.20	61	61	61	71	78.71	88.74	46	49	50	63	73.63	87.36
5	Dindigul	63	73	96	72	79.00	92.05	65	70	96	66	75.84	88.91	58	65	83	63	82.91	86.47
6	Erode	67	72	78	82	87.47	92.06	67	68	74	77	83.93	88.45	74	75	75	67	79.44	88.11
7	Kancheepuram	58	68	71	80	91.94	92.55	55	67	70	78	90.85	91.38	48	58	62	67	85.30	85.27
8	Kanyakumari	92	92	92	85	93.81	97.00	90	90	91	80	89.31	90.32	89	89	91	79	87.01	88.85
9	Karur	59	63	63	72	83.57	90.88	53	56	62	66	79.84	84.92	75	80	50	80	85.23	85.24
10	Krishnagiri	56	61	67	72	82.88	90.51	56	63	70	72	82.91	85.37	38	47	53	41	76.36	83.91
11	Madurai	71	74	79	83	94.16	95.02	70	73	77	78	93.18	93.23	64	73	75	85	96.53	95.88
12	Nagapattinam	54	59	62	68	75.64	90.72	50	53	56	62	71.42	90.46	0	47	53	46	68.37	85.25
13	Namakkai	64	64	71	73	84.39	91.05	60	61	71	70	81.96	87.99	61	62	92	75	83.44	83.54
14	Perambalur	64	69	74	82	91.09	91.31	61	66	72	80	88.99	88.98	64	66	73	75	87.93	87.28
15	Pudukkottai	65	71	75	87	94.10	94.41	63	72	77	87	93.67	93.67	0	0	100	100	100.00	93.08
16	Ramanad	61	65	70	75	88.55	92.44	59	65	67	72	88.34	88.86	0	12	56	73	85.53	86.72
17	Salem	57	62	69	78	84.72	90.61	60	65	67	75	83.62	88.72	65	68	65	70	83.14	84.21
18	Sivagangai	51	64	72	72	85.61	90.58	65	68	73	69	82.12	89.15	0	0	0	0	93.94	92.33
19	Thanjavur	66	68	74	76	82.25	91.67	53	62	66	69	79.07	88.12	51	50	84	66	84.11	86.01
20	Theni	67	67	73	72	73.36	90.94	66	67	78	67	67.77	88.83	30	35	41	19	62.20	73.08
21	The Nilgiris	74	79	85	85	93.94	94.04	48	57	84	82	94.10	94.13	36	48	80	70	84.43	85.06
22	Thiruchy	70	70	79	73	79.77	91.61	59	59	63	71	76.74	88.76	56	58	70	72	81.32	88.57
23	Thirunelveli	64	73	82	78	86.30	94.53	73	76	89	75	82.96	89.47	70	73	82	72	87.74	87.22
24	Thiruvallur	62	66	71	76	86.22	92.90	56	60	68	76	87.57	90.14	46	50	62	60	77.16	87.19
25	T.V.malai	69	71	76	81	95.14	95.35	64	69	74	79	94.20	94.22	51	54	65	61	86.90	86.83
26	Thiruvaur	59	66	73	69	79.15	90.48	56	60	66	63	74.48	88.53	74	76	89	57	75.00	85.26
27	Thoothukudi	70	72	73	79	84.55	91.92	61	69	72	77	80.71	89.28	70	81	76	71	81.17	85.93
28	Vellore	62	69	74	74	83.57	90.40	61	67	72	74	80.38	88.46	47	52	81	58	74.76	84.72
29	Villupuram	69	73	76	83	89.06	91.13	66	71	76	81	88.06	88.58	60	66	68	77	87.99	87.98
30	Virudhunagar	59	64	67	77	86.20	91.02	54	58	65	70	83.93	88.94	52	60	80	54	83.08	88.93
	Tamilnadu	64	69	75	78	86.55	92.46	61	66	73	74	84.40	89.88	58	61	72	68	83.40	87.10

Source: Cohort Study

At the Primary level, CR of All category at the State-level has *increased* by 28.46% in 2007-2008 against 64% in 2002-2003. The CR of SC has recorded an *increase* of 28.88%, and as regards ST, the *rise* has been at 29.10%. All Districts report an *increasing trend*. Chennai registers the highest *increase* of 42.39%. In Theni, the trend has been slightly fluctuating.

## 2.5.2. Repetition Rate - Primary

The Table given below discloses a *trend of reduction* in Repetition Rate (RR) at primary level in all the Districts during the years 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table -18**  
**Repetition Rate - Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	12	12	6	6	2.02	2.35	13	13	9	8	2.57	3.39	25	13	11	9	1.10	1.62
2	Coimbatore	26	20	17	10	5.69	3.15	30	27	23	16	8.40	6.01	25	25	19	16	8.65	10.75
3	Cuddalore	24	23	21	17	6.44	6.05	25	22	23	20	7.06	7.08	30	29	25	20	11.53	11.74
4	Dharmapuri	30	29	24	25	15.87	5.11	24	28	31	26	17.48	8.76	28	27	30	30	19.94	9.10
5	Dindigul	23	16	2	24	18.16	5.99	21	22	2	28	21.54	8.47	30	25	12	27	8.70	9.76
6	Erode	15	14	15	14	9.82	6.25	13	13	17	19	13.36	9.73	9	9	15	19	13.10	8.56
7	Kancheepuram	29	25	22	17	7.16	6.58	35	26	25	19	8.61	8.10	29	27	25	22	13.00	13.08
8	Kanyakumari	6	6	6	13	5.50	2.32	9	9	8	17	9.23	8.77	9	9	6	16	11.04	9.75
9	Karur	27	29	30	22	14.85	7.55	34	35	34	28	18.80	14.09	0	0	50	7	11.36	12.58
10	Krishnagiri	30	29	24	22	14.43	7.73	34	27	22	22	14.57	12.80	33	29	24	33	18.60	13.82
11	Madurai	19	17	14	15	4.45	3.64	21	18	15	20	5.38	5.71	29	18	18	11	2.78	2.75
12	Nagapattinam	38	33	32	30	23.52	8.48	37	36	35	36	28.06	8.99	0	43	38	37	25.51	12.06
13	Namakkal	22	27	23	20	11.97	6.79	24	24	23	24	14.95	10.75	23	22	6	19	14.62	14.88
14	Perambalur	27	27	23	15	8.22	8.02	30	29	24	18	10.26	10.28	26	27	20	19	12.07	11.87
15	Pudukkottai	26	24	21	10	4.61	4.39	28	23	19	11	4.81	4.96	0	0	0	0	0.00	5.79
16	Ramanad	33	32	27	23	24.82	6.69	33	32	30	26	27.78	10.47	0	75	31	27	29.26	10.86
17	Salem	24	22	18	17	10.40	6.73	22	22	19	19	11.39	9.33	22	20	16	15	10.22	13.14
18	Sivagangai	30	29	25	25	13.26	8.37	23	21	23	27	16.86	9.92	0	0	0	0	6.06	7.67
19	Thanjavur	20	26	22	22	16.49	6.99	27	32	28	30	19.86	10.65	26	37	0	28	15.23	12.93
20	Theni	22	24	17	25	24.46	7.18	22	23	11	28	29.62	10.10	25	29	41	41	34.76	25.20
21	The Nilgiris	18	16	14	11	4.23	4.28	18	15	11	15	4.33	4.70	9	8	13	37	8.31	11.64
22	Thiruchy	23	23	16	23	19.28	7.47	24	24	31	25	22.30	10.38	6	5	22	22	18.68	10.18
23	Thirunelveli	23	15	15	21	13.14	4.92	15	14	8	23	16.49	9.91	10	9	10	21	11.49	11.78
24	Thiruvallur	30	27	23	17	10.86	5.22	25	25	22	18	9.58	8.59	28	26	22	17	19.20	10.81
25	T.V.malai	22	22	19	14	3.24	3.21	27	26	22	17	4.45	4.51	19	18	16	15	4.56	10.52
26	Thiruvannur	27	29	24	28	20.03	8.71	38	30	30	35	24.60	10.57	17	15	10	23	25.00	13.62
27	Thoothukudi	22	24	24	18	13.77	6.70	27	26	25	21	17.65	9.55	29	18	20	26	17.53	12.75
28	Vellore	23	22	20	22	15.08	8.35	26	24	24	23	18.54	10.52	28	25	11	32	22.83	13.96
29	Villupuram	21	21	19	13	8.84	7.00	24	23	19	15	9.90	10.26	30	27	25	16	8.17	10.08
30	Virudhunagar	24	27	25	21	12.45	7.81	26	26	25	26	14.33	9.83	29	15	18	15	12.31	8.89
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>11.54</b>	<b>6.14</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>13.64</b>	<b>8.90</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>13.10</b>	<b>11.06</b>

Source: Cohort Study

The State-level RR for *ALL* reflects a *decrease* of 17.86% when compared to 2002. The State-level RR of *SC* has *decreased* 16.10% and that of *ST* by 11.94%. In Thoothukudi, Karur, Virudhunagar and Kanyakumari Districts, the RR has been fluctuating over five years and ending up in decrease in RR during 2006-2007 and 2007-2008.

### 2.5.3. Dropout Rate – Primary

The 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has analysed the status of key indicators of performance of schools in the State. In this regard, the JRM records, “...**The dropout rate is extremely low relative to other States: 1.40 for primary and 2.04 for upper primary. It is remarkable that the girls’ dropout rate is more or less same as compared to the boys’ at primary level and it is slightly less than the boys’ at upper primary level ...**”

“...**The State’s view is that the most effective way of eliminating dropout is to improve the quality of education and considers the introduction of ABL and ALM to be the main strategy in this regard...**”

The District-wise *trend of reduction* in Dropout Rate (DR) at primary level is exhibited in the following Table.

**Table – 19**  
**Dropout Rate– Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	34	18	9	7	1.82	1.26	32	19	9	5	2.09	1.28	12	10	11	6	0.85	0.32
2	Coimbatore	12	11	6	6	1.99	1.89	13	11	7	6	2.18	2.06	22	13	12	7	4.57	2.42
3	Cuddalore	7	4	3	2	0.55	0.54	10	8	3	2	0.60	0.58	14	10	6	5	1.00	0.74
4	Dharmapuri	13	12	9	2	3.90	2.69	15	11	8	3	3.81	2.50	26	24	20	7	6.43	3.54
5	Dindigul	14	11	2	5	2.81	1.97	14	8	2	5	2.61	2.63	12	10	6	11	8.39	3.78
6	Erode	18	14	7	4	2.71	1.70	20	19	9	5	2.71	1.83	17	16	10	14	7.46	3.33
7	Kancheepuram	13	7	7	4	0.89	0.88	10	7	5	3	0.54	0.53	23	15	13	12	1.70	1.65
8	Kanyakumari	2	2	2	2	0.69	0.69	1	1	1	3	1.46	0.91	2	2	2	5	1.95	1.40
9	Karur	14	8	7	6	1.58	1.57	13	9	5	6	1.36	1.00	25	20	0	13	3.41	2.19
10	Krishnagiri	13	10	9	6	2.69	1.76	11	10	8	6	2.52	1.83	19	24	22	26	5.04	2.27
11	Madurai	10	9	7	3	1.39	1.34	9	9	8	3	1.14	1.06	7	9	7	4	0.69	1.38
12	Nagapattinam	8	8	6	3	0.82	0.81	13	11	9	2	0.49	0.56	0	10	9	17	6.12	2.70
13	Namakkal	14	9	6	7	3.63	2.16	16	15	6	6	3.09	1.26	16	16	2	7	1.94	1.59
14	Perambalur	9	4	3	3	0.69	0.68	9	5	4	2	0.76	0.75	10	7	7	6	0.00	0.85
15	Pudukkottai	9	5	4	3	1.29	1.21	9	5	4	2	1.51	1.38	0	0	0	0	0.00	1.13
16	Ramanad	6	3	3	2	0.88	0.87	8	3	3	2	0.68	0.67	0	13	13	0	3.03	2.43
17	Salem	19	16	14	5	4.88	2.66	18	13	14	6	4.99	1.96	13	13	19	15	6.64	2.65
18	Sivagangai	19	7	3	3	1.13	1.05	12	11	4	3	1.02	0.93	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	14	6	4	2	1.27	1.34	20	6	6	1	1.07	1.23	23	13	16	6	0.66	1.06
20	Theni	11	9	10	4	2.17	1.88	12	10	10	6	2.61	1.08	45	39	19	19	3.05	1.73
21	The Nilgiris	8	5	1	4	1.82	1.68	34	28	2	3	1.57	1.18	55	44	7	14	7.26	3.30
22	Thiruchy	7	7	5	4	0.95	0.93	17	17	6	4	0.96	0.87	38	37	8	6	0.00	1.26
23	Thirunelveli	13	12	3	1	0.56	0.56	12	10	4	1	0.55	0.63	20	18	8	6	0.77	1.00
24	Thiruvallur	8	7	7	7	2.92	1.88	19	15	11	6	2.85	1.28	26	24	16	22	3.64	2.00
25	T.V.malai	9	7	5	5	1.62	1.44	9	5	5	4	1.35	1.28	30	25	19	24	8.54	2.65
26	Thiruvarur	14	5	3	3	0.82	0.81	6	10	4	3	0.92	0.90	9	9	1	20	0.00	1.12
27	Thoothukudi	8	4	4	3	1.68	1.39	12	5	3	2	1.64	1.18	1	1	4	3	1.30	1.33
28	Vellore	15	9	6	4	1.34	1.25	13	9	4	3	1.08	1.03	25	23	8	10	2.42	1.33
29	Villupuram	10	6	5	3	2.11	1.88	10	6	5	3	2.04	1.16	10	7	8	7	3.84	1.94
30	Virudhunagar	17	9	8	3	1.35	1.18	20	16	10	4	1.74	1.23	19	25	3	31	4.62	2.18
	Tamilnadu	12	8	6	4	1.91	1.40	14	10	6	4	1.96	1.22	19	16	11	11	3.50	1.84

Source: Cohort Study

As for DR at the State-level, there is a *reduction* of 10.60%, which is a *positive* trend. The DR has *reduced* by 12.78% in the case of SC and 17.16% in respect of ST. Chennai records a phenomenal *reduction* of DR of 32.74%. The Nilgiris registers the maximum decrease in SC category with 32.43%. In Virudhunagar, Thiruvavarur, Salem, Krishnagiri and Kanyakumari Districts, the DR for ST category has shown a negative trend of increase in DR during the period upto 2005-2006. However, these districts have shown positive results (decreasing trend) during 2007-2008.

#### 2.5.4. Completion Rate - Upper Primary

The Table given here depicts the district-wise *increasing* trend in Completion Rate (CR) during the past six years.

**Table - 20**  
**Completion Rate - Upper Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	76	78	86	89	96.93	97.80	55	74	77	86	95.41	95.48	62	80	87	87	97.71	96.88
2	Coimbatore	67	71	78	80	87.43	91.78	57	67	71	74	80.40	80.57	59	78	80	72	87.89	88.10
3	Cuddalore	72	75	80	84	88.91	90.71	65	73	77	81	87.06	87.09	65	65	64	78	87.45	94.17
4	Dharmapuri	62	63	73	74	83.99	90.31	74	61	68	73	83.84	83.88	48	51	67	70	87.36	87.47
5	Dindigui	58	73	96	81	85.48	90.07	72	75	96	76	81.22	83.01	50	60	87	84	86.83	86.97
6	Erode	70	74	78	77	82.30	90.46	77	78	79	69	74.23	88.96	68	69	79	61	79.20	80.44
7	Kancheepuram	54	76	78	81	88.64	90.55	67	71	76	77	86.45	88.63	56	65	70	72	79.23	80.23
8	Kanyakumari	92	92	92	92	95.52	95.63	74	75	88	89	91.82	91.97	77	79	89	75	93.47	93.58
9	Karur	65	69	72	73	83.27	88.99	57	64	67	66	77.85	88.02	100	100	100	94	92.31	90.60
10	Krishnagiri	59	65	73	76	86.49	88.48	60	63	70	73	85.45	86.01	47	52	66	47	77.65	84.68
11	Madurai	72	75	77	85	94.02	94.07	70	73	74	79	92.85	92.78	85	86	86	92	90.50	90.59
12	Nagapattinam	82	85	86	77	83.46	90.21	50	65	67	71	78.58	89.18	0	82	81	72	78.31	83.61
13	Namakkal	69	71	79	84	88.77	90.14	60	61	74	79	84.83	88.15	59	61	93	80	86.30	86.41
14	Perambalur	72	74	77	80	86.05	89.31	61	65	72	76	84.40	88.50	71	72	64	72	77.82	83.07
15	Pudukkottai	72	75	80	88	89.52	90.67	63	74	79	86	88.33	90.33	0	0	100	91	87.50	84.76
16	Ramanad	68	74	78	78	94.72	94.80	59	70	76	80	94.16	94.21	61	87	75	87	95.38	85.66
17	Salem	57	65	78	86	89.37	90.12	60	62	73	82	86.95	86.97	61	63	72	76	88.04	88.42
18	Sivagangai	63	73	82	85	86.01	89.44	65	70	79	85	84.16	84.28	0	0	0	0	80.00	88.21
19	Thanjavur	61	72	80	84	90.91	91.26	53	69	74	79	88.70	88.76	53	67	65	76	88.61	85.09
20	Theni	69	69	72	85	84.42	89.07	66	67	68	81	78.96	88.21	43	45	68	79	89.06	81.35
21	The Nilgiris	81	84	88	91	93.81	94.22	48	55	86	90	92.53	92.52	50	59	80	0	89.21	90.97
22	Thiruchy	75	75	82	81	97.00	97.04	59	59	71	77	96.96	97.17	51	51	71	89	97.87	97.91
23	Thirunelveli	53	78	81	85	89.89	91.03	73	74	78	82	87.16	89.20	45	46	74	78	87.70	89.92
24	Thiruvallur	64	74	77	82	88.91	90.72	56	60	73	80	88.39	89.41	53	57	75	72	77.58	86.26
25	T.V.malai	75	75	75	80	88.38	89.82	64	67	72	77	87.06	89.11	68	68	74	75	85.34	86.39
26	Thiruvavarur	62	70	72	77	80.89	89.23	56	60	68	72	76.17	88.57	64	66	85	63	63.64	84.95
27	Thoothukudi	70	77	81	86	90.68	91.72	61	74	79	83	88.01	89.71	77	79	79	88	89.57	95.14
28	Vellore	70	72	73	76	87.48	89.23	61	65	70	73	83.13	87.77	69	70	75	63	70.43	83.96
29	Villupuram	71	74	76	84	91.03	91.07	66	70	73	80	89.73	89.76	65	67	68	80	87.45	88.91
30	Virudhunagar	70	74	86	82	85.40	90.71	54	70	77	74	82.15	88.76	51	60	74	79	62.96	87.70
	Tamilnadu	68	74	79	82	88.57	91.29	62	68	74	78	85.85	88.89	59	67	76	77	84.48	87.73

Source: Cohort Study



At the Upper Primary level, CR of All category at the State-level has increased by 23.29% in 2007-2008 against 68% in 2002. The CR of SC has recorded an increase of 26.89%, and as for ST, the rise has been significant at 28.73%. All Districts have recorded a consistent upward trend, Dindigul, and Nagapattinam Districts have shown a picture of a slight fluctuation during 2005-2006, but ending up with decreasing trend.

### 2.5.5. Repetition Rate – Upper Primary

The Table given below discloses a trend of reduction in Repetition Rate (RR) at upper primary level in all the Districts.

**Table -21**  
**Repetition Rate – Upper Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	9	11	5	5	1.14	0.45	13	12	13	6	1.56	2.45	12	10	8	7	1.15	1.72
2	Coimbatore	22	18	12	9	8.84	6.09	30	20	15	14	13.54	16.98	25	11	11	9	7.10	9.05
3	Cuddalore	18	17	11	8	7.79	7.31	25	18	13	10	8.88	10.80	19	20	20	9	10.33	4.34
4	Dharmapuri	23	21	20	13	9.81	6.71	14	22	26	15	10.44	13.10	11	33	23	17	6.75	9.14
5	Dindigul	24	14	2	11	9.39	7.65	14	13	2	15	13.01	14.63	28	25	6	7	6.71	10.34
6	Erode	12	12	12	15	12.67	7.36	11	10	11	20	18.45	8.77	12	12	13	10	9.73	16.98
7	Kancheepuram	30	16	14	12	10.03	8.15	21	20	16	15	12.14	9.97	13	18	18	15	17.08	17.57
8	Kanyakumari	7	7	6	6	3.04	3.18	10	10	7	9	6.03	6.31	8	8	7	16	6.03	5.13
9	Karur	19	19	16	14	11.85	8.66	29	23	19	19	15.24	9.21	0	0	0	0	7.69	7.40
10	Krishnagiri	19	20	14	13	8.54	8.71	19	22	15	13	9.36	11.09	6	28	18	5	11.76	11.62
11	Madurai	17	15	15	8	3.58	4.06	21	17	18	12	4.09	5.10	10	9	9	5	7.50	7.70
12	Nagapattinam	14	12	11	17	13.67	7.92	37	28	26	22	18.00	8.42	0	15	12	22	14.46	13.98
13	Namakkal	20	19	14	5	5.41	7.26	24	23	15	7	7.89	9.20	24	25	5	6	5.44	10.94
14	Perambalur	17	15	13	10	8.76	8.85	30	26	20	12	9.66	9.08	19	18	8	14	12.50	14.19
15	Pudukkottai	16	13	12	7	6.01	7.58	28	19	14	8	6.87	7.38	0	0	0	0	8.33	12.75
16	Ramanad	19	16	11	14	4.20	4.12	33	17	13	14	4.98	4.94	30	13	25	7	22.22	13.32
17	Salem	23	21	10	8	4.27	7.00	22	21	13	12	5.33	10.31	24	22	14	12	5.86	8.79
18	Sivagangai	20	21	14	9	8.83	8.38	23	20	17	9	10.08	13.34	0	0	0	0	12.00	9.02
19	Thanjavur	20	17	16	10	6.20	6.78	27	20	20	13	7.70	8.95	24	29	16	9	8.23	12.27
20	Theni	22	20	15	13	11.60	9.02	22	21	21	16	15.69	9.38	51	39	32	7	7.81	17.07
21	The Nilgiris	11	10	9	5	3.74	3.86	18	16	11	6	4.35	4.85	11	8	10	0	5.25	6.17
22	Thiruchy	16	16	9	11	1.41	1.38	24	24	20	14	1.36	1.15	8	8	12	3	1.06	0.52
23	Thirunelveli	28	14	12	11	7.07	7.20	15	16	15	14	9.20	8.77	30	31	18	13	6.75	7.20
24	Thiruvallur	27	18	15	10	7.80	7.48	25	22	17	12	8.07	8.48	25	23	13	12	17.70	10.90
25	T.V.malai	13	12	13	10	6.74	7.88	27	25	15	11	7.91	8.36	14	15	12	7	7.98	10.78
26	Thiruvarur	21	20	20	15	14.74	8.86	38	28	23	19	18.43	8.59	29	24	4	27	32.95	11.93
27	Thoothukudi	17	11	9	7	5.10	6.32	27	15	11	8	7.13	7.59	16	14	15	4	8.70	3.39
28	Vellore	17	16	15	14	8.96	8.38	26	22	19	16	12.86	9.44	18	15	13	17	22.37	13.14
29	Villupuram	15	14	12	7	3.63	6.55	24	18	14	9	3.95	7.76	18	18	18	6	3.51	8.21
30	Virudhunagar	21	17	5	14	11.47	7.19	26	16	11	20	13.73	8.63	29	28	20	3	22.22	9.72
	Tamilnadu	19	16	12	10	7.35	6.67	23	19	16	13	9.37	8.78	19	19	13	10	10.49	9.86

Source: Cohort Study

The RR at the State-level for ALL reflects a decrease of 12.33% when compared to 2002. The increase in RR for SC reflects a better picture with 14.22% than ALL communities. Kancheepuram and Thirunelveli record a remarkable decline of around 21.85%. All Districts have registered an overall positive declining trend.

### 2.5.6. Dropout Rate – Upper Primary

The District-wise trend of reduction in dropout rate at upper primary level is exhibited in the following Table.

**Table – 22**  
**Dropout Rate – Upper Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	15	11	9	6	1.92	1.76	32	14	10	8	3	2.07	26	10	6	6	1.2	1.40
2	Coimbatore	11	11	10	10	3.67	2.13	13	13	13	12	6	2.46	16	11	9	19	5	2.86
3	Cuddalore	10	8	8	8	3.30	1.99	10	9	10	9	4.1	2.12	16	15	16	12	2.2	1.50
4	Dharmapuri	15	16	7	13	6.20	2.99	12	17	6	12	5.7	3.02	41	16	10	13	5.9	3.40
5	Dindigul	18	13	2	7	5.13	2.28	14	12	2	9	5.8	2.36	22	15	7	8	6.5	2.69
6	Erode	18	14	10	8	5.04	2.19	12	12	11	11	7.3	2.27	20	19	9	29	11	2.59
7	Kancheepuram	16	8	8	7	1.33	1.31	12	9	8	7	1.4	1.40	31	17	11	13	3.7	2.20
8	Kanyakumari	1	1	1	2	1.43	1.19	16	15	5	2	2.2	1.73	15	13	5	9	0.5	1.30
9	Karur	16	12	12	13	4.87	2.35	14	13	15	15	6.9	2.78	0	0	0	6	0	2.00
10	Krishnagiri	15	15	13	11	4.97	2.81	27	15	15	14	5.2	2.91	18	20	16	48	11	3.71
11	Madurai	11	10	9	6	2.40	1.87	9	10	9	8	3.1	2.12	5	5	5	3	2	1.71
12	Nagapattinam	4	3	3	7	2.87	1.88	13	7	7	7	3.4	2.40	0	3	7	6	7.2	2.42
13	Namakkal	11	10	6	11	5.82	2.61	16	16	12	14	7.3	2.66	17	14	2	15	8.3	2.66
14	Perambalur	11	11	10	10	5.19	1.84	9	9	9	12	5.9	2.43	10	10	28	14	9.7	2.74
15	Pudukkottai	12	12	8	5	4.47	1.75	9	7	7	6	4.8	2.30	0	0	0	9	4.2	2.50
16	Ramanad	13	10	11	7	1.09	1.09	8	13	11	6	0.9	0.85	9	0	0	7	0	1.02
17	Salem	20	14	13	6	6.36	2.88	18	17	15	7	7.7	2.72	15	15	14	12	6.1	2.79
18	Sivagangai	17	6	4	7	5.15	2.18	12	10	5	7	5.8	2.38	0	0	0	0	8	2.77
19	Thanjavur	19	11	4	6	2.89	1.96	20	11	6	8	3.6	2.29	23	4	19	15	3.2	2.65
20	Theni	9	11	14	2	3.98	1.91	12	12	12	2	5.4	2.41	6	16	10	4	3.1	1.58
21	The Nilgiris	8	6	3	4	2.41	1.93	34	29	4	4	3.1	2.63	39	33	0	10	5.3	2.87
22	Thiruchy	9	9	9	8	1.58	1.58	17	17	10	9	1.7	1.68	41	41	17	8	1.1	1.58
23	Thirunelveli	19	8	7	4	3.03	1.77	12	10	8	5	3.6	2.04	25	23	8	9	5.6	2.89
24	Thiruvallur	9	8	8	8	3.29	1.80	19	18	10	8	3.5	2.11	22	20	12	17	4.7	2.84
25	T.V.malai	12	13	12	11	4.89	2.31	9	8	13	12	5	2.53	18	17	14	18	6.7	2.83
26	Thiruvavur	17	10	8	8	4.37	1.92	6	12	9	9	5.4	2.85	7	10	11	10	3.4	3.13
27	Thoothukudi	13	12	10	8	4.22	1.96	12	11	10	9	4.9	2.70	7	7	6	7	1.7	1.48
28	Vellore	13	12	12	10	3.55	2.40	13	13	11	11	4	2.80	13	15	12	20	7.2	2.91
29	Villupuram	14	12	12	9	5.33	2.38	10	12	13	11	6.3	2.48	17	15	14	14	9	2.88
30	Virudhunagar	9	9	10	4	3.13	2.10	20	13	12	6	4.1	2.61	20	12	7	18	15	2.59
	Tamilnadu	13	10	9	8	4.08	2.04	15	13	10	9	4.8	2.33	17	14	11	14	5	2.41

Source: Cohort Study

As for DR at the State-level, there is a *reduction* of 10.96%, which is a *positive* trend. The DR has *reduced* by 12.67% in the case of SC and 14.59% in respect of ST. Thirunelveli has recorded a significant *drop* in DR of around 17.23%. There has been a slight fluctuation in DR in 6 Districts – Namakkal, Nagapattinam, Karur, Dharmapuri, Sivagangai and Thanjavur. However, these districts have shown positive decreasing trend during 2006-2007 and 2007-2008

### 2.5.7. Transition Rate – V to VI

The following are the encouraging remarks of the 7<sup>th</sup> Joint Review Mission on the substantial progress made by the State in Transition Rate (V to VI).

**“... The transition rate from primary to upper primary is improving every year and has now reached 99.01%. The Mission applauds the State’s achievement in this regard. The retention rate at the primary level is even more outstanding: 99.39%. The retention rate at the elementary level is a little lower at 98.62% ...”**

The three Tables that follow indicate the *trend* recorded in *Transition Rate* (TR) from V to VI Standard during 2002 to 2007.

Table – 23  
Trend in Transition Rate – V to VI (All)

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls						Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2006	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	84	97	97	97	95.00	98.15	88	96	97	97	97.00	98.34	86	96	97	97	97.00	98.27
2	Coimbatore	93	93	97	98	99.93	99.93	93	93	97	97	99.94	99.94	93	94	97	97	99.94	99.93
3	Cuddalore	95	98	99	99	99.74	99.75	91	98	98	99	99.00	99.25	93	98	99	99	99.37	99.52
4	Dharmapuri	92	99	99	99	98.74	98.94	92	100	100	100	98.69	98.88	92	96	100	100	98.72	98.91
5	Dindigul	87	92	97	99	99.11	99.14	85	86	97	98	99.12	99.12	86	90	97	99	99.11	99.14
6	Erode	89	98	98	99	99.60	99.61	88	98	98	98	99.70	99.70	89	98	98	98	99.65	99.68
7	Kancheepuram	95	95	98	99	99.23	99.24	95	95	96	100	99.80	99.80	95	95	97	99	99.52	99.54
8	Kanyakumari	97	98	99	100	99.90	99.90	98	99	99	100	99.90	99.90	98	99	99	100	99.90	99.91
9	Karur	94	99	99	99	98.43	98.45	94	99	99	99	99.18	99.20	94	95	99	99	98.81	98.84
10	Krishnagiri	91	97	99	99	98.83	98.83	91	94	98	98	98.25	98.25	91	95	98	98	98.54	98.55
11	Madurai	94	95	96	99	99.28	99.30	91	94	97	99	99.65	99.65	93	95	97	99	99.47	99.51
12	Nagapattinam	89	93	95	98	98.60	98.65	91	94	95	98	98.90	98.90	90	94	95	98	98.70	98.79
13	Namakkal	97	99	99	98	98.64	98.64	97	97	97	98	98.05	98.25	97	98	98	99	98.35	99.46
14	Perambalur	97	98	98	99	99.01	99.10	97	98	98	98	98.64	99.06	97	98	98	98	98.83	99.09
15	Pudukkottai	95	99	99	99	99.24	99.24	96	99	99	99	99.15	99.15	96	99	99	99	99.19	99.21
16	Ramanad	92	93	97	98	98.37	98.40	94	94	97	99	98.89	98.90	93	94	97	99	98.63	98.67
17	Salem	84	87	91	98	98.86	98.87	82	91	91	97	98.63	98.70	83	89	91	97	98.75	98.81
18	Sivagangai	89	98	99	99	99.45	99.46	92	98	98	98	99.12	99.15	91	98	99	99	99.28	99.33
19	Thanjavur	78	90	96	97	97.15	98.20	78	93	97	98	98.55	98.57	78	91	97	97	97.85	98.40
20	Theni	92	98	98	99	98.68	98.69	89	97	97	99	98.59	98.60	91	86	98	99	98.64	98.66
21	The Nilgiris	72	94	96	99	99.01	99.00	67	96	97	99	99.15	99.15	70	95	96	99	99.08	99.07
22	Thiruchy	90	98	100	100	99.53	99.54	86	98	99	100	99.71	99.71	88	99	99	97	99.62	99.62
23	Thirunelveli	91	92	97	99	99.00	99.01	91	91	97	99	99.40	99.40	91	92	97	99	99.20	99.22
24	Thiruvallur	90	88	95	95	99.60	99.61	91	90	94	96	99.70	99.72	91	99	95	96	99.65	99.68
25	T.V.malai	91	94	96	98	99.23	99.25	91	96	96	98	99.13	99.15	91	95	96	98	98.85	99.21
26	Thiruvavur	83	85	94	98	98.31	98.34	79	80	94	99	98.51	98.52	81	85	94	99	98.41	98.44
27	Thoothukudi	93	97	97	99	98.54	98.55	94	95	97	98	98.92	98.92	94	93	97	99	98.73	98.73
28	Vellore	89	93	94	99	99.01	99.07	91	94	94	99	99.06	99.06	90	94	94	99	99.03	99.06
29	Villupuram	95	86	94	98	98.35	98.37	95	83	93	98	98.60	98.61	95	85	94	98	98.15	98.50
30	Virudhunagar	91	85	97	97	97.60	97.65	90	86	97	97	97.50	97.70	91	86	97	97	97.60	97.69
	Tamilnadu	90	94	97	98	98.80	98.95	90	94	97	98	98.95	99.03	90	93	97	98	98.89	99.01

Source: VER

At the State-level, there is an *increase* of 9.01% in TR for the category of *ALL* against 2002 (93%). The increase in TR of both *Boys* and *Girls* is almost the same. 17 Districts have recorded an increase in TR above the State-level.

**Table – 24**  
**Trend in Transition Rate – V to VI (SC)**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls						Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	52	93	94	95	92.00	92.50	55	92	94	95	96.00	95.02	54	93	94	95	94.00	93.77
2	Coimbatore	93	91	95	97	99.93	99.25	92	90	95	97	99.94	99.95	93	90	95	97	99.94	99.61
3	Cuddalore	95	94	97	87	100.00	99.06	90	95	96	89	99.00	99.00	93	94	97	88	99.50	99.05
4	Dharmapuri	89	98	88	99	98.65	98.66	88	95	95	98	98.39	98.41	89	96	92	99	98.52	98.53
5	Dindigul	85	85	97	99	99.12	99.15	82	80	96	99	99.13	99.20	83	82	97	99	99.12	99.19
6	Erode	86	87	94	93	98.65	98.70	86	87	92	93	97.65	97.40	86	87	93	93	98.15	98.06
7	Kancheepuram	78	82	95	99	98.92	98.95	82	78	95	98	98.85	98.98	80	80	95	99	98.77	98.98
8	Kanyakumari	95	96	97	100	99.90	99.12	95	97	98	100	99.90	99.91	95	96	97	100	99.90	99.54
9	Karur	91	99	99	99	89.28	99.30	91	99	99	99	98.02	98.03	91	99	99	98	93.65	98.66
10	Krishnagiri	85	99	99	99	99.54	99.60	85	96	96	97	97.60	97.63	85	98	98	99	98.82	98.63
11	Madurai	88	92	93	98	99.56	99.58	84	92	92	98	99.51	99.52	86	92	93	98	99.53	99.56
12	Nagapattinam	77	80	81	98	98.30	98.40	80	80	84	97	98.10	98.25	78	81	82	97	98.20	98.32
13	Namakkal	97	98	98	98	98.30	98.12	97	98	98	98	96.73	96.87	97	97	98	98	97.52	97.49
14	Perambalur	90	91	94	99	98.87	98.85	93	91	96	97	98.69	98.70	92	93	95	98	98.78	98.79
15	Pudukkottai	92	99	99	98	98.92	98.93	92	99	99	98	97.84	97.86	92	99	99	99	98.38	98.41
16	Ramanad	89	93	93	97	97.55	97.58	89	93	95	98	98.13	98.20	89	93	94	98	97.84	97.88
17	Salem	80	73	77	97	97.53	97.56	80	75	75	96	97.24	97.30	80	73	76	97	97.39	97.42
18	Sivagangai	82	98	99	98	98.55	98.56	85	98	99	99	98.72	98.75	84	98	99	99	98.46	98.67
19	Thanjavur	62	71	91	98	98.49	98.51	62	72	91	98	98.46	98.48	62	72	91	98	98.48	98.51
20	Theni	86	88	88	99	98.45	98.48	83	85	91	92	98.34	98.40	65	87	90	96	98.40	98.43
21	The Nilgiris	56	95	97	98	98.69	98.70	63	96	97	99	99.08	99.10	59	96	97	99	98.89	98.91
22	Thiruchy	84	98	99	100	99.74	99.80	70	98	99	99	99.50	99.52	82	98	99	99	99.62	99.67
23	Thirunelveli	86	88	94	98	98.40	98.42	86	87	93	99	98.80	98.82	86	88	94	98	98.60	98.63
24	Thiruvallur	87	81	92	94	99.60	99.62	85	81	92	94	99.60	99.63	86	81	92	94	99.60	99.64
25	T.V.maiai	85	84	96	97	98.37	98.38	86	88	95	98	98.85	98.88	86	86	96	98	97.92	98.63
26	Thiruvarur	75	77	90	99	98.91	98.92	72	75	91	99	97.91	97.92	74	75	91	99	98.41	98.44
27	Thoothukudi	87	93	95	98	97.64	97.62	87	91	95	97	97.99	98.02	87	93	95	98	97.81	97.83
28	Vellore	81	84	91	99	99.00	99.04	82	84	91	99	99.20	99.22	82	84	91	99	99.15	99.14
29	Villupuram	89	83	91	98	98.60	98.72	90	82	91	98	98.69	98.62	90	82	91	98	98.05	98.66
30	Virudhunagar	90	80	96	96	97.00	97.20	87	80	97	96	96.70	97.58	88	80	97	96	97.00	97.40
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98.22</b>	<b>98.46</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98.42</b>	<b>98.49</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>98.28</b>	<b>98.47</b>

Source: VER

As for SC, the State-level rise in TR is at 14.46%. The increase in the case of *Boys* is at 15.49% and the case of *Girls*, it is at 14.47% which means there is only a negligible gap of 1%. 19 Districts have recorded an increase in TR above the State-level.

**Table - 25**  
**Trend in Transition Rate - V to VI (ST)**

S. No.	Districts	Boys						Girls						Total					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	54	92	93	93	90.00	91.10	49	90	91	92	94.00	94.25	51	91	92	92	92.00	92.67
2	Coimbatore	93	91	91	94	99.95	99.96	92	90	90	93	99.93	99.97	93	91	91	95	99.94	99.98
3	Cuddalore	84	85	84	84	99.00	99.02	78	79	81	84	98.00	98.98	81	82	82	84	98.50	99.01
4	Dharmapuri	70	89	89	97	97.00	97.10	70	97	97	97	96.00	96.10	70	93	93	97	96.00	96.61
5	Dindigul	80	92	97	98	99.12	99.14	79	88	96	97	99.14	99.16	80	90	97	97	99.13	99.14
6	Erode	84	87	87	88	97.13	97.95	80	87	87	87	96.60	96.62	82	87	87	87	96.87	97.30
7	Kancheepuram	81	81	92	96	96.20	96.22	75	75	92	95	95.31	95.36	78	78	92	95	95.76	95.80
8	Kanyakumari	89	97	99	99	99.71	99.75	89	95	99	100	99.67	99.70	89	96	99	99	99.69	99.72
9	Karur	0	94	97	98	61.54	91.56	0	94	94	98	64.71	90.75	0	94	96	97	63.13	91.15
10	Krishnagiri	67	93	94	95	96.46	96.48	66	95	96	97	97.33	97.36	66	94	95	96	96.89	96.91
11	Madurai	93	93	95	95	99.52	99.54	93	93	94	94	99.53	99.56	93	93	95	95	99.53	99.56
12	Nagapattinam	0	78	80	90	97.74	97.56	0	85	86	90	98.82	98.87	0	81	83	90	98.28	98.23
13	Namakkal	100	99	99	100	99.28	99.30	99	97	97	97	99.15	99.16	99	98	98	98	99.26	99.25
14	Perambalur	77	81	90	91	94.37	96.40	72	80	83	90	95.68	95.70	75	80	86	90	95.03	96.07
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	98	98	98.67	98.69	0	0	98	98	98.59	98.60	0	0	98	98	98.63	98.66
16	Ramanad	71	95	97	98	97.63	97.65	67	93	97	98	98.35	98.38	69	94	97	98	97.99	98.03
17	Salem	86	79	81	94	95.76	96.78	72	68	68	93	95.37	95.40	82	65	75	94	95.57	96.10
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00
19	Thanjavur	62	73	96	99	98.69	98.70	60	79	95	96	96.20	96.32	61	76	96	96	96.44	97.52
20	Theni	83	84	95	96	98.41	98.42	81	84	94	94	98.36	98.38	82	84	94	95	98.39	98.39
21	The Nilgiris	62	93	95	98	97.96	97.96	58	95	96	98	98.03	98.15	60	94	95	98	97.99	98.07
22	Thiruchy	86	99	99	99	98.12	98.16	80	99	99	99	92.34	92.36	83	99	99	99	95.23	95.27
23	Thirunelveli	84	85	85	99	98.75	98.80	84	82	83	93	98.41	98.44	84	84	84	96	98.58	98.63
24	Thiruvallur	80	73	89	91	98.00	98.62	77	74	87	89	94.00	94.16	79	74	88	90	96.00	96.40
25	T.V.malai	86	87	93	93	96.79	98.86	85	86	94	95	97.43	98.46	86	87	94	94	96.40	98.67
26	Thiruvarur	55	60	73	92	95.20	96.68	57	62	63	90	93.50	96.36	56	61	68	96	95.08	96.53
27	Thoothukudi	83	93	97	99	75.73	95.78	86	91	97	97	75.73	94.75	85	92	97	98	75.73	95.28
28	Vellore	87	86	87	95	94.58	96.60	87	87	88	94	93.69	94.70	87	87	87	94	94.17	95.67
29	Villupuram	86	74	85	93	94.23	96.24	87	67	86	93	93.02	96.04	87	71	85	93	92.87	96.14
30	Virudhunagar	67	67	94	96	96.00	98.04	66	68	94	95	96.80	97.86	67	68	94	95	96.60	97.94
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>92.05</b>	<b>94.22</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>91.79</b>	<b>93.67</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>91.86</b>	<b>93.95</b>

Source: VER

The State-level TR of ST category has registered an increase of 15.95% and in the case of Boys, the rise has been 15.22% and in the case of Girls it is at 16.67% pointing to a marginal gap of less than 1%.

## 2.5.8. Attendance Rate – Primary

The following Table shows the *increasing trend* in Attendance Rate (AR) recorded in all the Districts during the years 2002 to 2007.

**Table – 26**  
**Trend in Attendance Rate – Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	86	95	96	97	97.00	98.18	84	92	93	95	96.00	97.10	81	87	90	90	91.00	94.25
2	Coimbatore	91	92	94	96	87.87	96.30	90	90	88	91	86.98	97.06	90	90	91	91	86.55	95.10
3	Cuddalore	88	91	93	94	96.00	96.40	87	88	91	93	94.00	96.80	77	79	83	85	96.00	95.25
4	Dharmapuri	92	94	96	96	97.00	97.20	86	93	94	96	96.00	96.55	75	92	93	93	96.00	96.20
5	Dindigul	91	94	94	95	98.00	98.22	93	95	92	92	97.00	97.15	79	82	94	94	96.00	96.25
6	Erode	95	95	96	96	96.00	97.20	92	94	96	96	96.00	96.40	94	94	89	90	96.00	96.60
7	Kancheepuram	91	91	94	95	96.49	97.85	87	90	88	90	91.05	96.15	78	89	90	90	91.02	95.80
8	Kanyakumari	94	95	95	97	98.00	98.16	90	91	92	93	94.00	97.20	86	87	89	91	95.00	95.65
9	Karur	91	94	98	98	98.10	98.18	89	91	97	96	96.50	97.10	96	96	97	97	97.10	96.40
10	Krishnagiri	92	93	95	95	96.50	97.47	84	92	85	89	92.50	95.40	66	91	84	85	89.00	96.10
11	Madurai	89	91	94	96	97.00	97.25	85	86	88	88	95.00	96.70	90	89	91	91	95.00	96.45
12	Nagapattinam	88	93	95	99	97.10	97.20	73	75	85	87	94.30	96.50	73	74	83	85	92.26	96.36
13	Namakkal	92	94	98	98	99.00	98.90	92	92	96	96	96.00	96.75	94	94	95	95	97.00	97.20
14	Perambalur	94	94	95	97	97.61	98.45	90	91	91	92	92.39	96.40	77	78	82	84	87.33	97.40
15	Pudukkottai	92	93	94	96	97.00	97.80	92	92	93	94	96.00	96.65	0	0	92	92	93.00	97.35
16	Ramanathapuram	98	98	98	98	98.45	98.46	97	98	98	98	98.25	98.10	97	98	97	97	97.75	97.72
17	Salem	95	97	97	98	96.00	97.60	95	97	97	97	94.00	96.35	95	96	96	96	91.00	96.80
18	Sivagangai	91	94	97	97	98.00	98.10	87	90	94	95	98.00	98.10	0	0	0	0	0.00	96.90
19	Thanjavur	88	91	94	96	97.00	97.35	85	90	92	93	95.00	96.20	81	86	92	93	95.00	96.35
20	Theni	89	90	94	95	95.40	96.80	87	87	91	92	94.20	95.80	55	55	91	92	95.10	96.20
21	The Nilgiris	93	93	95	95	96.60	96.90	63	66	81	85	85.48	94.70	57	57	70	71	72.35	96.45
22	Thiruchy	90	91	90	93	97.21	98.22	90	91	89	94	96.15	96.40	90	91	91	91	92.45	96.52
23	Thirunelveli	94	93	96	96	98.00	98.28	92	94	94	95	97.00	97.30	85	90	90	90	94.00	96.32
24	Thiruvallur	89	90	93	94	94.79	98.10	85	87	89	91	91.70	95.90	77	78	86	87	90.01	96.28
25	T.V.malai	92	94	95	95	97.00	98.15	91	93	92	92	95.00	96.20	89	91	91	90	94.00	96.37
26	Thiruvarur	88	90	94	95	95.20	97.90	64	72	90	91	92.00	96.65	20	58	88	89	90.00	96.42
27	Thoothukudi	93	95	96	96	97.61	98.20	89	92	95	95	96.46	96.80	88	96	94	93	73.61	96.34
28	Vellore	88	89	91	94	95.00	97.80	76	88	90	92	92.00	96.25	66	89	89	90	93.00	96.28
29	Villupuram	92	94	91	93	92.83	97.25	90	92	92	92	92.38	96.10	79	82	89	89	86.63	96.58
30	Virudhunagar	93	94	95	95	96.40	97.15	90	92	93	93	94.40	96.45	92	87	90	90	91.30	96.42
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>96.47</b>	<b>97.70</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>94.19</b>	<b>96.57</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>88.48</b>	<b>96.34</b>

Source: VER

At the Primary level, the State level *Attendance Rate* (AR) has improved from 91% to 97.70%, an improvement of 6.70%. The improvement in the case of SC is at 9.57% and as regards ST, it is at 19.34%.

### 2.5.9. Attendance Rate – Upper Primary

At the Upper Primary level, the State-level AR has improved by 9.24% for ALL Communities. The increase of AR in the case of SC children and is at 12.24% and in the case of ST children it is at 16.48%.

**Table – 27**  
**Trend in Attendance Rate – Upper Primary**

S. No.	Districts	All						SC						ST					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	86	94	95	95	96.00	96.70	82	93	94	94	94.00	96.10	80	86	88	89	89.00	96.20
2	Coimbatore	91	93	94	95	87.08	96.10	89	90	92	92	85.81	96.25	90	91	93	99	86.08	95.15
3	Cuddalore	78	83	87	88	89.00	96.25	76	78	83	85	87.00	96.15	73	74	80	81	83.00	94.31
4	Dharmapuri	92	95	92	92	96.00	98.45	87	93	90	91	95.00	95.80	74	92	88	88	92.00	93.61
5	Dindigul	91	96	94	94	98.00	96.80	94	94	94	94	96.00	95.90	95	95	92	92	95.00	92.65
6	Erode	93	94	93	93	93.00	96.75	90	91	89	92	90.00	95.85	90	90	90	91	91.00	91.22
7	Kancheepuram	83	96	92	93	94.25	96.80	76	95	87	89	91.79	95.90	76	93	96	95	96.09	91.10
8	Kanyakumari	94	94	95	95	96.00	97.90	90	90	90	91	94.00	95.75	86	87	91	90	93.00	93.26
9	Karur	86	93	96	97	97.40	97.85	85	92	95	95	95.50	95.90	94	94	95	95	95.20	96.12
10	Krishnagiri	93	93	96	96	97.00	96.25	86	91	79	83	89.00	96.10	66	92	86	89	92.00	90.25
11	Madurai	91	92	93	95	95.00	94.80	86	87	90	91	92.00	96.25	89	90	92	91	93.00	96.15
12	Nagapattinam	72	79	83	85	87.16	97.65	67	69	78	81	81.61	95.65	67	71	75	77	80.34	96.32
13	Namakkal	92	93	95	96	98.00	98.05	92	92	94	94	98.00	97.90	89	90	93	93	98.00	98.05
14	Perambalur	86	88	89	92	93.09	98.15	83	86	86	89	89.61	94.50	77	81	82	84	85.79	94.82
15	Pudukkottai	91	91	94	95	97.00	98.22	90	91	93	93	95.00	95.18	0	0	92	91	90.00	92.30
16	Ramanathapuram	91	93	94	94	95.10	97.30	91	93	96	96	96.56	97.30	91	93	96	97	95.55	96.65
17	Salem	95	88	92	93	95.00	97.28	95	97	97	97	93.00	96.15	95	96	96	96	89.00	94.60
18	Sivagangai	93	94	97	97	97.00	97.45	88	91	92	92	98.00	98.05	0	0	0	0	0.00	97.15
19	Thanjavur	92	93	94	95	97.00	97.35	89	90	92	92	94.00	96.75	87	88	92	93	95.00	96.22
20	Theni	90	92	95	95	97.40	97.65	85	85	92	92	95.30	96.71	62	61	92	91	95.50	96.27
21	The Nilgiris	88	89	94	94	94.51	97.15	71	73	81	84	85.13	95.14	73	73	77	79	99.78	92.62
22	Thiruchy	87	88	87	89	93.67	97.18	86	87	88	90	94.65	96.65	90	91	90	90	92.43	92.36
23	Thirunelveli	94	96	96	96	97.00	97.32	92	94	93	93	95.00	96.75	92	93	93	93	94.00	95.68
24	Thiruvallur	87	88	91	92	93.40	96.72	81	83	88	89	89.64	96.14	81	82	84	86	86.68	94.65
25	T.V.malai	91	93	94	94	95.00	96.80	89	91	90	91	95.00	96.30	87	91	93	93	94.00	92.36
26	Thiruvarur	43	80	92	93	94.00	97.25	43	66	91	91	89.00	95.80	25	61	85	87	90.00	94.65
27	Thoothukudi	92	95	95	96	96.92	97.44	90	90	93	93	94.46	96.28	89	89	94	94	72.61	96.21
28	Vellore	82	85	89	90	94.00	97.22	77	77	86	89	94.00	96.10	72	71	80	84	90.00	94.32
29	Villupuram	92	93	98	98	98.64	98.80	86	90	91	91	92.36	97.15	69	72	80	82	83.28	94.65
30	Virudhunagar	92	95	96	97	96.90	97.45	92	92	93	93	94.50	96.86	84	88	92	92	92.60	94.52
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>94.98</b>	<b>97.24</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>92.50</b>	<b>96.24</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>87.66</b>	<b>94.48</b>

Source: VER

## 2.5.10. Pupil Teacher Ratio (PTR) – Primary & Upper Primary

The Pupil Teacher Ratio for both Primary and Upper Primary levels for the years 2002 to 2007 is furnished in the following Table.

**Table – 28**  
**Pupil Teacher Ratio (PTR) – Primary & Upper Primary**  
**(Government & Local Body Schools)**

S. No.	Districts	Primary						Upper Primary					
		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1	Chennai	38	42	38	47	36	33	40	24	39	39	38	34
2	Coimbatore	48	33	38	40	31	28	50	43	52	53	43	39
3	Cuddalore	37	38	38	40	34	34	57	58	50	58	40	41
4	Dharmapuri	45	40	40	42	31	28	69	41	54	70	33	28
5	Dindigul	37	32	34	43	29	28	39	34	43	49	39	38
6	Erode	38	37	35	39	30	25	47	45	44	46	38	40
7	Kancheepuram	38	45	39	42	32	31	47	27	49	56	38	42
8	Kanyakumari	41	37	39	37	33	36	34	35	38	37	36	37
9	Karur	30	31	30	36	27	26	50	44	42	56	37	41
10	Krishnagiri	46	41	38	42	30	32	68	42	47	66	41	40
11	Madurai	40	54	33	44	30	29	40	40	41	52	39	36
12	Nagapattinam	40	54	38	41	31	28	60	33	49	60	37	28
13	Namakkal	38	38	36	43	30	28	50	36	49	55	38	40
14	Perambalur	39	48	38	41	32	33	62	52	48	63	38	44
15	Pudukkottai	39	37	33	40	29	30	53	43	44	53	36	38
16	Ramanathapuram	42	40	32	41	27	24	57	33	48	48	39	29
17	Salem	49	52	45	40	34	31	59	61	58	66	38	29
18	Sivagangai	37	37	30	40	25	23	38	46	43	45	36	34
19	Thanjavur	37	37	35	40	30	27	63	54	40	43	35	22
20	Theni	43	40	33	39	32	31	46	40	35	46	36	36
21	The Nilgiris	44	36	31	39	25	26	26	34	40	40	37	33
22	Thiruchirappalli	49	35	35	40	31	30	41	43	41	51	36	38
23	Thirunelveli	40	38	33	45	29	29	36	37	44	47	38	34
24	Thiruvallur	36	35	38	42	31	29	52	39	48	55	36	39
25	Thiruvannamalai	41	33	36	40	31	31	43	39	46	55	37	40
26	Thiruvarur	40	38	38	41	31	29	41	40	46	55	38	30
27	Thoothukudi	39	31	24	41	23	22	39	32	31	40	35	33
28	Vellore	49	48	37	40	33	32	56	52	48	57	39	39
29	Vilupuram	50	42	39	40	34	33	63	54	51	57	40	44
30	Virudhunagar	38	37	33	40	29	28	51	49	44	51	39	41
	Tamilnadu	41	39	36	41	30	29	49	42	46	54	38	36

**Source: DISE**

At the Primary level, the overall PTR has dropped from 41 in 2002 to 29 in 2007. All Districts have shown a positive decline in PTR over the past six years though in a few districts there has been a slight fluctuation during the said period. At the Upper Primary level, the State-level PTR has been fluctuating over the last five years but there is an overall decline from 49 in 2002 to 38 in 2006 and 36 in 2007.



## **2.6. Block Resource Centres (BRC)**

The 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has noted that ***“...The State reports that 100% of BRCs/CRCs are operational and fully functional and this is certainly the impression gained by the Mission during the field visits...”***

In Tamilnadu, there are 385 Community Development Blocks and 27 Urban Blocks. 385 Block Resource Centres function in 29 Districts. In Chennai, 10 CRCs in the Corporation Zones play the roles of BRCs to cover 10 Urban Blocks. In the remaining 27 Urban Blocks, 27 urban BRCs are functioning.

BRCs have been supplied with computers and they have also been connected with Satellite Interactive Terminals (SITs). These SITs have been helpful for the conduct of State level training programmes through EDUSAT. Resource Books have been provided to all BRCs which remain permanent resource materials to be used by BRTEs and Teachers.

The role of BRTEs in Blocks is primarily providing on-site support to the teachers in schools. They visit the schools frequently in order to help the teachers in the endeavour of improving quality in schools. Block Resource Teacher Educators (BRTEs) have been assigned the responsibility of 10-15 schools. The implementation of all programme activities involving the VEC/ local community is taken care of by them through frequent visits to schools. As these Teacher Educators are trained in ABL Methodology and Active Learning Methodology, their support to teachers on quality improvement is very significant. The practical problems faced by the teachers are solved by

the BRTEs then and there. The BRTEs have also undertaken several studies which are used as objective strategy of monitoring the working of the system in place in schools. The method and findings of these studies are outlined in the Chapter on “Issues and Strategies. Based on the findings of the study, many corrective measures have been initiated to address the issues/problems identified.

The 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has assessed the field-level performance of Block Resource Teacher Educators (BRTEs) and it has recorded,

***“.....The SPO and DPCs have relieved the BRTEs of data gathering burdens so that this vital cadre of resource persons can concentrate on providing the necessary onsite support and guidance to the teachers. BRTEs’ visits to schools last the entire day and are carried out once or twice per month for each school. The work of the BRTE is further augmented by the visits of AEEOs to facilitate and address the organizational aspects of the school.....”***

***“...There is no doubt that the success of ABL to date owes a great deal to the high quality of the BRTEs.....”***

#### **2.6.1. Programmes in Block Resource Centres (BRCs)**

The following Table indicates district-wise and year-wise meetings, training and other programmes conducted at Block level during 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table 29**  
**Programmes in Block Resource Centres (BRCs)**

S. No.	District	2002-2003			2003-2004			2004-2005		
		No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised
1	Chennai	32	0	0	37	0	0	37	0	0
2	Coimbatore	160	143	29	210	194	33	160	272	57
3	Cuddalore	103	70	14	103	182	42	100	294	42
4	Dharmapuri	96	33	16	96	97	24	96	17	40
5	Dindigul	0	5	0	0	8	2	0	15	0
6	Erode	257	0	0	266	0	0	254	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	156	65	78	156	91	52	156	143	39
8	Kanyakumari	21	38	6	58	95	38	67	134	39
9	Karur	53	16	8	71	59	16	92	79	25
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	216	7	4
11	Madurai	50	22	6	88	47	2	107	77	8
12	Nagapattinam	98	5	0	99	15	2	102	12	2
13	Namakkal	180	60	0	180	90	0	180	150	30
14	Perambalur	60	71	17	108	101	30	110	128	23
15	Pudukottai	168	113	16	160	142	18	186	182	27
16	Ramanathapuram	132	55	0	132	110	0	132	165	0
17	Salem	252	31	5	254	33	6	258	25	5
18	Sivagangai	96	20	0	96	22	0	108	18	0
19	Thanjavur	33	90	16	113	135	36	136	193	38
20	Theni	48	40	16	80	80	48	80	104	40
21	The Nilgiris	15	40	3	26	48	7	36	92	9
22	Thiruchirapalli	55	135	17	88	210	20	302	249	18
23	Thirunelveli	105	147	0	210	294	0	210	315	21
24	Thiruvallur	76	77	10	103	159	17	133	211	23
25	Thiruvannamalai	180	162	36	216	108	36	180	306	36
26	Thiruvarur	76	107	13	104	163	22	146	118	18
27	Thoothukudi	90	108	3	105	167	9	117	225	16
28	Vellore	264	154	48	300	120	50	360	140	45
29	Villupuram	271	262	50	321	319	62	303	352	63
30	Virudhunagar	71	66	13	111	149	18	108	171	32
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3198</b>	<b>2135</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>3891</b>	<b>3238</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>4472</b>	<b>4194</b>	<b>700</b>

**Table 29 (Cont...)  
Programmes in Block Resource Centres (BRCs)**

S. No.	District	2005-2006			2006-2007			2007-2008		
		No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised
1	Chennai	34	0	0	39	0	0	40	0	0
2	Coimbatore	200	213	112	145	63	130	96	264	0
3	Cuddalore	99	84	10	109	70	45	156	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	96	64	26	96	64	27	57	96	0
5	Dindigui	0	9	2	0	5	2	192	160	32
6	Erode	264	0	100	218	0	160	112	240	49
7	Kancheepuram	156	195	13	156	52	39	168	52	39
8	Kanyakumari	84	98	47	83	42	18	108	126	35
9	Karur	87	95	28	80	48	21	148	96	12
10	Krishnagiri	211	50	30	217	5	296	196	120	0
11	Madurai	103	52	13	89	31	9	168	168	12
12	Nagapattinam	112	10	2	110	5	2	59	132	0
13	Namakkal	180	120	30	180	90	30	121	180	51
14	Perambalur	130	136	19	128	86	30	120	112	163
15	Pudukottai	188	177	16	137	54	16	159	159	11
16	Ramanathapuram	101	110	0	101	22	0	132	89	0
17	Salem	261	30	3	253	25	4	14	36	6
18	Sivagangai	120	120	0	120	114	6	144	0	0
19	Thanjavur	137	165	53	118	90	68	115	225	90
20	Theni	120	192	32	80	48	32	80	96	40
21	The Nilgiris	42	108	17	31	80	70	20	48	22
22	Thiruchirapalli	81	259	30	71	160	25	64	154	0
23	Thirunelveli	210	126	42	210	84	42	210	240	0
24	Thiruvallur	119	168	13	119	42	11	128	168	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	200	162	36	252	162	248	216	216	45
26	Thiruvarur	170	179	20	134	41	28	120	160	24
27	Thoothukudi	119	115	24	92	40	13	125	154	16
28	Vellore	396	374	50	396	66	56	400	90	60
29	Villupuram	339	373	86	313	171	48	41	96	32
30	Virudhunagar	141	113	21	119	33	24	81	132	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>4500</b>	<b>3897</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>4196</b>	<b>1793</b>	<b>1500</b>	<b>3790</b>	<b>3809</b>	<b>739</b>

*Source: DISE & District Review Reports*

The number of meetings/Review Meetings conducted at Block level has been increasing over the last six years. In 2002-2003, around 3,198 meetings were conducted and in 2006-2007, as many as 4196 meetings have been conducted. In addition to the regular inservice training programmes, the Table shows that other programmes/meetings are also being conducted regularly.

## 2.6.2. School visits by Assistant Education Officers and BRTEs

The performance of the field level project personnel – AEEOs and BRTEs - has been analysed using the DISE data. The following is the Table that has been generated for intervention. The Table here provides the details of number of visits by AEEOs and BRTEs during 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007 and 2007-2008.

### School visits by Assistant Education Officers and BRTEs

Year	No. of schools visited by AEEO	No. of schools not visited by AEEO	No. of schools visited by BRTE	No. of schools not visited by BRTE	No. of schools visited by AEEO & BRTE	No. of schools not visited by AEEO & BRTE
2004-05	28924	20531	37989	11466	41062	8393
2005-06	38722	10733	39412	10043	42279	7176
2006-07	37927	11528	39233	10222	41704	7751
2007-08	38520	5099	39403	4216	24305	1162

Year	No. of visits of same school by AEEOs			No. of visits of same school by BRTEs		
	1-3 visits	4-5 visits	more than 5 visits	1-3 visits	4-5 visits	more than 5 visits
2004-05	28365	358	201	18550	8814	10625
2005-06	24029	9495	5198	14704	10431	14277
2006-07	23917	5198	5092	13450	9985	15798
2007 - 08	26074	8025	4421	14287	9413	15703

The performance of visits by AEEOs and BRTEs has tremendously improved in the last two years. At the same time, it has been found that around 3% of the schools have not been visited either by BRTEs or by AEEOs. The Department is keenly monitoring the visits made by the field level project personnel – AEEOs and BRTEs - to the schools. Efforts are being taken to develop software to digitally record the visits of BRTEs or by AEEOs and the outcomes of these visits.

## 2.7. Cluster Resource Centres (CRC)

There are 4088 CRCs functioning in all the Districts in the State. *Cluster Resource Centres* have been functioning as Centres of teacher empowerment, where the teachers share their experiences and innovative practices in the teaching learning processes. The monthly CRC meetings have been primarily used for sharing innovative practices in classrooms by the teachers. The meetings have now been used for discussing the implementation of ABL Methodology and Active Learning Methodology. Thus, the teachers are also trained on effective use of these methodologies during these meetings. Model classes are conducted by the Resource Teachers for the benefit of all other teachers for emulation. Teachers find these sessions very useful as their doubts in implementing ABL and ALM in their classrooms are cleared in the demonstration classes. The details of training given in CRCs are given under *In-service Teacher Training*.

The capacity building measures adopted by the State both for the teachers and BRTEs have resulted in better performance in classrooms.

The 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has observed the changes, the remarks of which are as follows.

***“...The Mission found that the new curricular and pedagogic changes have been enthusiastically received, accepted and practiced by the teachers and learners. Teachers in all of the schools visited were found actively engaged in guiding and supporting learning in a relaxed manner, and acknowledged the supply of required material and technical support to practice the new pedagogy. So great was the level of confidence and pride among the teachers that several of these stepped out of their classrooms to request Mission members to observe their teaching. In several schools visited the Head Teacher requested the Mission to visit community members in their homes to assess the level of satisfaction with ABL...”***

**Table – 30**  
**Programmes in Cluster Resource Centres (CRCs)**

S. No.	District	2002-03			2003-2004			2004-2005		
		No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised
1	Chennai	0	0	0	10	0	0	10	0	0
2	Coimbatore	220	0	2	220	0	0	220	0	0
3	Cuddalore	140	0	0	140	0	0	140	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	80	80	16	80	80	24	80	80	40
5	Dindigul	0	4	0	0	10	0	0	10	0
6	Erode	200	0	0	200	0	0	200	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	130	0	0	130	130	13	130	130	13
8	Kanyakumari	27	0	0	90	4	0	90	4	1
9	Karur	16	0	8	80	0	8	80	0	16
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	10	0
11	Madurai	105	1	4	130	0	3	150	0	2
12	Nagapattinam	1000	10	0	900	10	0	1000	10	0
13	Namakkal	1110	0	0	830	0	83	830	830	83
14	Perambalur	1070	107	107	1070	107	161	1070	107	209
15	Pudukottai	1450	18	16	1450	19	6	1450	20	10
16	Ramanathapuram	0	110	0	0	110	0	0	110	0
17	Salem	10	6	3	10	5	2	10	10	1
18	Sivagangai	1090	0	0	1090	0	0	1090	0	0
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	150	0	15	150	0	30
20	Theni	64	0	0	80	0	16	80	0	32
21	The Nilgiris	20	0	12	20	16	0	24	60	20
22	Thiruchirapalli	160	0	3	160	0	4	160	0	6
23	Thirunelveli	0	21	0	1920	0	0	1920	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	142	50	5	157	72	8	164	63	7
25	Thiruvannamalai	180	0	36	180	0	36	180	0	36
26	Thiruvarur	100	0	8	94	30	6	109	30	10
27	Thoothukudi	92	10	0	108	10	1	70	60	1
28	Vellore	220	0	220	220	0	220	220	220	0
29	Villupuram	220	15	24	222	18	13	223	19	18
30	Virudhunagar	44	0	0	110	0	0	110	0	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>7890</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>9851</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>10080</b>	<b>1773</b>	<b>535</b>

**Table – 30 (Cont...)**  
**Programmes in Cluster Resource Centres (CRCs)**

S. No.	District	2005-2006			2006-2007			2007-2008		
		No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised	No. of Meetings Held	No. of Training Programmes Conducted	Other Programmes Organised
1	Chennai	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	10	0
2	Coimbatore	220	0	0	88	176	0	161	1990	71
3	Cuddalore	140	0	0	0	140	0	1720	80	18
4	Dharmapuri	80	80	26	80	80	27	115	761	31
5	Dindigul	0	10	0	0	10	0	1630	10	0
6	Erode	200	0	60	0	0	60	192	1420	51
7	Kancheepuram	130	130	26	130	130	13	1720	618	96
8	Kanyakumari	33	93	81	0	145	30	90	180	9
9	Karur	24	56	16	160	160	16	281	750	21
10	Krishnagiri	30	12	10	63	14	87	217	1210	0
11	Madurai	20	119	1	0	135	3	1650	1650	0
12	Nagapattinam	1000	10	0	1000	10	0	151	1000	12
13	Namakkal	830	664	83	830	830	83	210	830	3
14	Perambalur	214	856	214	107	1070	243	1070	1070	0
15	Pudukottai	1450	61	7	1450	80	1	1450	1450	0
16	Ramanathapuram	0	10	0	0	110	0	1240	171	16
17	Salem	10	10	2	10	9	3	10	8	6
18	Sivagangai	0	75	0	1090	84	72	1099	109	8
19	Thanjavur	30	120	30	0	150	30	30	150	0
20	Theni	0	80	40	0	80	40	96	800	86
21	The Nilgiris	24	52	20	20	52	20	31	450	12
22	Thiruchirapalli	48	112	7	0	160	9	61	160	76
23	Thirunelveli	0	1920	0	0	1920	0	210	19	42
24	Thiruvallur	103	224	11	20	280	4	252	1330	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	180	36	0	180	54	1670	1670	0
26	Thiruvarur	46	106	17	21	200	10	40	100	0
27	Thoothukudi	15	116	1	8	114	1	13	140	2
28	Vellore	220	220	0	220	220	0	220	220	0
29	Viluppuram	44	176	25	0	220	22	220	31	27
30	Virudhunagar	22	88	0	0	110	0	131	1340	39
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>4933</b>	<b>5590</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>5297</b>	<b>6879</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>15980</b>	<b>19727</b>	<b>626</b>

*Source: DISE & District Review Reports*

In 2002-2003, around 7890 meetings were conducted and in 2006-2007, as many as 5297 meetings have been conducted. In addition to the regular CRC meetings, the Table shows that other programmes/meetings are also being conducted regularly.



### 2.7.1. Distance of schools from CRC

The location of schools in terms of distance from CRC has been analysed with help of DISE data. In this regard, the following report has generated.

The Table that follows gives a clear picture of the schools and their distance from CRCs.

**Distance of schools from CRC**

S. No	Distance	Number of schools	Percentage of schools
1	0 km to 3 km	21158	48.51
2	4 km to 5 km	8265	18.95
3	6 km to 10 km	10172	23.32
4	> 10 km	4024	9.23

As many as 4,088 CRCs function in Tamilnadu and about 2 lakh teachers use these Resource Centres for sharing their experiences and gaining input. About 67% of the schools are placed within five kms of CRC and the programme has been hugely successful as this facilitated good attendance. Most of the remaining schools are upper primary and high schools. With easily accessible transport network and road facilities travelling upto 10 Kms is not a major issue.

### 2.8. In-service Teacher Training

The 7<sup>th</sup> JRM records the systemic way in which the process of training has been organised by the State as follows.

***“...There has been remarkable progress in raising the percentage of teachers receiving in-service training against annual targets and most notable is the systematic way in which ABL and ALM have been supported by training...”***

Providing quality education is one of the objectives of SSA Mission. In order to improve quality in classroom transactions, in-service training is being given to teachers. The training stimulates the professional competence and academic development of teachers which in turn improves classroom

practices. Concentrating on quality improvement it was decided to give training on methodology. Before giving training on the innovative methodologies it was felt that a teacher should have a clear idea about the growth and development of the child. So, three-day training was organized for the teachers at the primary level on *Child Care and Development* in convergence with the Avanashilingam University, Coimbatore and ICDS, Chennai.

### **2.8.1 Types of In-service Trainings**

#### ***Child Care and Development***

The first training programme given was based on the needs of the teachers and the taught. The teachers at the Primary level were given a chance to brush up their previously gained knowledge on child psychology the nature of the child, stages of development, needs of the child and steps to improve the listening and comprehension skills of the child only from understanding the child and his needs the teacher can improve his intelligence and make him a better citizen.

#### ***Activity Based Learning and Self Learning Kit***

The training on Activity Based Learning has enabled the teachers to handle the classes effectively and interestingly and make classroom transaction child-centred and joyful. The training on Self Learning Mathematics kit has helped the teacher to make teaching of Mathematics easy and effective. This would improve the level of attainment in mathematics learning.

#### **Response from a student**

*"I like learning in cards.  
Its very interesting.  
I do not take leave because  
my friends will move forward  
in the ladder"*

Saravanan – Std.IV,  
PU(M)PS, Manachanallur,  
Trichy District.

#### **Observation of a teacher**

*"Helped to improve classroom  
process. Got a clear idea of  
grouping under ABL"*

K.Valarmathi, Teacher  
MPS Karuthapuliyanpatti  
Chellampatti Block, Madurai

### **SLM**

*“Learnt the uses of Number rods to do ascending and descending order. Activities through bead game is very absorbing”*

K.P.Kalaimani Santhibai, BRTE,  
Melpuram BRC,  
Kanyakumari District

### **Toy-Making**

Education should not only cater to the head but to the hand and heart also. Realising that, a training on simple, low cost Toy making had been given for two days for both Primary and upper Primary Teachers. Impact is seen in the classroom as children enjoy making them.

*“We learnt toy making with the help of low cost materials. This took us to our own childhood days. Training hall looked like a mini workshop. The toys made by us were displayed in the classroom. This proved to be a great motivation for students. Improves the skills of students and serves as a relaxation”*

Ms.Vimala – PUPS, Karaiyur,  
Thirumarugal Block  
Nagapattinam District

### **Active Learning Methodology (ALM)**

Training on the innovative methodology introduced in all the Upper Primary classes had been given to all the teachers. Initially four day training was given to familiarise with the new methodology. The same methodology had to be further strengthened further training programmes had been done on ALM reinforcement, ALM Lesson Plan and CDs on class room interaction based on ALM had been prepared and telecasted in the CRC training programme. A training programme has been organised on Yoga and Meditation. All the heads of Middle schools have been given a two-day training on *Institutional Planning*. In order to make language learning effective and interesting a three-day training has been given on English Grammar and Usage.

*"ALM helps to bridge the gap between the teacher and the taught. Develops creativity and originality in students."*

M.Krishnasamy,  
Kalaimagal Middle School,  
Kuppynaickenpatty,  
Theni District

*"Mind-mapping exercises/ technique in ALM CDs was very clear. Using real plants in Science teaching was very effective. The CD with demonstration class was very useful. They enable the students to involve themselves"*

M.Anand, Maths B.T,  
C.Easwaran, Science B.T  
PUMS, Patharalli,  
Pennagaram Block,  
Dharmapuri District

### **'Hello English'**

The CDs on English Language Development named '*Hello English*' prepared and circulated by the Regional Institute of English, Bangalore, have been multiplied and shown to teachers in the CRC training held on 05.01.2008. Further the CDs have been multiplied and sent to all CAL centres and to schools where computers are available so that the CDs may add for to developments of communicative English.

The '*Hello English*' CDs are of great use. We got enough information with activities on:

- How to speak English
- How to learn English
- How to teach English
- How to teach Poems
- How to frame questions

The CDs have helped us in improving our vocabulary and learning correct pronunciation of the words.

Ms. S. Vijaya,  
CMS, Villivakkam, Zone IV,  
Chennai - 49.

## ***Training to Officials***

The Officials in the Education Department also were given training on Activity Based Learning and Active Learning Methodology. The Chief Educational Officers (Regular), Chief Educational Officers (SSA), DEOs, DEEOs, AEEOs and all the BRC Supervisors attended the training programmes with great enthusiasm so that they would be able to monitor effectively. The headmasters of Higher Secondary schools also were given one day orientation Active Learning Methodology so that they would be able to supervise the methodologies being carried out in their schools. Thus the training programmes were of great use both to the teachers and the taught. The teachers effectiveness is brought about by being able to translate knowledge of subject matter and knowledge of pedagogy into practice. The curriculum is moving from a pre-determined demand of what pupil should be able to do to where the child is-this is clearly seen in the ABL and ALM classroom.

## **New Recruits**

Training has been given to teachers by IT companies like Microsoft, Intel and Azim Premji foundations on computer Aided Learning. Ten-day training has been conducted for the newly recruited teachers. Special training had been given to them on use of ABL cards and Self learning mathematics kits Induction training and training on SSA components have also been organised. In addition to these ten day they attend the regular 20 days with the other teachers.

## **Training on Yoga and Meditation**

‘Sound mind in a sound body ‘paves the way for sound education. Realising it training had been and given to teachers on Yoga and meditation. Simple exercises and asanas are taught to children to make them healthy. Importance of cleanliness is also taught to them. A special feature of this training is the physical education teachers of high and higher secondary schools imparted the training to teachers with great involvement.

The following modules have been prepared and used for 2007-2008 training

- Child Development and care
- Handbook on Activity Based Learning
- Hand book on Self Learning Mathematics Kit
- Toy making

- Active Learning Methodology – Reinforcement
- Draft Source Book English  
on Lesson Plan Science } Stds VI, VII & VIII  
Social Science }
- Draft Source Book on English Grammar for Upper Primary
- CDs on ABL and ALM Methodology – class room transaction
- CDs on Science & Geography Lessons
- CDs on English Grammar – songs on Grammar
- CD for Supplementary Reader- Pronunciation
- CDs – “ Hello English”

**Programmes conducted during 2007 – 2008**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Activities</b>	<b>Month</b>
1	Analysis for Quality improvement	April
2	Training to RPs	May
3	Training on ABL	June
4	Training on ALM	July
5	Training on ALM Reinforcement	August
6	Training on Toy Making	September
7	Training on Lesson Plans ALM	October
8	CDs on Lesson Plans ABL & ALM	December
9	Training on Institutional Planning	December
10	Training Hello English sCDs	January
11	Training on Teaching English Grammar	February
12	Training Using Audio –Visual aids Science Geography	February
13	Training on Yoga and Meditation	March
14	Orientation of NCF 2005	March

The role of EDUSAT in teacher training is also remarkable. Instead of Cascade mode, Resource Persons are trained through EDUSAT. This prevents transmission loss. Then instructions are passed on to the DPOs for organising training and monitoring the same.

The following Table presents the achievement by the Districts in implementation of teacher training programmes in terms of teacher training days during the years 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table – 31**  
**In-service Training to Teachers (Training Days)**

S. No.	District	2002-2003		2003-2004		2004-2005		2005-2006		2006-2007		2007-2008	
		Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement	Target	Achievement
1	Chennai	136830	9594	134620	59243	152440	100501	132700	104948	145080	145080	135740	135740
2	Coimbatore	177243	47595	169252	114088	184160	154857	173980	151480	201708	201708	231100	231100
3	Cuddalore	122781	37721	124046	51702	134051	108448	139600	111605	135558	135558	140480	140480
4	Dharmapuri	23008	17072	41524	29136	85700	74218	87299	76637	86040	86040	134540	134540
5	Dindigul	141400	21334	135160	30331	135000	132754	137318	137318	127530	127530	156960	156960
6	Erode	120480	41841	129020	48190	128940	95340	141520	129978	127386	127386	148900	148900
7	Kancheepuram	105573	13079	134250	54302	170900	74325	149255	117447	146808	146808	165040	165040
8	Kanyakumari	31541	6976	73173	58016	90125	63360	77533	68415	96156	96156	94360	94360
9	Karur	62211	14297	32919	12843	51360	49288	60220	51925	56250	56250	62500	62500
10	Krishnagiri	38741	18102	56162	32681	94480	47566	92268	86029	105660	105660	106220	106220
11	Madurai	164520	62280	155220	71220	154260	141820	141642	146580	149796	149796	161200	161200
12	Nagapattinam	14548	14539	143178	143236	106780	95534	87882	82199	101898	101898	135080	135080
13	Namakkal	68455	8285	69149	19686	97980	62472	87560	87560	82980	82980	133620	133620
14	Perambalur	88080	22020	79020	31608	79500	54460	51690	47255	80784	80784	94160	94160
15	Pudukkottai	93860	62028	98860	72333	100980	92480	118900	118230	100170	100170	129860	129860
16	Ramanathapuram	79390	49683	85580	51869	97900	61156	98406	91026	90378	90378	117060	117060
17	Salem	119230	41086	116208	70581	141260	100029	147276	144216	161892	161892	188060	188060
18	Sivagangal	54258	13002	85760	33224	86200	65280	89600	79062	91818	91818	98200	98200
19	Thanjavur	95400	24501	107000	35027	133540	98000	124146	118262	134784	134784	196740	196740
20	Theni	9828	7298	28869	23930	81820	58506	81700	78399	50040	50040	89500	89500
21	The Nilgiris	45180	5334	46200	7786	44820	24713	43420	37931	102888	102888	46280	46280
22	Thiruchirappalli	55925	55925	178044	158373	139860	93410	151200	116080	178668	178668	163980	163980
23	Thirunelveli	124187	41204	145353	70821	124480	113876	177063	177063	184770	184770	219520	219520
24	Thiruvallur	9341	7470	20640	16510	110445	94998	120098	108712	126360	126360	145400	145400
25	Thiruvannamalai	70648	29427	93447	30145	144880	99243	130140	116404	143874	143874	161160	161160
26	Thiruvarur	51190	17751	57246	23031	118760	45880	80580	61888	79920	79920	113500	113500
27	Thoothukudi	140780	18200	133580	30103	133950	103283	94773	83994	124470	124470	133500	133500
28	Vellore	215280	0	215280	40898	213280	119198	198342	190139	232254	232254	234080	234080
29	Villupuram	161323	43359	169077	78361	181300	137774	166982	155358	214146	214146	197420	197420
30	Virudhunagar	33434	24405	79473	60116	117180	77285	122040	107592	131166	131166	139020	139020
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>2654665</b>	<b>775408</b>	<b>3137310</b>	<b>1559390</b>	<b>3636331</b>	<b>2640054</b>	<b>3505133</b>	<b>3183732</b>	<b>3791232</b>	<b>3791232</b>	<b>4273180</b>	<b>4273180</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During 2002 – 2003, the State was able to complete only around 30% of the training days planned and in 2003-2004, about 50% of the targeted training was achieved. During 2004-2005 the achievement of the same has been 63%. During 2005-2006, almost 90% of the training days was completed. However, thanks to meticulous planning and sustained monitoring at all levels, the state has been able to achieve 100% of the target training days planned during 2006-2007 and 2007-2008.

On the whole, training programmes in 2007-2008 helped to change the education scenario in Tamilnadu by quickly assimilating the ABL methodology at the Primary level and ALM at the Upper Primary level and transformed the classrooms into effective 'Learning Centres'

### **2.8.2. Impact of Training**

- The two methodologies Activity Based Learning and Active Learning Methodology have captivated the minds of teachers
- Teachers are enriched in their knowledge and empowered to handle the classes effectively.
- Teachers are better equipped to impart and instruct.
- ALM training has made the teaching 'a joyful experience' and 'child friendly' – children learn more by themselves and the creativity in the child is kindled
- Computer literacy training helps children to know the latest scientific developments.
- Teachers have gained clarity and confidence in planning and preparing for their classroom interaction.
- Teacher awareness on concern compassion and consideration towards children knowing the students stages of development.
- All the training programmes help in increasing the enrolment rate, completion rate and retention rate and has reduced the dropout rate.

### **2.8.3. In-service training days attended by Teachers**

The DISE data have been extremely useful for identifying the number of teachers trained in terms of number of days for appropriate remedial steps. The following Table presents the picture of In-service teacher training in terms of number of training days and percentage of teacher training.



### In-service training days attended by Teachers

No. of in-service training (days)	No. of teachers in		Percentage of teachers attended in-service training	
	Primary	Upper primary	Primary	Upper primary
0	5253	4442	5.68	3.79
1-3	431	547	0.47	0.47
4-7	1198	1152	1.29	0.98
8-15	15353	1108	16.59	0.95
> 15	70310	109860	75.97	93.81
<b>Total</b>	<b>92545</b>	<b>117109</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>

Only about 5.68% of the teachers from primary schools and 3.79% of teachers from upper primary schools have not attended any in-service training in the year 2006-07. About 76% of primary teachers and 94% of upper primary teachers have attended In-service training for more than 15 days. This analysis has helped the State to bring the teachers who are away from training programmes and rectify the gap.

#### 2.8.4. Teachers possessing higher qualifications

The details of the teachers possessing higher qualifications have been collated through DISE data.

#### Teachers possessing higher qualifications

S. No.	School type	Number of teachers with higher qualifications (M.Phil / Ph.D)	Total number of Teachers	Percentage
1	Primary	419	92545	0.45
2	Upper primary	705	61402	1.15
3	High school	522	17906	2.92
4	Hr. Sec. school	1023	37801	2.71

Of the total of 2,09,654 teachers, 419 teachers at primary level, 594 teachers at upper primary level, 530 teachers at High school level and 1964 teachers at Higher Secondary level have higher qualifications such as M.phil and Ph.d. Their details have been collected and their services are being utilised for training at State, District and Block levels and also during preparation of training modules.

#### 2.8.5. Orientation on salient features of NCF 2005

This training programme is closely associated with the methodology that has been introduced at the Primary level in the State – Activity Based Learning. What has been proposed in the NCF 2005 is being applied in the classrooms of Tamilnadu. The objective is that the teachers should be aware of the ideas proposed in NCF 2005 and what they are practicing in the classroom are identical. As usual, we are the pioneers to initiate such a training.

## **2.9. Interventions for Out-of-school children**

While recording the activities under *out-of-school children (Goal: All children in school)* in the State, the 7<sup>th</sup> JRM report says,

*“...There are relatively few out of school children (OOSC) in Tamil Nadu; barely 2% of 6-14 year olds are not enrolled. As per DISE data for 2006 the net enrollment ratio is 99.29 at primary and 98.25 at upper primary and the Mission applauds this excellent achievement. The State has devised a systematic mechanism for reaching the remaining 100,000 or so OOSC identified in the current year. All VECs are required to maintain an Elementary Education Register (EER) to track individual child progress towards completion. In addition, the Department of Education has completed household surveys in 2002 and 2006. The EER and household survey data is updated every year and a report is generated through specially designed software which is used for planning. The Mission could verify the EER and household survey data in the field and observed its use in planning at all levels. The target for the current year (07/08) is to enroll 103,261 out of school children and thus far the State has achieved 73% (75,285) of this target. The Mission visited a few AIE Centres (residential and non-residential) in Erode, Dharmapuri and Thiruannamalai and found these to be well run by NGOs ...”*

As per the Household Survey conducted in 2001, the total number of out-of-school children in 6-14 age group was 5.74 lakh, which was the target for the year 2002-2003. The target and achievement in respect of out-of-school children from 2002-2003 to 2007-2008 are presented in the Tables that follow.

**Table – 32**  
**Out-of-School Children**  
**Target & Achievement (2002 – 2003 & 2007 – 2008)**

S. No.	District	2002-2003			2003-2004			2004-2005		
		Target	Achievement	Percentage	Target	Achievement	Percentage	Target	Achievement	Percentage
1	Chennai	16138	3790	23.48	12348	4057	32.86	12462	6534	52.43
2	Coimbatore	46847	6047	12.91	40800	21713	53.22	20153	13330	66.14
3	Cuddalore	6053	2033	33.59	4040	1979	48.99	6286	5176	82.34
4	Dharmapuri	38443	12516	32.56	25427	6138	24.14	6383	4890	76.61
5	Dindigul	39959	8264	20.68	31295	19887	63.55	14538	8475	58.3
6	Erode	18396	4148	22.55	14248	7102	49.85	11909	7542	63.33
7	Kancheepuram	20927	2494	11.92	18110	10062	55.56	9011	7183	79.71
8	Kanyakumari	3020	1761	58.31	1259	772	61.32	1360	822	60.44
9	Karur	4183	1815	43.39	1368	1083	79.17	1812	1443	79.64
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri District						13714	9245	67.41
11	Madurai	22125	2979	13.46	19146	11991	62.63	13733	10437	76
12	Nagapattinam	7646	2018	26.39	5628	3465	61.57	5572	3708	66.55
13	Namakkal	23653	3019	12.76	20234	9668	46.85	11023	4364	39.59
14	Perambalur	13542	2825	20.86	10450	4154	39.75	6641	5436	81.86
15	Pudukottai	7222	3185	44.1	3976	2216	55.73	3703	3703	100
16	Ramanathapuram	6383	2136	33.46	4247	1859	43.77	4180	4026	96.32
17	Salem	49867	6985	14.01	42332	25867	61.11	20167	17647	87.5
18	Sivagangai	35809	6518	18.2	28991	19071	65.78	10736	9090	84.67
19	Thanjavur	15574	5450	34.99	10124	5585	55.17	5950	4417	74.24
20	Theni	19973	2676	13.4	17297	11664	67.43	6342	5313	83.77
21	The Nilgiris	9549	2880	30.16	6669	4366	65.47	2666	1708	64.07
22	Thiruchirappalli	12982	2114	16.28	10868	4433	40.79	7793	5010	64.29
23	Thirunelveli	21223	3813	17.97	17410	12851	73.81	12045	9415	78.17
24	Thiruvallur	16523	1225	7.41	15298	4540	29.68	12686	8214	64.75
25	Thiruvannamalai	22319	4096	18.35	17723	13153	74.21	10192	9947	97.6
26	Thiruvavarur	14649	648	4.42	14501	8728	60.19	6686	4606	68.89
27	Thoothukudi	12554	2398	19.1	10156	2108	20.76	8226	7946	96.6
28	Vellore	10743	2733	25.44	7453	6100	81.85	7730	7035	91.01
29	Villupuram	44060	4038	9.16	44660	28973	64.87	16936	7701	45.47
30	Virudhunagar	13707	3396	24.78	10011	1559	15.57	8823	6644	75.3
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>574069</b>	<b>108000</b>	<b>18.81</b>	<b>466069</b>	<b>3E+05</b>	<b>54.74</b>	<b>279458</b>	<b>201007</b>	<b>71.93</b>

**Table – 32 (Cont....)**  
**Out-of-School Children**  
**Target & Achievement (2002 – 2003 & 2007 – 2008)**

S. No.	District	2005-2006			2006-2007			2007-2008		
		Target	Achievement	Percentage	Target	Achievement	Percentage	Target	Achievement	Percentage
1	Chennai	6946	3556	51.19	5202	4589	88.22	4882	4646	95.17
2	Coimbatore	9590	5525	57.61	5573	4243	76.13	5268	5206	98.82
3	Cuddalore	3409	3008	88.24	2039	1452	71.21	1724	1234	71.58
4	Dharmapuri	6233	2655	42.6	5505	5193	94.33	5180	3313	63.96
5	Dindigul	7105	6814	95.9	4778	4002	83.75	4478	3114	69.54
6	Erode	5692	4678	82.19	2833	2671	94.28	2512	2433	96.86
7	Kancheepuram	4925	2304	62.88	4352	3941	90.56	4019	3835	95.42
8	Kanyakumari	1466	727	49.59	1133	840	74.14	815	807	99.02
9	Karur	1285	936	72.84	1097	808	73.66	797	776	97.37
10	Krishnagiri	11179	2831	25.32	8667	8286	95.6	8342	4913	58.89
11	Madurai	10602	5680	53.57	6294	4481	71.19	5970	3756	62.91
12	Nagapattinam	3008	2737	90.99	1691	1558	92.11	1390	1315	94.60
13	Namakkal	9007	3727	41.38	7405	6562	88.62	7085	4405	62.17
14	Perambalur	4310	3860	89.56	1989	1416	71.19	1687	1318	78.13
15	Pudukottai	1249	1149	100	1097	866	78.94	796	677	85.05
16	Ramanathapuram	2788	1564	56.1	2324	1654	71.19	2014	1409	69.96
17	Salem	11148	9472	84.97	7548	7472	98.99	7222	7112	98.48
18	Sivagangai	3958	1926	48.66	2582	1838	71.19	2276	2245	98.64
19	Thanjavur	4922	3165	64.3	3921	3781	96.43	3613	2511	69.50
20	Theni	3775	2075	54.97	2670	1934	72.43	794	786	98.99
21	The Nilgiris	1088	536	49.26	1095	780	71.21	2363	1603	67.84
22	Thiruchirappalli	5870	3469	59.1	4098	3786	92.39	3770	3241	85.97
23	Thirunelveli	6234	5469	87.73	4113	3815	92.75	3787	2762	72.93
24	Thiruvallur	8209	6653	81.05	3616	3529	97.59	3298	3248	98.48
25	Thiruvannamalai	6259	6039	96.49	4456	4302	96.54	4127	3793	91.91
26	Thiruvarur	2711	2508	92.51	2053	1867	90.94	1751	1743	99.54
27	Thoothukudi	4689	4150	88.51	2739	2532	92.46	2427	2358	97.16
28	Vellore	4135	3992	96.54	3489	2721	78	3167	3070	96.94
29	Villupuram	11411	10326	90.49	3868	2779	71.85	4270	3959	92.72
30	Virudhunagar	6059	5387	88.91	3762	3598	95.64	3437	2738	79.66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>169262</b>	<b>116918</b>	<b>69.08</b>	<b>111989</b>	<b>97296</b>	<b>86.88</b>	<b>103261</b>	<b>84326</b>	<b>81.66</b>

The target number of out-of-school children for the year 2002-2003 was 5.74 lakh and the achievement was 1.08 lakh. The target and achievement shown in Dharmapuri District is inclusive of Krishnagiri District till 2003-2004. Since the bifurcation of the erstwhile Dharmapuri District in 2004-2005, the achievement of Krishnagiri District has been shown separately.

The target of out-of-school children for 2003-2004 was 4.66 lakh and the percentage of achievement during 2003-2004 was comparatively higher in all Districts than the previous year 2002-2003 except in Virudhunagar District where the percentage of achievement was reduced to 15.57% from 24.78%.

The target of out-of-school children for the year 2004-2005 has been 2.79 lakh and the percentage of achievement has increased from 55% to 71.93% over the previous year (2003-2004). The percentage of achievement has been good in all the Districts except five Districts Viz., Villupuram, The Nilgiris, Namakkal, Kanyakumari and Dindigul Districts, where the percentage of achievement has decreased. Pudukkottai is the only District that has shown *cent percent achievement*. The progress is more than 75% in 16 Districts and less than 50% in two Districts.

The target of out-of-school children for the year 2005-2006 has been 169262. As many as 116918 children have been covered and the percentage of achievement has been 69.08%. The target of out-of-school children for the year 2006-2007 has been 111989. As many as 97296 children have been covered and the percentage of achievement has been 87%.

The target of out-of-school children for the year 2007-2008 has been 103261. As many as 84320 children have been covered and the percentage of achievement has been 81.66%.

### 2.9.1. Enrolment of out-of-school children in 2003-2004

The Table given here presents the District-wise data on gender-wise and age group-wise target and achievement in enrolment of out-of-school children during the year 2003-2004.

**Table – 33**  
**Target and Achievement in enrolment of Out-of-school children - 2003-2004**

S. No.	District	Target						6-14 yrs
		6-11 years			11-14 years			
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	4517	4441	8958	1709	1681	3390	12348
2	Coimbatore	9866	9258	19124	11184	10492	21676	40800
3	Cuddalore	1051	1279	2330	762	928	1690	4020
4	Dharmapuri	7159	6924	14083	6021	5823	11844	25927
5	Dindigul	10538	9190	19728	6392	5575	11967	31695
6	Erode	3947	4124	8071	3021	3156	6177	14248
7	Kancheepuram	4675	4925	9600	4302	4531	8833	18433
8	Kanyakumari	165	175	340	447	472	919	1259
9	Karur	153	182	335	928	1105	2033	2368
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri						
11	Madurai	4048	4336	8384	5195	5567	10762	19146
12	Nagapattinam	1309	1208	2517	1617	1494	3111	5628
13	Namakkal	5369	2748	8117	8281	4236	12517	20634
14	Perambalur	2137	1365	3502	4402	2813	7215	10717
15	Pudukkottai	1287	1353	2639	681	716	1398	4037
16	Ramanathapuram	1231	1396	2627	758	862	1620	4247
17	Salem	10441	8432	18873	13282	10727	24009	42882
18	Sivagangai	8890	7553	16443	6946	5902	12848	29291
19	Thanjavur	2208	2575	4783	2466	2875	5341	10124
20	Theni	2959	5856	8815	2848	5634	8482	17297
21	The Nilgiris	2033	2076	4109	1266	1294	2560	6669
22	Thiruchirappalli	3736	4329	8065	1299	1504	2803	10868
23	Thirunelveli	5805	6490	12295	2415	2700	5115	17410
24	Thiruvailur	4409	3279	7688	4365	3245	7610	15298
25	Thiruvannamalai	4609	5233	9842	3925	4455	8380	18222
26	Thiruvarur	3315	6559	9874	1385	2742	4127	14001
27	Thoothukudi	2574	2019	4593	3119	2444	5563	10156
28	Vellore	2382	2039	4421	1935	1655	3590	8011
29	Villupuram	11162	12038	23201	8093	8728	16821	40022
30	Virudhunagar	2660	3250	5909	1981	2421	4402	10311
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>124637</b>	<b>124631</b>	<b>249268</b>	<b>111023</b>	<b>105778</b>	<b>216801</b>	<b>466070</b>

**Table - 33 (Cont...)**  
**Target and Achievement in enrolment of Out-of-school children - 2003-2004**

S. No.	District	Target						
		6-11 years			11-14 years			6-14 yrs
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	1484	1459	2943	562	552	1114	4057
2	Coimbatore	5251	4926	10177	5952	5584	11536	21713
3	Cuddalore	517	630	1147	375	457	832	1979
4	Dharmapuri	1695	1639	3334	1425	1379	2804	6138
5	Dindigul	6612	5766	12378	4011	3498	7509	19887
6	Erode	1967	2056	4023	1506	1573	3079	7102
7	Kancheepuram	2552	2688	5240	2348	2473	4822	10062
8	Kanyakumari	101	107	208	274	290	564	772
9	Karur	70	83	153	425	505	930	1083
10	Krishnagiri	Included in Dharmapuri						
11	Madurai	2535	2716	5251	3254	3486	6740	11991
12	Nagapattinam	806	744	1550	996	920	1915	3465
13	Namakkal	2516	1287	3803	3880	1985	5865	9668
14	Perambalur	828	529	1357	1706	1090	2797	4154
15	Pudukkottai	706	742	1449	374	393	767	2216
16	Ramanathapuram	539	611	1150	332	377	709	1859
17	Salem	6298	5087	11385	8012	6470	14482	25867
18	Sivagangai	5788	4918	10706	4522	3842	8365	19071
19	Thanjavur	1218	1421	2639	1360	1586	2946	5585
20	Theni	1996	3948	5944	1920	3800	5720	11664
21	The Nilgiris	1331	1360	2690	829	847	1676	4366
22	Thiruchirappalli	1524	1766	3290	530	614	1143	4433
23	Thirunelveli	4285	4791	9076	1783	1993	3775	12851
24	Thiruvallur	1309	973	2282	1295	963	2258	4540
25	Thiruvannamalai	3327	3777	7104	2833	3216	6049	13153
26	Thiruvarur	2066	4089	6155	864	1709	2573	8728
27	Thoothukudi	534	419	953	647	507	1155	2108
28	Vellore	1814	1552	3366	1473	1260	2734	6100
29	Villupuram	8081	8716	16796	5858	6319	12177	28973
30	Virudhunagar	402	491	893	300	366	666	1559
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>68152</b>	<b>69292</b>	<b>137444</b>	<b>59645</b>	<b>58055</b>	<b>117700</b>	<b>255144</b>

*Source: Progress Report*

As can be seen from the Table, the target number of out-of-school children for the year 2003-2004 was 4,66,070 (6-14 years) comprising 2,49,268 children in the age group of 6-11 years and 2,16,801 children in the age group of 11-14 years. As many as 2,55,144 children were enrolled in both formal and EGS & AIE centres. Villupuram has recorded the highest number of enrolment of out-of-school children (28,973) followed by Salem (25,867) and Coimbatore (21,713).

## 2.9.2 Enrolment of out-of-school children in 2004-2005

The target and achievement in enrolment of out-of-school children through AIE centres, NCLP schools and INDUS project centres in the year 2004-2005 are furnished here.

**Table – 34**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement – 2004-2005**

S. No.	District	Target						6-14
		6-11 years			11-14 years			
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	4598	4443	9041	1745	1676	3421	12462
2	Coimbatore	4797	4649	9446	5461	5246	10707	20153
3	Cuddalore	1852	1792	3644	1347	1295	2642	6286
4	Dharmapuri	1762	1705	3467	1487	1429	2916	6383
5	Dindigul	4600	4449	9049	2799	2690	5489	14538
6	Erode	3429	3317	6746	2633	2530	5163	11909
7	Kancheepuram	2384	2309	4693	2202	2116	4318	9011
8	Kanyakumari	186	181	367	506	487	993	1360
9	Karur	129	127	256	794	762	1556	1812
10	Krishnagiri	3785	3664	7449	3195	3070	6265	13714
11	Madurai	3053	2961	6014	3937	3782	7719	13733
12	Nagapattinam	1265	1227	2492	1571	1509	3080	5572
13	Namakkal	2200	2136	4336	3410	3277	6687	11023
14	Perambalur	1100	1070	2170	2280	2191	4471	6641
15	Pudukkottai	1233	1188	2421	653	629	1282	3703
16	Ramanathapuram	1315	1271	2586	813	781	1594	4180
17	Salem	4507	4369	8876	5758	5533	11291	20167
18	Sivagangai	3063	2964	6027	2402	2307	4709	10736
19	Thanjavur	1428	1383	2811	1601	1538	3139	5950
20	Theni	835	808	1643	522	501	1023	2666.2
21	The Nilgiris	1642	1590	3232	1586	1524	3110	6342
22	Thiruchirappalli	2795	2701	5496	1171	1126	2297	7793
23	Thirunelveli	4546	4392	8938	1585	1522	3107	12045
24	Thiruvallur	4556	4403	8959	1901	1826	3727	12686
25	Thiruvannamalai	2340	2269	4609	2847	2736	5583	10192
26	Thiruvaur	1707	1653	3360	1696	1630	3326	6686
27	Thoothukudi	2258	2185	4443	1929	1854	3783	8226
28	Vellore	2168	2098	4266	1767	1697	3464	7730
29	Villupuram	4990	4828	9818	3630	3488	7118	16937
30	Virudhunagar	2570	2486	5056	1921	1845	3766	8823
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>77093</b>	<b>74619</b>	<b>151712</b>	<b>65149</b>	<b>62597</b>	<b>127746</b>	<b>279458</b>



**Table – 34 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement – 2004-2005**

S. No.	District	Achievement						
		6-11 years			11-14 years			6-14
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	2178	2101	4279	1148	1107	2255	6534
2	Coimbatore	3099	2990	6089	3686	3555	7241	13330
3	Cuddalore	1613	1557	3170	1021	985	2006	5176
4	Dharmapuri	1656	1597	3253	833	804	1637	4890
5	Dindigul	3072	2964	6036	1242	1197	2439	8475
6	Erode	1857	1792	3649	1982	1911	3893	7542
7	Kancheepuram	1584	1528	3112	2072	1999	4071	7183
8	Kanyakumari	184	178	362	234	226	460	822
9	Karur	122	117	239	613	591	1204	1443
10	Krishnagiri	2016	1945	3961	2689	2595	5284	9245
11	Madurai	2188	2112	4300	3124	3013	6137	10437
12	Nagapattinam	1076	1038	2114	811	783	1594	3708
13	Namakkal	416	401	817	1805	1742	3547	4364
14	Perambalur	1053	1017	2070	1713	1653	3366	5436
15	Pudukkottai	1233	1188	2421	653	629	1282	3703
16	Ramanathapuram	1260	1215	2475	789	762	1551	4026
17	Salem	3406	3286	6692	5576	5379	10955	17647
18	Sivagangai	3012	2906	5918	1615	1557	3172	9090
19	Thanjavur	1065	1029	2093	1183	1141	2324	4417
20	Theni	707	681	1388	163	157	320	1708
21	The Nilgiris	1543	1488	3031	1161	1121	2282	5313
22	Thiruchirappalli	1410	1360	2770	1140	1100	2240	5010
23	Thirunelveli	3273	3158	6431	1519	1465	2984	9415
24	Thiruvallur	2399	2314	4713	1782	1719	3501	8214
25	Thiruvannamalai	2284	2204	4487	2779	2681	5460	9947
26	Thiruvarur	1682	1623	3305	611	590	1201	4646
27	Thoothukudi	2195	2118	4313	1849	1784	3633	7946
28	Vellore	1949	1880	3829	1632	1574	3206	7035
29	Villupuram	2292	2212	4504	1678	1619	3297	7801
30	Virudhunagar	1507	1454	2961	1875	1808	3683	6644
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>53333</b>	<b>51448</b>	<b>104781</b>	<b>48979</b>	<b>47247</b>	<b>96226</b>	<b>201007</b>

**Source: Progress Report**

The Table shows that the target number of out-of-school children for the year 2004-2005 has been 2,79,458 (6-14 years) comprising 1,51,712 children in the age group of 6-11 years and 1,27,746 children in the age group of 11-14 years. Of this target, 2,01,007 children have been enrolled in AIE centres, NCLP schools and INDUS project centres. Salem has achieved the highest number of enrolment of out-of-school children (17,647) followed by Coimbatore (13,330) and Madurai (10,437).

### 2.9.3. Enrolment of out-of-school children in 2005-2006

The target and achievement in enrolment of out-of-school children in the year 2005-2006 are furnished here.

**Table – 35**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2005-2006**

S. No.	District	Target						6-14
		6-11 years			11-14 years			
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	2039	1178	3217	2492	1237	3729	6946
2	Coimbatore	2474	2446	4920	2473	2197	4670	9590
3	Cuddalore	450	469	919	1223	1267	2490	3409
4	Dharmapuri	2083	1457	3540	1479	1214	2693	6233
5	Dindigul	2767	2155	4922	1044	1139	2183	7105
6	Erode	1341	1015	2356	1901	1435	3336	5692
7	Kancheepuram	907	714	1621	1637	1617	3254	4875
8	Kanyakumari	281	148	429	575	462	1037	1466
9	Karur	104	50	154	605	526	1131	1285
10	Krishnagiri	1205	768	1973	5448	3758	9206	11179
11	Madurai	2863	2562	5425	3067	2110	5177	10602
12	Nagapattinam	502	796	1298	723	987	1710	3008
13	Namakkal	2103	2084	4187	2491	2284	4775	8962
14	Perambalur	819	703	1522	1391	1397	2788	4310
15	Pudukkottai	69	79	148	216	885	1101	1249
16	Ramanathapuram	355	594	949	1028	811	1839	2788
17	Salem	3977	3254	7231	2367	1550	3917	11148
18	Sivagangai	689	703	1392	1476	1090	2566	3958
19	Thanjavur	1533	1580	3113	914	895	1809	4922
20	Theni	1064	678	1742	983	1050	2033	3775
21	The Nilgiris	222	213	435	320	333	653	1088
22	Thiruchirappalli	1077	1099	2176	1868	1826	3694	5870
23	Thirunelveli	106	78	184	2897	3153	6050	6234
24	Thiruvallur	1548	1420	2968	2791	2450	5241	8209
25	Thiruvannamalai	606	707	1313	2430	2515	4945	6258
26	Thiruvaurur	372	311	683	1084	944	2028	2711
27	Thoothukudi	1004	1104	2108	1246	1335	2581	4689
28	Vellore	446	497	943	1316	1876	3192	4135
29	Villupuram	981	1150	2131	5454	3826	9280	11411
30	Virudhunagar	900	1141	2041	1971	2047	4018	6059
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>34887</b>	<b>31153</b>	<b>66040</b>	<b>54910</b>	<b>48216</b>	<b>103126</b>	<b>169166</b>

**Table – 35 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2005-2006**

S. No.	District	Target						
		6-11 years			11-14 years			6-14
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	1382	908	2290	744	524	1268	3558
2	Coimbatore	765	709	1474	1402	1090	2492	3966
3	Cuddalore	409	436	845	1056	1120	2176	3021
4	Dharmapuri	971	720	1691	558	406	964	2655
5	Dindigul	2654	2064	4718	1002	1094	2096	6814
6	Erode	708	534	1242	1816	1371	3187	4429
7	Kancheepuram	639	506	1145	962	980	1942	3087
8	Kanyakumari	117	48	165	386	176	562	727
9	Karur	166	175	341	422	294	716	1057
10	Krishnagiri	702	748	1450	1470	1214	2684	4134
11	Madurai	1045	1112	2157	1679	1844	3523	5680
12	Nagapattinam	280	277	557	1225	1365	2590	3147
13	Namakkal	218	252	470	1407	1850	3257	3727
14	Perambalur	784	689	1473	1148	1239	2387	3860
15	Pudukkottai	69	79	148	216	885	1101	1249
16	Ramanathapuram	142	162	304	595	610	1205	1509
17	Salem	3440	2815	6255	1946	1274	3220	9475
18	Sivagangai	342	636	978	329	382	711	1689
19	Thanjavur	919	979	1898	584	683	1267	3165
20	Theni	689	573	1262	876	791	1667	2929
21	The Nilgiris	127	85	212	170	154	324	536
22	Thiruchirappalli	542	623	1165	1120	1184	2304	3469
23	Thirunelveli	106	78	184	2589	2696	5285	5469
24	Thiruvallur	1506	1460	2966	1801	1882	3683	6649
25	Thiruvannamalai	607	707	1314	2330	2395	4725	6039
26	Thiruvarur	200	285	485	331	332	663	1148
27	Thoothukudi	978	980	1958	1121	1071	2192	4150
28	Vellore	601	425	1026	1555	1824	3379	4405
29	Villupuram	1042	1321	2363	2684	2848	5532	7895
30	Virudhunagar	367	483	850	1359	1288	2647	3497
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>22517</b>	<b>20869</b>	<b>43386</b>	<b>34883</b>	<b>34866</b>	<b>69749</b>	<b>113135</b>

*Source: Progress Report*

Of the total target of 1,69,166 Out-of-school children in all the Districts, 113135 children have been enrolled. These children consisted of 22517 boys and 20869 girls in 6-11 years age group and 34883 boys and 34866 girls in 11-14 years age group.

#### 2.9.4. Target and Achievement of out-of-school children – 2006-2007

The following Table provides the Gender-wise and age group-wise target of out-of-school children for the ensuing year 2006-2007.

**Table – 36**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2006-2007**

S. No.	District	Target						6-14
		6-11 years			11-14 years			
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	398	391	789	194	2218	2412	3201
2	Coimbatore	651	596	1247	2202	2124	4326	5573
3	Cuddalore	434	371	805	687	547	1234	2039
4	Dharmapuri	983	1029	2012	1816	1537	3353	5365
5	Dindigul	600	528	1128	1778	1872	3650	4778
6	Erode	387	291	678	1086	819	1905	2583
7	Kancheepuram	487	501	988	1728	1636	3364	4352
8	Kanyakumari	126	110	236	424	473	897	1133
9	Karur	191	174	365	360	372	732	1097
10	Krishnagiri	341	303	644	4368	3650	8018	8662
11	Madurai	855	749	1604	2555	2135	4690	6294
12	Nagapattinam	303	240	543	672	476	1148	1691
13	Namakkal	679	514	1193	2905	3283	6188	7381
14	Perambalur	287	252	539	788	662	1450	1989
15	Pudukkottai	77	70	147	453	497	950	1097
16	Ramanathapuram	253	192	445	869	1010	1879	2324
17	Salem	2431	1937	4368	1781	1399	3180	7548
18	Sivagangai	418	401	819	850	913	1763	2582
19	Thanjavur	734	658	1392	1301	1228	2529	3921
20	Theni	337	318	655	1066	949	2015	2670
21	The Nilgiris	75	65	140	533	422	955	1095
22	Thiruchirappalli	540	628	1168	1485	845	2330	3498
23	Thirunelveli	203	187	390	1562	1461	3023	3413
24	Thiruvallur	641	583	1224	1232	1162	2394	3618
25	Thiruvannamalai	720	726	1446	1276	1734	3010	4456
26	Thiruvaur	101	74	175	967	911	1878	2053
27	Thoothukudi	133	161	294	1052	1081	2133	2427
28	Vellore	86	80	166	1698	1625	3323	3489
29	Villupuram	303	317	620	1626	1625	3251	3871
30	Virudhunagar	419	437	856	1283	1298	2581	3437
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>14193</b>	<b>12883</b>	<b>27076</b>	<b>40597</b>	<b>39964</b>	<b>80561</b>	<b>107637</b>

**Table – 36 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2006-2007**

S. No.	District	Achievement						
		6-11 years			11-14 years			6-14
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	336	289	625	1551	1226	2777	3402
2	Coimbatore	547	555	1102	1116	965	2081	3183
3	Cuddalore	396	287	683	642	484	1126	1809
4	Dharmapuri	593	725	1318	1314	1202	2516	3834
5	Dindigul	584	510	1094	1758	1862	3620	4714
6	Erode	267	261	528	1187	829	2016	2544
7	Kancheepuram	487	501	988	1728	1636	3364	4352
8	Kanyakumari	125	98	223	458	283	741	964
9	Karur	176	165	341	334	300	634	975
10	Krishnagiri	297	216	513	3110	2548	5658	6171
11	Madurai	351	288	639	1607	1489	3096	3735
12	Nagapattinam	241	157	398	687	587	1274	1672
13	Namakkal	432	695	1127	1113	1197	2310	3437
14	Perambalur	191	173	364	600	452	1052	1416
15	Pudukkottai	77	70	147	350	369	719	866
16	Ramanathapuram	239	197	436	614	496	1110	1546
17	Salem	2416	1905	4321	1759	1392	3151	7472
18	Sivagangai	321	274	595	412	412	824	1419
19	Thanjavur	709	613	1322	1251	1208	2459	3781
20	Theni	471	388	859	583	499	1082	1941
21	The Nilgiris	212	191	403	233	205	438	841
22	Thiruchirappalli	143	210	353	840	635	1475	1828
23	Thirunelveli	203	187	390	1562	1461	3023	3413
24	Thiruvallur	568	493	1061	1161	1043	2204	3265
25	Thiruvannamalai	720	725	1445	1169	1575	2684	4129
26	Thiruvarur	53	49	102	276	208	484	586
27	Thoothukudi	122	158	280	905	858	1763	2043
28	Vellore	72	68	140	1225	1276	2501	2641
29	Villupuram	341	279	620	1160	2559	3719	4339
30	Virudhunagar	385	422	807	1220	1066	2286	3093
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>12075</b>	<b>11149</b>	<b>23224</b>	<b>31925</b>	<b>30322</b>	<b>62187</b>	<b>85411</b>

*Source: Progress Report*

Of the total target of 107637 out of school children for all the districts in the State, as many as 85411 children were enrolled through various interventions for them. The children enrolled comprised 23224 children in 6-11 years age group and 62187 children in 11-14 years age group. Salem enrolled the highest number of out of school children (7472) followed by Krishnagiri 6171 which were proportionate to their targets.

## 2.9.5. Target and Achievement of out-of-school children – 2007-2008

The following Table provides the Gender-wise and age group-wise target of out-of-school children for the ensuing year 2007-2008.

**Table – 37**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2007-2008**

S. No.	District	Target						
		6-11 years			11-14 years			6-14
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	883	921	1804	1514	1564	3078	4882
2	Coimbatore	1020	1027	2047	1583	1638	3221	5268
3	Cuddalore	395	419	814	438	472	910	1724
4	Dharmapuri	983	1029	2012	1596	1572	3168	5180
5	Dindigul	1068	1044	2112	1177	1189	2366	4478
6	Erode	505	521	1026	752	734	1486	2512
7	Kancheepuram	955	993	1948	1042	1029	2071	4019
8	Kanyakumari	173	157	330	237	248	485	815
9	Karur	177	201	378	223	196	419	797
10	Krishnagiri	1344	1372	2716	2785	2841	5626	8342
11	Madurai	757	912	1669	2137	2164	4301	5970
12	Nagapattinam	303	334	637	389	364	753	1390
13	Namakkal	199	162	361	3346	3378	6724	7085
14	Perambalur	421	371	792	451	444	895	1687
15	Pudukkottai	153	162	315	255	226	481	796
16	Ramanathapuram	341	356	697	643	674	1317	2014
17	Salem	1485	1527	3012	2083	2127	4210	7222
18	Sivagangai	462	451	913	674	689	1363	2276
19	Thanjavur	792	796	1588	1001	1024	2025	3613
20	Theni	166	183	349	226	219	445	794
21	The Nilgiris	423	442	865	755	743	1498	2363
22	Thiruchirappalli	766	756	1522	1106	1142	2248	3770
23	Thirunelveli	889	942	1831	960	996	1956	3787
24	Thiruvallur	470	653	1123	1076	1099	2175	3298
25	Thiruvannamalai	590	619	1209	1441	1477	2918	4127
26	Thiruvarur	397	372	769	494	488	982	1751
27	Thoothukudi	133	161	294	1052	1081	2133	2427
28	Vellore	575	576	1151	988	1028	2016	3167
29	Villupuram	396	372	768	1913	1589	3502	4270
30	Virudhunagar	419	437	856	1283	1298	2581	3437
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>17640</b>	<b>18268</b>	<b>35908</b>	<b>33620</b>	<b>33733</b>	<b>67353</b>	<b>103261</b>

**Table – 37 (Cont...)**  
**Enrolment of Out-of-school Children through AIE centres & NCLP / INDUS**  
**Target and Achievement - 2007-2008**

S. No.	District	Achievement						6-14
		6-11 years			11-14 years			
		Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
1	Chennai	840	876	1717	1441	1488	2929	4646
2	Coimbatore	1008	1015	2023	1564	1619	3183	5206
3	Cuddalore	283	300	583	314	338	651	1234
4	Dharmapuri	629	658	1287	1021	1005	2026	3313
5	Dindigul	743	726	1469	818	827	1645	3114
6	Erode	489	505	994	728	711	1439	2433
7	Kancheepuram	911	948	1859	994	982	1976	3835
8	Kanyakumari	171	155	327	235	246	480	807
9	Karur	172	196	368	217	191	408	776
10	Krishnagiri	792	808	1600	1640	1673	3313	4913
11	Madurai	476	574	1050	1344	1361	2706	3756
12	Nagapattinam	287	316	603	368	344	712	1315
13	Namakkal	124	101	224	2080	2100	4181	4405
14	Perambalur	329	290	619	352	347	699	1318
15	Pudukkottai	130	138	268	217	192	409	677
16	Ramanathapuram	239	249	488	450	472	921	1409
17	Salem	1462	1504	2966	2051	2095	4146	7112
18	Sivagangai	456	445	901	665	680	1344	2245
19	Thanjavur	550	553	1104	696	712	1407	2511
20	Theni	164	181	345	224	217	441	786
21	The Nilgiris	287	300	587	512	504	1016	1603
22	Thiruchirappalli	659	650	1308	951	982	1933	3241
23	Thirunelveli	648	687	1335	700	726	1427	2762
24	Thiruvallur	463	643	1106	1060	1082	2142	3248
25	Thiruvannamalai	542	569	1111	1324	1357	2682	3793
26	Thiruvarur	395	370	765	492	486	978	1743
27	Thoothukudi	129	156	286	1022	1050	2072	2358
28	Vellore	557	558	1116	958	997	1954	3070
29	Villupuram	367	345	712	1774	1473	3247	3959
30	Virudhunagar	334	348	682	1022	1034	2056	2738
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>14637</b>	<b>15164</b>	<b>29801</b>	<b>27235</b>	<b>27291</b>	<b>54525</b>	<b>84326</b>

*Source: Progress Report*

Of the total target of 103261 out of school children for all the districts in the State, as many as 84326 children were enrolled through various interventions for them. The children enrolled comprised 29801 children in 6-11 years age group and 54525 children in 11-14 years age group. Salem enrolled the highest number of out of school children (7112) followed by Coimbatore (5206) which were proportionate to their targets.

### **2.10. Inclusive Education**

While recording the activities under Inclusive Education in Tamil Nadu, the 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has the following words to say.

***“...The State has entrusted its IED programme to 35 NGOs and the Mission observed IED interventions in the field, including mainstreaming of CWSN and IED Centres which are supporting CWSN. The NGOs visited appear to be doing a good job and the Mission was impressed with the care and dedication of the staff of the centres...”***

***“...The State’s efforts in respect of CWSN also aim to bring a positive change in the mind-set of peer group children towards CWSN and to instill confidence among the disabled ...”***

In Tamil Nadu, Inclusive Education is being successfully implemented through 42 NGOs in all districts. The disabled children have been identified through Household Survey and Village Education Register. Medical camps are conducted in all blocks to assess the nature and severity of the disability of the children in convergence with the Department of



Rehabilitation for the disabled. Assistive devices have been supplied to the needy children. Advertisements have been given through newspapers and the details of children who required surgery have been collected.

During the current year (2007-2008), 1,18,019 disabled children have been identified and of them, 1,01,393 children have been enrolled in schools. 818 special teachers have been appointed through NGOs. 16,224 children are now under home-based care and training. 8034 Teachers, Parents and VEC members have been trained on use and maintenance of assistive devices supplied to disabled children.

407 Resource centres for the disabled children have been set up in Block Resource Centres. 107 physiotherapists have been appointed by NGOs for giving physiotherapy exercises. Special teachers give speech therapy exercises for hearing impaired children. Exercises for developing fine motor skills among the disabled are also given in these centres.

257 Day care centres are functioning in all the districts. One caretaker and one helper have been appointed by the NGOs in these day care centres to take care of the disabled children. Transport allowance is given to parents of these children to bring their children to the day care centres.

404 Inclusive child friendly Play parks have been established in all the districts during the year 2005-2006, using low-cost and no-cost materials. This is an intervention to bring about positive change in the minds of peer group children and to instil confidence among the disabled.

**Table - 38**  
**Various Interventions for CWSN - 2007-2008**

S. No	District	No. of NGOs	No. of CWSN Identified	No. of Medical camps conducted	No. of children selected and provided		Home Based	Children benefitted	
					Assistive devices	Surgery		No. of Day care centres	No. of children benefitted
1	Chennai	2	5790	10	605	12	267	10	200
2	Coimbatore	1	3609	22	425	72	487	7	140
3	Cuddalore	2	3641	14	765	77	524	14	138
4	Dharmapuri	1	2630	8	768	47	350	8	82
5	Dindigul	2	4059	16	370	38	448	16	153
6	Erode	1	2784	20	788	44	649	10	124
7	Kancheepuram	2	4100	14	344	33	499	16	140
8	Kanyakumari	1	2921	9	238	69	321	9	92
9	Karur	1	1822	8	250	17	285	4	38
10	Krishnagiri	1	6277	10	256	54	633	10	106
11	Madurai	2	3826	15	895	132	597	15	154
12	Nagapattinam	1	3103	11	241	22	425	11	105
13	Namakkal	2	2542	15	648	30	751	4	65
14	Perambalur	1	2732	10	690	62	550	10	110
15	Pudukottai	1	6863	13	2594	58	163	13	138
16	Ramanathapuram	1	2205	11	897	34	168	11	121
17	Salem	2	5849	21	498	52	687	21	231
18	Sivagangal	1	2150	12	221	11	414	12	128
19	Thanjavur	1	5426	15	156	11	853	10	115
20	The Nilgiris	1	1200	4	118	10	109	4	44
21	Theni	1	2148	8	825	15	91	8	98
22	Thiruchirappalli	2	5400	16	1548	106	763	10	63
23	Thirunelveli	3	5840	21	598	52	782	18	8
24	Thiruvallur	1	3791	33	943	7	414	14	67
25	Thiruvannamalai	1	4761	19	780	120	735	18	686
26	Thiruvarur	1	3349	10	107	59	578	5	35
27	Thoothukudi	1	3564	13	395	8	972	13	172
28	Vellore	2	4941	22	918	85	1178	22	107
29	Villupuram	2	6296	22	1053	2	914	22	116
30	Virudhunagar	1	4400	11	557	34	617	11	106
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>118019</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>19491</b>	<b>1373</b>	<b>16224</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>3882</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During the current year 2007-2008, as many as 19,491 disabled children have been supplied with Assistive devices, 1,373 surgeries have been done, 356 children have been covered under Day Care Centres, 16,224 children were covered under home based care. Exposure visits to 52,362 children has been organized in all Districts.

Under Inclusive Education, the following Training Programmes have been conducted.

1. ABL Training to the Special Educators (2 days)
2. Newly recruited BRTEs (2 days)
3. Life Skill to the CWSN - 3 days (46,714 children)
4. Vocational Training to 57,082 children
5. Two days awareness training to 15,000 VEC/ Parents

### 2.10.1. Year wise Coverage of Disabled Children

The Districtwise and yearwise coverage of disabled children through various interventions during 2002-2003 to 2007-2008 are detailed below.

**Table – 39**  
**Various Interventions for Disabled Children 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2002-2003			2003-2004			
		Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No. of Children in Homebased Care	Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No. of Children in Day Care Centre	No. of Children in Home based Care
1	Chennai	0	0	0	73	0	0	148
2	Coimbatore	100	2	239	516	4	0	629
3	Cuddalore	0	0	0	396	0	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	188	0	0	0
5	Dindigul	0	0	85	102	0	0	85
6	Erode	0	0	0	144	0	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	0	0	780	0	0	0	557
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	139	0	0	7
9	Karur	0	0	110	169	0	0	185
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	22	0	94	106	0	18	296
12	Nagapattinam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	136	0	0	579
14	Perambalur	207	0	98	310	0	0	388
15	Pudukkottai	1821	42	579	1690	115	0	245
16	Ramanathapuram	661	5	0	1422	12	0	0
17	Salem	43	0	118	156	0	0	223
18	Sivagangai	0	0	61	108	0	0	60
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	137	0	0	323
20	Theni	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	21	13	0	0	21
22	Thiruchirappalli	0	0	47	149	9	0	129
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	60	0	114	347	0	0	199
25	Thiruvannamalai	344	24	0	336	24	0	733
26	Thiruvarur	93	0	557	75	0	0	567
27	Thoothukkudi	1	0	310	30	0	144	288
28	Vellore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Villupuram	123	3	109	581	9	0	399
30	Virudhunagar	10	0	220	63	0	0	369
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>3485</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>3542</b>	<b>7386</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>6430</b>

**Table – 39 (Contd...)**  
**Various Interventions for Disabled Children 2002-03 to 2007-08**

S. No.	Districts	2004-2005				2005-2006			
		Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No of Children in Day Care Centre	No. of Children in Homebased Care	Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No of Children in Day Care Centre	No. of Children in Home based Care
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	815	0	0	259
2	Coimbatore	298	9	34	639	411	17	179	631
3	Cuddalore	316	2	0	0	324	4	52	84
4	Dharmapuri	446	0	0	120	660	0	34	147
5	Dindigul	142	0	0	54	250	0	0	65
6	Erode	562	70	0	1453	633	60	0	843
7	Kancheepuram	461	0	0	478	514	2	126	608
8	Kanyakumari	146	0	0	51	114	0	0	151
9	Karur	166	0	0	177	183	0	10	223
10	Krishnagiri	172	9	0	533	526	9	59	233
11	Madurai	397	4	0	283	941	19	134	496
12	Nagapattinam	245	0	0	0	149	0	21	392
13	Namakkal	48	15	0	560	282	15	0	924
14	Perambalur	372	0	0	339	358	54	0	58
15	Pudukkottai	1526	0	0	808	2383	33	174	80
16	Ramanathapuram	173	105	0	0	536	23	571	275
17	Salem	257	0	0	515	948	15	157	717
18	Sivagangai	182	0	0	446	625	8	0	814
19	Thanjavur	277	103	0	272	130	14	1162	560
20	Theni	107	0	0	227	620	1	30	217
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	21	192	0	0	24
22	Thiruchirappalli	266	0	0	194	580	29	46	578
23	Thirunelveli	140	0	0	725	740	0	57	914
24	Thiruvallur	631	0	0	224	1670	4	60	260
25	Thiruvannamalai	227	71	0	701	542	42	570	773
26	Thiruvarur	123	58	0	802	234	12	4	860
27	Thoothukkudi	234	0	144	551	427	0	156	899
28	Vellore	519	0	0	0	910	40	36	902
29	Villupuram	817	10	0	590	995	3	0	1053
30	Virudhunagar	590	7	0	558	966	21	61	925
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>9840</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>11321</b>	<b>18658</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>3699</b>	<b>14965</b>

**Table - 40 (Cont.....)**  
**Various Interventions for Disabled Children 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2006-2007				2007-2008			
		Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No of Children in Day Care Centre	No. of Children in Homebased Care	Aids & Appliances Supplied	No. of Surgeries Done	No of Children in Day Care Centre	No. of Children in Home based Care
1	Chennai	445	29	11	135	605	12	200	267
2	Coimbatore	337	35	156	785	425	72	140	487
3	Cuddalore	651	56	148	547	765	77	138	524
4	Dharmapuri	895	31	77	234	768	47	82	350
5	Dindigul	501	78	100	259	370	38	153	448
6	Erode	488	51	69	985	788	44	124	649
7	Kancheepuram	336	39	126	814	344	33	140	499
8	Kanyakumari	115	24	27	189	238	69	92	321
9	Karur	271	0	25	192	250	17	38	285
10	Krishnagiri	215	0	40	504	256	54	106	633
11	Madurai	580	96	128	578	895	132	154	597
12	Nagapattinam	895	31	54	392	241	22	105	425
13	Namakkal	459	51	18	882	648	30	65	751
14	Perambalur	357	38	26	904	690	62	110	550
15	Pudukkottai	2392	28	0	163	2594	58	138	163
16	Ramanathapuram	2124	128	98	452	897	34	121	168
17	Salem	412	34	301	680	498	52	231	687
18	Sivagangai	231	17	94	823	221	11	128	414
19	Thanjavur	145	0	156	699	156	11	115	853
20	Theni	712	49	55	97	825	15	98	91
21	The Nilgiris	139	2	9	70	118	10	44	109
22	Thiruchirappalli	1338	135	80	1072	1548	106	63	763
23	Thirunelveli	402	14	61	816	598	52	8	782
24	Thiruvallur	1018	28	60	428	943	7	67	414
25	Thiruvannamalai	720	0	150	773	780	120	686	735
26	Thiruvarur	102	91	8	574	107	59	35	578
27	Thoothukkudi	276	7	188	961	395	8	172	972
28	Vellore	564	267	45	1460	918	85	107	1178
29	Villupuram	1066	20	190	1004	1053	2	116	914
30	Virudhunagar	288	0	105	548	557	34	106	617
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>18474</b>	<b>1379</b>	<b>2605</b>	<b>18020</b>	<b>19491</b>	<b>1373</b>	<b>3882</b>	<b>16224</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During 2002-2003, 3,485 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 76 surgeries were done, 3,542 children were covered under home based care.

During 2003-2004, 7,386 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 173 surgeries were done, 162 children were covered under Day Care Centres, 6,430 children were covered under home based care.

During 2004-2005, 9,840 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 463 surgeries were done, 178 children were covered under Day Care Centres, 11,321 children were covered under home based care.

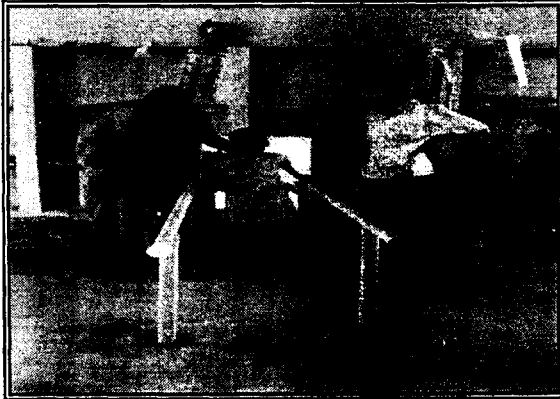
During 2005-2006, 18,658 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 425 surgeries were done, 3,699 children were covered under Day Care Centres, 14,965 children were covered under home based care.

During 2006-2007, 18,474 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 1,379 surgeries were done, 2,605 children were covered under Day Care Centres, 18,020 children were covered under home based care.

During 2007-2008, 19,491 disabled children were supplied with Aids & appliances, 1,373 surgeries were done, 3,882 children were covered under Day Care Centres, 16,224 children were covered under home based care.

## **Success Stories**

### **Day Care center**



**Archana is doing walking exercise in a Day Care Centre at Gujiliyamaparai**

### **History**

Archana aged 6 lives in Gujiliyamaparai. Her father is an agriculture labour. She is a CP-MR child. She could not walk. She does not spell any words.

### **Interventions**

The girl was admitted in the day care centre. In the beginning, she can not drink milk in a glass on her own. Some body should feed. Now she is drinking milk on her own. She is trained by physiotherapist and teacher in walking exercise also. Speech therapy is also given to her. She now spells one to twenty words. She asks her needs. With the help of walker and parallel bars she trains her to walk.



**Day care Center at Palani Rual Block in Dindigul District**

## **ABL Class for IED children**



**Name** :- Veerammal  
**Father Name** :- Thangavel  
**Age** :-12 years  
**TOD** :-CP  
**Village** :- Puliyankulam  
**Panchayth** :-Kavalapatti  
**District** :-Dindigul

### **Approach and assistance by SSA**

Initially, by utilizing the resource room facility, once in a week, physiotherapy was given. The boy was then admitted in Day care center. In the beginning, he could not stand for even five minutes. Now, he is able to walk to toilet and for minor activities. His improvement in walking developed interest for learning. Now, he is studying in the 6<sup>th</sup> standard through home based training. He can walk for 500 meter with support of one person.

### **2.11. Civil Works**

The construction of BRC buildings is undertaken by PWD. The community takes up all the other constructions - CRC buildings, two classroom buildings, three classroom buildings, additional classrooms, toilets and water supplies. The District Engineers in the DPOs do technical support to community constructions and monitoring of the quality of constructions. Construction of classrooms with child-friendly elements, disabled child-friendly provisions like ramps have been ensured in both PWD and community constructions.

Various workshops have been organized over the years for the District Engineers by the State Project Directorate, on soil condition, type of foundation to be provided, structural designs, procurement process, low cost and cost effective method of construction and good construction practices etc. Along with this, the District Engineers have been sensitized to monitor effective use of maintenance grant in the schools. An innovative



project was implemented 'BaLA' (Building as Learning Aid) during 2006-2007 and the same has been continued in 2007-2008 as well.

The VECs have also been oriented on the construction process, maintenance of quality construction, maintenance of accounts for civil work, procurement of materials and submission of utilization certificates.

The following Table gives the details of the target in civil works and its progress during the years 2001 – 2007.

**Table – 41**  
**Progress in Civil Works – 2001-2007**

S. No	Districts	BRC			CRC			Primary building		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	0	0	0	58	58	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	19	19	0	181	181	0	19	19	0
3	Cuddalore	0	0	0	160	160	0	6	6	0
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	69	69	0	9	9	0
5	Dindigul	14	14	0	106	106	0	11	11	0
6	Erode	20	20	0	102	102	0	13	13	0
7	Kancheepuram	13	13	0	162	162	0	5	5	0
8	Kanyakumari	9	9	0	43	43	0	0	0	0
9	Karur	8	8	0	67	67	0	6	6	0
10	Krishngiri	0	0	0	76	76	0	61	61	0
11	Madurai	13	13	0	104	104	0	7	7	0
12	Nagapattinam	11	11	0	90	90	0	5	5	0
13	Namakkal	15	15	0	53	53	0	6	6	0
14	Perambalur	0	0	0	97	97	0	4	4	0
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	0	93	93	0	9	9	0
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	0	102	102	0	7	7	0
17	Salem	20	20	0	77	77	0	32	32	0
18	Sivagangai	12	12	0	67	67	0	5	5	0
19	Thanjavur	14	14	0	103	103	0	3	3	0
20	The Nilgiris	4	4	0	45	45	0	4	4	0
21	Theni	8	8	0	63	63	0	7	7	0
22	Trichy	14	14	0	104	104	0	8	8	0
23	Thirunelveli	19	19	0	112	112	0	3	3	0
24	Thiruvallur	14	14	0	89	89	0	13	13	0
25	T V Malai	0	0	0	143	143	0	10	10	0
26	Thiruvarur	10	10	0	95	95	0	1	1	0
27	Thoothukkudi	12	12	0	67	67	0	7	7	0
28	Vellore	20	20	0	144	144	0	11	11	0
29	Villupuram	0	0	0	214	214	0	16	16	0
30	Virudhunagar	11	11	0	66	66	0	0	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2952</b>	<b>2952</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>0</b>

**Table -41 (Contd...)**  
**Progress in Civil Works - 2001-2007**

S. No	Districts	Upper Primary building			Two classroom building			Three classroom building		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	0	0	0	59	57	2	24	23	1
2	Coimbatore	105	105	0	96	96	0	106	106	0
3	Cuddalore	74	74	0	70	70	0	23	23	0
4	Dharmapuri	131	131	0	103	103	0	80	80	0
5	Dindigul	55	55	0	60	60	0	54	54	0
6	Erode	99	99	0	78	78	0	73	73	0
7	Kancheepuram	56	56	0	68	68	0	85	85	0
8	Kanyakumari	2	2	0	34	34	0	15	15	0
9	Karur	32	32	0	78	78	0	33	33	0
10	Krishngiri	129	129	0			0	0		0
11	Madurai	83	83	0	65	65	0	53	53	0
12	Nagapattinam	74	74	0	82	82	0	26	26	0
13	Namakkal	72	72	0	37	37	0	51	51	0
14	Perambalur	44	44	0	22	22	0	72	71	1
15	Pudukkottai	83	83	0	102	102	0	23	23	0
16	Ramanathapuram	48	48	0	45	45	0	66	66	0
17	Salem	147	147	0	60	60	0	52	52	0
18	Sivagangai	67	67	0	82	80	2	32	32	0
19	Thanjavur	43	43	0	64	64	0	115	115	0
20	The Nilgiris	8	8	0	35	35	0	37	37	0
21	Theni	13	13	0	76	76	0	29	29	0
22	Trichy	47	47	0	36	36	0	36	36	0
23	Thirunelveli	26	26	0	64	64	0	28	28	0
24	Thiruvallur	86	86	0	87	87	0	61	61	0
25	T V Malai	79	79	0	89	89	0	48	48	0
26	Thiruvarur	29	29	0	85	85	0	65	65	0
27	Thoothukkudi	13	13	0	79	79	0	17	17	0
28	Vellore	119	119	0	90	90	0	108	108	0
29	Villupuram	135	135	0	104	104	0	82	82	0
30	Virudhunagar	50	50	0	61	61	0	27	27	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>1949</b>	<b>1949</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1521</b>	<b>1519</b>	<b>2</b>

**Table - 41 (Contd...)**  
**Progress in Civil Works - 2001-2007**

S. No	Districts	Primary (bls)			Upper Primary (bls)			Addl. CR		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	202	0
2	Coimbatore	0	0	0	0	0	0	1025	1025	0
3	Cuddalore	0	0	0	0	0	0	1046	1046	0
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	0	0	0	659	659	0
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	1	1	0	516	516	0
6	Erode	0	0	0	0	0	0	605	605	0
7	Kancheepuram	0	0	0	2	2	0	1815	1815	0
8	Kanyakumari	1	1	0	0	0	0	235	235	0
9	Karur	0	0	0	0	0	0	285	285	0
10	Krishnaki	0	0	0	0	0	0	692	692	0
11	Madurai	0	0	0	0	0	0	659	659	0
12	Nagapattinam	1	1	0	0	0	0	586	586	0
13	Namakkal	5	5	0	0	0	0	591	591	0
14	Perambalur	0	0	0	0	0	0	840	840	0
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	0	0	0	0	668	668	0
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	988	988	0
17	Salem	2	2	0	0	0	0	858	858	0
18	Sivagangai	2	2	0	1	1	0	495	495	0
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	0	0	0	564	564	0
20	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	0	0	0	219	219	0
21	Theni	9	5	4	0	0	0	275	275	0
22	Trichy	1	1	0	0	0	0	396	396	0
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	590	590	0
24	Thiruvallur	0	0	0	0	0	0	738	738	0
25	T V Malai	0	0	0	0	0	0	1129	1129	0
26	Thiruvarur	28	28	0	0	0	0	667	667	0
27	Thoothukkudi	0	0	0	0	0	0	268	268	0
28	Vellore	4	4	0	0	0	0	881	881	0
29	Villupuram	1	1	0	0	0	0	2499	2499	0
30	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	430	430	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>54</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21421</b>	<b>21421</b>	<b>0</b>

**Table – 41 (Contd...)**  
**Progress in Civil Works – 2001-2007**

S. No	Districts	Toilet			WS			Ramps		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	360	354	6	260	260	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	1123	1123	0	332	332	0	198	198	0
3	Cuddalore	426	426	0	337	337	0	1200	1200	0
4	Dharmapuri	643	643	0	291	291	0	83	83	0
5	Dindigul	510	504	6	269	269	0	68	68	0
6	Erode	705	705	0	359	359	0	94	89	5
7	Kancheepuram	218	218	0	108	108	0	157	157	0
8	Kanyakumari	109	109	0	101	101	0	45	45	0
9	Karur	331	330	1	244	243	1	0	0	0
10	Krishnaki	422	422	0	118	118	0	711	711	0
11	Madurai	355	355	0	332	332	0	100	100	0
12	Nagapattinam	221	221	0	486	486	0	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	545	545	0	269	269	0	450	450	0
14	Perambalur	247	247	0	334	334	0	50	50	0
15	Pudukkottai	579	565	14	532	528	4	60	60	0
16	Ramanathapuram	305	305	0	473	473	0	60	60	0
17	Salem	280	280	0	289	289	0	277	277	0
18	Sivagangai	336	336	0	237	237	0	40	40	0
19	Thanjavur	428	428	0	409	409	0	110	110	0
20	The Nilgiris	243	243	0	159	159	0	0	0	0
21	Theni	249	227	22	152	143	9	80	66	14
22	Trichy	787	787	0	503	503	0	290	290	0
23	Thirunelveli	361	361	0	191	191	0	424	424	0
24	Thiruvallur	722	722	0	408	408	0	720	720	0
25	T V Malai	273	266	7	281	281	0	200	196	4
26	Thiruvarur	347	347	0	390	390	0	0	0	0
27	Thoothukkudi	304	304	0	268	268	0	588	588	0
28	Vellore	238	238	0	522	521	1	1120	661	459
29	Villupuram	390	390	0	310	310	0	200	200	0
30	Virudhunagar	552	552	0	450	450	0	105	105	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>12609</b>	<b>12553</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>9414</b>	<b>9399</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7430</b>	<b>6948</b>	<b>482</b>

**Table – 41 (Contd...)**  
**Progress in Civil Works – 2001-2007**

S. No	Districts	Electrification			BaLA		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	100	100	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	100	100	0	16	16	0
3	Cuddalore	140	140	0	15	15	0
4	Dharmapuri	80	80	0	15	15	0
5	Dindigul	160	160	0	11	11	0
6	Erode	200	200	0	24	24	0
7	Kancheepuram	130	130	0	9	9	0
8	Kanyakumari	75	75	0	2	2	0
9	Karur	80	80	0	5	5	0
10	Krishnakri	100	100	0	36	36	0
11	Madurai	150	150	0	18	18	0
12	Nagapattinam	110	110	0	10	10	0
13	Namakkal	150	150	0	10	10	0
14	Perambalur	100	100	0	11	11	0
15	Pudukkottai	130	130	0	6	6	0
16	Ramanathapuram	110	110	0	7	7	0
17	Salem	210	210	0	41	41	0
18	Sivagangai	120	120	0	7	7	0
19	Thanjavur	75	75	0	4	4	0
20	The Nilgiris	40	40	0	3	3	0
21	Theni	80	80	0	6	6	0
22	Trichy	160	160	0	13	13	0
23	Thirunelveli	210	210	0	8	8	0
24	Thiruvallur	140	140	0	6	6	0
25	T V Malai	180	180	0	17	17	0
26	Thiruvarur	100	100	0	3	3	0
27	Thoothukkudi	130	130	0	6	6	0
28	Vellore	220	220	0	22	22	0
29	Villupuram	220	220	0	14	14	0
30	Virudhunagar	110	110	0	15	15	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>3910</b>	<b>3910</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>0</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

All the 280 BRC buildings have been completed. Similarly, all the 2952 CRC buildings have been completed. The target constructions of 288 primary buildings and 1949 upper primary buildings have been completed. The construction of 2007 two-classroom buildings has been completed as against the 2011 approved and the remaining works are in progress. Of the 1521 three-classroom buildings approved, 1,519 have been completed and the remaining works are in progress.

As many as 21,421 Additional classrooms approved have been completed. Among 12609 toilets approved, 12553 works have been completed and the remaining works are in progress. Provisions of water supply have been approved for 9414 schools. Of these, 9399 works have been completed and the remaining works are in progress. Of the target of 7430 ramps approved, 6948 works have been completed. Electrification works for 3,910 schools have been completed and the BaLa project has been implemented in 360 schools, with target having been achieved in both the cases.

### 2.11.1. Current year Civil Works - 2007-2008

The following Table gives the details of the target in civil works for the year 2007-2008 and its progress.

**Table - 42**  
**Progress in Civil Works - 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	Primary building			Upper Primary building		
		Target	Completed	Progress	Target	Completed	Progress
1	Chennai	0		0	0		0
2	Coimbatore	26		4	15		4
3	Cuddalore	8		8	24		11
4	Dharmapuri	40		26	50		24
5	Dindigul	1		0	18		9
6	Erode	0		0	11		10
7	Kancheepuram	16		16	18		18
8	Kanyakumari	4		0	1		0
9	Karur	2		0	5		0
10	Krishnagiri	13		7	15		9
11	Madurai	3		3	10		7
12	Nagapattinam	5		5	6		6
13	Namakkal	3		3	8		8
14	Perambalur	1		0	10		10
15	Pudukkottai	0		0	9		5
16	Ramanathapuram	6		6	7		7
17	Salem	25		25	25		25
18	Sivagangai	1		1	7		5
19	Thanjavur	0		0	4		2
20	Theni	10		4	3		1
21	The Nilgiris	0		0	0		0
22	Thiruchirappalli	4		4	3		3
23	Thirunelveli	2		2	6		4
24	Thiruvallur	2		2	20		20
25	T V Malai	10		6	8		5
26	Thiruvarur	1		0	10		0
27	Thoothukkudi	1		1	4		4
28	Vellore	11		9	7		5
29	Villupuram	4		2	8		4
30	Virudhunagar	11		11	26		20
	<b>Total</b>	<b>210</b>		<b>145</b>	<b>338</b>		<b>226</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

In the current year (2007-2008), of the 210 primary school buildings approved, 145 works are in progress. Similarly, of the 338 upper primary school buildings approved, 226 works are in progress. In the remaining cases, the issues relating to site identification and change of location are being sorted out.

## **2.12. Grants**

### **2.12.1. School Grant**

With a view to provide basic infrastructure facilities apart from civil works grant, School Grant is allotted, to purchase Tables, Chairs, almirahs, water drums, school registers, Information Board, Tray for ABL cards and SLM, mats etc.

### **2.12.2. Maintenance Grant**

Every year SSA provides maintenance grant for all Government schools upto coverage of classes 1 to 8. The work has been executed through VEC after getting the resolution passed by the VEC. The works carried out are repairing the floor, plastering of walls, roof, ceiling door and windows, electrical works, white washing and colour washing, painting for doors and windows, earth filling in low level area in school campus and fencing works etc., These activities are very useful to attract to children to school and retain them in school.

### **2.12.3. Teaching Learning Equipment Grant (TLE)**

The TLE grant of Rs.10,000 to new primary schools and Rs.50,000 to newly upgraded middle schools and not covered under operation BlackBoard scheme have been distributed as one-time grant in all the Districts. District Education Committee and District Resource Group approve the Teaching Learning Equipment articles to be purchased. Village Education Committees are empowered to purchase the equipment as prescribed.

### 2.12.4. Teacher Grant (TLM)

Teaching Learning Materials (TLM) play a vital role in improving the teaching learning process in classrooms situations. The content-based teaching learning materials are prepared and used by the teachers in the classroom. The teachers who are working in Government and Aided Schools receive this grant annually in the month of July and they have been using it to prepare appropriate lessons and specific teaching learning materials with locally available low cost or no cost materials.

The District-wise and the year-wise distribution of various grants are detailed in the Table given here.

**Table – 43**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2002-2003							
		No. of Schools						No. of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	161	223	156	224	0	7	2669	4043
2	Coimbatore	1323	414	1213	431	31	41	5317	3992
3	Cuddalore	1190	424	988	285	7	21	4526	2468
4	Dharmapuri	917	190	867	210	44	31	2825	853
5	Dindigul	1023	196	1024	200	12	3	4186	2123
6	Erode	1397	177	1368	316	32	11	4045	2528
7	Kancheepuram	893	394	918	361	12	21	3608	3674
8	Kanyakumari	322	234	300	210	2	2	2640	1966
9	Karur	665	171	625	150	16	7	2495	851
10	Krishnagiri	1149	213	1045	221	45	42	3170	1030
11	Madurai	879	277	916	255	9	13	4366	2986
12	Nagapattinam	611	202	609	204	4	12	2947	2058
13	Namakkal	751	180	756	177	5	20	1935	1301
14	Perambalur	729	266	617	213	7	21	2165	1437
15	Pudukkottai	0	279	0	0	117	72	12	2179
16	Ramanathapuram	DPEP	183	795	204	17	5		1184
17	Salem	1154	197	1149	176	36	12	5207	2203
18	Sivagangai	986	235	0	0	7	0	3440	2421
19	Thanjavur	938	339	1075	151	0	0	3513	3229
20	Theni	319	133	281	105	4	3	1841	1648
21	The Nilgiris	362	171	237	140	4	4	1274	1112
22	Trichy	882	308	857	292	10	11	4567	2707
23	Thirunelveli	693	112	580	138	0	0	5014	4398
24	Thiruvallur	1039	333	994	331	3	17	3398	3594
25	TV Malai	1205	383	1275	415	2	0	3281	1922
26	Thiruvarur	764	276	712	206	0	3	3057	2168
27	Thoothukkudi	518	103	297	85	7	1	2095	1370
28	Vellore	1567	263	1567	263	10	9	6751	5393
29	Villupuram	0	519	1559	575	10	86	0	4514
30	Virudhunagar	659	217	659	217	4	4	4089	1874
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>23096</b>	<b>7612</b>	<b>23439</b>	<b>6755</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>94433</b>	<b>73226</b>



**Table – 44 (Contd...)**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2003-2004							
		No.of Schools						No.of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	276	441	148	227	0	28	2996	3723
2	Coimbatore	1454	512	1223	510	18	9	4954	4092
3	Cuddalore	1175	444	974	329	5	19	4277	2344
4	Dharmapuri	958	221	701	226	20	34	2945	997
5	Dindigul	1008	217	999	213	2	0	3497	2215
6	Erode	1549	203	1358	318	10	10	3969	2509
7	Kancheepuram	932	363	893	245	10	25	3634	3344
8	Kanyakumari	432	371	301	210	0	1	2620	2202
9	Karur	659	270	619	242	8	5	1989	1292
10	Krishnagiri	1155	299	1119	276	47	22	3127	1078
11	Madurai	940	283	839	269	20	10	4024	2927
12	Nagapattinam	733	265	574	208	10	25	2900	2058
13	Namakkal	749	184	745	184	18	23	1720	1331
14	Perambalur	795	276	626	207	8	42	2190	1511
15	Pudukkottai	1338	178	0	0	8	20	52	2085
16	Ramanathapuram	189	248	793	201	11	14	756	992
17	Salem	1320	362	1256	286	16	5	4280	2607
18	Sivagangai	969	267	800	222	11	10	2546	1742
19	Thanjavur	1119	453	900	29	48	38	4610	1673
20	Theni	404	235	288	126	10	0	1837	1631
21	The Nilgiris	344	194	232	137	9	15	1277	953
22	Trichy	1026	489	829	299	4	17	4409	2848
23	Thirunelveli	1231	475	176	173	2	6	4586	4127
24	Thiruvallur	1078	353	988	351	14	20	3256	2613
25	TV Malai	1480	455	1349	440	19	48	3787	2350
26	Thiruvaur	715	273	679	186	83	50	2361	2263
27	Thoothukkudi	838	239	446	119	10	5	2684	1641
28	Vellore	1568	518	1568	518	8	11	6083	5017
29	Villupuram	1680	583	1423	505	14	24	5020	4034
30	Virudhunagar	1008	359	659	217	2	0	3945	1808
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>29122</b>	<b>10030</b>	<b>23505</b>	<b>7473</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>536</b>	<b>96331</b>	<b>70007</b>

**Table – 44 (Contd...)**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2004-2005							
		No.of Schools						No.of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	293	603	154	290	0	89	2772	3889
2	Coimbatore	1776	1158	1597	463	0	68	4683	4457
3	Cuddalore	1118	477	1396	367	0	42	4413	2422
4	Dharmapuri	951	404	880	333	0	69	2768	983
5	Dindigul	1397	352	1005	272	0	30	3271	6735
6	Erode	1486	583	1319	565	0	28	3757	2491
7	Kancheepuram	1324	501	891	407	0	37	4952	2116
8	Kanyakumari	482	408	340	251	0	0	2455	2146
9	Karur	643	290	604	260	0	11	1989	1292
10	Krishnagiri	1259	362	1229	341	2	66	3090	1151
11	Madurai	988	414	834	307	3	53	3787	3031
12	Nagapattinam	1022	328	739	217	0	24	2743	2315
13	Namakkal	863	222	795	240	23	143	2313	1624
14	Perambalur	839	276	731	227	0	64	2264	1584
15	Pudukkottai	1382	398	1285	335	0	53	2763	2286
16	Ramanathapuram	1139	276	909	210	1	106	2595	1745
17	Salem	1488	374	1394	323	84	4	4358	2705
18	Sivagangai	1113	287	880	248	0	52	2686	1624
19	Thanjavur	1365	460	919	541	10	12	3328	3206
20	Theni	451	267	302	129	15	14	1874	2019
21	The Nilgiris	384	185	275	168	50	5	1257	934
22	Trichy	1124	508	890	320	1	17	453	2833
23	Thirunelveli	1460	368	633	439	0	10	3088	2070
24	Thiruvaiur	1334	408	916	422	0	72	3767	2961
25	TV Malai	1633	460	1577	467	6	3	4384	2605
26	Thiruvarur	886	283	788	218	9	7	2809	3129
27	Thoothukkudi	982	364	426	119	0	4	2971	2713
28	Vellore	1983	604	1433	520	0	62	5271	4287
29	Villupuram	2011	581	1656	561	7	92	6139	2926
30	Virudhunagar	1205	376	792	210	0	10	4033	1797
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>34381</b>	<b>12577</b>	<b>27589</b>	<b>9770</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>1247</b>	<b>97033</b>	<b>76076</b>

**Table – 44 (Contd...)**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2005-2006							
		No. of Schools						No. of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	539	478	306	236	0	0	2638	5422
2	Coimbatore	1814	677	1814	677	10	30	5576	5952
3	Cuddalore	1094	5220	911	392	2	21	4668	2522
4	Dharmapuri	951	404	880	333	0	69	2768	983
5	Dindigul	1403	374	1135	269	5	20	3853	3523
6	Erode	1707	416	1506	411	0	50	4109	2894
7	Kancheepuram	1321	485	1150	429	3	13	3814	3601
8	Kanyakumari	479	395	356	225	0	0	2328	2418
9	Karur	625	322	586	301	3	20	1760	1365
10	Krishnagiri	1336	387	1320	374	38	50	3641	1175
11	Madurai	955	531	818	369	1	18	3863	3736
12	Nagapattinam	904	349	584	247	4	41	2503	2416
13	Namakkal	923	285	842	242	2	25	2558	2310
14	Perambalur	843	308	738	257	3	20	2186	1919
15	Pudukkottai	1400	457	1314	403	9	42	2937	2998
16	Ramanathapuram	1163	317	778	399	3	15	3021	2486
17	Salem	1496	457	1400	403	19	56	4920	4567
18	Sivagangai	1133	356	954	247	3	10	2527	2816
19	Thanjavur	1379	507	1138	371	15	27	3780	4336
20	Theni	670	271	408	163	1	2	2215	2631
21	The Nilgiris	427	194	291	191	4	12	1267	1238
22	Trichy	1143	541	902	346	4	31	4566	3013
23	Thirunelveli	1421	603	704	115	0	10	4818	4248
24	Thiruvallur	1052	497	919	437	10	39	3228	4228
25	TV Malai	1735	539	1599	493	32	32	3991	3630
26	Thiruvarur	890	0	791	337	0	20	2341	2295
27	Thoothukkudi	1086	391	496	154	9	13	3346	2632
28	Vellore	1924	838	1453	561	2	42	6403	6271
29	Villupuram	2015	709	1725	603	11	62	5025	5651
30	Virudhunagar	1205	376	792	224	0	25	4165	1864
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>35033</b>	<b>17684</b>	<b>28610</b>	<b>10209</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>815</b>	<b>104815</b>	<b>95140</b>

**Table - 44 (Contd...)**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2006-2007							
		No.of Schools						No.of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	467	425	275	218	0	0	1838	4949
2	Coimbatore	1792	692	1639	591	9	7	5180	5428
3	Cuddalore	1409	491	1170	380	2	13	3397	4134
4	Dharmapuri	1110	359	1089	348	3	12	2592	2188
5	Dindigul	1393	395	1135	269	6	5	3590	3495
6	Erode	1709	464	1582	413	3	21	3741	3291
7	Kancheepuram	1321	548	1140	448	3	7	3507	4534
8	Kanyakumari	555	407	395	230	0	2	1996	2433
9	Karur	746	210	699	188	3	2	1760	1176
10	Krishnagiri	1271	507	1253	493	23	13	3805	2065
11	Madurai	1240	504	1009	347	5	13	3350	4972
12	Nagapattinam	1027	389	745	295	1	9	2518	3143
13	Namakkal	878	337	808	279	4	6	2188	2379
14	Perambalur	846	329	739	277	1	10	2187	2301
15	Pudukkottai	1413	491	1323	437	0	6	2605	2960
16	Ramanathapuram	1157	352	948	254	4	3	2776	2245
17	Salem	1447	546	1371	449	18	23	4304	4454
18	Sivagangai	1125	282	952	207	2	5	2345	2495
19	Thanjavur	1370	500	1136	391	2	2	3500	3775
20	Theni	605	274	403	165	6	0	2650	1388
21	The Nilgiris	457	206	349	160	0	3	1110	1106
22	Trichy	1332	541	1040	355	4	9	5053	3469
23	Thirunelveli	1811	590	753	235	2	5	4890	4403
24	Thiruvallur	1352	498	1194	437	3	3	3163	3596
25	TV Malai	1750	579	1607	529	5	12	3929	4064
26	Thiruvarur	886	310	783	256	1	2	2090	2350
27	Thoothukkudi	1345	455	616	159	2	4	3420	2836
28	Vellore	2109	756	1852	638	9	13	6733	6170
29	Villupuram	2021	768	1733	659	5	9	6508	5389
30	Virudhunagar	1210	367	795	217	0	15	4325	2962
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>37154</b>	<b>13572</b>	<b>30533</b>	<b>10324</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>101050</b>	<b>100150</b>

**Table - 44 (Contd...)**  
**Grants - School grant, Maintenance grant, TLE and TLM grants**

S. No.	District	2007-2008							
		No. of Schools						No. of Teachers	
		School Grant		Maintenance Grant		TLE		TLM	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	473	461	270	212	0	0	4574	2213
2	Coimbatore	1837	725	1659	606	26	15	4796	6759
3	Cuddalore	1405	524	1165	404	8	24	4482	2542
4	Dharmapuri	1129	401	1113	391	40	50	2587	4140
5	Dindigul	1406	400	1145	275	1	18	3614	4234
6	Erode	1705	484	1579	430	0	11	3734	3711
7	Kancheepuram	1334	559	1150	442	16	18	3728	4524
8	Kanyakumari	556	410	398	231	4	1	1903	2815
9	Karur	753	214	702	191	2	5	1745	1380
10	Krishnagiri	1331	442	1314	426	13	15	2828	2483
11	Madurai	1244	518	1013	360	3	10	3174	4886
12	Nagapattinam	1025	422	743	309	5	6	2504	4250
13	Namakkal	915	308	840	274	3	8	2255	4426
14	Perambalur	846	341	742	292	1	10	2254	2454
15	Pudukkottai	1414	501	1325	447	0	9	2757	3736
16	Ramanathapuram	1161	346	951	254	6	7	2711	3142
17	Salem	1528	536	1424	469	25	25	4830	4573
18	Sivagangai	1123	375	953	260	1	7	2262	2648
19	Thanjavur	1380	518	1138	392	0	4	3461	6376
20	Theni	612	274	409	165	10	3	1888	2587
21	The Nilgiris	455	209	349	164	0	0	1125	1189
22	Trichy	1333	544	1057	360	4	3	3447	4752
23	Thirunelvell	1877	671	748	236	2	6	4869	6107
24	Thiruvallur	1345	493	1207	446	2	20	3243	4027
25	TV Malai	1757	593	1612	542	10	8	3982	4076
26	Thiruvarur	885	313	793	262	1	10	1997	3678
27	Thoothukkudi	1359	466	618	162	1	4	3102	3573
28	Vellore	2122	773	1860	654	11	7	5691	6013
29	Villupuram	2024	775	1738	668	4	8	6416	3455
30	Virudhunagar	1170	419	772	263	11	26	3276	3675
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>37504</b>	<b>14015</b>	<b>30787</b>	<b>10587</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>99235</b>	<b>114424</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During 2002-2003, 23,096 Primary schools and 7612 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 23439 primary schools and 6755 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 457 newly opened primary schools and 479 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 94433 primary school teachers and 73226 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

During 2003-2004, 29,122 Primary schools and 10030 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 23505 primary schools and 7473 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 445 newly opened primary schools and 536 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 96331 primary school teachers and 70007 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

During 2004-2005, 34381 Primary schools and 12577 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 27589 primary schools and 9770 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 211 newly opened primary schools and 1247 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 97033 primary school teachers and 76076 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

During 2005-2006, 35033 Primary schools and 17684 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 28610 primary schools and 10209 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 193 newly opened primary schools and 815 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 104815 primary school teachers and 95140 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

During 2006-2007, 37154 Primary schools and 13572 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 30533 primary schools and 10324 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 126 newly opened primary schools and 234 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 101050 primary school teachers and 100150 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

During 2007-2008, 37,504 Primary schools and 14,015 upper primary schools were covered under school grant. Maintenance grant was provided to 30787 primary schools and 10587 upper primary schools. TLE was provided to 210 newly opened primary schools and 338 newly upgraded upper primary schools. As many as 99,235 primary school teachers and 1,14,424 upper primary school teachers were provided with TLM.

### **2.13. Research, Evaluation and Monitoring**

As SSA emphasizes quality education, it is necessary to periodically monitor and evaluate all aspects of pedagogical inputs like Curriculum and textbook development, teacher training packages and classroom processes, amongst others.

Enhancing teacher effectiveness through Action Research is of great importance in bringing about qualitative improvement in teaching learning process. The findings of the District-specific studies help the administrators to make informed decision on matters related to quality, equity and relevance of education. EREM is multi-disciplinary and therefore learned professors from Universities and research institutions have been entrusted with studies in every component of SSA.

The State Research Council, District Research Councils and Block Research Councils have been formed with committed Professors, senior officials and teachers to foster research skills among teachers and other functionaries of the project and to identify talented teachers and supervisory personnel so as to encourage them in research and evaluation. The State Advisory Committee has been formed consisting of eminent Professors in the area of education.

The Functions of State Research advisory committee are

- 1) Planning the research agenda based on District-specific issues.
- 2) Adopting a strategy for deciding the priority areas of research.
- 3) Scrutinizing and approving research proposals.
- 4) Monitoring the progress of the approved studies

**Table - 45**  
**Research, Evaluation and Monitoring**

S. No.	Districts	2002-03						2003-04					
		No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed			No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed		
		Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	Cuddalore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Erode	0	0	0	0	0	0	95	0	0	95	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Karur	24	8	16	24	8	16	40	32	8	40	32	8
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Nagapattinam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Perambalur	0	1	0	0	1	0	20	0	0	20	0	0
15	Pudukkottai	13	2	0	13	2	0	13	4	0	13	4	0
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Salem	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Theni	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	35	0	0
26	Thiruvarur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Thoothukkudi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	Vellore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Villupuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>8</b>



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**Research, Evaluation and Monitoring**

S. No.	Districts	2004-05						2005-06					
		No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed			No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed		
		Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & impact studies	Other studies
1	Chennai	500	0	0	500	0	0	100	0	0	100	0	0
2	Coimbatore	0	0	0	0	0	0	1841	0	0	1841	0	0
3	Cuddalore	399	0	0	399	0	0	140	0	0	10	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	32	0	0	32	0	0	32	0	0	32	0	0
5	Dindigul	1565	0	0	1565	0	0	1565	0	0	1565	0	0
6	Erode	697	0	0	697	0	0	200	0	0	200	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	50	13	0	50	13	0	130	13	0	130	13	0
8	Kanyakumari	265	0	0	265	0	0	90	0	0	90	0	0
9	Karur	260	32	0	260	32	0	80	24	8	80	24	8
10	Krishnagiri	350	0	0	350	0	0	100	0	0	100	0	0
11	Madurai	450	0	0	450	0	0	10	1	0	10	1	0
12	Nagapattinam	320	0	0	0	0	0	320	110	0	110	0	0
13	Namakkal	266	0	0	266	0	0	150	0	0	150	0	0
14	Perambalur	185	0	0	185	0	0	100	0	0	100	0	0
15	Pudukkottai	26	3	0	26	3	0	142	6	0	142	6	0
16	Ramanathapuram	850	11	0	850	11	0	110	11	0	110	11	0
17	Salem	5	1	1	5	1	1	210	1	1	210	1	1
18	Sivagangai	120	1	0	120	0	0	120	1	0	120	0	0
19	Thanjavur	564	0	0	564	0	0	150	15	15	150	15	15
20	Theni	162	10	0	110	10	0	80	0	0	80	0	0
21	The Nilgiris	40	0	1	40	0	1	40	0	1	40	0	1
22	Thiruchirappalli	560	0	0	560	0	0	160	0	16	160	0	16
23	Thirunelveli	380	0	0	160	0	0	210	0	0	210	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	703	0	0	703	0	0	140	0	0	140	0	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	565	0	0	565	0	0	590	1	0	590	1	0
26	Thiruvarur	290	0	0	290	0	0	100	0	0	100	0	0
27	Thoothukkudi	430	0	0	430	0	0	130	0	0	130	0	0
28	Vellore	44	0	0	44	0	0	220	0	0	220	0	0
29	Villupuram	110	0	0	110	0	0	220	0	0	220	0	0
30	Virudhunagar	365	0	0	365	0	0	110	0	0	110	0	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>10553</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9961</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7590</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>7250</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>41</b>

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**Research, Evaluation and Monitoring**

S. No.	Districts	2006-07						2007-08					
		No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed			No. of studies planned			No. of studies completed		
		Action Research	Evaluation & Impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & Impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & Impact studies	Other studies	Action Research	Evaluation & Impact studies	Other studies
1	Chennai	100	1	1	100	1	0	55	3	0	55	3	0
2	Coimbatore	220	1	1	220	1	1	281	17	0	281	17	0
3	Cuddalore	140	1	1	140	1		196	12	0	196	12	0
4	Dharmapuri	80	1	1	80	1		187	11	0	187	11	0
5	Dindigul	160	1	1	160	1	1	186	11	0	186	11	0
6	Erode	200	1	1	200	1	1	259	16	0	259	16	0
7	Kancheepuram	130	1	1	130	1		198	12	0	198	12	0
8	Kanyakumari	90	1	1	90	1	1	78	5	0	78	5	0
9	Karur	80	1	1	80	1	1	117	7	0	117	7	0
10	Krishnagiri	100	1	1	100	1	0	221	13	0	221	13	0
11	Madurai	150	1	1	150	1	1	171	10	0	171	10	0
12	Nagapattinam	110	1	1	110	1	0	127	8	0	127	8	0
13	Namakkal	150	1	1	150	1	0	143	9	0	143	9	0
14	Perambalur	100	1	1	100	1	0	131	8	0	131	8	0
15	Pudukkottai	130	1	1	130	1	1	222	13	0	222	13	0
16	Ramanathapuram	110	1	1	110	1	1	155	9	0	155	9	0
17	Salem	210	1	1	210	1	0	243	15	0	243	15	0
18	Sivagangai	120	1	1	120	1	1	157	9	0	157	9	0
19	Thanjavur	150	1	1	150	1	1	195	12	0	195	12	0
20	Theni	80	1	1	80	1	1	74	4	0	74	4	0
21	The Nilgiris	40	1	1	40	1	1	64	4	0	64	4	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	180	1	1	180	1	1	160	10	0	160	10	0
23	Thirunelveli	100	1	1	100	1	1	131	8	0	131	8	0
24	Thiruvallur	140	1	1	140	1	0	206	12	0	206	12	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	160	1	1	160	1	0	274	16	0	274	16	0
26	Thiruvarur	210	1	1	210	1	0	135	8	0	135	8	0
27	Thoothukkudi	130	1	1	130	1	1	101	6	0	101	6	0
28	Vellore	220	1	1	220	1		318	19	0	318	19	0
29	Villupuram	220	1	1	220	1	0	296	18	0	296	18	0
30	Virudhunagar	110	1	1	110	1	1	133	8	0	133	8	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>4120</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>4120</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5214</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5214</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>0</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During 2002-2003, all the 37 action research studies planned were completed. 11 evaluation studies and 16 other studies were also completed. During 2003-2004, all the 219 action research studies planned were completed. 36 evaluation studies and 8 other studies were also completed. During 2004-2005, of the 10,553 action research studies planned, 9,961 studies were completed. Of 71 evaluation studies, 70 studies were completed and 2 other studies were also completed.

During 2005-2006, of the 7,590 action research studies planned, 7,250 were completed. Of 183 evaluation studies, 72 were completed and 41 other studies were also completed. During 2006-2007, of the 4,120 action research studies planned, all were completed. All the 30 evaluation studies planned were completed. Of the 30 other impact studies, 16 were completed.

During 2007-2008, of the 5,214 action research studies planned, all studies have been completed. All the 313 evaluation studies planned have been completed. Moreover, the following studies have also been completed by the State in the current year.

- Cohort studies
- Teacher absenteeism
- Student attendance
- Community study
- Organisational behaviour
- Classroom process and academic achievement

The following two studies are in the pipeline.

- Effectiveness of training programmes and
- Education volunteers

#### **2.13.1. Project 'SCHOOLGIS' (School Mapping using GIS & GPS)**

The main aim of the project 'SCHOOLGIS' is to provide Better School Education Management through Spatial Decision Support System (SDSS) in Geographic Information System (GIS) environment using GPS (Global Positioning System) as main spatial data source and DISE (District Information System for Education) as main non-spatial data source.

The digital format of the output will help in planning for school access in the unserved habitations and for school upgradation – primary to upper primary, and upper primary to high school. CR, RR and DR calculated through Cohort study can also be used to identify the low performing schools. Combining the position of schools and habitations with the non-spatial data obtained through DISE and Household Survey will undoubtedly improve the quality of school mapping, planning and management. The study is conducted by Madurai Kamaraj University and Bharatidasan University as a collaborative research study. The GPS survey has been completed in 24 districts.

### **2.13.2. Supervision and Monitoring**

Sustained and intensive monitoring of the implementation of the programme at all levels has been ensured. Project Monitoring is taken up regularly at the State, District and Sub-district levels. VEC meetings are convened twice a month to assess the progress of school programmes. **AEEOs, CRC, BRC and DPO staff** visit schools frequently and record their observations in a visit format to initiate follow-up measures. District Collectors conduct review meetings once or twice a month and guide the project staff in effective implementation of project activities.

### **Other monitoring exercises**

- Monthly review meetings for District Programme Co-ordinators and Assistant Programme Officers at State-level.
- Regional review meetings for 5-7 districts
- Zonal review by Hon'ble Education minister
- Component-wise review for District Co-ordinators, CEOs, DEEOs at district and State levels
- District visits by Officials from SPO
- External agencies are also involved in monitoring

### **2.14. Innovative Activities**

The activities under sub-components of Innovation – Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE), Girls' Education, Education for SC/ST, and Computer Education – have been undertaken in all the districts with real innovative spirit and with specific coverage of children.

#### **2.14.1. Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE)**

Under ECCE, pre-school children are prepared for regular schooling and sociability. The activities carried out during 2006 – 2007 were *supply of play materials, child friendly environment materials and self learning maths kits to the centres, joint training to VEC members and Anganwadi workers in centres. During 2007 – 2008, Number Kit materials and play way education books have been supplied in addition to training given to the Anganwadi workers. Kits and books have been supplied to 100 upgraded centres and 48 Non upgraded centres. In distribution of kits and books priority has been accorded to the centres having greater strength and centres for which materials have not been provided so far.*

##### **2.14.1.1. Training to anganwadi workers**

As an initiative towards quality improvement, a training has been organized for the Anganwadi workers to enable them to know the value of pre-primary education and to know the early child care and its significance in SSA context. To reinforce the ABL (a new methodology) training which was given during 2006-07, training was given in the methodology using CDs for the Anganwadi workers to develop the basic skills of the children. Around 48,000 Anganwadi workers have been trained.

### 2.14.1.2. ECCE Centres and Enrolment – 2002-2003 to 2007-2008

The following Table provides information on district-wise and year-wise enrolment in different centres under ECCE.

**Table – 46**  
**ECCE Centres and Enrolment – 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2002-2003				2003-2004			
		No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled	No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled
1	Chennai	1017	0	102	26281	789	0	330	28157
2	Coimbatore	1299	0	0	12455	1340	0	400	137846
3	Cuddalore	1313	0	234	72709	1263	0	200	49818
4	Dharmapuri	619	0	0	21236	619	108	200	23282
5	Dindigui	1887	0	0	20168	1887	0	0	20222
6	Erode	964	0	0	55381	2238	0	450	22661
7	Kancheepuram	1613	0	0	69188	1263	0	350	69188
8	Kanyakumari	464	0	670	23338	464	0	670	24562
9	Karur	402	0	50	11199	614	212	250	12258
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	965	0	100	27652	1115	0	340	25047
12	Nagapattinam	480	0	123	12482	603	0	110	17997
13	Namakkal	668	0	0	27881	668	0	100	27881
14	Perambalur	535	0	0	19670	535	0	300	16334
15	Pudukkottai	1263	0	115	7398	1312	0	200	6553
16	Ramanathapuram	634	0	0	18098	618	0	100	18003
17	Salem	1456	0	0	35173	1456	0	0	36417
18	Sivagangai	649	0	0	15057	649	0	100	15474
19	Thanjavur	1013	0	0	3977	1013	36	400	10000
20	Theni	864	0	100	25579	263	0	700	13993
21	The Nilgiris	334	0	0	8621	334	0	0	9021
22	Thiruchirappalli	966	0	199	27334	966	0	199	27533
23	Thirunelveli	2014	0	0	65193	2014	0	210	65193
24	Thiruvallur	1503	0	0	42419	1649	225	325	58802
25	Thiruvannamalai	1600	0	0	41886	1274	26	300	48851
26	Thiruvarur	380	0	0	14670	580	0	100	14815
27	Thoothukudi	600	0	507	27247	625	0	600	27623
28	Vellore	2572	0	125	69466	2477	73	270	69269
29	Villupuram	1739	0	0	66198	1739	0	350	82484
30	Virudhunagar	1201	0	0	41076	1201	0	300	43902
	<b>Total</b>	<b>31014</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2325</b>	<b>909032</b>	<b>31568</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>7854</b>	<b>1023186</b>

**Table – 46 (Cont...)**  
**ECCE Centres and Enrolment – 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2004-2005				2005-2006			
		No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled	No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled
1	Chennai	719	0	408	27027	57		730	2241
2	Coimbatore	1424	0	330	151235	1702	46	730	44245
3	Cuddalore	1612	0	730	784811	1015		730	41876
4	Dharmapuri	727	232	365	31898	959		365	14511
5	Dindigul	1157	0	730	21145	1157		730	21115
6	Erode	0	0	305	17612	2344		755	38035
7	Kancheepuram	1198	0	730	46045	1190		730	48000
8	Kanyakumari	464	0	670	23772	464		670	23501
9	Karur	614	0	364	15535	614		640	15772
10	Krishnagiri	1077	0	185	12034	1077		365	9623
11	Madurai	1265	79	336	30413	1565		755	41267
12	Nagapattinam	862	0	690	10350	172		690	26905
13	Namakkal	1218	0	670	25557	548		670	28807
14	Perambalur	251	0	670	18425	251		670	25154
15	Pudukkottai	1459	0	700	20820	1459		700	20820
16	Ramanathapuram	916	0	390	25174	916		640	16784
17	Salem	1458	0	730	58106	1456	19	730	58621
18	Sivagangai	649	255	200	19405	904		670	19607
19	Thanjavur	1049	0	330	8250	1049		730	18250
20	Theni	263	0	700	23334	263		700	23878
21	The Nilgiris	368	0	0	13732	389		335	9135
22	Thiruchirappalli	983	17	566	28045	1064	15	730	33994
23	Thirunelveli	2307	0	730	75529	2307		730	75529
24	Thiruvallur	1040	0	710	45410	1040		710	44809
25	Thiruvannamalai	930	0	670	59485	930		670	45874
26	Thiruvarur	853	0	640	19868	213		640	20407
27	Thoothukudi	640	0	616	29781	640		670	30856
28	Vellore	2131	79	493	69930	1830		715	72423
29	Villupuram	2680	865	330	106241	2680		730	84448
30	Virudhunagar	1201	132	670	51155	1201		670	36992
	<b>Total</b>	<b>31513</b>	<b>1659</b>	<b>15658</b>	<b>1870124</b>	<b>31456</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>20000</b>	<b>993479</b>

**Table - 46 (Cont...)**  
**ECCE Centres and Enrolment - 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2006-2007				2007-2008			
		No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled	No. of Existing Centres	New centres	Upgraded centres	No. of Children Enrolled
1	Chennai	416	0	730	28758	1146	0	730	29211
2	Coimbatore	1408	46	730	44245	2184	0	730	34446
3	Cuddalore	1015	0	730	41876	1745	0	730	52091
4	Dharmapuri	615	0	365	15722	980	0	730	15722
5	Dindigul	1157	0	730	42342	1887	0	730	46046
6	Erode	1647	0	755	36651	2402	0	730	36651
7	Kancheepuram	1366	0	730	48082	2096	0	730	50876
8	Kanyakumari	464	0	670	17254	1134	0	730	18090
9	Karur	102	0	640	17056	716	0	730	17656
10	Krishnagiri	703	0	365	31612	1068	0	730	32516
11	Madurai	1023	0	755	77053	1778	0	730	77053
12	Nagapattinam	195	0	690	24385	885	0	730	24385
13	Namakkal	698	0	670	31562	1368	0	730	31562
14	Perambalur	401	0	670	36258	1071	0	730	36258
15	Pudukkottai	759	0	700	47236	1459	0	730	41554
16	Ramanathapuram	420	0	640	26722	1060	0	730	27622
17	Salem	1634	19	730	59041	2383	0	730	60080
18	Sivagangai	334	0	670	19232	1004	0	730	27528
19	Thanjavur	896	0	730	39738	1626	0	730	39738
20	Theni	340	0	700	30164	1040	0	730	28539
21	The Nilgiris	97	0	335	10064	432	0	730	10961
22	Thiruchirappalli	662	15	730	36528	1392	0	730	38164
23	Thirunelveli	1577	0	730	51268	2307	0	730	21210
24	Thiruvallur	1266	0	710	41856	1976	0	730	48435
25	Thiruvannamalai	941	0	670	35196	1611	0	730	35196
26	Thiruvarur	256	0	640	17195	896	0	730	0
27	Thoothukudi	640	0	670	32182	1310	0	730	49569
28	Vellore	2009	0	715	80912	2724	0	730	84910
29	Villupuram	1991	0	730	90888	2721	0	730	99838
30	Virudhunagar	698	0	670	37083	1368	0	730	38977
	<b>Total</b>	<b>25730</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>20000</b>	<b>1148161</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21900</b>	<b>1154884</b>

**Source: Monthly Review Reports**

During 2002-2003, as many as 9,09,032 children were enrolled in various centres and during 2003-2004, around 10,23,186 children were enrolled in these centres. In 2004-2005, the total number of children enrolled in ECCE and Anganwadi Centres was 18,70,124 and in 2005-2006, the same was 9,93,479. In 2006-2007, thanks to intensive efforts and creation of awareness among the community, 11,48,161 children were enrolled and in 2007-2008, as many as 11,54,884 children have been enrolled.



### **2.14.2. Girls Education**

Educating Girls is imperative to achieve the goal of Universal Education. Girl's education and literacy have a direct impact on empowerment of women. To achieve 100% NER among girls and to retain the girls already enrolled in schools, special strategies have been adopted. In this regard, as a special intervention, vocational skills training for girl children at the upper primary level has been undertaken.

In 2003-2004, a three-day training on vocational skills development was organised in Avinasilingam deemed University at Coimbatore, with the convergence of Home Science Department of the University. The training was given to the teachers in the following areas like garment making, decorative items, martial arts, preparation and preservation of food materials etc., 15.65 lakh girl children benefited in the year 2003-2004.

In 2004-2005, labour market survey was done and district-specific vocations were identified. Making products from Areca nut leaf sheath in Salem, products of Jute in Thiruvallur District, Waste Cotton materials in Erode and Coimbatore, decorative items from Sea shells in Kanyakumari were some of the District-specific vocational activities. As many as 9.12 lakh girl children benefited.

In 2005-2006, the services of Women Self Help Group, Kovai class in Coimbatore and SISI in Erode have been utilised in training. In all the districts, as many as 8.3 lakh girl students were beneficiaries.

In 2006-2007, to develop the personality of girls, life-skills training was introduced for girls of VIII standard. A three-day residential camp was organized to train the girls and a module has been used for this training. Goal setting, building self confidence, time management and personality development were some of the skills developed among girl students. Around 34,875 girl children were covered. Child-specific intervention for low performing girl students of upper primary standards, have been given

individualized attention. A maximum of 4000 girls per district have been covered. Rs.50 per child for three months has been utilised for this special intervention. 1, 16, 417 girls have been benefited in the year 2006-2007.

#### **2.14.2.1. Vocational Training**

To identify the special skills among girls and to improve the retention level, vocational training have been given to girls in upper primary classes. Schools have been selected on the basis of backwardness – enrolment of more number of SC/ST and marginalised girl children. Vocational training has been organised utilising the services of Self Help Group/ Vocational instructors. 1,16,000 training days have been planned for this purpose. In some districts, exhibitions have been arranged to exhibit and market the items produced by girls such as soft fur toys, garlands, wire bags, areca nut leaf plates and decorative items. The products have been marketed and money has been deposited in banks to be used as revolving fund.

#### **2.14.2.2. Life Skills Training**

Life Skills training has been planned for VIII Std. girls to enable them to face the challenges in life with self confidence. To empower girl children, Life Skills training has been organised. Modules have been prepared for the three-day residential programme. BRTEs have been the Resource Persons. In this regard, 412 Residential programmes have been organized. The skills developed among girls are *goal setting, building self confidence, time management, coping with shyness, coping with anger* etc. Nearly 36,000 girl students benefited.

#### **2.14.2.3. English communication Skills improvement**

A three-day non-residential programe for improving English communication skills among girls has been organised. Modules have been prepared and audio cassettes from RIE, Bangalore have been used. Nearly, 1,20,000 girls benefited.

The District wise coverage of various interventions under *Girls education* is detail in the Table that follows.

**Table – 47**  
**Girls Education – Beneficiaries 2002-2003 to 2007-2008**

S. No.	Districts	2002-2003		2003-2004		2004-2005		2005-2006		2006-2007		2007-2008	
		Vocational Training	Life Skill Training	Vocational Training	Life Skill Training	Vocational Training	Life Skill Training	Vocational Training	Life Skill Training	Vocational Training	Life Skill Training	Vocational Training	Life Skill Training
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	6616	0	478	1500	1000	1200	4100	1180
2	Coimbatore	0	0	2382	0	24878	100	13059	527	1000	1200	4100	1180
3	Cuddalore	0	0	2280	0	58980	0	2760	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	0	31817	0	33218	0	500	600	2050	590
5	Dindigul	0	0	10124	0	44426	0	35166	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
6	Erode	0	0	53302	0	140908	0	46160	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
7	Kancheepuram	7500	0	24380	0	53462	0	64966	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	0	10580	0	27884	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
9	Karur	0	0	19400	0	19598	0	20173	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	19446	0	7015	0	500	600	2050	590
11	Madurai	0	0	0	0	48569	0	54918	111	1000	1200	4100	1180
12	Nagapattinam	0	0	15000	0	15600	0	42276	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	0	9651	0	10529	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
14	Perambalur	0	0	10120	0	10380	0	32172	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	0	0	37500	0	806	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	12740	0	12994	0	190	70	1000	1200	4100	1180
17	Salem	0	0	5031	0	15863	0	20741	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	1235	0	18706	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
19	Thanjavur	0	0	54515	0	56552	0	4000	1200	1000	1200	4100	1180
20	Theni	0	0	11968	0	29089	0	30063	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	20120	0	20178	0	14451	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
22	Thiruchirappalli	26030	0	28420	0	32303	0	44316	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	68660	0	4000	1200	1000	1200	4100	1180
24	Thiruvallur	0	0	45020	0	44269	0	33522	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	32015	0	61489	0	28850	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
26	Thiruvarur	0	0	0	0	32460	0	31181	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
27	Thoothukkudi	0	0	75	0	3358	0	9464	1547	1000	1200	3500	1300
28	Vellore	0	0	94490	0	77151	0	87929	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
29	Vilupuram	0	0	3363	0	6119	0	5346	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
30	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	17022	0	26478	0	1000	1200	4100	1180
	Tamilnadu	33530	0	444743	0	1011153	100	750817	6155	29000	34800	118300	34340

**Source: Monthly Review Reports**

During 2002-03, 33530 children were covered under vocational training and during 2003-04, 4,44,743 girls were given vocational training. During 2004-05, as many as 10,11,153 girls were given vocational training

and 100 Girls were covered under Life skills training. During 2005-2006, 7,50,817 girls were given vocational training and 6,155 Girls were covered under Life skills training and during 2006-2007, 29,000 girls were given vocational training and 34,800 Girls were covered under Life skills training. During 2007-2008, 1,18,300 girls have been covered under Vocational Training and 34,340 girls have been covered under Life Skills Training.

### **2.14.3 Education for SC/ST Children**

In Tamilnadu, the progress in respect of enrolment and participation of SC/ST children has been quite satisfactory over the past six years. Much emphasis has been given to the improvement of access in remote, tribal areas through AIE programmes. This issue has been addressed on a priority basis by opening centres for conducting bridge courses, wherever needed. The SC/ST children who are already in the system of regular schools have been given the following additional interventions.

#### **2.14.3.1. Individualized Attention/ Remedial Coaching**

Evening Special classes for SC/ ST children of IV and V stds. have been conducted regularly at their habitations by the Educational Volunteers. The coaching is framed for 3 months period starting from November and is progressing well in all districts at a cost of Rs. 2.5 lakhs. The focus during these special classes has been on developing the three basic competencies namely Tamil Reading Skills, Mathematical Skills - addition , subtraction and multiplication and English Reading Skills. As many as 1,16,000 SC / ST children have benefited through this individual attention programme in 2006-2007.

#### **2.14.3.2. Exposure visits**

Visits to places of historical importance, museum, planetarium etc. have been organised for SC / ST children to improve their knowledge and enhance their self confidence. Through this intervention, 58,000 children have benefited in all the Districts. Around 2000 children have shown significant achievement in the academic subjects after the exposure visits.

#### **2.14.3.3. Life-skills Training**

Life-skills training have been imparted to the children of the most deprived and economically backward population. A three-day residential training on life-skills has been organised using modules prepared by experts and teacher educators. Life-skills training has been given on the following topics: - 1. Self Esteem, Self understanding, Self acceptance and Personal development, 2. Positive thinking. 3. Motivation and self actualization, 4.Goal setting, 5. Problem solving, 6.Decision making, 7.Time Management, 8.Stress Management & coping with depression, 9.Coping with shyness, 10.Coping with loneliness, 11.Coping with fear, 12.Anger and verbal abuse, 13.Coping with failure, 14.Coping with criticism, 15.Coping with conflict.

The feedback received from the participants indicates positive outcome especially contributing to the growth of children's all round personality. As many as 29,000 children have benefited through this training.

#### **2.14.3.4. English Communication Skills**

To identify, promote and develop the special innate abilities among the SC/ST children studying VI, VII, VIII stds., a Multiple Intelligence Skills Training Programme has been organised as a 3-day Residential Programme at the Block level. This programme has been conducted in all districts covering 43,500 beneficiaries' children at a cost of Rs. 72.50 lakhs. Children have been engaged in Spoken English, Grammar, letter writing, drawing, music, dancing, games etc., BRTEs played the role of Resource Persons. The children were given grammar books, dictionary and note books and writing materials.

The following Table provides the District wise details of the number of children covered through various interventions under Education of SC/ST children during the years 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table – 48**  
**Education of SC/ST children - Beneficiaries**

S. No.	Districts	2002-03				2003-04				2004-05			
		Remedial Coaching / Individual Attention	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	Multiple Intelligence	Remedial Coaching / Individual Attention	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	Multiple Intelligence	Remedial Coaching / Individual Attention	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	Multiple Intelligence
1	Chennai	54010	0	0	0	8898	0	0	0	101836	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	28193	0	0	0	4177	0	0	0	11612	40	100	60
3	Cuddalore	70600	0	0	0	16303	0	0	0	97301	0	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	4359	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13625	0	0	0
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	0	20000	0	0	0	20000	0	0	0
6	Erode	0	0	0	0	35854	0	0	0	55993	0	0	0
7	Kancheepuram	0	0	0	0	7500	0	0	0	23198	0	0	0
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	0	3592	0	0	0	8682	0	0	0
9	Karur	13188	0	0	0	16083	0	0	0	17482	0	0	0
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10500	0	0	0
11	Madurai	22525	0	0	0	17394	0	0	0	24071	0	0	0
12	Nagapattinam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72305	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20000	0	0	0
14	Perambalur	38342	0	0	0	10000	0	0	0	33340	0	0	0
15	Pudukkottai	22315	0	0	0	16700	0	0	0	16631	0	0	0
16	Ramanathapuram	12902	0	0	0	11640	0	0	0	11886	0	0	0
17	Salem	10556	0	0	0	107500	0	0	0	111253	0	0	0
18	Sivangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6666	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	31648	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58635	0	0	0
20	Theni	0	0	0	0	28999	0	0	0	34491	0	0	0
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	0	52563	0	0	0	52280	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	20732	0	0	0	8967	0	0	0	22028	0	0	0
23	Thirunelveli	115012	0	0	0	14210	0	0	0	72325	0	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	48445	0	0	0	93009	0	0	0	61939	0	0	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	30047	0	0	0	27986	0	0	0	33000	0	0	0
26	Thiruvarur	0	0	0	0	80406	0	0	0	33926	0	0	0
27	Thoothukkudi	490	0	0	0	1127	0	0	0	9456	0	0	0
28	Vellore	0	0	0	0	50000	0	0	0	54969	0	0	0
29	Villupuram	37200	0	0	0	11000	0	0	0	8800	0	0	0
30	Virudhunagar	16545	0	0	0	2525	0	0	0	15098	0	0	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>577109</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>646433</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1113328</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>60</b>

**Table – 48 (Cont...)**  
**Education of SC / ST children – Beneficiaries**

S. No.	Districts	2005-06				2006-07				2007-08			
		Remedial Coaching / Individual Attention	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	Multiple Intelligence	Remedial Coaching / Individual Attention	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	Multiple Intelligence	Supply of Learning Materials/ work books/ Maths & Science Kit	Life Skill Trg	Exposure Visit	English Communication
1	Chennai	20000	1200	1500	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
2	Coimbatore	15389	830	953	810	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
3	Cuddalore	19325	1551	771	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
4	Dharmapuri	0	822	1500	800	2000	500	1000	500	2000	1200	1800	2000
5	Dindigul	20000	1667	1500	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
6	Erode	21911	1660	1385	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
7	Kancheepuram	19914	650	1500	1300	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
8	Kanyakumari	11826	1730	1500	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
9	Karur	9277	1000	2000	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
10	Krishnagiri	10500	1500	500	0	2000	500	1000	500	2000	1200	1800	2000
11	Madurai	19930	1673	1500	595	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
12	Nagapattinam	20000	1672	1500	1116	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
13	Namakkal	20000	1667	1500	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
14	Perambalur	20000	1670	1426	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
15	Pudukkottai	20000	1000	15000	659	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
16	Ramanathapuram	20351	1672	1064	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
17	Salem	20000	1667	1500	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
18	Sivagangai	20000	500	1500	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
19	Thanjavur	18666	1000	1500	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
20	Theni	4752	2125	1500	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
21	The Nilgiris	20000	1668	1015	400	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
22	Thiruchirappalli	19969	2000	1031	1600	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
23	Thirunelveli	2000	1000	2000	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
24	Thiruvailur	35066	1389	1378	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
25	Thiruvannamalai	21084	1656	1401	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
26	Thiruvannamalai	23000	1670	1500	1000	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
27	Thoothukkudi	7410	1547	1422	975	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
28	Vellore	31921	835	1750	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
29	Villupuram	16421	1672	1510	2200	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
30	Virudhunagar	17809	1550	1331	0	4000	1000	2000	1000	2000	1200	1800	2000
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>526521</b>	<b>42243</b>	<b>55437</b>	<b>19455</b>	<b>116000</b>	<b>29000</b>	<b>58000</b>	<b>29000</b>	<b>60000</b>	<b>36000</b>	<b>54000</b>	<b>60000</b>

**Source: Monthly Review Reports**

During 2002-2003, 5,77,109 SC/ST children were covered under Remedial coaching and in 2003-2004, 6,46,433 children were covered under Remedial coaching. During 2004-2005, 11,13,328 children were covered under this intervention, and 2005-2006, 5,26,521 children were given remedial coaching, 42,243 children were offered life skills training, exposure visits were arranged for 55,437 children and 19,455 children were covered under Multiple Intelligence training.

During 2006-2007, 1,16,000 children were given remedial coaching, 29,000 children were offered life skills training, exposure visits were arranged for 58,000 children and 29,000 children were covered under Multiple Intelligence training.

During 2007-2008, 60,000 self learning Maths kits have been provided to schools. Life Skills training has been imparted to 36,000 children. Exposure visits have been arranged for 54,000 children and English Communication Skills training has been provided to 60,000 SC/ST children.

#### **2.14.4. Computer Aided Learning**

Computer Aided Learning (CAL) is one of the successful programmes implemented by the State. Children exhibit enormous enthusiasm in learning, more so in the case of rural children. Under this programme, BRCs, CRCs and select Middle Schools function as learning centres which are equipped with computer systems to provide training on CAL to teachers and Computer Aided Learning to children at the Upper Primary level. These trainings are undertaken by Azim Premji Foundation, Microsoft, INTEL and IL & FS on *cascade mode*. Computer-based learning modules for subjects in VI, VII and VIII Standards have been prepared in collaboration with NIIT, INTEL, Azim Premji Foundation, Microsoft and IL & FS.

To start with, the CAL centres in the blocks have been equipped each with 4 computers and required accessories. A total number of 1648 computers have been installed. These Computer Aided Learning Centers are



housed in specified BRCs/CRCs/Middle Schools in each block head quarters. Children from the neighbouring school within a radius of 0.5km can attend the class in their allotted time slot. 412 Computer Aided Learning Centers have been set during the period 2004 – 2005. Special time-table for the classes has been framed and attendance registers are also maintained. The children are able to handle the computers and use CDs as an aid for learning. This has been found to be very effective and even the farthest village child enjoys in learning through computers and parents feel proud about it.

During 2005-2006, an additional 422 Computer Aided Learning Centers have been established in select Cluster Resource Centres by providing 2 Computers with a LCD. One DIET lecturer, one BRTE along with a teacher have been selected as Key Resource Persons (KRPs) from each district and 4 days training has been conducted in three phases covering all the Districts. Around 4944 Teachers who are working in CAL Centers have been trained for 3 days by the KRPs who have extended the benefit to 82,400 children. 1082 Headmasters have also been given *one-day Orientation Training* before giving training to the teachers.

62 bilingual content CDs have been prepared for the use in teaching English, Tamil, Mathematics, Science, Social Science and General Knowledge. A team of teacher experts has been selected and the responsibility of preparing the child-friendly CDs has been entrusted to it. These CDs have been replicated and supplied to all the CAL Centres.

During 2006-2007, 2,971 CAL centres have been opened in CRCs and during 2007-2008, 540 CAL centres have been opened in CRCs. The supply of around 5,942 Computers in 2006 – 07 and 1080 in 2007 – 08 to these centres is in progress. The CDs of ABL, ALM and Hello English (English programme) have been made available in the CAL centres. The following table provides information about the number of schools covered, teachers trained and children benefited during 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table – 49**  
**Computer Aided Learning**

S. No.	Districts	2002-2003						2003-2004					
		No. of schools covered		No. of Teachers trained		No. of beneficiaries		No. of schools covered		No. of Teachers trained		No. of beneficiaries	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8102
2	Coimbatore	4	14	6	12	300	600	6	136	6	526	500	10665
3	Cuddalore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	232	0	320	0	20543
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Erode	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	270	0	0	0	19168
7	Kancheepuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	224	0	0	0	29495
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	Karur	0	31	0	0	0	845	0	175	0	284	0	0
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	Nagapattinam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	Perambalur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	227	0	451	0	45000
15	Pudukkottai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Salem	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1281	0	204	0	121021
20	Theni	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14316
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	431	0	0
24	Thiruvallur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	Thiruvarur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	Thoothukkudi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	Vellore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	Villupuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	136	0	398	0	0
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1445</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2681</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2614</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>268310</b>

**Table – 49 (Contd...)  
Computer Aided Learning**

S. No.	Districts	2004-2005						2005-2006					
		No. of schools covered		No. of Teachers trained		No. of beneficiaries		No. of schools covered		No. of Teachers trained		No. of beneficiaries	
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	13	49	57	610	1870
2	Coimbatore	8	96	47	680	1042	5757	13	45	80	257	3116	3876
3	Cuddalore	8	6	67	19	1581	1240	11	3	90	16	2145	432
4	Dharmapuri	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	50	81	320	2325	10859
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	22	812	770	2817	2670
6	Erode	0	270	0	400	0	57477	2	19	549	417	2266	2764
7	Kancheepuram	0	224	0	0	0	29495	14	20	403	484	1239	1565
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	15	20	1087	1498
9	Karur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	397	0	1530
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	29	71	192	790	2129
12	Nagapattinam	0	245	0	0	0	45768	3	10	7	50	500	2120
13	Namakkal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	417	0	3563
14	Perambalur	13	11	0	0	1547	1026	13	11	252	311	1547	1026
15	Pudukkottai	0	200	0	200	0	36631	26	68	46	169	275	4240
16	Ramanathapuram	0	200	101	109	0	34652	11	10	0	0	698	2299
17	Salem	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	9	77	221	278	4067
18	Sivagangai	144	45	0	490	6100	3900	20	15	325	245	4000	3000
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	15	549	38	1000	2000
20	Theni	0	150	0	320	0	57090	3	5	40	68	700	948
21	The Nilgiris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	36	222	700
22	Thiruchirappalli	0	307	0	640	0	0	55	33	177	640	1950	1250
23	Thirunelveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	1171	0	4319
24	Thiruvallur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	115	0	3105
25	Thiruvannamalai	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	17	105	67	2366	1886
26	Thiruvaur	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	9	34	55	1114	1377
27	Thoothukkudi	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	17	54	104	1008	1901
28	Vellore	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	14	75	92	2014	3827
29	Villupuram	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	11	90	135	3877	4374
30	Virudhunagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	10	45	55	1014	1002
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1754</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>2858</b>	<b>10270</b>	<b>273036</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>4026</b>	<b>6919</b>	<b>38967</b>	<b>76197</b>

**Table - 49 (Contd...)  
Computer Aided Learning**

S. No.	Districts	2006-2007						2007-2008		
		No. of schools covered		No. of Teachers trained		No. of beneficiaries		No. of schools covered	No. of Teachers trained	No. of beneficiaries
		P	UP	P	UP	P	UP			
1	Chennai	8	17	43	62	1485	2054	78	743	4179
2	Coimbatore	25	124	116	457	3008	5205	328	842	6200
3	Cuddalore	19	9	37	160	3603	1487	252	572	6160
4	Dharmapuri	14	44	98	283	1197	10628	163	160	3554
5	Dindigul	20	22	812	770	2817	2670	106	94	5487
6	Erode	5	39	604	459	4084	4051	114	800	8411
7	Kancheepuram	14	20	40	82	2002	2995	349	46	4267
8	Kanyakumari	10	14	36	53	1742	1834	72	110	1860
9	Karur	14	16	158	336	1450	1225	82	320	2791
10	Krishnagiri	15	5	269	317	2332	799	170	200	30287
11	Madurai	35	31	28	272	2054	2715	127	172	4500
12	Nagapattinam	6	16	7	15	1892	2408	153	757	4745
13	Namakkal	16	35	167	706	0	4065	113	580	3741
14	Perambalur	20	3	102	30	3577	373	214	395	2577
15	Pudukkottai	6	16	52	89	2000	2102	121	520	872
16	Ramanathapuram	8	11	92	363	885	1186	166	378	2787
17	Salem	8	34	361	1019	760	4875	116	1036	1036
18	Sivagangai	25	24	23	163	1795	2322	106	420	4117
19	Thanjavur	28	25	25	45	1867	2330	135	600	1245
20	Theni	5	12	96	60	862	1853	68	160	1365
21	The Nilgiris	5	10	27	201	1267	892	67	600	879
22	Thiruchirappalli	0	21	74	240	1633	3267	88	741	677
23	Thirunelveli	0	42	0	274	0	8687	99	77	4457
24	Thiruvaiur	8	20	23	60	1466	3525	132	560	7034
25	Thiruvannamalai	35	35	105	67	683	1164	293	720	3985
26	Thiruvarur	11	13	28	36	695	349	154	100	7364
27	Thoothukkudi	22	14	15	49	1629	2533	84	520	4208
28	Vellore	18	26	151	262	3664	5507	193	1576	3908
29	Villupuram	17	28	27	202	4785	10555	460	82	13469
30	Virudhunagar	10	12	33	79	1451	1989	78	44	4101
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>3649</b>	<b>7211</b>	<b>56685</b>	<b>95645</b>	<b>4681</b>	<b>13925</b>	<b>150263</b>

*Source: Monthly Review Reports*

During 2002-03, 49 schools were covered, 18 teachers were trained and 1,775 children benefited by CAL. During 2003-04, 2,687 schools were covered, 2,620 teachers were trained and 2,68,810 children benefited. During 2004-05, 1927 schools were covered, 3,073 teachers were trained, 2,83,306 children benefited. During 2005-06, 942 schools were covered, 10945 teachers were trained and 1,15,164 children benefited. During 2006-07, 1,165 schools were covered, 10,860 teachers were trained and 1,52,330 children benefited by CAL. During 2007-08, 4,681 schools have been covered, 13,925 teachers have been trained and 1,50,263 children have benefited.

### ***Success Story***

#### **Computer Aided Learning**

Microsoft has deployed initiatives that are meant to motivate the teachers to deploy the skills acquired in the training program when they return to their schools, thus contributing to the overall success and impact of the project.

- **Certification**

Microsoft awards “Partners in Learning Certificate” to deserving teachers. Certificates are awarded approximately three months after culmination of training contingent to certification criteria being met. The aim of certification is to motivate teachers to use computers at their workplace (school) and drive usage for benefit of both school and students.

- **Innovative Teachers Leadership Awards**

Microsoft organizes annual event “Innovative Teachers Leadership Award” for all teachers who have measurable impact of their innovative handling of academic endeavors. The teachers first compete at the national level and the winners get an opportunity to participate in Microsoft’s Regional Meet internationally. The winner of the Regional Meet gets an opportunity to showcase his/her work in the final World Wide Teachers Meet.

## **Winner of the Innovative Teachers Leadership Award**



Mr.K.Rajesh Kumar, Secondary Grade Teacher of Panchayat Union Primary School, Kanuvai, Periyayanayakanpalayam, Coimbatore District has been selected for the Innovative Teachers Leadership Award 2006-07 instituted by the Microsoft Corporation. Mr.Rajesh Kumar's computer based science project on "Paramecium" won the

award in 2007-08. He is one from Tamil Nadu and one of the 10 from across the country and participated in "Asia Pacific Innovative Teachers" Meet held at Cambodia.

### **2.15. Management**

#### **2.15.1. Computerized Accounting System**

The Accounting System has been computerised with Tally 7.2 version and Commerce graduates with knowledge in operating Tally system have been appointed. The accounts of the BRCs are recorded in the computer at District Project Office and thereby the fund flow status at the sub district levels is observed at district level. As the day-to-day transactions are recorded in the computer, the financial statements for 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 were generated through computers and the External Auditors have verified the accounts through computers.

#### **2.15.2. E-Transfer of funds**

Funds are released to districts through electronic Clearing system from SPO to DPOs. In most of the districts, the same mode of transfer of funds is adopted to facilitate quick fund flow.

### **2.15.3. Positioning of accounts staff and Training**

One accounts and audit manager with knowledge on Tally operating system, one accounts superintendent alone was available to prepare accounts for the district and blocks. During 2007 – 2008, posts for one account assistant for each district and one block accountant for 4 blocks have been created and filled. This exercise has relieved the BRTEs from the burden of maintenance of cash book, activity-wise ledger and furnishing financial status required to be furnished.

### **2.15.4. Staff strength of Accounts Personnel in each district:**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Designation</b>	<b>No. of persons</b>
1.	Accounts and Audit Manager (Tally)	1
2.	Accounts Superintendent	1
3.	Accounts Assistant	1
4.	Block Accountants	1 per 4 blocks

### **2.15.5. Training to accounts personnel:**

Once in a month / once in two months accounts and audit manager and account superintendent were trained to prepare accounts and to follow procurement procedures as given in the Manual on Financial Management and Procurement Plan

### **2.16. Media and Documentation – 2007-2008**

Media has been of great help in moulding parents' opinion and enrolling all school-age children. Documentation for replication and dissemination is of great importance and relevance under SSA. The following are the major activities undertaken during 2007-2008.

- In Podhigai Channel of Doordarshan, demonstration classes by Resource Persons/ Teachers for ABL and ALM have been telecast every week.
- Preparation of radio lessons for improving spoken English language skills among children is in progress.
- A short film titled, 'Silent Revolution' has been produced on the implementation and impact of ABL in Tamil Nadu

### **2.16.1. Capacity Building for Project Staff**

Orientation and Capacity Building training programmes have been organised for SPO officials and staff. The Training has also been organised for the District Officials and project personnel. Moreover, SPO officials and District project personnel have been deputed to attend training programmes organised by NIEPA, New Delhi. SPO staff have been trained on basic computer skills and procurement.

### **2.17. Community Mobilisation**

The 7<sup>th</sup> Joint Review Mission has interacted with the community members and their observation is as follows.

**“...The Mission interacted with communities in the field and found the level of community participation in the Programme to be high. The VECs are usually responsible for one and sometimes two schools and normally have 20 members, but some of the villages have as many as 45. The VEC is headed by the Village Panchayat President and the Mission interacted with several of these during the field visits. All of the Panchayat/VEC Presidents met by the Mission expressed a high level of satisfaction with the introduction of ABL and ALM to the schools. The Mission inspected VEC minutes and found that in all cases the VEC was meeting regularly and that the majority of members were attending. In many schools the community has made a significant contribution to the development of education in the village by providing land, building boundary walls, improving facilities, such as toilets and adding new classrooms. The Headmaster of the school is the VEC Member Secretary and it appears that the VEC is involved in all planning, implementation and monitoring activities mandated by SSA such as enrollment of out of school children, execution of civil works, utilization of school related grants and community mobilization. The State is receiving a sizeable financial contribution to elementary education from the communities: Rs.19 crore was provided to elementary education by the community members in 2006-07...”**



### **2.17.1. Formation of VECs/PTAs**

In Tamilnadu, as many as 43,113 Village Education Committees (VECs) which include Parent Teacher Associations (PTAs) function in schools. The VECs function in Primary and Middle Schools and PTAs are in place in High Schools and Higher Secondary Schools. The State Government have taken the initiative and issued two G.Os (No.53 dated 26.04.2002 and No.108 dated 31.07.2003) to this effect. With the result that the constitution of four-tier committees at the State, District, Block and School levels has been made mandatory.

### **2.17.2. Wide Spectrum of Representation**

As enunciated in the Government Orders, the VECs comprise 20 members each. The Panchayat President is the Chairperson in rural areas and ward members/councillors hold the position in Municipal and Corporation limits. The Headmaster of the school is the Member-Secretary. It has been ensured by the G.O. that the committee is represented by a wide spectrum of the community including members from marginalized sections of the society. The members include Parent-Teacher Association President, Self Help Group Members, Parents, Ward Member or Elected Representatives, ECCE/ICDS organizer, NGOs, Village Administrative Officer, Health Worker, Woman Ward Member, SC Ward Member, Parents of the differently-abled children and youth club members.

### **2.17.3. Roles and Responsibilities of VEC members**

The G.Os issued by the State Government have also been instrumental in empowering the VECs to accelerate the programme through decentralized and participative approaches. The roles and responsibilities of Village Education Committee members have been redefined as follows:

- Identifying the needs of schools
- Conducting periodical meetings to ensure co-operation of the community
- Assisting the Headmaster in transparent utilisation of grants released to schools and effective utilisation of funds.

- To manage the Joint Account of Village Education Committee
- Undertaking civil construction and maintenance works wherever assigned or needed
- Enrolment of all school-age children and ensuring cent percent completion of elementary education of all children
- Conducting campaigns and melas for Universalisation of Elementary Education
- Monitoring the Academic performance of children, Attendance and Quality of education.
- Organising functions and celebrations of the schools and public events which show the skills of children.
- Effective co-ordination with implementing agencies
- Displaying school data and receipts and expenditure of grants in the school public display board
- Involvement in Teacher Training
- Involvement in appointment of Education Volunteers (EVs) for EGS and Alternative and Innovative Education centres as per guidelines and directions of District Education Committee
- Monitoring the functioning of EGS & AIE centres

#### **2.17.4. Training to VEC Members**

The VECs in Tamilnadu have been duly oriented in the areas of planning, implementation and monitoring of the educational interventions at school/village level. The members have been given orientation/training on their roles and responsibilities in SSA context. They have also been given exposure in micro-planning. The training has been helpful in inculcating a sense of community ownership among VEC members. Around 1.5 lakh members have been trained during the current year on quality construction, Monitoring teachers and pupils attendance, etc.

### **2.17.5. Funds through VECs**

All grants to schools such as school grant, teacher grant, TLE grant, maintenance grant are routed through VEC. A Joint Account in the names of Chairman and Member-Secretary has been opened to facilitate the receipt and distribution of funds. Funds for civil construction works – two classroom buildings, three classroom buildings, additional classrooms, CRC buildings, toilets and water facilities are also routed through VECs as these constructions are undertaken by the community. All funds are directly sent to VEC by District Project Co-ordinator through cheques to facilitate easy fund flow.

### **2.17.6. Community Contribution**

During the year 2002-2003 to 2006-2007, a total amount of Rs.19.93 crores have been contributed towards construction of buildings, toilets, compound wall, water supply units, play material and other school needs like computer, library books, teaching learning equipment etc., over and above the Government grants.

On the overall performance of the Village Education Committees in the state the 7<sup>th</sup> JRM has recorded ***“...the State reports that 100% of VECs and local bodies are performing a reporting role in school supervision. The Mission observed a high level of community participation in schooling and saw evidence that VECs were operating well in all the schools and villages visited. There is a need, however, to shift the focus of VECs towards quality monitoring and ABL provides a significant opportunity to achieve this...”***

The Table given here provides the district-wise details of number of VEC members trained, VEC meetings held and community contribution during 2002-2003 to 2007-2008.

**Table – 50**  
**Community Mobilization**

S. No.	Districts	2002-03				2003-04			
		Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)	Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)
		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held	
1	Chennai	1463	20	7278	0	727	20	2018	0
2	Coimbatore	5976	11952	17400	1968771	6319	12638	17980	3089965
3	Cuddalore	12135	12135	14938	0	15540	15540	14200	0
4	Dharmapuri	4344	8688	11858	0	4392	8784	12078	0
5	Dindigul	0	0	0	0	9372	18744	15620	0
6	Erode	862	1724	15534	0	1733	3466	13864	0
7	Kancheepuram	20430	20430	29106	0	8664	8664	34474	22154
8	Kanyakumari	3775	7550	8119	0	3848	6808	8302	63000
9	Karur	3200	6400	6540	130000	3240	6480	8120	138800
10	Krishnagiri	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	Madurai	2244	22	38	80940	1898	16	67	157596
12	Nagapattinam	3417	6834	8900	0	2044	4088	9200	0
13	Namakkal	6168	12336	14392	43000	6096	12192	12192	46000
14	Perambalur	1845	3690	9840	5123000	2566	5132	9725	405500
15	Pudukkottai	1512	3024	3032	182500	1516	3032	3136	1900000
16	Ramanathapuram	0	0	0	0	4062	8124	4240	0
17	Salem	8676	17352	28920	188113	10128	20256	33760	16000
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	0	0	0	48000	6324	60	14698	0
20	Theni	0	0	0	0	2450	4900	6980	0
21	The Nilgiris	676	1352	3450	4575	531	1062	4516	2100
22	Thiruchirappalli	4689	4689	4709	31000	6264	6264	6137	46000
23	Thirunelveli	3665	7330	210	0	2636	5272	190	0
24	Thiruvallur	7608	24	14778	0	5840	28	18169	85340
25	Thiruvannamalai	5346	10692	35640	2829902	5367	10734	35780	3075980
26	Thiruvarur	0	0	0	0	1983	4632	2165	0
27	Thoothukkudi	4146	7578	4886	0	3919	21998	7281	0
28	Vellore	319	176	2530	150000	9764	18528	2420	0
29	Villupuram	11125	1	1932	932636	11360	1	2024	635972
30	Virudhunagar	2241	4482	7741	245000	3894	3894	13690	475150
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>115862</b>	<b>148481</b>	<b>251771</b>	<b>11957437</b>	<b>142477</b>	<b>211357</b>	<b>313026</b>	<b>10159557</b>

**Table – 50 (Contd...)  
Community Mobilization**

S. No.	Districts	2004-05				2005-06			
		Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)	Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)
		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held	
1	Chennai	1460	20	7211	0	4578	20	7960	1416102
2	Coimbatore	8221	16442	18170	2559735	7868	15736	18410	9759290
3	Cuddalore	12764	12764	30932	1821915	8892	17984	17852	2083500
4	Dharmapuri	6588	13176	12078	0	3705	7410	13290	131235
5	Dindigul	4210	8420	15620	0	9384	18768	15620	0
6	Erode	11316	22632	13784	39000	11238	22476	12061	2343460
7	Kancheepuram	7558	7558	32736	33197	9432	9432	34584	48.25
8	Kanyakumari	4232	7993	7982	32619	4702	9404	8387	340556
9	Karur	3372	3372	8570	149700	5004	5004	8340	186100
10	Krishnagiri	5280	10560	13200	0	54456	108912	13610	0
11	Madurai	2814	20	64	425511	5873	28	231	1537147
12	Nagapattinam	645	1290	9310	0	6671	13342	10163	3.664
13	Namakkal	6312	12624	14686	1874472	6312	12624	14686	2182900
14	Perambalur	3266	6532	9850	2020600	2811	5622	11904	1030280
15	Pudukkottai	5508	11016	3134	2045000	9456	18912	3170	200000
16	Ramanathapuram	3636	7272	4240	0	4301	8602	4240	0
17	Salem	5696	11392	33960	222560	10296	20592	34580	1283500
18	Sivagangai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	Thanjavur	9546	30	16194	787050	3464	24	15910	40000
20	Theni	4230	8460	7050	0	4314	8628	9640	3.1
21	The Nilgiris	1942	3884	5333	40550	3323	6646	5463	269019
22	Thiruchirappalli	6068	12136	7199	80000	5572	5411	12342	190000
23	Thirunelveli	4218	8436	210	2204362	12942	25884	210	0
24	Thiruvallur	5660	26	21531	9360	8972	28	12574	1293901
25	Thiruvannamalai	5406	10812	36040	3272328	5988	11976	39920	3444556
26	Thiruvavarur	1886	3795	2132	305250	4329	8627	2713	370000
27	Thoothukkudi	4302	8604	7689	30560	6233	12466	8573	477846
28	Vellore	9764	18528	2640	0	9764	18528	2640	0
29	Villupuram	11360	1	2112	670000	11460	22920	2432	732000
30	Virudhunagar	2753	2753	13583	436525	5886	5886	13690	847000
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>160013</b>	<b>230548</b>	<b>357240</b>	<b>19060294</b>	<b>247226</b>	<b>421892</b>	<b>355195</b>	<b>30158447</b>

**Table – 50 (Contd...)  
Community Mobilization**

S. No.	Districts	2006-07				2007-08			
		Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)	Training			Contribution (value in Rs.)
		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held		No. of members trained	No. of trg. days	No. of meeting held	
1	Chennai	1736	3472	7220	0	VEC training will be conducted in the first week of March 2008	8451	0.000	
2	Coimbatore	6417	12524	20	84230613		19887	0.000	
3	Cuddalore	6900	13800	20566	1456100		21251	0.000	
4	Dharmapuri	4404	8808	13290	120400		10262	67.558	
5	Dindigul	4868	9736	15620	1395700		15079	4.848	
6	Erode	5806	11612	15552	273260		15596	6.300	
7	Kancheepuram	7950	15900	34584	7678000		25603	29.440	
8	Kanyakumari	1928	3856	8611	948618		7798	12.990	
9	Karur	2484	4968	8360	1136763		6769	0.000	
10	Krishnagiri	5624	11248	13140	2120000		12628	4.480	
11	Madurai	5908	11816	106	548900		14238	19.937	
12	Nagapattinam	4422	8844	11673	5137600		10618	0.000	
13	Namakkal	3896	7792	13708	216500		12813	12.544	
14	Perambalur	3546	7092	10989	1853868		7945	23.726	
15	Pudukkottai	5806	11612	3186	2529120		12740	28.530	
16	Ramanathapuram	4210	8420	4240	361000		10227	19.330	
17	Salem	6028	12056	35320	1163500		15617	0.000	
18	Sivagangai	4374	8748	0	0		10094	0.000	
19	Thanjavur	6638	13276	17495	127000		13650	20.928	
20	Theni	1912	3824	8640	0		5992	0.400	
21	The Nilgiris	1358	2716	5392	212000		5419	0.201	
22	Thiruchirappalli	4412	8824	13237	256000		13587	0.000	
23	Thirunelveli	6600	13200	210	150000		5090	2.491	
24	Thiruvallur	6024	12048	5147	1508237		10414	0.000	
25	Thiruvannamalai	9056	18112	40160	3827285		15596	58.712	
26	Thiruvarur	4272	8544	2853	5811670		4323	0.000	
27	Thoothukkudi	4902	9804	17592	372300		12103	0.000	
28	Vellore	8236	16472	2420	2538700		12068	0.000	
29	Villupuram	10954	21908	2520	1355735		12907	27.071	
30	Virudhunagar	5194	10388	13690	671000		11200	0.000	
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>155865</b>	<b>311420</b>	<b>345539</b>	<b>127999869</b>	<b>359965</b>	<b>339.486</b>		

**Source: Monthly Review Reports**

During 2002-2003, 115862 VEC members were trained and in 2003-2004, 1,42,477 were trained. During 2004-2005, 1,60,013 VEC members were trained and in 2005-2006 2,47,226 VEC members were trained. As many as 1,55,865 VEC members have been trained during 2006-2007. In the current year, VEC training will be conducted in the first week of March 2008.

### **2.18. Distance Education Programme (DEP)**

Distance Education Programme (DEP) is one of the important interventions of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan. It provides technical and academic support to the ongoing programmes of SSA. With the advent of Edusat facilities in Tamilnadu, the State Project Directorate has been continuously broadcasting educational programmes since 2006.

All 385 Block Resource Centres, 27 Urban Cluster Resource Centres and 9 Govt. Teacher Training Institutes are provided with Satellite Interactive Terminals (SIT) or learning ends to facilitate the live video conferencing programmes. The programmes are broadcast from Anna University HUB Station.

#### **2.18.1. Activities - 2007-2008**

Calender of Activities for every quarter is prepared and distributed to the districts well in advance. Three level workshops (1 District and 2 State Level) have been conducted to identify and finalize the lessons to be broadcast during the allotted slot. The Resource Persons for the respective subjects have been selected from the District. The panelists for each session would be one from DIET Lecturers / Post Graduate teachers of Higher Secondary School, one Block Resource Teacher Educators and one practising teacher of Elementary school. The panelists are given with sufficient practice before uplinking the programme. The working models of TLM / Power point presentation / animation are tested / verified before the programme to be uplinked.

DEP – SSA Coordinates with the rest of the Directorates, (Directorates of School Education, Elementary Education, Teacher Education, Research and Training and Directorate of public Libraries) under School Education Department to broadcast their respective programmes.

### **2.18.2. Teaching End for School Education Department**

Currently the Teaching End studio of HUB Station at Anna University is utilized by Anna University and School Education Department on sharing basis (10.00 am to 1.30 pm by Anna University for Engineering Students and 2.30 pm to 5.00 pm School Education Department). Now a separate teaching end studio is being setup in DPI Campus exclusively for School Education Department. This facilitates the conduct of the Edusat programmes for schools from 10.00 am to 5.00 pm.

### **2.18.3. Feedback**

Copies of the model feedback format of DEP-SSA, IGNOU in English and translated in Regional Language (Tamil) also have been sent to the Districts to record the feedback. Comments on the programme are reviewed and any valuable suggestions are also considered for the future programme.

Similarly the feedback on technical issues like picture and audio quality is also collected and sent to the HUB Engineer, Anna University to attend the site issues.

The broadcast schedule from April 2007 to March 2008 is enclosed in Annexure.



## **2.19. National Programme of Education for Girls at Elementary Level (NPEGEL)**

### **2.19.1. Constitution of Model Cluster Schools (MCSs)**

PAB 2006-2007 has approved 937 MCSs in 37 blocks. A minimum of 3 schools have been clubbed into one cluster and the best one among those schools have been identified and MCS has been established. Out of these 937 MCSs, 776 are upper primary MCSs having schools with both Primary and Upper Primary classes and 161 are primary MCSs where there are primary classes only

These **Model Cluster Schools** have been made girl-friendly by providing all infrastructure facilities including classrooms, drinking water and toilet facilities, playground, electricity and other teaching learning materials, books, equipments, games articles etc. The infrastructure facilities available in the MCS are utilized by all the schools in that cluster, by rotation. The facilities are also used for teacher training in the cluster. This model school is to facilitate the other nearby schools to improve their performance especially for improving girls education.

The Table given here presents the details of MCSs constituted during 2003-2004 – 2007-2008.

**Model Cluster Schools Constituted – 2003-2004 – 2007-2008**

S. No.	Name of the District	Name of the Block	No. of MCSs					Since 2006 as per GOI List
			2003-04	2004-2005			2005-06	
			1991 Census	1991 Census	2001 Census	Total for 2004-05		
1	Cuddalore	Mangalore	10		10	10	10	29
		Nallur			10	10	10	29
		Panruti	10		10	10	10	28
2	Dharmapuri	Pennagaram			18	18	18	50
		Karimangalam			15	15	15	38
		Palacode						38
3	Dindigul	Guziliamparai	15	15		15		
		Natham	15	15		15		
4	Erode	Ammappettai			7	7	7	23
		Anthiyur			7	7	7	26
		Kundadam			7	7	7	26
		Mulanur						26
		Nambiyur			6	6	6	23
		T.N.Palayam			5	5	5	
		Vellakoil			6	6	6	
5	Karur	Kadavur	10		10	10	9	25
		Veppanapalli	10	10		10		26
6	Krishnagiri	Soolagiri			16	16	16	44
		Kelamangalam						40
		Kollihills			6	6	6	
7	Namakkal	Mallasamudram						17
		Ariyalur	11	11		11		27
8	Perambalur	Sendurai	10	10		10		
		T.Palur	9	9		9		
		Veppur	11	11		11		26
		Edappady			8	8	8	20
9	Salem	Kadayampatti			12	12	12	25
		Kolathur			8	8	8	20
		Konganapuram	7		7	7	7	13
		M.Chavadi			8	8	8	16
		Yercaud					8	13
		Nangavalli						21
		Panamarathupatti						14
		Sankari						21
		Veerapandi						17
10	Sivagangai	S.Pudur						15
11	Trichirappalli	Marungapuri	10	10		10		
12	Thiruvannamalai	Thandrampet			11	11	11	
		Jawathu Hills			7	7	7	20
13	Villupuram	Kallakurchi			8	8	10	35
		Rishvandyam			9	9	9	24
		Thirukovilur						20
		Thiruvanavalur	16		16	16	10	28
		Thiruvennainalur			10	10	10	23
		Thiyagadurgam			9	9	9	22
		Ulundurpet			10	10	10	29
14	Virudhunagar	Narikudi			10	10	10	
	<b>Total</b>		<b>144</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>937</b>

## 2.19.2. Civil & TLE

### 2.19.2.1. Construction of Additional Classrooms

In 2003-2004, PAB approved 13 additional classrooms and in April 2004-2006, 67 additional classrooms were approved. 103 additional classrooms were approved in January 2005 supplementary plan. For the year 2005-2006, 133 buildings were also sanctioned. Totally 316 buildings were sanctioned for 3 years from 2003-2004 to 2005-2006.

#### Progress in Civil works from 2003-2004 to 2006-2007

Year of allotment	No. of Civil works sanctioned	Completed					Total
		2003-2004	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	
2003-2004	13	-	13	-	-	-	13
2004-2005	170	-	39	76	28	27	170
2005-2006	133	-	-	8	125	-	133
2006-2007	688	-	-	-	52	343	395
<b>Total</b>	<b>1004</b>	-	<b>52</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>711</b>

For the year 2006-2007, 688 buildings were approved by PAB.

During the past 4 years, totally there was only 48.62% release of funds. But the total expenditure was 81.68 % for the 4 years. The excess expenditure over the release was met from SSA funds.

MHRD has directed to repay the amount utilised to SSA account. Moreover in 2006-2007 only 50% of the release has been made. Hence, the civil has been limited and only 52 works have been completed. In 2007-2008, 339 civil works have been started and are in progress.

Under Cluster level intervention vocational training such as embroidery, tailoring, arts and crafts, training on yoga, sports and computer education were given.

One school per MCs has been selected based on the educational indicators and achievement of girls.

Each school is supplied with a set of yoga books for standards 1 to 7, and the teachers were given training on the concept. Teachers are given training on personality development and yoga, in turn they train girls in such a way for wholesome personality development.

Two-in-one transistor set has been supplied to each school, for attending radio audio lesson.

A set of Tamil encyclopedia (II volumes) has been supplied to all schools.

### **2.19.3. Community Mobilisation & Management**

Documentary films on the importance of Girls Education have been produced and utilised for community mobilization. Awareness programmes on the need for *girls education* and about various programmes for education of girls under SSA, NPEGEL and KGBV have been conducted for Women self help group members, mothers and members of cluster level committees. The activities under NPEGEL scheme have been documented at MCS level.

### **2.20. Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV) Scheme**

In the year 2004-2005, GOI approved 29 EBBs in 10 districts as per the educational statistics of 2001 census (provisional). GOI sanctioned 37 schools in ten districts in 22 blocks in the year 2004-2005. An amount of Rs.859.19 lakh was approved by PAB in the month of February 2005. All the 37 schools have been functioning since 2005. In February 2007, 16 new KGBV schools have been approved and are functioning since September 2007. Totally there are 53 KGBV schools out of which 4 are of Type I (for 100 girls) and 49 are of Type I (for 50 girls). These schools are run by 34 NGOs approved by GIAC. MoU was signed between SPO, DPO & the NGOs.

2602 girls have been enrolled in 53 schools.

### Community-wise Enrolment Details in KGBV Hostels – 2007-2008

S. No.	District	No. of EBBS	No. of KGBV hostels	No. of Children					Total
				SC	ST	MBC/ BC	Muslim Minority	Others	
1	Cuddalore	3	3	87	6	57	0	0	150
2	Dharmapuri	3	3	31	18	88	0	0	137
3	Erode	6	6	74	21	128	2	0	225
4	Karur	1	1	8	0	34	0	0	42
5	Krishnagiri	3	3	30	32	95	0	0	157
6	Namakkal	1	3	0	148	2	0	0	150
7	Salem	10	11	160	154	236	0	0	550
8	Sivagangai	1	1	13	0	22	0	2	35
9	Thiruvannamalai	2	5	16	200	40	0	0	256
10	Villupuram	7	14	234	100	412	4	0	750
11	Virudhunagar	1	3	74	0	76	0	0	150
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>38</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2602</b>

- Out of 2602 girls in the age group of 10- 14 years enrolled in 53 KGBV residential schools 727 girls belong to SC and 679 belong to ST community.
- In Namakkal 98.7% of enrollment belongs to ST community
- In Thiruvannamalai, the percentage of ST enrolment is 80%.

#### **2.20.1. Involvement of NGOs:**

KGBV schools are run by involving the NGOs. “Expression of Interest” has been received from NGOs from the Districts. Genuineness of the NGOs has been ascertained by an adhoc committee constituted for this purpose in the districts. The Chairman of District Educational Committee referred genuine, non profit making NGOs to Pre Sanction Appraisal Committee (PSAC). After scrutiny, PSAC recommended the NGOs to GIAC. GIAC has approved 34 NGOs to run 53 schools in 11 districts in Tamilnadu. MoU has been signed by the project officials and NGOs.

### **2.20.2. Medical check-up**

Monthly medical checkup is being conducted regularly in co-ordination with the nearest primary health centre / Govt. Hospital and this has been recorded. To make them feel secure, special 'group insurance coverage' for girls enrolled is made. The term of coverage is for two years and the insured amount is Rs.1,00,000/- per girl @ Rs.280 - per girl, a one time premium payment.

### **2.20.3. Stipend Amount**

Stipend amount for girls is deposited in the Post office account and girls are advised to utilise the amount for the purpose of their education.

### **2.20.4. Appointment of Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff**

As per MoU, NGOs are responsible for the appointment of part time and full time teaching staff and non teaching staff. Advertisement has been made and applications have been called for. It was mandatory to get approval of the selection of Staff by District Education Committee Female teachers with a minimum of basic degree in subject and with a minimum of bachelor degree in Education, for each subject (Tamil, English, Maths, Science and Social Science) have been appointed. Two part-time teachers – one teacher for physical education and one teacher for vocational education- have also been appointed. Experts on vocations have also been outsourced. The teachers are also attending training conducted by BRC in Content & Methodology, along with the teachers from regular formal schools.

Non-academic personnel like office accountant, office assistant, cook, helper and night watchman have been appointed. Except for watchman, all others are female. All these appointments are purely temporary, made by NGOs and approved by DLC. The appointment is made on consolidated payment only.

Part time vocational teachers have been appointed. Girls are given training in tailoring, woolen work, handworks in plastic wires, painting, artificial flower making and greeting cards preparation. Resources from Experts are also utilised in this area. Yogasanas and Physical training are also given to Girls. Computers are being procured under TLE for providing computer education and computer aided learning to girls. Girls are encouraged to develop their potentials and they are given chance to play in cultural items – dance, music, drama, folk songs and folk dance.

#### **2.20.5. Completing Elementary Education and mainstreaming**

Girls who have shown progress in achievements in all subjects were given coaching so as to appear directly for the ESLC Government Examination conducted by the Directorate of Examinations. 176 girls have passed ESLC Government Examination in December 2006. Out of which 167 girls have been enrolled in High/ Higher Secondary Schools. 633 girls appeared for ESLC public exam in December 2007.

#### **2.20.6. Success Story**



I feel proud to introduce myself as a KGBV student. *“...I am K.Deivanai, VIII standard; my parents are R.Krishnamoorthy and K.Senthamarai who were farmers. They never attended formal school. My native place is Periyavalli, in Jawadhu Hills. I never went to school because the distance between school and my village is about 10 kilometers. There is no transport facility. I had a great desire to attend school and study well, but situation is not favourable to me. I lost all my hopes of going school...”*

*In this situation in 2005 there came Women Educational Trust who told us about KGBVRS. They told us that KGBVRS are started by State Government with the guidelines of Central to give quality Education to girl children who were never enrolled and out of school.*

*As a never enrolled I felt it is a great opportunity for me to study and got a place in KGBVRS. I requested my parents to admit me in the school, and then I joined in Ammattankollai KGBVRS. I got basic education and basic knowledge in all subjects. KGBV provided every thing at free of cost. I enjoyed delicious food and every minute in KGBVRS.*

*I developed interest on education. I have learnt subjects with ease with the help of my teachers. Then I got first rank in my class.*

*Besides education I was given training on Embroidery, Tailoring and Home products. In 2006-07 I wrote my VIII standard exam and I got 368 marks out of 500. Now I have a confidence that I too can, like others, come up in life. I thank KGBVRS which developed confidence in my life.*



## Chapter – 3 Issues and Strategies

### 3.1 Introduction

SSA the community owned programme is being implemented by adopting innovative strategies to achieve the Universalization of Elementary Education.

Large database, research and evaluation studies and periodical progress reports are used for monitoring, identifying issues to improve, current strategy.

### 3.2 School Access

The provision of Primary and Upper Primary school access to the unserved habitations is the most important intervention for Universal Enrolment, Retention and Completion. Almost cent percent school access has already achieved in the State, however, few of the unserved eligible habitations are to be ensured school access.

#### 3.2.1 Issues

- Provision of school access to unserved ineligible habitations.

#### 3.2.2 Strategies

- Identifying the newly formed habitations eligible for opening of a new primary school.
- Upgradation of primary into upper primary schools along with the plan document from the districts to obtain Government Order.

#### 3.2.3 Calendar

S.No	Activity	Date
1	Obtaining proposals from the districts	March 2008
2	Obtaining GO	June 2008
3	Opening of a new schools	June 2008
4	Provision of grants to the new schools	July / August 2008
5	Free textbooks, Uniforms, Noon meal etc	July 2008
6	Provision of land & buildings to new schools	Before December 2008

### **3.3 Block Resource Centres**

#### **3.3.1 Issue**

Effectiveness of Block Resource Teacher Educators.

#### **3.3.2 Strategy**

The place Block Resource Centre by itself does not mean a building made of cement and mortar but it is expected to be a centre where 7 or more brains putting the efforts together to achieve a common objective of improving the Quality of Education.

Block Resource Centres should function as a wholistic resource centre. The BRCs should be fully equipped with resource materials. The Library corner in the BRC should be further enriched by providing more books, encyclopedia, CDs as reference material. Internet facility should be made available so that they fathom deep in the areas of interest and requirement for updating themselves on the latest trends in the educational arena. All these would help to improve the capacity of the Block Resource Teacher Educations.

#### **3.3.3 Issue**

School visits of Block Resource Teacher Educators – proper monitoring is needed for quality improvement and implementation of new methodologies

#### **3.3.4 Strategy**

Data formats have been reduced to 21 from 120 so their data collection work is reduced to a large extent.

Block Resource Teacher Educators visit the schools allotted to them and help the teachers in their day to day classroom activities. A post card with names of the schools visited, time of visit with the initial of the Head of school is to be posted by the BRTE to the District Project office. The details of visits are entered into the system and software is created to access this from the State Project Office. This method will surely help to monitor the school visit programme.

### **3.4. In-service Training**

#### **3.4.1 Issue**

No study is conducted on the impact of training programmes in classroom transaction.

#### **3.4.2 Strategy**

Though Training on Child Development and Care, Training on Simple and Scientific Toy Making, Training on Self Learning Mathematics Kits, Training on Activity Based Learning and Training on Active Learning Methodology had been given so far no scientific study had been done to assess its impact on the classroom transaction. Study is to be conducted on the impact of the training programmes given. External Agencies are proposed to be involved in the study.

#### **3.4.3. Issue**

Teacher absenteeism for in-service training programmes.

#### **3.4.4 Strategy**

Training programmes are planned and conducted in such a way that all the teachers attend them without fail. Though we are able to achieve a high percentage attendance there are a few absentees. They are identified from DISE data and training programmes are conducted separately for them. Entry in the Training card helps to reduce absenteeism and avoid repetition. Visits and time to time instructions by SPO, DPO and Education Department officials further help to achieve full coverage in teacher training

### **3.5. Out of School Children**

#### **3.5.1 Issue**

As Out of School Children are scattered in different habitations, enrolling them in AIE centres is a problem. The Migrant children, Street children and Urban deprived children are the hard core to reach. The migrant children (Parents working in brick kiln, rice mills, sugarcane field harvest, building of construction work, cotton field and seasonal agricultural labour) and child labourer rescued are in need of special strategy to enroll them in AIE centres.

### **3.5.2 Strategy**

To address this issue, Non-residential Bridge course and Residential camps are conducted to cover these children in the area where there is higher number of OSCs. Form Drop out children, NRBCs are conducted in the formal school campus under the charge of the School HM. The never enrolled children, the migrant children, the street children and urban deprived children are enrolled in Residential camps. For the conduct of RBCs , NGOs/SHGs are involved.

### **3.5.3 Issue**

Education Volunteers working in NRBCs / RBCs are not well trained. They are unable to teach effectively to these heterogeneous group of children of different classes. The training programmes given for a short period is not sufficient for the capacity building of the EVs.

### **3.5.4 Strategy**

It is proposed to appoint retired teachers or Self Help Group members instead of the present EVs for conducting classes in NRBCs and RBCs AIE centres from 2008-2009 in ABL Methodology.

### **3.5.5 Issue**

There is a need for effective teaching methodology to suit the drop out and never enrolled children. The present system of text book oriented teaching is not conducive for increasing their achievement. The children are heterogeneous groups and needed a different strategy

### **3.5.6 Strategy**

To address this multi grade multi level classroom activity, ABL Methodology for Std I – IV and ALM Methodology for Std VI to VIII is implemented in AIE centres during 2007-2008 itself. Self Learning Materials and Maths kits are also provided.

### **3.5.7 Issue**

The potential drop outs prevailing among the school going children due to various reasons is a problem. They are the possible drop outs for the next year.

### **3.5.8 Strategy**

Periodical supervision, checking and ensuring attendance of the child in consultation with the class teacher concerned by the CRTE in charge of the school will curb the potential drop out among the school going children.

### **3.5.9 Issue**

Child tracking and monitoring of mainstreamed children is a major issue.

### **3.5.10 Strategy**

Child tracking register is maintained at RBC level. The BRTE/CRTEs are assigned certain number of schools where the mainstreamed children are continuing their studies. Monitoring formats are designed. BRTEs are asked to visit the schools once in a month to ensure their continuance in the school to improve their achievement level, remedial teaching for the mainstreamed children viz., the migrant children is essential. One volunteer for a strength of 10 children in a school may be appointed as EV for undertaking remedial teaching. In other cases, the school teacher may be asked to assist the OSC mainstreamed.

## **3.6. Inclusive Education for CWSN (IED)**

### **3.6.1 Issue**

Children with major disability cannot attend assessment camps, they are also to be covered.

### **3.6.2 Strategy**

Children with special needs are those who could not attend special assessment camps. They are identified through special survey and given more attention through home based training.

### **3.6.3 Issue**

Maintenance of the equipment in Resource Room and its proper use.

### **3.6.4 Strategy**

Materials available in the resource room of all blocks are to be made available in day care centres for proper usage. Materials to be provided AMC for proper maintenance

### **3.6.5 Issue**

Special Educators do not have adequate knowledge in ABL methodology.

### **3.6.6 Strategy**

Two days training on Activity Based Learning Training programme was conducted to all special educators. The two days training is insufficient and more training need to be given.

### **3.6.7 Issue**

Escort allowance to the guardian / parents of the CWSN to be provided in Day Care Centres.

### **3.6.8 Strategy**

Many families are below poverty line and are not in a position to spend for their travel. Escort allowance is to be provided.

## **3.7. Monitoring**

### **3.7.1 Issue**

Monitoring the programme effectively

### **3.7.2 Strategy**

Monitoring of SSA activities implementation has been done both at the District level and State level. Review Formats, Reports, Visits and Review Meetings are the various ways of monitoring. Even after these

steps it was found out that at times reality eludes us. Hence, in order to get genuine field level reality and unbiased reports it has been planned to engage external agencies to go up to the grass root level and assess the real status. They are to collect the data, analyze and submit the report. Based on the reports corrective measures are to be taken.

### **3.8. Innovation**

#### **3.8.1 Girls Education**

##### **3.8.1.1 Issue**

Irregular attendance of girls from depressed community

##### **3.8.1.2 Strategy**

To improve the retention level, more vocational training schools will be selected in the required areas and vocational skill training can be given.

Life Skill training has been planned for Std VIII girls to face the challenges in life with self-confidence.

Organizing English communication skill improvement camps to improve English communication skills.

#### **3.8.2 SC / ST**

##### **3.8.2.1 Issue**

Lack of communication skill

##### **3.8.2.2 Strategy**

Improving the communication skill is the need of the hour. Listening improves communication skill. Hence, a Radio Programme on English Communication skill has been planned for the year 2008-2009.

### **3.9. Civil Works**

#### **3.9.1 Issue**

Poor knowledge of procurement procedure among VEC members in spite of their contribution towards quality constructions.

#### **3.9.2 Strategy**

Workshop for VEC members on cost-effective constructions.

#### **3.9.3 Issue**

Inadequate unit cost for hilly areas, black cotton soil areas, Delta areas.

### **3.9.4 Strategy**

Area-specific unit cost arrived at and incorporated in the AWP&B.

### **3.10. Quality Initiatives**

Quality is an issue that had been eluding us for a long time. Though there has been widespread debate over the issue of school quality, the present-day classrooms still remain the conventional way of adopting lecture method. Many attempts were made in the past for a paradigm shift in classroom process from teacher-centric to child-centric. But in practice, the strategies adopted did not penetrate into the classrooms to bring about the desired changes. There is a wide gap between theory and practice. This is chiefly owing to the rigidity of classroom structure and form, dominance of textbooks in classrooms and non-availability of working models for emulation. In fact, classroom process is completely guided by the textbooks. When the textbook dominates the classroom process teachers are more concerned about following the textbooks and completing the syllabus in time rather than about children's learning outcomes. As the classrooms are governed by the textbooks there is little scope for group learning, self-learning, peer learning and activity based learning.

The 'Lecture Method' adopted in the teacher-centred classrooms was not child-friendly. In a class of 40 or 50 students, if a teacher teaches with his book on hand, 60 to 70% of the students do not pay attention to what the teacher says. *Multi-grade situation* is another critical issue in Primary Education. As many as 78% of the Elementary Schools in Tamilnadu function in multi-grade situations. Many strategies are adopted to handle multi-grade situations including training programme to teachers. But the results are not encouraging. The inputs on training programmes are not practised in the classrooms. *Students' absenteeism* is a common phenomena in rural areas and children have no opportunities to learn the missed lessons. All these factors have resulted in poor performance of children. SSA identified the need to



intervene and improve the child's competency and hence the introduction of Activity Based Learning (ABL) in all schools from 2007 - 2008.

Multi-grade, multi-level situation is an inevitable phenomena in our school setting. Wisdom lies in capitalizing the strength of multi-grade rather than blaming it. ABL builds on this premise and effectively uses the advantages of multi-grade for promoting peer learning, team spirit, sense of cooperation among students, recreating a family atmosphere in the class room, for providing flexibility in curriculum achievements across standards, creating room and space for the child to spend more years with the same teacher .

In ABL methodology, various competencies in the Textbook have been split into several units in the form of activities. Each unit is called a milestone. These milestones are arranged in structured and logistic sequences from basic to advanced level. The cards and Maths kits which are being used are devised by experts. No child can move to the next higher level of learning unless he learns the lower level. Also, children learn at their own pace. This methodology addresses multi-grade and multi-level teaching. Inbuilt evaluation mechanism is also incorporated into the system. In this methodology, the competency level of each child in a particular subject is explicitly known and recorded on completion of every mile stone.

ABL methodology was first introduced in I-IV standards in Chennai Corporation schools which has been in vogue from 2003. An Assessment study was conducted in Activity Based learning schools and other schools in the month of Feb 2007. The results are as follows.

S. No.	Categories	Percentage of Pass		
		Tamil	Maths	Science
1.	ABL school, Chennai	74.3	87.15	82.40
2.	Non-ABL school, Chennai	24.12	34.12	35.29
3.	Non-ABL School, Thiruvallur District	29.2	50.36	54.01

*Source: Achievement Test Feb 2007*

Children who study in ABL schools are performing extremely well in all the three subjects namely, Tamil, Maths and Science.

The programme was extended to 4120 select primary schools in all district as a pilot programme in 2006-2007. Based on the success of the programme, the ABL methodology has been scaled up to all 37,453 Government and Primary schools during the current year, 2007-2008.

### **3.10.1. Scaling up of ABL – Strategies**

#### **3.10.1.1 Commitment of the State**

Hon'ble Minister for School Education visited the Chennai schools and observed the actual classroom transactions for two days. He interacted with the children, teachers, parents and the community members. He was impressed with the confidence and unlimited curiosity of the children as well as the teachers in practicing the ABL method. He witnessed the children actively engaged in their own learning with complete transformation of the classrooms. He was convinced that the ABL method would enable the children to learn their lessons meaningful understanding of the concepts. Systematic measures have been initiated to ensure that the new system is in place. To facilitate the implementation of the new methodology in the State a Government order is also issued in this regard. This shows the political will and commitment of the Government to bring about a positive change in approach to address the issue of *quality*. In this regard, it would be pertinent to record the encouragement given by the Government to pursue the new methodology.

#### **3.10.1.2 MHRD's Support**

The PAB has been convinced of this programme and has approved the same in the AWP&B 2007-2008. This has enabled the State to pursue its efforts towards quality improvement in the current year itself. The support by MHRD has been very encouraging for the State to go ahead with its plans without any hitch.

### **3.10.1.3 Materials for ABL**

Under this programme, all the required learning cards to be used by children in various subjects have been supplied to schools. These cards have been made available for all subjects in I-IV standards. Low-level blackboards for the use of children have been ensured in all the schools.

### **3.10.1.4 Training**

The training was mostly practical conducted in class rooms as hands on experience with small input in theory. Teachers, HMs, BRTEs have been trained ***for 5 days*** on the use of the ABL cards in classrooms. The training on this methodology has been arranged on *cascade mode*. Another significant departure is that the master resource persons were practicing teachers. The services of State Resource Team have been utilized to train the District Resource Persons who in turn trained the teachers of primary schools in the Blocks. The District Resource Team is in place in all Districts, comprising master teachers, BRTEs and Education Officers. Booster Training is also conducted in November & December in all the CRCs.

### **3.10.1.5 Visits to ABL Model schools**

As part of scaling up strategies, arrangements were made for visiting the model schools in the same block. During Jan to June 2007, teams of teachers from various Districts visited ABL classrooms in Chennai schools. And at the end of the day, an interactive session was arranged for them with the *State Resource team* to have a feedback. This session was found to be very useful for the teachers in clearing their doubts and in getting motivated. Thus, the direct exposure of ABL practice has been particularly very helpful for the teachers in gaining confidence for implementing the same in their schools.

#### **3.10.1.6 On-site support**

Academic support teams comprising Chennai Corporation teachers have been formed and they visited the schools in the Districts. These visits have been primarily to extend on-site academic support to the teachers. The problems faced by the teachers in actual implementation have been immediately looked into and solved. These visits by on-site support team have been used as occasions for capacity building of the District Resource Teams also.

#### **3.10.1.7 Visits by Experts and Media Persons**

Visits by experts, media persons and members of civil society to model ABL schools in Chennai have been organized to give them an exposure of how ABL is being practised and how children learn through the new methodology to secure public support. The effort of SSA has been widely welcomed and appreciated by the media. The support of the media is very significant. Almost all dailies – English and Tamil – published articles in support of the method. They continue to support this effort by highlighting the achievements of the children in various schools.

#### **3.10.1.8 Support by Teacher**

Teachers have been particularly supportive of this methodology. Feedback from Teacher's have been elicited and they have highlighted certain academic and managerial issues which were immediately attended to and solved. Teachers have been motivated by the improved learning outcomes of children, which itself has facilitated the upscaling of Activity Based Learning. Teachers unions started organizing meetings to dispel the misgivings and misunderstandings of the member teachers.

#### **3.10.1.9 BRTEs, AEEOs and VECs – Co-operation enlisted**

In the ABL context, Teachers play the role of facilitators of classroom process. VECs support the academic efforts of the school. VECs have been motivated to involve themselves in the activities of

schools since they can very well see the positive changes and improvement in the achievement levels of children. Administrative Officer at Block and District have been trained on the use of ABL methodology. They are now members of Resource Team and Academic support group. During their visit to schools they also render necessary academic support to teachers. The BRTEs in each block regularly visit schools in their block and facilitate the smooth implementation of the methodology by extending academic support. With clarity of their role, there has been good co-operation among teachers, BRTEs, Administrative Officers and VECs.

#### **3.10.1.10 Monitoring by SPO**

In addition to visits by District Resource Team, State Project Director and State Resource Persons visit schools in various Districts continuously and get regular feedback from teachers, AEEOs and BRTEs. Based on the feedback, issues relating to day-to-day implementation are sorted out then and there. The visits of State Resource team are planned in such a way that they visit all Districts at frequent intervals.

#### **3.10.1.11 EDUSAT – Sharing of Experience**

Conferences through EDUSAT are arranged for the teachers to share their experiences in classrooms. Teachers make use of the programmes to share their experience in Cluster Resource Centres sessions. Many creative efforts of the teachers have come to the fore during these sessions. Necessary assistance has been made for dissemination of these positive practices in other schools as well.

#### **3.10.2. Advantages of ABL**

1. Classrooms are converted into exciting, active learning space and *comfortable zone* for children.
2. ABL system addresses multi-grade and multi-level situations.
3. Student absenteeism is also addressed.
4. ABL is *self-based* and *self-paced*.
5. *Flexibility* is allowed in pace of learning.

6. Children *participate* in their own learning.
7. Built-in evaluation system.
8. *Self-evaluation* is possible.
9. There is scope for *peer teaching and learning*.
10. Discipline problem in the class is minimized.
11. No burden of homework for children.
12. There is scope for the teachers to be *creative*.
13. The teacher knows the exact level of achievement of each child and can take remedial measures for the child who tends to slow down.
14. Clarity of the lesson and understanding of the concepts are ensured.
15. Teacher-child relationship becomes more intimate and meaningful.
16. Children gain confidence in their own academic skills.
17. Teacher-Parent relationship gets strengthened.

### **3.10.3. Monitoring**

ABL Cards for all subjects have been supplied to all schools. The support materials such as tray, mats are made available through VEC locally, using the School Grant. Necessary training is also provided to BRTEs and AEEOs. They visit schools regularly to give academic support. Booster trainings are also arranged regularly in all the Districts. Thus, ABL is being implemented in a full-fledged manner in all districts.

Having done all this, monitoring of the programme is imperative to assess how the new system is in place. Conventional monitoring will help to know the status only to a certain extent. To have an objective idea of how the system is in place, a sample study has been conducted in all districts. In each block, 10 schools were selected through *stratified random sampling method*. Totally, 4120 schools were selected to cover all 412 blocks in all districts. Required questionnaires were developed and refined to elicit responses from different stakeholders namely BRTEs, Teachers, Parents and Community members. These questionnaires were administered by BRTEs and responses from stakeholders obtained in one day. To ensure objectivity to the survey, BRTEs were invariably deputed to other blocks (other than their own) to administer the questionnaires

and obtain responses. Then, the responses to the questionnaires were collated and tabulated.

The responses were analyzed in terms of *clubbing of classes, positioning of classroom materials and status of factors relating to learning environment in classrooms.*

The following table provides the district wise clubbing of classes in schools (in percentage).

**Table - 1**  
**Clubbing of Classes**

District	Class I & II clubbed, III & IV clubbed and V separately		Class I to IV clubbed and V separately		Class I to V clubbed		Class I and II clubbed, III,IV,V separately		Data not mentioned	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Erode	44	44.00	15	15.00	18	18.00	22	22.00	1	1.00
Krishnagiri	15	30.00	11	22.00	15	30.00	8	16.00	1	2.00
Perambalur	21	42.00	0	0.00	7	14.00	22	44.00	0	0.00
Thoothukudi	27	41.54	18	27.69	9	13.85	11	16.92	0	0.00
Thrivannamalai	41	45.56	9	10.00	18	20.00	22	24.44	0	0.00
Virudhunagar	10	18.18	8	14.55	11	20.00	16	29.09	10	18.18
Cuddalore	25	38.46	7	10.77	17	26.15	16	24.62	0	0.00
Coimbatore	29	26.36	20	18.18	20	18.18	38	34.55	3	2.73
Dindigul	32	40.00	5	6.25	16	20.00	25	31.25	1	1.25
Dharmapuri	10	25.00	8	20.00	11	27.50	9	22.50	2	5.00
Kancheepuram	11	16.92	13	20.00	30	46.15	9	13.85	2	3.08
Kanyakumari	8	17.78	28	62.22	1	2.22	8	17.78	0	0.00
Karur	12	30.00	3	7.50	16	40.00	8	20.00	1	2.50
Madurai	18	24.00	22	29.33	11	14.67	19	25.33	5	6.67
Nagapattinam	19	34.55	14	25.45	8	14.55	14	25.45	0	0.00
Namakkal	37	49.33	5	6.67	5	6.67	26	34.67	2	2.67
Nilgiris	8	40.00	6	30.00	2	10.00	4	20.00	0	0.00
Pudukkottai	38	58.46	6	9.23	4	6.15	16	24.62	1	1.54
Ramnad	20	36.36	19	34.55	6	10.91	8	14.55	2	3.64
Salem	33	31.43	19	18.10	34	32.38	19	18.10	0	0.00
Sivagangai	28	46.67	19	31.67	2	3.33	11	18.33	0	0.00
Thanjavur	30	40.00	12	16.00	14	18.67	17	22.67	2	2.67
Thiruvarur	19	38.00	14	28.00	9	18.00	7	14.00	1	2.00
Theni	15	37.50	6	15.00	9	22.50	10	25.00	0	0.00
Thirunelveli	41	39.05	17	16.19	7	6.67	32	30.48	8	7.62
Thiruvallur	30	42.86	11	15.71	10	14.29	19	27.14	0	0.00
Trichy	32	40.00	12	15.00	6	7.50	25	31.25	5	6.25
Villupuram	39	35.45	26	23.64	21	19.09	24	21.82	0	0.00
	<b>734</b>	<b>36.63</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>18.31</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>18.26</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>24.40</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2.35</b>

It can be seen from the Table that the clubbing of classes has been done in four different manner. In around 37% of the schools, the classes are combined in the following manner: classes I & II clubbed, III & IV clubbed and V std is handled separately. In 18% of the schools, I to IV classes are combined and V is not clubbed with the other classes. Classes I & II are clubbed and III – V are combined in nearly 25% of the schools. Classes I to V stds are clubbed together in around 18% of the schools.

The status of availability of the support materials such as mats, low-level blackboard, trays, shelves in schools is shown in percentages in the Table given here.

**Table - 2**  
**Classroom material available - Positioning the material**

District	Mattress available		Lower Level Block Board available		Trays available		Availability of shelf for keeping the trays		Trays kept in Benches / Floor	
	Yes (%)	No (%)	Yes (%)	No (%)	Yes (%)	No (%)	Yes (%)	No (%)	Yes (%)	No (%)
Erode	80.00	20.00	98.00	2.00	100.00	0.00	60.00	40.00	59.00	30.00
Krishnagiri	80.00	20.00	82.00	16.00	96.00	4.00	58.00	42.00	60.00	30.00
Perambalur	90.00	10.00	98.00	2.00	96.00	4.00	62.00	38.00	78.00	14.00
Thoothukudi	49.23	50.77	86.15	13.85	96.92	3.08	63.08	36.92	69.23	16.92
Thriuvannamalai	64.44	35.56	82.22	17.78	87.78	12.22	42.22	57.78	67.78	27.78
Virudhunagar	32.73	67.27	87.27	12.73	92.73	7.27	69.09	30.91	41.82	20.00
Cuddalore	76.92	23.08	90.77	9.23	90.77	9.23	47.69	52.31	89.23	3.08
Coimbatore	90.91	9.09	94.55	5.45	98.18	1.82	55.45	44.55	68.18	15.45
Dindigul	73.75	26.25	83.75	16.25	92.50	7.50	68.75	31.25	75.00	16.25
Dharmapuri	70.00	30.00	85.00	15.00	97.50	2.50	65.00	35.00	70.00	30.00
Kancheepuram	66.15	33.85	87.69	12.31	83.08	16.92	52.31	47.69	53.85	24.62
Kanyakumari	77.78	22.22	95.56	4.44	100.00	0.00	60.00	40.00	55.56	33.33
Karur	90.00	10.00	100.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	80.00	20.00	60.00	32.50
Madurai	77.33	22.67	97.33	2.67	97.33	2.67	72.00	28.00	60.00	32.00
Nagapattinam	83.64	16.36	92.73	7.27	100.00	0.00	45.45	54.55	83.64	12.73
Namakkal	80.00	20.00	92.00	8.00	94.67	5.33	78.67	21.33	62.67	25.33
Nilgiris	80.00	20.00	80.00	20.00	95.00	5.00	60.00	40.00	55.00	20.00
Pudukkottai	90.77	9.23	96.92	3.08	98.46	1.54	70.77	29.23	64.62	32.31
Ramnad	76.36	23.64	92.73	7.27	100.00	0.00	83.64	16.36	43.64	40.00
Salem	91.43	8.57	98.10	1.90	100.00	0.00	80.95	19.05	44.76	37.14
Sivagangai	73.33	26.67	93.33	6.67	98.33	1.67	70.00	30.00	63.33	26.67
Thanjavur	85.33	14.67	98.67	1.33	94.67	5.33	65.33	34.67	73.33	13.33
Thiruvarur	90.00	10.00	100.00	0.00	96.00	2.00	70.00	30.00	56.00	30.00
Theni	95.00	5.00	100.00	0.00	97.50	2.50	70.00	30.00	92.50	5.00
Thirunelveli	75.24	22.86	84.76	13.33	89.52	8.57	59.05	39.05	59.05	24.76
Thiruvallur	72.86	27.14	88.57	11.43	91.43	8.57	57.14	42.86	81.43	12.86
Trichy	71.25	28.75	96.25	3.75	96.25	3.75	65.00	35.00	75.00	5.00
Villupuram	56.36	43.64	95.45	4.55	93.64	6.36	53.64	46.36	82.73	12.73
Vellore	83.49	16.51	92.66	7.34	90.83	9.17	56.88	42.20	66.06	20.18
	76.45	23.45	92.32	7.53	95.01	4.84	62.82	37.03	66.07	22.01



In around 76% of the schools mats are available for the children to sit on in groups and carry out the activities. Low-level blackboards are available in 92% of the schools. The Trays used for keeping the ABL cards are available in 95% of the schools. Similarly, the shelves are available in 66% of the schools.

**Table - 3**  
**Learning environment - classroom process**

District	Children are fully aware of the Logos of the subject		Children identify the Logos in the Ladder		Children follow moving the fore finger in the ladder to fix the place of his learning		Children identify the learning cards with Logos and numbers	
	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)
Erode	91.00	9.00	95.00	5.00	95.00	5.00	80.00	20.00
Krishnagiri	78.00	22.00	88.00	12.00	78.00	22.00	66.00	34.00
Perambalur	90.00	10.00	90.00	10.00	80.00	20.00	74.00	26.00
Thoothukudi	75.38	24.62	75.38	24.62	58.46	41.54	55.38	44.62
Thriuvannamalai	83.33	16.67	83.33	16.67	74.44	25.56	57.78	42.22
Virudhunagar	85.45	14.55	89.09	10.91	74.55	25.45	65.45	34.55
Cuddalore	83.08	16.92	84.62	15.38	90.77	9.23	58.46	41.54
Coimbatore	92.73	7.27	96.36	3.64	95.45	4.55	88.18	11.82
Dindigul	80.00	20.00	82.50	17.50	72.50	27.50	55.00	43.75
Dharmapuri	70.00	30.00	82.50	17.50	80.00	20.00	65.00	35.00
Kancheepuram	80.00	20.00	83.08	16.92	84.62	15.38	55.38	44.62
Kanyakumari	88.89	11.11	93.33	6.67	88.89	11.11	82.22	17.78
Karur	100.00	0.00	95.00	2.50	92.50	7.50	82.50	17.50
Madurai	96.00	4.00	98.67	1.33	88.00	12.00	89.33	10.67
Nagapattinam	76.36	23.64	92.73	7.27	81.82	18.18	63.64	36.36
Namakkal	89.33	10.67	94.67	5.33	94.67	5.33	69.33	30.67
Nilgiris	65.00	35.00	80.00	20.00	90.00	10.00	65.00	35.00
Pudukkottai	93.85	6.15	95.38	4.62	93.85	6.15	81.54	18.46
Ramnad	80.00	20.00	81.82	18.18	81.82	18.18	61.82	36.36
Salem	94.29	4.76	94.29	5.71	91.43	8.57	75.24	24.76
Sivagangai	95.00	5.00	95.00	5.00	88.33	11.67	78.33	21.67
Thanjavur	89.33	10.67	92.00	8.00	89.33	9.33	89.33	10.67
Thiruvannur	84.00	16.00	90.00	10.00	78.00	22.00	60.00	40.00
Theni	97.50	2.50	100.00	0.00	90.00	10.00	77.50	22.50
Thirunelveli	85.71	12.38	88.57	9.52	79.05	19.05	77.14	20.95
Thiruvallur	90.00	10.00	95.71	4.29	90.00	10.00	85.71	14.29
Trichy	93.75	6.25	93.75	6.25	97.50	2.50	81.25	18.75
Villupuram	91.82	8.18	93.64	6.36	94.55	5.45	70.00	30.00
Vellore	92.66	7.34	91.74	8.26	90.83	9.17	80.73	19.27
	87.77	12.08	90.72	9.13	86.33	13.52	73.05	26.75

### Learning environment - Classroom process (Cont...)

District	Children are able to identify, take the cards for practice and to place them back in the appropriate place after use		When you say the logo children identify its group		Are able to identify the class on seeing the colour of borders in the learning cards	
	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)
Erode	87.00	13.00	91.00	9.00	91.00	9.00
Krishnagiri	86.00	14.00	84.00	16.00	80.00	20.00
Perambalur	86.00	14.00	78.00	22.00	92.00	8.00
Thoothukudi	61.54	38.46	70.77	29.23	78.46	21.54
Thriuvannamalai	68.89	31.11	63.33	36.67	70.00	30.00
Virudhunagar	83.64	16.36	83.64	16.36	89.09	10.91
Cuddalore	69.23	30.77	61.54	38.46	87.69	12.31
Coimbatore	96.36	3.64	86.36	13.64	96.36	3.64
Dindigul	82.50	17.50	61.25	38.75	87.50	12.50
Dharmapuri	75.00	25.00	57.50	42.50	90.00	10.00
Kancheepuram	66.15	33.85	67.69	32.31	86.15	13.85
Kanyakumari	86.67	13.33	84.44	15.56	93.33	6.67
Karur	92.50	7.50	87.50	12.50	92.50	7.50
Madurai	88.00	12.00	86.67	13.33	88.00	12.00
Nagapattinam	78.18	21.82	65.45	34.55	74.55	25.45
Namakkal	88.00	12.00	73.33	26.67	85.33	13.33
Nilgiris	85.00	15.00	70.00	30.00	70.00	25.00
Pudukkottai	92.31	7.69	84.62	15.38	96.92	3.08
Ramnad	81.82	18.18	74.55	25.45	80.00	20.00
Salem	86.67	13.33	86.67	13.33	88.57	11.43
Sivagangai	85.00	15.00	85.00	15.00	91.67	8.33
Thanjavur	90.67	8.00	84.00	14.67	89.33	9.33
Thiruvarur	84.00	16.00	84.00	16.00	82.00	18.00
Theni	95.00	5.00	95.00	5.00	87.50	12.50
Thirunelveli	82.86	15.24	75.24	22.86	88.57	9.52
Thiruvallur	85.71	14.29	85.71	14.29	81.43	18.57
Trichy	86.25	13.75	80.00	20.00	91.25	8.75
Villupuram	81.82	18.18	75.45	24.55	85.45	14.55
Vellore	85.32	14.68	75.23	24.77	83.49	16.51
	83.48	16.37	78.04	21.81	86.58	13.17

Some of the key activities of the children in the process of learning through ABL cards have been identified and classrooms have been observed to ascertain whether these activities are carried out by the children. A few of the other indicators of the classroom process such as allotment of time for each subject, filling in of charts, health charts, recording of attendance by children etc, have also been identified for status monitoring in the schools selected for the survey.

## Learning environment - classroom process

District	Children take the cards from the box and sit in the appropriate group without help from others		Creative products of children (Drawing, Painting etc.) are placed in the classroom recording the name, class, with date in prominent		Half day is allotted for each subject		Learning cards are kept in separate rooms. Students and teachers move from room to room for different subjects. Learning cards are not taken outside the room	
	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)
Erode	83.00	17.00	80.00	20.00	87.00	13.00	91.00	7.00
Krishnagiri	72.00	28.00	74.00	26.00	88.00	12.00	88.00	12.00
Perambalur	78.00	22.00	62.00	38.00	88.00	12.00	72.00	28.00
Thoothukudi	50.77	49.23	56.92	43.08	89.23	10.77	64.62	33.85
Thiruvannamalai	57.78	42.22	57.78	42.22	74.44	25.56	78.89	21.11
Virudhunagar	74.55	25.45	70.91	29.09	81.82	18.18	65.45	32.73
Cuddalore	53.85	46.15	63.08	36.92	26.15	73.85	47.69	52.31
Coimbatore	90.00	10.00	90.00	10.00	78.18	21.82	82.73	14.55
Dindigul	61.25	38.75	70.00	28.75	73.75	25.00	60.00	38.75
Dharmapuri	57.50	42.50	57.50	42.50	77.50	22.50	80.00	15.00
Kancheepuram	53.85	46.15	63.08	36.92	78.46	21.54	84.62	15.38
Kanyakumari	73.33	26.67	75.56	24.44	95.56	4.44	88.89	11.11
Karur	90.00	10.00	90.00	10.00	90.00	10.00	90.00	10.00
Madurai	89.33	10.67	89.33	10.67	65.33	34.67	50.67	46.67
Nagapattinam	52.73	47.27	72.73	27.27	90.91	9.09	72.73	27.27
Namakkal	74.67	25.33	88.00	12.00	69.33	30.67	74.67	22.67
Nilgiris	75.00	25.00	60.00	40.00	85.00	15.00	70.00	20.00
Pudukkottai	83.08	16.92	76.92	23.08	72.31	27.69	73.85	26.15
Ramnad	63.64	36.36	67.27	32.73	89.09	10.91	87.27	12.73
Salem	73.33	26.67	86.67	13.33	71.43	28.57	85.71	13.33
Sivagangai	78.33	21.67	81.67	18.33	76.67	23.33	80.00	18.33
Thanjavur	81.33	17.33	89.33	9.33	80.00	18.67	77.33	20.00
Thiruvannamalai	76.00	24.00	86.00	14.00	92.00	8.00	88.00	10.00
Theni	87.50	12.50	97.50	2.50	80.00	20.00	85.00	15.00
Thirunelveli	69.52	28.57	79.05	19.05	77.14	20.95	67.62	27.62
Thiruvallur	70.00	30.00	72.86	27.14	80.00	20.00	81.43	18.57
Trichy	73.75	26.25	81.25	16.25	70.00	28.75	62.50	32.50
Villupuram	54.55	45.45	88.18	11.82	89.09	10.91	75.45	23.64
Vellore	62.39	37.61	69.72	30.28	91.74	8.26	69.72	30.28
	70.71	29.14	76.80	22.90	78.94	20.81	75.25	23.20

### Learning environment - classroom process (Cont...)

District	Weather chart is filled daily by children in rotation		Health chart is used in all the classes		Children record their attendance by themselves every day	
	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)	YES (%)	NO (%)
Erode	91.00	9.00	89.00	11.00	97.00	3.00
Krishnagiri	66.00	34.00	66.00	34.00	76.00	24.00
Perambalur	78.00	22.00	80.00	20.00	84.00	16.00
Thoothukudi	66.15	33.85	67.69	32.31	84.62	15.38
Thiruvannamalai	53.33	46.67	60.00	40.00	63.33	36.67
Virudhunagar	81.82	18.18	80.00	20.00	87.27	12.73
Cuddalore	73.85	26.15	69.23	30.77	76.92	23.08
Coimbatore	87.27	12.73	90.91	9.09	92.73	7.27
Dindigul	72.50	27.50	85.00	15.00	73.75	26.25
Dharmapuri	67.50	32.50	67.50	32.50	70.00	25.00
Kancheepuram	61.54	38.46	63.08	36.92	86.15	13.85
Kanyakumari	68.89	31.11	82.22	17.78	91.11	8.89
Karur	95.00	5.00	95.00	5.00	95.00	5.00
Madurai	90.67	9.33	88.00	12.00	93.33	6.67
Nagapattinam	54.55	43.64	60.00	40.00	70.91	29.09
Namakkal	80.00	18.67	84.00	16.00	88.00	12.00
Nilgiris	55.00	45.00	80.00	20.00	75.00	25.00
Pudukkottai	89.23	10.77	89.23	9.23	90.77	9.23
Ramnad	72.73	27.27	65.45	34.55	89.09	10.91
Salem	90.48	9.52	85.71	14.29	94.29	5.71
Sivagangai	78.33	21.67	75.00	25.00	91.67	8.33
Thanjavur	88.00	10.67	84.00	14.67	93.33	5.33
Thiruvannur	74.00	26.00	70.00	30.00	72.00	28.00
Theni	80.00	20.00	87.50	12.50	87.50	12.50
Thirunelveli	65.71	32.38	72.38	25.71	72.38	25.71
Thiruvallur	64.29	35.71	64.29	35.71	84.29	15.71
Trichy	92.50	7.50	90.00	10.00	97.50	2.50
Villupuram	80.00	20.00	81.82	18.18	79.09	20.91
Vellore	57.80	42.20	58.72	41.28	66.06	33.94
	<b>75.85</b>	<b>23.90</b>	<b>77.20</b>	<b>22.60</b>	<b>83.63</b>	<b>16.12</b>

The Table shows that nearly 88% of the children are fully aware of the logos of the subject. It has been observed that in Karur, all children are aware of the logos. In the schools identified for the survey, around 91% of the children are able to identify the logos in the ladder. In Theni, all children are able to do this exercise. Nearly 86% of the children are able to follow moving the forefinger in the ladder to fix the place of his/her learning. About 73% of the children are able to identify the learning cards with logos and numbers. Being able to identify the cards, taking them for practice and placing them back in the appropriate place after use is one of the key activities. Around 84% of the children are able

to do this exercise without difficulty. And about 78% of the children are able to identify the groups when you say the logos. Nearly 87% of the children are able to identify the class on seeing the colour of the borders in the learning cards. 71% of the children are able to take the cards from the box and sit in the appropriate group without help from others. Creative products of children are displayed with name, class and date in 77% of the schools. Half-a-day is allotted for each subject in 79% of the schools. In nearly 76% of the schools, weather chart is being filled in by children on rotation. In 77% of the schools, health chart is used in all classes. Children record their attendance every day in almost 84% of the schools.

### **Grading of Schools (A,B,C & D) every month**

The Grading of schools is done on the availability and proper usage of the ABL Cards. The infrastructure facilities of the classroom is strengthened through monthly reviews of each school by grading the schools. The usage and storage of the materials everyday in all the classrooms are ensured through the review provision.

In addition to this exercise, a questionnaire containing 24 variables to objectively identify the status of the new system and its process has been used. This questionnaire has been administered to all the 37,000 schools practicing ABL method across the State. For the existence of each variable in a school, one score has been given.

On the basis of the total scores obtained, the schools have been categorized as follows: the schools with scores between 20 and 24 have been placed in 'A' category; the schools with scores between 15 and 19 have come under 'B' category and the schools with scores between 10 and 14 have been categorized as 'C'. The rest of the schools have been placed under 'D' category.

## Grading of School under Activity Based Learning

### Comparative Statement of School Grading for October to December 2007

S. No	District	Total No. of Schools	A			B			C			Total
			October	November	December	October	November	December	October	November	December	
1	Chennai	467	120	134	138	289	295	299	58	38	30	467
2	Coimbatore	1827	773	826	840	855	873	888	199	128	99	1827
3	Cuddalore	1407	162	228	247	922	1030	1085	323	149	75	1407
4	Dharmapuri	1157	264	353	496	585	692	607	308	112	54	1157
5	Dindigui	1403	861	870	884	481	492	499	61	41	20	1403
6	Erode	1702	235	383	531	1027	1195	1145	440	124	26	1702
7	Kancheepuram	1346	306	358	433	716	764	810	324	224	103	1346
8	Kanyakumari	570	198	217	240	247	262	278	125	91	52	570
9	Karur	750	245	297	316	274	330	418	231	123	16	750
10	Krishnagiri	1414	141	313	473	523	657	677	750	444	264	1414
11	Madurai	1241	336	352	368	782	814	828	123	75	45	1241
12	Nagapattinam	1031	326	342	367	545	586	595	160	103	69	1031
13	Namakkal	916	164	299	306	357	399	492	395	218	118	916
14	Perambalur	848	356	389	399	412	424	435	80	35	14	848
15	Pudukkottai	1408	418	458	495	804	839	857	186	111	56	1408
16	Ramanathapuram	1163	298	301	340	716	758	775	149	104	48	1163
17	Salem	1497	595	621	649	761	780	792	141	96	56	1497
18	Sivagangai	1118	207	230	245	746	782	808	165	106	65	1118
19	Thanjavur	1378	317	352	447	791	957	898	270	69	33	1378
20	The Nilgiris	458	125	152	168	250	246	257	83	60	33	458
21	Theni	624	175	198	217	293	338	369	156	88	38	624
22	Thiruchirappalli	1338	379	424	445	814	849	862	145	65	31	1338
23	Thirunelveli	1880	444	498	535	835	975	1051	601	407	294	1880
24	Thiruvallur	1357	369	382	423	649	784	840	339	191	94	1357
25	Thiruvannamalai	1757	198	288	424	1099	1166	1195	460	303	138	1757
26	Thiruvarur	892	235	268	301	466	488	508	191	136	83	892
27	Thoothukudi	1349	168	228	277	894	977	1011	287	144	61	1349
28	Vellore	2122	422	474	549	1183	1235	1288	517	413	285	2122
29	Villupuram	2027	427	481	549	1017	1098	1122	583	448	356	2027
30	Virudhunagar	1199	247	265	305	705	799	815	247	135	79	1199
	<b>Total</b>	<b>37646</b>	<b>9511</b>	<b>10981</b>	<b>12407</b>	<b>20038</b>	<b>21884</b>	<b>22504</b>	<b>8097</b>	<b>4781</b>	<b>2735</b>	<b>37646</b>

Far from being conventional, the monitoring strategies adopted in Tamil Nadu have been helpful in identifying the status of the Districts, Blocks and Schools which need to be improved. And immediate follow-up initiatives have been taken up in the needy districts / blocks / schools to address the issues / problems identified through the survey. Moreover, the objectivity in the exercise of monitoring has inculcated a scientific attitude among the project personnel.

## Study from DISE data

DISE data captures only infrastructure facilities so far. But this year DISE data has peeped into the Quality aspect also. As ABL has been introduced data had been collected on the requirements like grouping and additional facilities like tray, mat, shelf etc. This data has given the chance to see whether ABL has been in position in all the schools and is in the implementation stage.

### District wise No. of Schools, ABL implementing Schools, Materials supplied and class combination

Sl. No	District	Total No.of Schools	ABL not Covered Schools			ABL Schools			Racks/Selve Received		Sufficient No.Of Trays	
			Un aided	HS,Hr.Sec, KGBV, Other Schools	Total	Imple menting	Non Imple menting	Total	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	CHENNAI	1504	778	264	1042	458	4	462	364	94	376	82
2	COIMBATORE	2841	712	283	995	1845	1	1846	1843	2	1843	2
3	CUDDALORE	1894	285	195	480	1410	4	1414	1009	401	1328	82
4	DHARMAPURI	1466	160	142	302	1115	49	1164	1018	97	1064	51
5	DINDIGUL	1797	225	171	396	1396	5	1401	1253	143	1256	140
6	ERODE	2228	329	197	526	1701	1	1702	1587	114	1637	64
7	KANCHIPURAM	2229	622	256	878	1348	3	1351	1236	112	1270	78
8	KANYAKUMARI	1114	309	250	559	554	1	555	410	144	434	120
9	KARUR	967	127	90	217	749	1	750	703	46	704	45
10	KRISHNAGRI	1804	213	177	390	1406	8	1414	1022	384	1061	345
11	MADURAI	2034	560	229	789	1245	0	1245	1160	85	1194	51
12	NAGAPATTINAM	1374	189	152	341	1026	7	1033	894	132	942	84
13	NAMAKAL	1259	206	138	344	914	1	915	845	69	842	72
14	NILGIRIS	717	152	108	260	457	0	457	382	75	392	65
15	PERAMBALUR	1135	134	153	287	848	0	848	724	124	714	134
16	PUDUKKOTTAI	1820	227	184	411	1409	0	1409	1316	93	1356	53
17	RAMNADU	1461	162	133	295	1166	0	1166	1165	1	1135	31
18	SELAM	2231	432	246	678	1553	0	1553	1553	0	1553	0
19	SIVAGANGAI	1442	171	150	321	1118	3	1121	1073	45	1076	42
20	THANJAVUR	1950	343	229	572	1378	0	1378	1377	1	1358	20
21	THENI	856	112	124	236	614	6	620	440	174	551	63
22	THIRUVALLUR	2202	625	218	843	1325	34	1359	1049	276	1126	199
23	THIRVARUR	1189	171	126	297	889	3	892	839	50	860	29
24	THOOTHUKUDI	1729	202	172	374	1349	6	1355	975	374	1121	228
25	TIRUNALVELI	2570	421	270	691	1803	76	1879	1354	449	1601	202
26	TIRUVANNAMALAI	2228	196	263	459	1769	0	1769	1627	142	1698	71
27	TRICHY	1941	381	227	608	1331	2	1333	1002	329	1194	137
28	VELLORE	3024	559	335	894	2075	55	2130	1733	342	1885	190
29	VILLUPURAM	2701	372	302	674	2024	3	2027	1807	217	1757	267
30	VIRUDHUNAGAR	1600	200	183	383	1211	6	1217	1211	0	1203	8
	<b>State</b>	<b>53307</b>	<b>9575</b>	<b>5967</b>	<b>15542</b>	<b>37486</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>37765</b>	<b>32971</b>	<b>4515</b>	<b>34531</b>	<b>2955</b>

Source : DISE 2007-08

Sl. No	District	Logo Introduction			Maths Kit Received		Class Combination			
		Logo Introduction not completed	Logo Introduction not completed but ladder not completed	Logo & ladder introduction Completed	Yes	No	Class 1&2, Class 3&4, Class 5	Class 1to 4, Class 5	Class 1 & 2, Class 3, Class 4,Class 5	Class 1 to 5
1	CHENNAI	55	67	336	254	204	364	27	67	0
2	COIMBATORE	33	295	1517	134	1711	136	33	1635	41
3	CUDDALORE	28	147	1235	307	1103	493	330	212	375
4	DHARMAPURI	18	91	1006	230	885	1067	13	8	27
5	DINDIGUL	39	77	1280	235	1161	1396	0	0	0
6	ERODE	1	2	1698	129	1572	1701	0	0	0
7	KANCHIPURAM	15	119	1214	150	1198	1187	20	11	130
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13	NAMAKAL	25	71	818	259	655	832	26	24	32
14	NILGIRIS	33	70	354	126	331	457	0	0	0
15	PERAMBALUR	26	95	727	227	621	848	0	0	0
16	PUDUKKOTTAI	16	59	1334	141	1268	1104	55	50	200
17	RAMNADU	9	61	1096	168	998	1139	17	8	2
18	SELAM	0	0	1553	85	1468	421	285	320	527
19	SIVAGANGAI	14	43	1061	109	1009	991	76	33	18
20	THANJAVUR	0	30	1348	617	761	1378	0	0	0
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the learner with the sources of knowledge and not as a recipient of information from the teacher. In order to ensure its acceptability in the ongoing system of education at the upper primary stage, the changes in classroom processes have been anchored to the existing textbooks while allowing the teacher to guide students in critiquing the knowledge contained in the 'text'. One of the important transactional tools introduced in the classroom through this process is termed as mind mapping. This device expects students to analyze and map the components of units of text from the textbook during the lesson in the form of a conceptual map. The process provides each lesson with a clear structure: firstly, the teacher introduces the lesson and then guides the students in their reading and processing of the information provided in the selected text in terms of its thematic structure; secondly, the structures generated by each student, the mind maps, are shared and discussed in the class - in this process a consensus on the concepts contained in the text develops, the students formulate questions to facilitate reinforcement of their understanding of the concepts and this leads, in the third and final stage, to a summarization of the knowledge learnt and an evaluation of the students' understanding.

Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, Tamil Nadu in collaboration with the outreach programme of **'The School'**, KFI has developed modules and training programmes have been conducted to all the teachers at the Upper Primary level. The initial step was taken in the Month of May 2007. Training was given to BRTEs at the State Level in May and after that twelve Districts were selected and field testing of the methodology was done. The response from the teachers was overwhelming and the students performance turned out to be quite encouraging. Hence, it was decided to upscale ALM in all the middle sections in Tamil Nadu.

### **Innovative Implementation in ALM for all Districts:**

1. Lesson plan source manual for three subjects – English, Science and Social Studies – facilitating teachers in implementing ALM in their classroom.
2. Grammar Source Book – comprising activities games, songs, power-point presentation in ALM

Through this pedagogy, each child is exposed to a democratic class, where it experiences an enjoyable learning atmosphere which will in turn boost up his/her future endeavors. This process enables to prepare a life long learner and not just learner in school was launched. After the successful outcome experienced in these schools, this methodology was extended to all the schools in Tamil Nadu.

This Active Learning Methodology involves the following steps

- Reading
- Drawing a Mind Map
- Summarising
- Discussion
- Writing
- Making Presentation
- Assessment
- Remedial

Various training programme were arranged to orient BRTEs in all levels and modules were also evolved by the BRTEs, with the guidance of the staff of “The School” KFI.

### **Strategies carried out**

- ❖ State Level training for BRTEs in May 2007
- ❖ District level training for BRTEs in June 2007
- ❖ Block level training for the Upper Primary teachers in July 2007
- ❖ Workshop for BRTEs in writing lesson plans in July 2007
- ❖ Training on ALM enrichment in December 2007
- ❖ Training through EDUSAT and also by BRTEs in District level for the Heads of Higher Secondary Schools and High Schools, Supervisors of Block Resource centres and AEEOs.

- ❖ One day orientation training for the district officials – CEOs of the districts, District Programme Coordinators, DEEO's and DEO's, ADPCs and Joint Directors.

To ensure successful implementation of ALM in the State, a core group comprising BRTEs was formed in the State level and District level and was given enrichment training to monitor the progress of ALM.

## Chapter – 4

# ACTIVITIES AND BUDGET

### 4.1 Introduction

*“Investing in children is, quite simply, the best investment a government can make. No country has made the leap into meaningful and sustained development without investing significantly in its children”.*

UNICEF

Tamilnadu is one of the frontline States in India in implementation of the SSA programme. Several initiatives have been undertaken and successfully carried through during the current year with the project entering the eighth year of implementation. The activities planned and the budget required for the activities for year 2008-2009 is being brought out in this chapter. There is a change in the shares off budgetary provision between GOI and GOTN in the XI plan period. The ratio is 65:35.

**Table – 4.1**  
**Budget Outlay**

*(Rs.in Crores)*

Year	PAB Approved	GOI	GOTN	Releases	Expenditure	% of Exp.
2001-02	77.71	33.03	5.83	38.86	0.00	0.00
2002-03	184.22	135.27	45.09	180.36	101.58	55.14
2003-04	404.93	105.06	35.02	140.08	236.30	58.36
2004-05	440.45	290.09	96.70	386.79	374.03	83.30
2005-06	487.82	362.16	120.72	482.88	479.61	98.32
2006-07	738.46	398.88	182.14	581.02	590.78	80.00
2007-08	702.71	456.76	245.94	702.70	624.64	89.00

**Source: Progress Report**

## Grading of School under Activity Based Learning

### Comparative Statement of School Grading for October to December 2007

S. No	District	Total No. of Schools	A			B			C			Total
			October	November	December	October	November	December	October	November	December	
1	Chennai	467	120	134	138	289	295	299	58	38	30	467
2	Coimbatore	1827	773	826	840	855	873	888	199	128	99	1827
3	Cuddalore	1407	162	228	247	922	1030	1085	323	149	75	1407
4	Dharmapuri	1157	264	353	496	585	692	607	308	112	54	1157
5	Dindigui	1403	861	870	884	481	492	499	61	41	20	1403
6	Erode	1702	235	383	531	1027	1195	1145	440	124	26	1702
7	Kancheepuram	1346	306	358	433	716	764	810	324	224	103	1346
8	Kanyakumari	570	198	217	240	247	262	278	125	91	52	570
9	Karur	750	245	297	316	274	330	418	231	123	16	750
10	Krishnagiri	1414	141	313	473	523	657	677	750	444	264	1414
11	Madurai	1241	336	352	368	782	814	828	123	75	45	1241
12	Nagapattinam	1031	326	342	367	545	586	595	160	103	69	1031
13	Namakkal	916	164	299	306	357	399	492	395	218	118	916
14	Perambalur	848	356	389	399	412	424	435	80	35	14	848
15	Pudukkottai	1408	418	458	495	804	839	857	186	111	56	1408
16	Ramanathapuram	1163	298	301	340	716	758	775	149	104	48	1163
17	Salem	1497	595	621	649	761	780	792	141	96	56	1497
18	Sivagangai	1118	207	230	245	746	782	808	165	106	65	1118
19	Thanjavur	1378	317	352	447	791	957	898	270	69	33	1378
20	The Nilgiris	458	125	152	168	250	246	257	83	60	33	458
21	Theni	624	175	198	217	293	338	369	156	88	38	624
22	Thiruchirappalli	1338	379	424	445	814	849	862	145	65	31	1338
23	Thirunelveli	1880	444	498	535	835	975	1051	601	407	294	1880
24	Thiruvallur	1357	369	382	423	649	784	840	339	191	94	1357
25	Thiruvannamalai	1757	198	288	424	1099	1166	1195	460	303	138	1757
26	Thiruvarur	892	235	288	301	466	488	508	191	136	83	892
27	Thoothukudi	1349	168	228	277	894	977	1011	287	144	61	1349
28	Vellore	2122	422	474	549	1183	1235	1288	517	413	285	2122
29	Villupuram	2027	427	481	549	1017	1098	1122	583	448	356	2027
30	Virudhunagar	1199	247	265	305	705	799	815	247	135	79	1199
	<b>Total</b>	<b>37646</b>	<b>9511</b>	<b>10981</b>	<b>12407</b>	<b>20038</b>	<b>21884</b>	<b>22504</b>	<b>8097</b>	<b>4781</b>	<b>2735</b>	<b>37646</b>

Far from being conventional, the monitoring strategies adopted in Tamil Nadu have been helpful in identifying the status of the Districts, Blocks and Schools which need to be improved. And immediate follow-up initiatives have been taken up in the needy districts / blocks / schools to address the issues / problems identified through the survey. Moreover, the objectivity in the exercise of monitoring has inculcated a scientific attitude among the project personnel.

## Study from DISE data

DISE data captures only infrastructure facilities so far. But this year DISE data has peeped into the Quality aspect also. As ABL has been introduced data had been collected on the requirements like grouping and additional facilities like tray, mat, shelf etc. This data has given the chance to see whether ABL has been in position in all the schools and is in the implementation stage.

### District wise No. of Schools, ABL implementing Schools, Materials supplied and class combination

Sl. No	District	Total No.of Schools	ABL not Covered Schools			ABL Schools			Racks/Selve Received		Sufficient No.Of Trays	
			Un aided	HS,Hr.Sec, KGBV, Other Schools	Total	Imple menting	Non Imple menting	Total	Yes	No	Yes	No
1	CHENNAI	1504	778	264	1042	458	4	462	364	94	376	82
2	COIMBATORE	2841	712	283	995	1845	1	1846	1843	2	1843	2
3	CUDDALORE	1894	285	195	480	1410	4	1414	1009	401	1328	82
4	DHARMAPURI	1466	160	142	302	1115	49	1164	1018	97	1064	51
5	DINDIGUL	1797	225	171	396	1396	5	1401	1253	143	1256	140
6	ERODE	2228	329	197	526	1701	1	1702	1587	114	1637	64
7	KANCHIPURAM	2229	622	256	878	1348	3	1351	1236	112	1270	78
8	KANYAKUMARI	1114	309	250	559	554	1	555	410	144	434	120
9	KARUR	967	127	90	217	749	1	750	703	46	704	45
10	KRISHNAGRI	1804	213	177	390	1406	8	1414	1022	384	1061	345
11	MADURAI	2034	560	229	789	1245	0	1245	1160	85	1194	51
12	NAGAPATTINAM	1374	189	152	341	1026	7	1033	894	132	942	84
13	NAMAKAL	1259	206	138	344	914	1	915	845	69	842	72
14	NILGIRIS	717	152	108	260	457	0	457	382	75	392	65
15	PERAMBALUR	1135	134	153	287	848	0	848	724	124	714	134
16	PUDUKKOTTAI	1820	227	184	411	1409	0	1409	1316	93	1356	53
17	RAMNADU	1461	162	133	295	1166	0	1166	1165	1	1135	31
18	SELAM	2231	432	246	678	1553	0	1553	1553	0	1553	0
19	SIVAGANGAI	1442	171	150	321	1118	3	1121	1073	45	1076	42
20	THANJAVUR	1950	343	229	572	1378	0	1378	1377	1	1358	20
21	THENI	856	112	124	236	614	6	620	440	174	551	63
22	THIRUVALLUR	2202	625	218	843	1325	34	1359	1049	276	1126	199
23	THIRVARUR	1189	171	126	297	889	3	892	839	50	860	29
24	THOOTHUKUDI	1729	202	172	374	1349	6	1355	975	374	1121	228
25	TIRUNALVELI	2570	421	270	691	1803	76	1879	1354	449	1601	202
26	TIRUVANNAMALAI	2228	196	263	459	1769	0	1769	1627	142	1698	71
27	TRICHY	1941	381	227	608	1331	2	1333	1002	329	1194	137
28	VELLORE	3024	559	335	894	2075	55	2130	1733	342	1885	190
29	VILLUPURAM	2701	372	302	674	2024	3	2027	1807	217	1757	267
30	VIRUDHUNAGAR	1600	200	183	383	1211	6	1217	1211	0	1203	8
	<b>State</b>	<b>53307</b>	<b>9575</b>	<b>5967</b>	<b>15542</b>	<b>37486</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>37765</b>	<b>32971</b>	<b>4515</b>	<b>34531</b>	<b>2955</b>

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24	Thiruvallur	45819	38917	84.94	8.06	150640	122716
25	Thiruvannmalai	57317	47010	82.02	8.08	170080	110241
26	Thiruvarur	32728	25798	78.83	8.17	86988	66152
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### Active Learning Methodology

The long-felt need of re-orientation of the classroom process for Upper Primary sections, targeting on quality has been provided by the Active Learning Methodology. The method involves the active engagement of the student in constructing knowledge. The innovation was developed with the help of 'The School' of KFI and involves major changes in the classroom processes emphasizing the importance of the engagement of

the learner with the sources of knowledge and not as a recipient of information from the teacher. In order to ensure its acceptability in the ongoing system of education at the upper primary stage, the changes in classroom processes have been anchored to the existing textbooks while allowing the teacher to guide students in critiquing the knowledge contained in the 'text'. One of the important transactional tools introduced in the classroom through this process is termed as mind mapping. This device expects students to analyze and map the components of units of text from the textbook during the lesson in the form of a conceptual map. The process provides each lesson with a clear structure: firstly, the teacher introduces the lesson and then guides the students in their reading and processing of the information provided in the selected text in terms of its thematic structure; secondly, the structures generated by each student, the mind maps, are shared and discussed in the class - in this process a consensus on the concepts contained in the text develops, the students formulate questions to facilitate reinforcement of their understanding of the concepts and this leads, in the third and final stage, to a summarization of the knowledge learnt and an evaluation of the students' understanding.

Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, Tamil Nadu in collaboration with the outreach programme of '**The School**', KFI has developed modules and training programmes have been conducted to all the teachers at the Upper Primary level. The initial step was taken in the Month of May 2007. Training was given to BRTEs at the State Level in May and after that twelve Districts were selected and field testing of the methodology was done. The response from the teachers was overwhelming and the students performance turned out to be quite encouraging. Hence, it was decided to upscale ALM in all the middle sections in Tamil Nadu.

### **Innovative Implementation in ALM for all Districts:**

1. Lesson plan source manual for three subjects – English, Science and Social Studies – facilitating teachers in implementing ALM in their classroom.
2. Grammar Source Book – comprising activities games, songs, power-point presentation in ALM

Through this pedagogy, each child is exposed to a democratic class, where it experiences an enjoyable learning atmosphere which will in turn boost up his/her future endeavors. This process enables to prepare a life long learner and not just learner in school was launched. After the successful outcome experienced in these schools, this methodology was extended to all the schools in Tamil Nadu.

This Active Learning Methodology involves the following steps

- Reading
- Drawing a Mind Map
- Summarising
- Discussion
- Writing
- Making Presentation
- Assessment
- Remedial

Various training programme were arranged to orient BRTEs in all levels and modules were also evolved by the BRTEs, with the guidance of the staff of “The School” KFI.

### **Strategies carried out**

- ❖ State Level training for BRTEs in May 2007
- ❖ District level training for BRTEs in June 2007
- ❖ Block level training for the Upper Primary teachers in July 2007
- ❖ Workshop for BRTEs in writing lesson plans in July 2007
- ❖ Training on ALM enrichment in December 2007
- ❖ Training through EDUSAT and also by BRTEs in District level for the Heads of Higher Secondary Schools and High Schools, Supervisors of Block Resource centres and AEEOs.

- ❖ One day orientation training for the district officials – CEOs of the districts, District Programme Coordinators, DEEO's and DEO's, ADPCs and Joint Directors.

To ensure successful implementation of ALM in the State, a core group comprising BRTEs was formed in the State level and District level and was given enrichment training to monitor the progress of ALM.

## Chapter – 4

# ACTIVITIES AND BUDGET

### 4.1 Introduction

*“Investing in children is, quite simply, the best investment a government can make. No country has made the leap into meaningful and sustained development without investing significantly in its children”.*

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Tamilnadu is one of the frontline States in India in implementation of the SSA programme. Several initiatives have been undertaken and successfully carried through during the current year with the project entering the eighth year of implementation. The activities planned and the budget required for the activities for year 2008-2009 is being brought out in this chapter. There is a change in the shares off budgetary provision between GOI and GOTN in the XI plan period. The ratio is 65:35.

**Table – 4.1**  
**Budget Outlay**

*(Rs.in Crores)*

Year	PAB Approved	GOI	GOTN	Releases	Expenditure	% of Exp.
2001-02	77.71	33.03	5.83	38.86	0.00	0.00
2002-03	184.22	135.27	45.09	180.36	101.58	55.14
2003-04	404.93	105.06	35.02	140.08	236.30	58.36
2004-05	440.45	290.09	96.70	386.79	374.03	83.30
2005-06	487.82	362.16	120.72	482.88	479.61	98.32
2006-07	738.46	398.88	182.14	581.02	590.78	80.00
2007-08	702.71	456.76	245.94	702.70	624.64	89.00

**Source: Progress Report**

## 4.2 Activity-wise Budget proposal –2008-2009

### 4.2.1 New Schools

Primary and Upper Primary school access has already been ensured for all eligible habitations as per Government norms. However new hamlets have been emerged which are eligible. Hamlets are to be provided with new primary schools. 253 new primary schools have been proposed for 2008-2009. As per Government of India's revised norms the State proposed to reduce the ratio between the primary and upper primary schools from 2.7:1 to 2.4:1 by upgrading the primary schools into the upper primary schools. The number of new primary schools to be opened, number of primary schools to be upgraded and number of teachers posts proposed are furnished in the table below.

**Table – 4.2**  
**No. of New Primary & Upper Primary Schools and Teachers Proposed**

S. No.	District	New Primary Schools	No. of Upper Primary Schools	No. of New Teachers Proposed	
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0
2	Coimbatore	25	57	50	79
3	Cuddalore	9	40	18	77
4	Dharmapuri	42	40	84	102
5	Dindigul	0	44	0	67
6	Erode	7	64	14	96
7	Kancheepuram	6	55	12	80
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	0	3
9	Karur	0	20	0	27
10	Krishnagiri	33	40	66	68
11	Madurai	9	30	18	53
12	Nagapattinam	6	25	12	40
13	Namakkal	5	20	10	34
14	Perambalur	5	35	10	55
15	Pudukkottai	18	25	36	40
16	Ramanathapuram	3	24	6	34
17	Salem	14	70	28	118
18	Sivagangai	1	30	2	42
19	Thanjavur	3	25	6	31
20	Theni	2	15	4	18
21	The Nilgiris	1	5	2	8
22	Thiruchirappalli	1	8	2	20
23	Thirunelveli	2	15	4	26
24	Thiruvallur	3	25	6	48
25	Thiruvannamalai	17	50	34	70
26	Thiruvarur	3	41	6	53
27	Thoothukudi	7	20	14	28
28	Veilore	15	79	30	99
29	Villupuram	9	78	18	95
30	Virudhunagar	7	25	14	66
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>1577</b>

Source: DISE 2007

### **Upgradation of Primary Schools into Upper Primary Schools**

Except in Chennai Dindigul, Kanyakumari and Karur upgradation of primary into upper primary has been proposed in other districts. Consequently, the State proposes to upgrade 1005 primary schools into upper primary schools. New teacher posts of 506 in primary schools and 1577 teachers posts in upper primary schools have also been created for 2008-2009.

#### **4.2.2. BRC and CRC**

BRC plays a vital role in the implementation of SSA activities. The field level functionaries, the brain behind the activities radiate from the BRCs to the nook and corner of the blocks. To meet the expenditure like consumable, stationery, electricity charges, telephone charges, internet facilities etc an amount of Rs.20,000/- has been proposed for one year per block. Regular meetings of HMS, BRTEs etc are conducted in every block. Hence Rs.9000/- has been proposed for one year per block. TLM grant remains the same as in the previous years with an amount off Rs.5000/- per year per block. Thus on the whole the Rs.34,000/- per year per block is proposed besides the salary of BRTEs.

#### **The total outlay for Block Resource Centre is 3577.940**

All 385 Blocks in rural area and 16 URCs are provided with Resource Centres. Under SSA, 5984 BRTE/CRC coordinator posts have been sanctioned and these posts are reallocated at the rate of one post for each cluster and remaining posts are reallocated to BRCs/URCs. The details are given in the table below.

**Table - 4.3**  
**No. of BRC/URC and Resource Persons Proposed**

S. No.	District	No. of BRC	No. of URC	No. of CRC	No. of Resource Persons sanctioned	
					BRC	CRC
1	Chennai	0	10	110	10	110
2	Coimbatore	19	1	199	67	199
3	Cuddalore	13	0	172	48	172
4	Dharmapuri	8	0	100	18	100
5	Dindigui	14	0	163	84	163
6	Erode	20	0	142	120	142
7	Kancheepuram	13	1	172	79	172
8	Kanyakumari	9	0	89	21	89
9	Karur	8	0	75	48	75
10	Krishnagiri	10	0	121	57	121
11	Madurai	13	1	165	79	165
12	Nagapattinam	11	0	100	66	100
13	Namakkal	15	0	83	67	83
14	Perambalur	10	0	107	31	107
15	Pudukkottai	13	0	145	23	145
16	Ramanathapuram	11	0	124	32	124
17	Salem	20	1	174	87	174
18	Sivagangai	12	0	109	72	109
19	Thanjavur	14	0	165	43	165
20	Theni	8	0	80	20	80
21	The Nilgiris	4	0	45	24	45
22	Thiruchirappalli	14	1	183	77	183
23	Thirunelveli	19	1	192	105	192
24	Thiruvallur	14	0	133	84	133
25	Thiruvannamalai	18	0	167	108	167
26	Thiruvarur	10	0	95	55	95
27	Thoothukudi	12	0	108	72	108
28	Vellore	20	0	202	120	202
29	Villupuram	22	0	234	129	234
30	Virudhunagar	11	0	134	66	134
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>1912</b>	<b>4088</b>

*Source: DISE 2007*

In the 385 CD Blocks and 16URCs, the amount earmarked for the salary component for the Resource Persons is Rs.3441.600 lakh for the year 2008-2009.



To meet the recurring expenditure, an amount of Rs.80.200 lakh is proposed as contingency grant. An amount of Rs.36.090 lakh for Meeting grant and Rs. 20.050 lakh for TLM grant is proposed. Electricity charges and telephone charges for the BRCs and CAL centres are being met by the Management.

Cluster Resource Centres have been functioning as Centres of teacher empowerment where the teachers share their experiences and innovative practices in the teaching learning processes. There are 4088 CRCs functioning in all the Districts.

An amount of Rs.7669.088 lakh is proposed for the activities in CRCs for the year 2008-2009. From this allocation, a sum of Rs.7358.400 lakh is for salary of 4088 Resource persons, Rs.122.640 lakh for contingency grant, Rs.147.168 lakh for meeting grant and a provision of Rs.40.880 lakh for TLM grant.

#### **4.2.3 Teachers Training**

##### **Training to Teachers**

Teaching as profession requires constant touch with academics. Teacher should be a 'learner for life' and her should keep himself updated constantly with the advancement in the 'knowledge -world'. SSA provides scope for enhancing one's personal skill based academic, pedagogic, technical and soft skills through In-service training programmes.

Quality education basically depends on the method of teaching and learning adopted by the teachers and the taught in the classroom. With the introduction of ABL and ALM at Elementary level in Tamilnadu education has become child-centred, joyful and participatory. Hence, as continuation of the training programmes given in 2007-2008, the training programmes for 2008-2009 will be further reinforcement on ABL and ALM so that the classroom transaction is fully enriched in the methodologies.

As per the guidelines of MHRD training programmes are to be broadly classified into BRC Level training and CRC level training 10 days each. The Primary and Upper Primary teachers will be given training separately.

### Activity schedule

#### The Topics for Training programmes - 2008-2009

Activity	Month
ABL - reinforcement ALM - reinforcement	June
Soft skills Development	July
Simple Methodology for Mathematics	August
Science and Maths Olympiad Science Laboratory skills	October
Water Sanitation Managerial Skills	November
Micro Teaching skills Guidance and counseling	January

#### The Tentative CRC Training Days for 2008-2009

##### Training Calendar

Primary	Upper Primary
21.06.2008	21.06.2008
05.07.2008	19.07.2008
02.08.2008	23.07.2008
06.09.2008	06.09.2008
18.10.2008	25.10.2008
08.11.2008	22.11.2008
06.12.2008	06.12.2008
03.01.2009	03.01.2009
07.02.2009	21.02.2009
07.03.2009	07.03.2009

The training programmes at CRC level will be based on classroom methodologies, transaction and achievement tests for students.

**To carry out the above mentioned programmes an amount of 3144.810 crore has been proposed for the year 2008-2009.**

**Table - 4.4  
Teachers Training**

S. No.	District	No. of Teachers to be given training (20 days)	No. of Teacher Training Days	No. of New Teachers to be given training (10 days)	No. of Training Days
1	Chennai	7709	154180	0	0
2	Coimbatore	11469	229380	129	1290
3	Cuddalore	7080	141600	95	950
4	Dharmapuri	6486	129720	186	1860
5	Dindigul	7003	140060	67	670
6	Erode	7186	143720	110	1100
7	Kancheepuram	8004	160080	92	920
8	Kanyakumari	4351	87020	3	30
9	Karur	3008	60160	27	270
10	Krishnagiri	6052	121040	134	1340
11	Madurai	8105	162100	71	710
12	Nagapattinam	7260	145200	52	520
13	Namakkal	4516	90320	44	440
14	Perambalur	4199	83980	65	650
15	Pudukkottai	5567	111340	76	760
16	Ramanathapuram	5864	117280	40	400
17	Salem	11823	236460	146	1460
18	Sivagangai	4725	94500	44	440
19	Thanjavur	10072	201440	37	370
20	Theni	4188	83760	22	220
21	The Nilgiris	2171	43420	10	100
22	Thiruchirappalli	7934	158680	22	220
23	Thirunelveli	10599	211980	30	300
24	Thiruvallur	7319	146380	54	540
25	Thiruvannamalai	7723	154460	104	1040
26	Thiruvarur	4996	99920	59	590
27	Thoothukudi	6316	126320	42	420
28	Vellore	11746	234920	129	1290
29	Villupuram	9759	195180	113	1130
30	Virudhunagar	6424	128480	80	800
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>209654</b>	<b>4193080</b>	<b>2083</b>	<b>20830</b>

Source: DISE 2007

#### 4.2.4 Grants

Under SSA, TLE for new schools, TLM for teachers, School grants for all Government, Local body and Aided schools and Maintenance grants for Government, Local body are provided to improve the classroom environment. Grants proposed for 2008-2009 is given in the table below.

**Table – 4.5**  
**Grants proposed for 2008-2009**

S. No.	District	TLE New Schools		TLM No. of Teachers		School Grants		Maintenance Grants	
		P	UP	P	UP	No. of Schools		No. of Schools	
						P	UP	P	UP
1	Chennai	0	0	2270	5439	491	445	151.00	209
2	Coimbatore	25	57	4807	6662	1848	711	1277.00	611
3	Cuddalore	9	40	3198	3882	1417	542	887.00	431
4	Dharmapuri	42	40	2512	3974	1166	452	843.00	441
5	Dindigul	0	44	3442	3561	1408	419	955.00	294
6	Erode	7	64	3681	3505	1703	497	1285.00	442
7	Kancheepuram	6	55	3484	4520	1358	585	885.00	466
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	1858	2493	575	406	293.00	229
9	Karur	0	20	1621	1387	750	215	585.00	194
10	Krishnagiri	33	40	3125	2927	1416	471	1103.00	460
11	Madurai	9	30	3138	4967	1263	527	775.00	370
12	Nagapattinam	6	25	2554	4706	1041	413	556.00	307
13	Namakkal	5	20	2208	2308	918	314	680.00	280
14	Perambalur	5	35	2092	2107	848	348	577.00	299
15	Pudukkottai	18	25	2546	3021	1411	508	1027.00	454
16	Ramanathapuram	3	24	2836	3028	1166	348	780.00	259
17	Salem	14	70	4782	7041	1556	549	1157.00	496
18	Sivagangai	1	30	2223	2502	1122	380	782.00	267
19	Thanjavur	3	25	3625	6447	1384	515	914.00	394
20	Theni	2	15	1864	2324	628	277	336.00	169
21	The Nilgiris	1	5	1026	1145	459	203	265.00	163
22	Thiruchirappalli	1	8	3310	4624	1340	549	832.00	364
23	Thirunelveli	2	15	4778	5821	1889	673	640.00	239
24	Thiruvallur	3	25	3268	4051	1364	521	907.00	461
25	Thiruvannamalai	17	50	3856	3867	1771	603	1295.00	552
26	Thiruvarur	3	41	2004	2992	893	322	626.00	267
27	Thoothukudi	7	20	3070	3246	1356	467	510.00	167
28	Vellore	15	79	5496	6250	2137	781	1476.00	659
29	Villupuram	9	78	4555	5204	2028	781	1308.00	674
30	Virudhunagar	7	25	3316	3108	1219	409	642.00	256
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>92545</b>	<b>117109</b>	<b>37925</b>	<b>14231</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>10874</b>

Source: DISE 2007

The use of Teaching Learning Materials (TLM) plays a vital role in improving teaching learning processes in classrooms. Most of the TLMs prepared and used by the teachers have been very innovative and have been found to be effective in classroom process.

It is proposed to provide the TLM grant of Rs.500 per teacher for 92545 primary teachers and 117109 upper primary teachers and an amount of Rs.1048.270 lakh is to be earmarked.

The school grant is provided to equip the schools with facilities such as Chairs, Tables, Almirahs, Information Board, Tray for ABL cards and SLM kits, Mats etc.,

During the year 2008-09, it is proposed to provide school grant at the rate of Rs.5000 per school to 37,714 Primary schools and 14,353 Upper Primary schools. An amount of Rs.2890.410 lakh is earmarked for this purpose.

Maintenance grant is used for refurbishing the physical environment of the schools which will contribute in attracting children to schools. Repairs in flooring, plastering, doors, windows, blackboards, getting new electricity connections, etc. are some of the works undertaken in schools with maintenance and repair works grant. The best practices in using the Maintenance Grant are filmed and shared with other schools for using the grant effectively. Workshops for Head Teachers are being conducted for this purpose. Community participation is encouraged for all works.

It is proposed to provide maintenance grant to 14,791 primary schools having three classrooms @ Rs.5000 each and 9558 primary schools having more than three classrooms @ Rs.10000 each. It is proposed to provide maintenance grant to 1239 upper primary schools having three classrooms @ Rs.5000 each and 9635 upper primary schools having more than three classrooms @ Rs.10000 each. A total provision of Rs.2720.800 lakh is to be made for this purpose.

#### 4.2.5. Intervention for out of school children

The total number of out of school children in 5-13 age group is 86414 which is target for 2008-09. The district wise details relating to coverage of Out-of-school children under various strategies is furnished in the table below:

Table - 4.6  
District wise No. of Out of School Children to be covered under different Strategies for 2008 - 09

S. No.	District	No. of Out of school children Identified	No. of Out of School Children to be covered under different strategies 2008 - 09										Others (KGBV & NCLP)
			Summer Camp	NRBC			RBC			Residential Camp for Mentally Challenged			
				No. of children			No. of children			No. of children			
				Continuing	New	Total	Continuing	New	Total	Continuing	New	Total	
1	Chennai	4578	800	362	2316	2678	375	160	535	50	15	65	500
2	Coimbatore	4842	1050	525	1113	1638	1066	50	1116	23	15	38	1000
3	Cuddalore	1721	560	325	423	748	258	25	283	15	15	30	100
4	Dharmapuri	3888	1050	320	1384	1704	824	50	874	40	20	60	200
5	Dindigul	4938	1720	745	1173	1918	420	210	630	60	10	70	600
6	Erode	1635	235	275	525	800	65	235	300	35	15	50	250
7	Kancheepuram	3104	410	105	1099	1204	445	35	480	40	20	60	950
8	Kanyakumari	770	220	65	335	400	25	75	100	40	10	50	0
9	Karur	616	125	245	53	298	65	20	85	43	15	58	50
10	Krishnagiri	7883	2060	375	3618	3993	920	30	950	65	15	80	800
11	Madurai	4788	1140	675	2133	2808	750	50	800	25	15	40	0
12	Nagapattinam	1376	375	75	601	676	250	25	275	40	10	50	0
13	Namakkal	4573	245	255	2142	2397	821	50	871	40	20	60	1000
14	Perambalur	1402	350	80	571	651	291	50	341	50	10	60	0
15	Pudukkottai	405	95	40	123	163	92	15	107	25	15	40	0
16	Ramanathapuram	1487	165	225	646	871	326	75	401	40	10	50	0
17	Salem	3976	625	460	1341	1801	480	220	700	30	20	50	800
18	Sivagangai	1737	125	420	677	1097	310	110	420	35	10	45	50
19	Thanjavur	6560	1200	375	4260	4635	625	50	675	30	20	50	0
20	Theni	638	65	25	230	255	25	149	174	34	10	44	100
21	The Nilgiris	1357	730	195	251	446	126	20	146	15	20	35	0
22	Thiruchirappalli	2682	125	825	52	877	450	170	620	40	20	60	1000
23	Thirunelveli	3051	950	110	1031	1141	160	50	210	30	20	50	700
24	Thiruvallur	2749	490	325	632	957	425	225	650	37	15	52	600
25	Thiruvannamalai	3270	980	80	1289	1369	136	25	161	35	25	60	700
26	Thiruvarur	1789	825	110	244	354	525	25	550	40	20	60	0
27	Thoothukudi	2014	215	315	291	606	203	40	243	30	20	50	900
28	Vellore	2326	335	380	276	656	375	0	375	35	25	60	900
29	Villupuram	3769	855	475	1029	1504	520	80	600	40	20	60	750
30	Virudhunagar	2490	190	245	275	520	380	0	380	40	10	50	1350
	State	86414	18310	9032	30133	39165	11733	2319	14052	1102	485	1587	13300

The number of children to be covered through various strategies under interventions for Out-of-School children component is given above. The total number of out-of-school children to be covered during 2008-2009 is 86,414.

Considering the significance of the problem of enrolling Out-of-school children, different strategies like Non Residential Bridge Course, Residential camps and special residential camps for mentally retarded children have been planned to cover drop out children and never enrolled children including street children, urban deprived children, migrant children, tribal children and nomadic children.

The State plans to organize non-residential bridge courses, residential bridge courses, special residential camps for mentally challenged children and summer camps.

At Upper Primary level those who are fresh drop outs and those who have dropped out recently around **18,310** will be covered through Summer Camps for three months (May, June, July). Non Residential Bridge courses for drop outs for more than one year / Never Enrolled will be conducted for a period of 10-12 months to cover **39,165** OOSC. Mostly these centres are run in the premises of formal school under the supervision of school Headmasters.

It is proposed to start residential camps for those who are drop-outs for more than a year / never enrolled, migrant children, tribal children and nomadic children. The duration of each centre will be around 12 months. Our experience with Residential camps during 2007-2008 has been encouraging and we felt that the needs of the most difficult to reach children are best addressed through the residential mode. The number of children covered through RBCs will be around **14,052**. A total Number of 1587 mentally retarded children will be covered through Special Residential Bridge Course. The remaining 13,300 OOSC will be covered through KGBV / NCLP / INDUS Project Activities for which no cost is provided.

- NGOs / SHGs are involved in conduct of RBCs to cover OOSC Children.

- At primary level Activity Based Learning Methodology will be effectively used to promote the learning outcomes in all AIE programmes.
- ALM Methodology is adopted for classroom transactions in VI – VIII Std.
- All support materials will be provided to the children as per break-up of expenditure.
- The performance of EVs appointed is assessed and there is a need to upgrade their qualification.
- Trained graduates or retired teachers may be posted as EVs for AIE centres during 2008-2009.
- Apart from academic input work experience will also be provided in these centres.

The concept of residential camps is very successful in bringing the out of school children to regular schools. Even though Tamil Nadu is nearing 100% achievement in enrolment of children, some migrated family children, urban deprived children and nomadic sections are unable to be brought into the mainstream in a single attempt. There is a need to continue many of the centres. All the AIE centres can be run for the whole year and those who are willing can complete their studies till VIII Standard.

Apart from all the above interventions, the State plans to introduce new strategies as given below:

- a.** Innovative Self Learning Materials for Maths has already been practiced in AIE centres and found useful in 'concept building' to students.
- b.** It has been planned to scale up the ABL Method of teaching in AIE centres where the out-of-school children are enrolled. All the Educational Volunteers of AIE centres are provided effective training on the use of ABL cards in classroom process. EVs are also trained in ALM.



- c. Child tracking and monitoring of the mainstreamed children at the BRC level is operationalised. In Krishnagiri district they already created a website on child tracking and monitoring. A similar practice is to be achieved in other districts also. It is planned to conduct remedial teaching for the mainstreamed children and the expenditure will be incurred from within the funds available for RBC / NRBC and the status report for 2007-2008 is attached below. In the case of NCLP / INDUS project district counselors may be appointed to address psychological problems of the child.

**Status Report of Mainstreamed children 2007-08**

<b>Name of the State</b>	<b>Target of OOSC (2006-07)</b>	<b>Achievement</b>	<b>No. of Mainstreamed Children</b>	<b>No. of children continuing studies</b>
<b>Tamil Nadu</b>	<b>111989</b>	<b>97296</b>	<b>69290</b>	<b>47810</b>

Under the intervention of “Out of School Children” using many strategies, the number of out-of-school children has come down from 574069 to 103241. The remaining children are difficult to reach. Children to beggars, Narikoravas, Street Children, Orphans, Domestic Child Labourers and Migrant Children are not at all motivated towards education. It is really a challenging task to identify, enroll, retain and mainstream these children. The state vows to reduce drop out rate at zero level and ensure cent percent enrolment.

**Thus a total provision of Rs.2895.219 lakhs is proposed for 2008-2009.**

**4.2.6. Remedial Teaching**

Quality in education is given major priority in 2008-2009 Annual Plan. New approaches to active pedagogical learning and innovative modalities need to be developed to ensure all the children acquire the desired competencies. To achieve this, it has been proposed to provide self learning materials for numeracy and literacy and also for science.

These materials will be used in schools to enhance the achievement level of children. The training programmes will be arranged for teachers to handle the self learning materials effectively. As many as 591140 children have been identified as slow learners. A sum of Rs.886.706 lakh is proposed for 2008-09.

**Table - 4.8**  
**No. of children to be given Remedial teaching**

S. No.	Districts	No. of low performing children to be given Remedial Teaching & Workbooks				
		I - VIII				
		Enrollment in I - V Govt., and aided	No. of low performing children	Enrolment in VI - VIII Govt., and aided	No. of Low performing children	Budget Proposed for Remedial Teaching (No. of children)
1	Chennai	136113	10345	134330	10478	20822
2	Coimbatore	223497	18908	181734	15993	34901
3	Cuddalore	166570	13342	118868	9866	23208
4	Dharmapuri	106594	8862	76975	6789	15651
5	Dindigul	155513	13111	102016	8671	21782
6	Erode	144317	12020	104860	9028	21048
7	Kancheepuram	171524	13005	148957	11768	24773
8	Kanyakumari	95188	5911	75777	5380	11291
9	Karur	62919	5027	42419	3415	8442
10	Krishnagiri	138189	12271	84628	7701	19972
11	Madurai	185530	13024	133103	9517	22541
12	Nagapattinam	120865	8171	88740	6265	14436
13	Namakkal	92527	7485	65589	5346	12831
14	Perambalur	99357	8346	65271	5528	13874
15	Pudukkottai	118037	9868	82252	7238	17106
16	Ramanathapuram	105017	8538	67990	5949	14487
17	Salem	211951	18546	149302	13288	31834
18	Sivagangai	84788	6224	63754	5642	11866
19	Thanjavur	151562	11080	113877	9235	20315
20	Theni	98958	7778	61668	5026	12804
21	The Nilgiris	39066	3215	29498	2463	5678
22	Thiruchirappalli	167805	12132	126768	10281	22413
23	Thirunelveli	241580	15268	155073	11630	26898
24	Thiruvallur	150640	12141	122716	10063	22204
25	Thiruvannamalai	170080	13742	110241	9536	23278
26	Thiruvarur	86988	7107	66152	5795	12902
27	Thoothukudi	125537	9013	83732	6364	15377
28	Vellore	253536	22336	186211	16480	38816
29	Villupuram	236741	19413	151111	12693	32106
30	Virudhunagar	155572	10346	97094	7136	17482
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>4297161</b>	<b>336575</b>	<b>3090706</b>	<b>254565</b>	<b>591140</b>

Source : PMIS

Remedial teaching plays an important role in the academic achievement of the slow learners. Various activities have been planned for 2008-2009.

Special focus has been given on mathematics and science teaching. SA science teacher per school is to be selected and he/she will be trained on science experiments. With the help off the BRTEs the experiments will be taught to the other science teachers so that experiments can be used in classroom transaction.

Science Kit/mathematics kit will be supplied to the schools so that learning becomes easy and effective. English Radio Programme has to be aired in the academic year 2008-2009. Arrangements will be made for children to listen to the programmes.

#### **Activity Schedule**

Preparation and Printing of work books	- April, May
Supply off work books	- June, July
Radio Programme	- June to March
Supply of science/Maths Kit	- August, September
Remedial classes	- October, March.

For the Budget 2008-09 a sum of Rs.369.272 lakhs has been earmarked for this purpose.

#### 4.2.7. Inclusive Education

The disabled children in schools and out of schools in 5-13 age group are also to be ensured education. The details are furnished below.

**Table – 4.9**  
**Coverage of Disabled Children**

S. No.	District	No. of Disabled Children to be Covered		
		In School	Out of School	Total
1	Chennai	2803	2865	5668
2	Coimbatore	2906	711	3617
3	Cuddalore	3074	565	3639
4	Dharmapuri	1955	683	2638
5	Dindigul	2215	1788	4003
6	Erode	2493	293	2786
7	Kancheepuram	3062	1026	4088
8	Kanya kumari	1437	1418	2855
9	Karur	1236	581	1817
10	Krishnagiri	2026	3249	5275
11	Madurai	3107	810	3917
12	Nagapattinam	2043	989	3032
13	Namakkal	2075	461	2536
14	Perambalur	1799	927	2726
15	Pudukkottai	6244	719	6963
16	Ramanathapuram	1781	419	2200
17	Salem	3390	2515	5905
18	Sivagangai	1555	611	2166
19	Thanjavur	2726	2618	5344
20	Theni	1373	515	1888
21	The Nilgiris	632	839	1471
22	Thiruchirappalli	2714	2597	5311
23	Thirunelveli	3462	2294	5756
24	Thiruvallur	2492	1284	3776
25	Thiruvannamalai	3035	1731	4766
26	Thiruvarur	1723	1597	3320
27	Thoothukudi	1709	1818	3527
28	Vellore	3245	1641	4886
29	Villupuram	4367	1819	6186
30	Virudhunagar	2040	2237	4277
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>74719</b>	<b>41620</b>	<b>116339</b>

Source: EER & DISE 2007

The implementation of SSA has created greater awareness among the community about the importance of education. During the last five years, there has been a steady increase in the identification and enrolment of disabled children in formal schools. The initial reluctance on the part of parents has given way to willing co-operation in coming forward to admitting their children in schools. The academic achievement level among the disabled children has also improved. Out of the identified 116339 CWSN 114752 are in school and 1587 are out of school children. The following activities and interventions are proposed for them.

The NGOs in co-ordination with District Administration, DDRO, Health Department and District Project Officials have to undertake awareness camps, medical assessment camps in each block, supply of assistive devices to the needy children after assessment and orientation of parents on use and maintenance of aids and appliances. Moreover, if some children need corrective surgery, it has to be carried out with the help of Health department.

Training the Special Educators on cross-disability is an important activity under SSA and also training the teacher educators, regular teachers where the special children are enrolled, will also be taken up by the NGOs concerned. Civil wing in each district will take care of providing barrier-free access in all schools where disabled children are enrolled and it has plan to continue day care centres for mentally challenged children in all the districts.

VEC training will also be given to all VEC members and parents on the issue of disability and they will be made aware of the legal rights of disabled children and the concessions available under Central and State Government Schemes. The therapy services provided through the resource room set up in each block will continue.

During 2008-2009 training on Active learning Methodology and Use of SLM Kit will also be provided to special educators.

Exposure Visit to places of historical importance, museum, other locally identified places etc have been organised for disabled children to learn basic concepts. It has been gratifying to get the feedback from the participant of the tour programmes, which indicates positive outcomes, development of self confidence.

The CWSN in upper primary classes will be given training on useful vocational skills and agencies like JSS, community polytechnics and self help group will be involved for the purpose. The State Resource Group is working on the modalities of giving vocational training for the disabled with various resource institutions.

Apart from these activities, all regular interventions along with setting up of play park and resource room will also be carried out. For all the above activities a budget allocation of Rs.1377.024 lakh for the year 2008-09 is proposed and a sum of Rs 1262.262 lakhs has been for this activities during 2008-09.

#### **4.2.8 Civil Works**

Under SSA, buildings for new schools and additional classrooms for existing schools, buildings for Resource Centres are provided.

The state has decided to completely fulfill all infrastructure requirements in the coming two years. During 2007-2008, around 70% of the requirements were taken up and the remaining works will be taken up during 2008-2009. The construction of BRC and CRC building is already over.

This year 253 new primary schools are proposed and it is proposed to construct 253 primary school buildings at a cost of Rs.1258.900 lakh. Out of this 253 buildings 233 will be constructed with traditional foundation, 6 with raft/framed structure and 14 will be in hill areas. It is proposed to upgrade 1005 primary schools into upper primary. Hence 1005 upper primary school building will be provided. Out which 879 with traditional foundation 79 with raft/framed structure and 47 in hill areas. An amount of Rs.8836.800 lakh is proposed for this purpose.

6939 Additional classrooms are proposed for the year 2008-2009 and proposed budget is Rs.17629.200 lakh Out of which 5986 with traditional foundation, 838 with raft/ framed structure and 155 in hill areas.

The estimate cost for construction of building has been derived realistically and scientifically based on the soil conditions such as plain area, delta area, black cotton soil area and hill area etc. Different estimates have been prepared and in the process different unit cost has been arrived at for each Block for construction of classrooms. **The site selections and issuing of work orders will be scheduled in the month of April, release of first installment will be in May, progress of works will be monitored by field engineers and all the works are expected to be completed on or before March 2009.**

Based on the soil conditions, the rough cost estimate for the classroom buildings has been arrived at from PWD (Government) schedule of rates.

The cost estimate is as follows

**Estimate of the various types of foundation**

<i>(Rs. in lakhs)</i>				
<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Type of Foundation</b>	<b>Single Classroom</b>	<b>New primary school building</b>	<b>Upper primary school building</b>
1	Traditional foundation	2.450	4.900	8.600
2	Raft / Framed structure	3.000	6.000	10.250
3	Hill Area (Traditional foundation)	2.900	5.800	9.950

A proposal of Rs.27724.900 lakh is proposed for civil works.

## Furniture for Government Upper Primary schools

The new norms to provide furniture to upper primary schools have been viewed as a boon to the children. With the introduction of Active Learning Methodology – Drawing of mind map, summarizing etc the students need a comfortable posture. Schools without furniture and which do not come under the other norm namely schools upgraded from 2001 and under SSA have been identified. The budget outlay for this activity for the year 2008-2009 is Rs.2502.090 lakh.

**The total outlay for civil and furniture is Rs.30226.990 lakh**

**Table – 4.10**  
**No. of Civil Works Proposed**

S. No.	Districts	Primary Schools (New)	Upper primary schools (New)	Additional Classrooms requirement		No. of schools in need of Drinking Water	No. of Schools in need of Toilets		In need of furniture for students
				No. of schools	No. of classrooms		Common	Girls	
1	Chennai	0	0	0	0	90	88	68	13878
2	Coimbatore	25	57	422	890	125	627	620	34696
3	Cuddalore	9	40	311	455	213	536	623	19859
4	Dharmapuri	42	40	134	183	98	394	473	18399
5	Dindigul	0	44	97	149	148	379	561	13965
6	Erode	7	64	153	258	91	802	452	20475
7	Kancheepuram	6	55	226	250	112	40	608	26228
8	Kanyakumari	0	0	22	39	65	250	96	7349
9	Karur	0	20	50	61	41	347	226	8583
10	Krishnagiri	33	40	207	377	234	470	940	19808
11	Madurai	9	30	197	350	174	429	649	15696
12	Nagapattinam	6	25	172	220	77	311	414	14151
13	Namakkal	5	20	134	240	58	397	486	13944
14	Perambalur	5	35	173	236	102	354	437	12727
15	Pudukkottai	18	25	180	192	161	389	851	16335
16	Ramanathapuram	3	24	112	148	365	330	641	8878
17	Salem	14	70	335	469	197	823	947	30259
18	Sivagangai	1	30	49	68	68	425	667	8705
19	Thanjavur	3	25	133	189	71	450	619	16875
20	Theni	2	15	65	97	83	172	170	6949
21	The Nilgiris	1	5	43	59	47	132	125	4490
22	Tiruchirappalli	1	8	142	213	66	350	478	17348
23	Thirunelveli	2	15	143	215	105	269	309	11599
24	Thiruvallur	3	25	303	350	149	545	788	23372
25	Tiruvannamalai	17	50	316	359	298	675	1298	23482
26	Thiruvarur	3	41	84	86	53	231	240	11563
27	Thoothukkudi	7	20	61	94	69	155	276	5048
28	Vellore	15	79	476	856	388	754	1000	34391
29	Villupuram	9	78	563	852	462	872	1205	30534
30	Virudhunagar	7	25	106	118	80	299	302	10832
	<b>Total</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1005</b>	<b>5409</b>	<b>8073</b>	<b>4290</b>	<b>12335</b>	<b>16569</b>	<b>500418</b>

Source:



#### **4.2.9 Teaching Learning Equipment**

All the new primary and upper primary schools will be provided with teaching learning equipment @ Rs.0.200 lakh for primary and Rs.0.500 lakh for upper primary. An amount of Rs.553.100 lakh is proposed for the procurement of TLE.

#### **4.2.10 Research, Evaluation, Supervision and Monitoring**

##### **4.2.10.1 Overhaul of Pedagogy in Tamilnadu**

Improving the quality of Elementary Education in general and enhancing learning achievement of children in particular are the areas of priority under SSA.

The pedagogical processes have been undergoing a transformation qualitatively due to interventions under SSA. Two parameters of evaluating pedagogical change in Tamilnadu are (i) The Process (ii) The Output.

The focus of all our endeavour is the child. According to the Delors Report, quality education equips the child to know, learn to be and learn to live together. Quality of education is to be continuously and comprehensively evaluated. As the Government of Tamilnadu has introduced 'No-Detention Policy' in Elementary Education, the quality of education needs to be ensured through school based continuous and comprehensive evaluation. Achievement surveys are to be conducted periodically to track the progress of the child.

Further, new methodologies ABL and ALM has been introduced in 2007-2008 and it is essential to check the implementation and progress. That can be done by means of Achievement tests conducted quarterly. Hence, an amount of Rs.109.048 has been proposed for that purpose.

Impact studies are to be conducted on various components and implementation strategies of SSA. Teachers and BRTEs have to various action research studies to find solutions for temporary problems.

Evaluation of the activities is also done. An amount of Rs.87.238 is for the year 2008-2009.

Monitoring is very essential for the progress of any activity. It further helps to maintain a balance. Survey and census are to be carried out and is to be documented. The amount proposed for the purpose in 2008-2009 is 109.048.

Supervision is the basis for implementation of the project. Review meetings are conducted at all levels VEC/BRC/CRC/DPO/SPO. Hence an amount of Rs.43.619 has been proposed for the year 2008-2009.

**Thus the total outlay proposed under this component for the year 2008-2009 is 348.952.**

#### **4.2.11 Management**

Under management, a maximum of 6% of the total project cost is permissible.

To meet the cost on salary, a provision of Rs.1054.000 lakh has been made.

Provision has also been made for furniture to the tune of Rs.24.350 lakh, This will be useful to meet the growing needs of the Districts.

A number of publications and journals on Education are published across the world. NIEPA & NCERT are also bringing out many publications. Latest trends in education, pedagogical concepts etc., need to percolate to the grass-roots level functionaries. So a provision of Rs.15.015 lakh has been made for purchase of books, periodicals, journals etc. Maintenance of equipment is inevitable in any organization, which uses the latest technology. A provision of Rs.15.920 lakh has also been made for this. An amount of Rs.82.688lakh has been earmarked for Consumables and Stationery.

Documentation of success stories and best practices will be helpful for necessary dissemination and replication. Some advanced equipment is also required for the purpose. Moreover from time-to-time media activity is essential to maintain the tempo of the programme. So an

amount of Rs.79.213 lakh has been provided for all the above purposes. The services of experts/consultant in different fields are being engaged to advice on various issues related to SSA. A provision of Rs.124.350 lakh has been made towards fees for them.

Some funds have been earmarked for contingency, TA / DA, hiring of vehicles for effective supervision and monitoring. The amount allotted for these activities is Rs.107.085 lakh, Rs.120.800 lakh, and Rs.45.300 lakh respectively.

An amount of Rs.272.777 lakh has been allotted for training to project staff at State/ District/Block level for capacity building, conducting seminars, Workshops, supply of learning materials and provision of hardwares and softwares to BRCs & URCs,

The other activities like, Maintenance of building. FTA for BRTES and BRS Electricity and Telephone charges per block and audit fees are provided with an allotted amount of Rs.15.038 lakh, Rs.441.550 lakh, Rs.288.720 lakh and Rs.58.00 lakh respectively.

Project Officials are to be oriented on the activities and the financial management. So a five day capacity training has been planned for the years 2008-2009 and an amount of Rs.120.946 lakh has been proposed for the same.

The achievement level of children is to be assessed by means of quarterly achievement tests. The slow learners are identified and learning enhancement programme is planned by providing additional learning material, workbooks maths and science kits. The proposed expenditure for this activity is Rs.1734.543 lakh.

## **EDUSAT**

Edusat programme is one among the main interventions of DEP-SSA to impart in-service training to practicing teachers at a distance and to enhance the quality in teaching-learning process. The distance mode practice of training the teachers and building capacity to SSA project functionaries will be of great advantage as the messages reach the target

group without any transaction loss. A well planned programme schedule is essential to sustain the optimum use of Edusat facilities dedicated for Educational sector.

In order to identify the content area to be broadcast through live programme, a state level workshop is planned to be conducted to develop CDs during the month of April/May 2008; for Activity Based Learning (ABL) for primary Schools and Active Learning Methodology (ALM) for Upper Primary Schools.

Similarly, a list of Resource Persons for Edusat Programmes will be identified and short listed. They will be given orientation before up-linking the live telecast. It is also planned to broadcast virtual class room programmes for the benefit of Upper Primary School children on select lessons from Tamil English, Mathematics, Science and Social Science. As on date available recorded Programmes on ABL methodology will also be broadcast for the benefit of Primary School children and teachers. Besides training programmes to be conducted for BRTEs and SSA functionaries, it is also planned to arrange an orientation programme to VECs through Edusat. Directorate of School Education, Directorate of Elementary Education, DTERT and Directorate of Public Libraries are also utilizing the services of Edusat. **The amount proposed for these activity Rs.445.000 lakh**

**The total outlay for management component is Rs.5023.310 lakh.**

#### **4.2.12 Innovation**

The total outlay for Innovative activity is Rs.3001.320 lakh at the rate of Rs.100 lakh per District. Under this component, the following activities are to be carried out: Computer Education, ECCE, Girls education, Education for SC/ST children, and interventions for minority children. The budget proposed for computer education is @ Rs.50.00 lakh per district. The budget proposed for Girls Education and SC/ST is Rs.20.00 lakh each per district. The amount proposed for new sub component Minority children and ECCE is Rs.5.00 lakh each per district.

## **Computer Education**

Under the 'Computer Education' Component two activities have been planned for 2008-2009 provision off Hardwares and softwares and preparation off Modules and Training to teachers. Learning through computer is a very useful and effective methodology. Hence it was decided to purchase and supply computers. The required modules are to be prepared and training to teachers is to be given to utilize the modern gadgets.

The amount has been increased and proposed amount is Rs. 1500.00 lakh

### **Activity Schedule**

Activity	Month
Purchase of Computers	June, July
Preparation of Modules	August
Training to Teachers	October to January

### **Early Child Care & Education**

The aim of introducing ECCE centres is that children in the age group of 3 - 6 years should be prepared to attend the school regularly. Moreover, no girl child should be made a 'mother substitute' to take care of her sibling. 45769 centres will be provided with child friendly Learning materials.

To improve quality in these centres, a joint training is going to be organized for Anganwadi workers, teachers, health workers and VEC members on early childhood care and its significance in SSA context. As many as 45769 persons are to be trained in this regard. Training exclusively for 45769 Anganwadi workers has also been planned during the year 2008-2009.

Thus a total provision of Rs.150.620 lakh is proposed all activities under this component.

The number of children to be benefited is presented in the Table below.

**Table – 4.11**  
**Innovation - ECCE, Girls Education, SC&ST and CAL**

S. No.	District	ECCE			Girls Education		No. of SC & ST Children		CAL	
		Learning materials	Training	No of Children	English communication	Supply of materials	Learning material	English communication development skill	Provision of hardware and software	Modules & training to teachers
1	Chennai	1146	1146	31024	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
2	Coimbatore	2184	2184	36838	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
3	Cuddalore	1745	1745	43792	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
4	Dharmapuri	980	980	17236	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
5	Dindigul	1887	1887	47560	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
6	Erode	2402	2402	37783	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
7	Kancheepuram	2096	2096	55109	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
8	Kanyakumari	1134	1134	19644	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
9	Karur	716	716	19627	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
10	Krishnagiri	1068	1068	34586	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
11	Madurai	1778	1778	87810	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
12	Nagapattinam	885	885	26358	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
13	Namakkal	1368	1368	32940	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
14	Perambalur	1071	1071	38154	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
15	Pudukkottai	1459	1459	42977	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
16	Ramanathapuram	1060	1060	29151	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
17	Salem	2383	2383	62358	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
18	Sivagangai	1004	1004	31858	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
19	Thanjavur	1626	1626	41130	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
20	Theni	1040	1040	30227	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
21	The Nilgiris	432	432	12996	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
22	Thiruchirappalli	1392	1392	40145	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
23	Thirunelveli	2307	2307	23007	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
24	Thiruvallur	1976	1976	50329	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
25	Thiruvannamalai	1611	1611	36970	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
26	Thiruvarur	896	896	2011	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
27	Thoothukudi	1310	1310	51509	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
28	Vellore	2724	2724	86871	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
29	Villupuram	2721	2721	101896	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
30	Virudhunagar	1368	1368	40643	4100	4210	4300	4000	100	120
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>45769</b>	<b>1212539</b>	<b>123000</b>	<b>126300</b>	<b>129000</b>	<b>120000</b>	<b>3000</b>	<b>3600</b>

Source: Progress Report

## **Girls Education, Education for SC/ST Children and minority children**

To reduce gender gap and to bring in social equity focus is given on Girls Education and SC/ST Education under innovation head. Intervention for minority children is also specified for 2008-2009. The activities given under these heads are same. Learning materials/work books/Maths science Kit and a programme on English Communication skill are to be given to the girls, SC/ST children and minority children also. These activities will help to improve the academic achievement of these students and will enable them to stand on par with the other children. The programme on English Communication skill equips them to face the challenges in the day-to day world.

### **Learning Materials/workbook/Maths & Science Kits**

The use of learning materials, maths kit materials/science kit make learning effective and active participation of children convert the classroom experiences as a joyful one. This is a significant approach to improve quality an amount Rs.200/- per child will be utilized for this special intervention. 1,26,300 girls, 1,28,950 children belonging in to SC/ST community and 45,000 minority children will be the beneficiaries for 2008-2009. The total allotment is Rs.353.640 lakh under girls education, Rs.361.060 lakh under SC/ST sub component and Rs.90.00 lakh for minority children.

### **English communication Skill Improvement**

English communication Skill improvement programme is planned for three days as a non residential programme. Modules and grammar, poem songs CDs will be used to improve communication skills. Audio-cassettes from RIE Bangalore will be used. Rs.160 per child will be utilized 1,23,000 girls and 1,20,000 children belonging to SC/ST and 37,500 children of minority group will be the beneficiaries for 2008-2009. The outlay for this activity is Rs.246.000 lakh under girls education, Rs.240.000 lakh under SC/ST component and Rs.60.00 lakh for minority children.

The total outlay for Girls Education and SC/ST for the year 2008-2009 is Rs.449.400 lakh each and Rs.150.000 lakh for minority children.

Activities	Month
Supply of Materials	July, August
English communication Skill improvement:	October, November

**Table 4.12**  
Innovative Intervention for Minority Children Education - Proposal for 2008-09

S.No.	District	Total No. of Govt. & Local body Schools				No. of Minority Children to be covered	
		P	M	HS	HSS	English Communication skill development	Supply of Learning Materials / Workbooks / Maths and Science Kit
1	Chennai	151	113	47	49	1250	1500
2	Coimbatore	1277	399	109	103	1250	1500
3	Cuddalore	887	286	70	75	1250	1500
4	Dharmapuri	843	308	61	72	1250	1500
5	Dindigui	955	191	53	50	1250	1500
6	Erode	1285	291	68	83	1250	1500
7	Kancheepuram	885	283	93	90	1250	1500
8	Kanyakumari	293	104	73	52	1250	1500
9	Karur	585	119	42	33	1250	1500
10	Krishnagiri	1103	294	96	70	1250	1500
11	Madurai	775	241	67	62	1250	1500
12	Nagapattinam	556	197	61	49	1250	1500
13	Namakkai	680	161	45	74	1250	1500
14	Perambalur	577	167	74	58	1250	1500
15	Pudukkottai	1027	297	89	68	1250	1500
16	Ramanathapuram	780	177	37	45	1250	1500
17	Salem	1157	298	98	100	1250	1500
18	Sivagangai	782	171	57	39	1250	1500
19	Thanjavur	914	223	100	71	1250	1500
20	Theni	265	86	45	32	1250	1500
21	The Nilgiris	336	83	41	45	1250	1500
22	Thiruchirappalli	832	227	73	64	1250	1500
23	Thirunelveli	640	113	52	74	1250	1500
24	Thiruvallur	907	292	102	67	1250	1500
25	Thiruvannamalai	1295	329	134	89	1250	1500
26	Thiruvarur	626	163	56	48	1250	1500
27	Thoothukudi	510	108	24	35	1250	1500
28	Vellore	1476	394	141	124	1250	1500
29	Villupuram	1308	433	123	118	1250	1500
30	Virudhunagar	642	161	36	59	1250	1500
	<b>State</b>	<b>24349</b>	<b>6709</b>	<b>2167</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>37500</b>	<b>45000</b>

Source : Monthly Review Reports



#### 4.2.13 Community Mobilisation

With a view to train VEC members and conduct VEC meetings in 1,73,332 schools, a budget provision of Rs.103.999 lakh has been made.

Community members were trained to enroll all school-age children, to monitor schooling activities and teachers attendance, to understand the problems and needs of the CWSN, to monitor SSA activities in school and to maintain the accounts and construction of buildings.

During 2008-2009, it is proposed to train 1,73,332 VEC members on various activities like quality construction, procurement procedures, monitoring and supervision, 100% enrolment of all school-age children, monitoring teachers attendance and quality in schools.

**Table 4.13**  
**Community Mobilisation – Training Programme**

S.No.	District	Community Training to VEC members
1	Chennai	3002
2	Coimbatore	8300
3	Cuddalore	6400
4	Dharmapuri	5108
5	Dindigul	6252
6	Erode	7572
7	Kancheepuram	6316
8	Kanyakumari	3224
9	Karur	3352
10	Krishnagiri	6212
11	Madurai	5812
12	Nagapattinam	4664
13	Namakkal	4236
14	Perambalur	3976
15	Pudukkottai	6340
16	Ramanathapuram	5188
17	Salem	7044
18	Sivagangai	4720
19	Thanjavur	6404
20	Theni	2316
21	The Nilgiris	2920
22	Thiruchirappalli	6280
23	Thirunelveli	8584
24	Thiruvallur	6256
25	Thiruvannamalai	8024
26	Thiruvavur	4036
27	Thoothukudi	6144
28	Vellore	9772
29	Villupuram	9204
30	Virudhunagar	5544
	<b>Tamilnadu</b>	<b>173332</b>

### 4.3 NPEGEL

#### Budget and Activities for 2008-2009

NPEGEL is being implemented since 2003-2004. For the years 2003-2004, 2004-2005 and 2005-2006, only 48% of the funds have been released for the three years. But the expenditure incurred was 81.7%. The fund utilised over and above the releases made is met out from SSA funds. MHRD instructed in 2006-2007 to repay this loan amount to SSA from 2006-2007 budget. Anticipating 100% release for the year 2006-2007, additional classroom 349 MCSs for the due and TLE to 675 MCSs have been restricted and the spill over have been made only for 339 additional classrooms and TLE for 13 MCSs. Since the state has not received the entire approved amount, only 52 buildings out of 349 could be completed and others are yet to be completed. Hence an amount of Rs.587.090 lakh is proposed for the completion of 100% approved civil works.

Likewise 256 MCSs could not have been supplied with TLE for the short fall of release. Hence an amount of Rs.76.8 lakh is proposed for 100% supply of TLE approved sofar. Hence an amount of Rs.663.89 lakh is proposed as one time non running grant for MCSs which have not availed the same.

S. No	District	No.of blocks	No.of MCS	proposed Amount	No.of beneficiaries	Activity proposed	Expected outcome
1	Cuddalore	3	5	10.300	500	Life Skill training/ English Communication/ Exposure visit/ Yoga Training / First aid training/ Guide training	Personality Development
2	Dharmapuri	3	49	98.000	4900		
3	Erode	5	67	134.000	6700		
4	Karur	1	2	0.600	200		
5	Krishnagiri	3	49	98.430	4900		
6	Namakkal	1	11	22.000	1100		
7	Perambalur	2	2	4.660	200		
8	Salem	8	45	124.500	4500		
9	Sivagangai	1	15	4.500	1500		
11	Villupuram	7	65	166.900	6500		
Total		32	310	663.890	31000		

From this amount it is planned to provide skill building activities such as Life skill training, English communication skill training and exposure visits for a period of 3 years. The number of beneficiaries will be 31000 in 32 blocks.

### **Block specific strategies**

The Block specific action plan for 37 EBBs in 11 Districts is prepared as per revised norms under recurring grant for cluster level interventions @ Rs.60,000/- per MCS an amount of Rs.562.200 lakh is proposed for 37 block specific action plan. Achieving 100% NER among girls and retaining them without any dropout is the major objective of NPEGEL activities in EBBs. In addition, improving their achievement level is also another concern. Hence, specific strategies have to be adopted to make the system more attractive to girls which motivate them to retain in the system and complete their elementary education. Moreover the parents would be satisfied that their children educated in such a way that they may be independent to lead their life. As a measure work experience to girls has introduced where dropout rate is significantly high. Based on this concept vocational training is planned in some blocks. Not only to attract girls to school but also to make a positive impact on the academic learning outcomes of children computer aided learning and computer literacy is planned for some blocks. To make learning mathematics as an interesting task remedial approach is planned. An abstract of action plan for the Educationally Backward Blocks is given below.

### Abstract – Block Specific Plan

S. No.	District	Block	No.of MCSs	Proposed amount Rs.in lakh	No.of beneficiary/ta rget	Proposed activity strategy	Issue addressed	Expected outcome
1	Cuddalore	Mangalur	29	24.600	7672	CL& CAL, Tailoring	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
2		Nallur	29	24.300	8701	CL& CAL, Tailoring	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
3		Panruti	28	21.600	7960	CL& CAL, Tailoring	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
4	Dharmapuri	Karimangalam	38	22.800	8970	CL& CAL	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
5		Paiakkodu	38	22.800	10883	CL& CAL	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
6		Pennagaram	50	30.000	12566	Tailoring	Quality & dropout	Retention and quality
7	Erode	Anthiyur	26	15.600	7174	Vocational Trg	dropout	Retention
8		Ammapet	23	13.800	6429	Vocational Trg	dropout	Retention
9		Nambiyur	23	13.800	4570	Vocational Trg	dropout	Retention
10		Kundadam	26	15.600	3202	CAL	Quality	Quality
11		Mulanur	26	15.600	2381	CAL	Quality	Quality
12	Karur	Kadavur	25	15.000	1050	Mushroom Cultivation, CAL and Vocational Trg	Dropout Quality	Retention Quality
13	Krishnagiri	Shoolagiri	44	26.400	13200	CAL	Quality	Quality
14		Veppanapalli	25	15.000	7200	CAL	Quality	Quality
15		Kelamangalam	40	24.000	10100	CAL	Quality	Quality
16	Namakkal	Mallasamudram	17	10.200	720	Innovative Maths Learning Technology	Quality	Quality
17	Perambalur	Veppur	26	15.600	520	CAL	Quality	Quality
18		Ariyalur *	27	16.200	540	CAL	Quality	Quality
19	Salem	Kolathur	20	12.000	9332	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
20		Kadayampatti	25	15.000	9318	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention
21		Yercaud	13	7.800	3502	Vocational Trg.	Dropout	Retention
22		Nangavalli	21	12.600	8631	Vocational Trg.	Dropout	Retention
23		Edappadi	20	12.000	7780	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention
24		Sankari	21	12.600	6270	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
25		Konganapuram	13	7.800	4207	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention
26		Mc. Donal Choultry	16	9.600	4935	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
27		Veerapandi	17	10.200	9621	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
28	Panaimarathupatti	14	8.400	8618	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality	
29	Sivagangai	S.Pudur	15	15.790	3150	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
30	T.V.malai	Jawathu Hills	20	12.000	1850	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
31	Villupuram	Thiruvannainallur	23	32.000	9730	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention
32		Thirukkoyilur	20	30.000	11980	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention
33		Rishivandiyam	24	37.300	10210	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
34		Kallakurichi	35	65.000	17700	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
35		Thiagadurgam	22	31.300	8835	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
36		Uludurepettai	29	50.000	13613	CL& CAL,	Quality	Quality
37		Thirunavalur	28	57.000	8844	Vocational Trg	Dropout	Retention

For the purpose of Community Mobilization activities Rs.93.700 lakh is proposed @ Rs.10,000 per MCS as per revised norms. It is planned to be Meena Icon to mobilise Mothers Self Help Group members and community people.

Management cost of Rs.69.463 lakh @ 5% as per revised norms is proposed. So a total outlay of Rs **1389.253 lakh** is proposed under NPEGL in AWP&B for the year 2008-2009.

#### **4.4 KGBV Residential Schools**

##### **Budget and Activities for 2008-2009**

Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya Scheme has been introduced in the year 2004-2005 in Educationally Backward Blocks.

In the year 2004-2005 GOI have approved 29 EBBs in 10 districts as per the educational statistics 2001-2002 census (provisional). GOI have sanctioned 37 schools in ten districts in 22 blocks in the year 2004-2005.

The list of EB blocks as per 2001 census data has been released by census India in the year 2005-2006 and circulated to states by GOI. As per the list there are 37 blocks in 11 districts. T.N.Palayam in Erode district, Kollihills in Namakkal district, Thandrapet in Thiruvannamalai district and Narikudi in Virudhunagar districts are the blocks not included in the list sent by GOI. As 8 KGBV schools (one in T.N.Palayam, three in Kollihills, one in Thandrapet and three in Narikudi) have been started and functioning from 2004-2005, they continue to function as per MHRD instruction. In 2006-2007 PAB approved 16 schools in 16 blocks. So there are 53 schools in 38 blocks. Out of these, 49 are of Type II (50 girls) and four are of Type I (100 girls). These schools are run by 34 NGOs approved by GIAC. MoU was signed between SPO, DPO & the NGOs.

##### **Non Recurring Grant**

Since the schools have been sanctioned in 2004-2005 and 2006-2007, non recurring grant have been sanctioned for the sixteen schools started in the year 2006-2007, site selection have been completed civil are in progress. Hence, the enhanced amount for the building i.e Rs.208.05 lakh is proposed for 16 schools.

An amount of Rs.79.50 lakh is proposed for boundary wall for all 53 schools for the supply of Drinking water, for all 53 schools an amount of Rs.53.000 lakh is proposed amount of Rs.3.20 lakh is proposed for the provision of electricity for 16 schools. A total amount of Rs.350.15 lakh is proposed as an additional grant for non-recurring expenditure.

### Recurring Grant

An amount of Rs.121.08 lakh @ Rs.30.27 lakh for 4 Model I schools and an amount of Rs.1109.45 lakh @ Rs.23.05 lakh for 49 Model II Schools is proposed as recurring grant. The Total recurring grant for 53 schools is Rs.1230.53 is proposed.

On outlay of Rs.1580.68 lakh is proposed for running existing 53 KGBV schools in AWP&B for the year 2008-2009.

### Fresh Proposal

In Sivagangai district, there is a demand from VEC for another KGBV school for 50 girls in S.Pudur, an school for 50 girls in S.Pudur an EBB. There are 52 Out of school girls in the age group of 10-14 in the block and It is SC predominant area. Hence an additional school of Model 2 is proposed. The proposed school is 10 km away from the already existing KGBV.

As per the GOI Lr.No.F.21-33/2007 EE-8 dated 4<sup>th</sup> February 2008. Kalrayan hills in Villupuram District is identified as a separate block where ST population is predominant. Hence a new (Model 2) KGBV school is proposed in Kalarayan Hills. The details of the block and out of school girls where new KGBV School proposed is given below.

S. No.	District	Block	No.of Out of school Girls					Existing Residential schools and distance between existing & proposed school	Location for new KGBVs	Type of KGBV proposed
			SC	ST	OBC	M.Min	Other			
1	Sivagangai	S.Pudur	32		20			KGBV at Ulagampatti 12 kms	S.Pudur	Model II
2	Villupuram	Kalrayan hills		67	2			KGBV at Tharisakadu 25 kms	Serapattu	Model II

An amount of **Rs.116.86 lakh** is proposed for two new KGBV schools proposed Rs.68.76 lakh for non recurring and Rs.46.1 lakh for recurring expenditure

Hence a total outlay of Rs.1697.53 lakh is proposed for 55 schools in AWP& B for the year 2008-2009. (Rs.420.90 lakh as non recurring grant and Rs.1276.63 lakh as recurring grant).

**Budget Abstract**  
**Budget – Activity-wise Allocation 2008-2009**

*(Rs. in lakh)*

S. No.	Activity	Phy	2008-2009
1	New Schools - Primary	253	
2	New Schools – Upper Primary	1005	
3	New Teacher Salary		25028.880
4	Teachers Grant		1048.270
5	Block Resource Centres		3577.940
6	Cluster Resource Centres		7669.088
7	Teacher Training		3144.810
8	Out-of-School Children		2895.219
9	Remedial Teaching		886.706
10	Integrated Education for the Disabled		1377.024
11	Civil Construction Works & furniture		30226.990
12	Teaching Learning Equipment Grant		553.100
13	Maintenance Grant		2720.800
14	School Grant		2892.420
15	Research, Evaluation and Monitoring and MIS		348.952
16	Management & Quality		5023.310
17	Innovative activity		3001.320
18	Community Mobilization		103.999
19	State Component		526.595
20	NPEGEL		1389.253
21	KGBV		1697.535
	<b>Total</b>		<b>94112.211</b>

**Budget Abstract 2008-2009 - Scheme wise**

*(Rs.in lakhs)*

S.No.	Programe	Budget Proposed
1	SSA	91025.423
2	NPEGEL	1389.253
3	KGBV	1697.535
	<b>Total</b>	<b>94112.211</b>

**Procurement Schedule for Goods under SSA and NPEGEL for the year 2008-2009**

S. No.	Major Activity	Description of Goods	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs.in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009											
							April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March
1.	BRC	Furniture (one time grant)	District level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
		Contingency grant & TLM grant	BRC level	State tender procedure					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
2.	CRC	Furniture (one time grant)	District level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
		Contingency grant& TLM grant	CRC level	State tender procedure					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
3.	AIE																	
	a. EGS	Teaching Learning Materials	Centre level	State tender procedure						✓	✓	✓	✓					
		Supplementary Materials	District level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
	b. Back to School, Bridge Courses & Residential Camps	Condensed Textbooks - Primary Upper Primary	State level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
		Teaching Learning Materials	Centre level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
Supplementary Learning Materials		District level	State tender procedure															
4.	Innovative activities																	
	a. ECCE	ECCE kits	District level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
	b. Education of Girls	Education kits for Girls	District level	State tender procedure							✓	✓						
		Modules	District level	State tender procedure							✓	✓	✓					
		Materials	District level	State tender procedure							✓	✓						



S. No.	Major Activity	Description of Goods	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs.in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009											
							April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March
	c. Education of SC/ST children	Modules	District level	State tender procedure					✓	✓								
		Materials	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓									
	d. Computer Education	Computers & Accessories	District level	State tender procedure								✓	✓					
		CDs	District level	State tender procedure								✓	✓					
5.	IED	Aid & Appliances	District level	State tender procedure								✓	✓					
6.	Management	Furniture & Equipment	District level	State tender procedure					✓	✓								
		Books & Periodicals	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓							
		Maintenance of Equipment	District level	State tender procedure			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Maintenance of Vehicles	District level	State tender procedure			✓	✓										
		Maintenance of Buildings	District level	State tender procedure								✓	✓					
		Hiring of Vehicles	District level	State tender procedure			✓	✓										
		Printing	District level	State tender procedure			✓	✓										
		Consumable & Stationery	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
		Computers & Accessories	District level	State tender procedure						✓	✓							
		Media & Documentation	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Consultancy	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓							
Contingency	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			

S. No.	Major Activity	Description of Goods	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs.in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009												
							April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	
7.	Research Evaluation, Monitoring & Supervision	Action Research	School level	State tender procedure						✓	✓	✓							
		Research	District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
		Evaluation & Impact Studies	District level	State tender procedure							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Review Meetings	BRC/CRC/VEC level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
8.	School Grant	School Equipment, Records Registers etc.	School level	State tender procedure				✓	✓										
9.	Teacher Grant	Teaching Learning Materials	School level	State tender procedure				✓	✓										
10.	TLE		School level	State tender procedure					✓	✓	✓								
11.	Teacher Training	Modules	State level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
		Consumables & Stationery	BRC/CRC/level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
12.	Community Training	Modules	State level	State tender procedure					✓	✓	✓								
		Consumables & Stationery	BRC/CRC/level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
13.	NPEGEL	Teaching Learning Equipment	District level	State tender procedure															
		Supplementary Learning Materials	District level	State tender procedure															
14.	Others		District level	State tender procedure				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

### Procurement Schedule for Works under SSA for the year 2008-2009

S. No.	Description of Works	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs.in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009											
						April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March
1.	CRC	School/ Community level	Community Construction							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
2.	Primary Schools (2CR)	School/ Community level	Community Construction							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
3.	Upper Primary Schools (3CR)	School/ Community level	Community Construction							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
4.	Addl. Classroom	School/ Community level	Community Construction							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
5.	Compound Wall	School/ Community level	Community Construction							✓	✓						
6.	Electrification	School/ Community level	Community							✓	✓						
7.	BaLA	School/ Community level	Community							✓	✓						
8.	NPEGEL - MCS Building	School/ Community level	Community Construction														
9.	Maintenance Grant	School/ Community level	Community							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
10.	SIEMAT	State level	Open tender *														

\* Given to Technical Education Circle, Director of Technical Education.

**Procurement Schedule for Services under SSA for the year 2008-2009**

S. No.	Maj. Act.	Description of Services	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs. in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009											
							April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March
1.	BRC	Engagement of Special Invitees	BRC level	Selection Committee					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
2.	CRC	Appointment of Resource Persons	State level	DSE						✓	✓							
		Engagement of Special Invitees	CRC level	Selection Committee					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
3.	AIE	Engagement of NGOs	State level	GIAC				✓	✓	✓								
		Appointment of EVs	Community level	Selection Committee				✓	✓									
4.	IED	Engagement of NGOs	State level	GIAC				✓	✓									
		Engagement of Special Educators	BRC level	NGOs				✓	✓									

S. No.	Maj. Act.	Description of Services	Level of Procurement	Method of Procurement	Quantity in numbers	Estimate Cost (Rs.in lakhs)	Procurement Actions in the year 2008-2009												
							April	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	
5.	MGT	Appointment of District coordinators	State level	TRB & DSE						✓	✓	✓							
		Engagement of Consultants	District level	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
		Engagement of Auditors	State level	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓									
		Engagement of Experts/KRPs.	State & District level	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
6.	REM	Support services for Research Studies and Evaluation	DPO & SPO	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
		Support services for Pedagogy	DPO & SPO	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓	✓								
		Support services for Media and Documentation	DPO & SPO	Evaluation Committee					✓	✓	✓								

**Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA)  
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1	New Schools Opening																
1.01	Upgradation of EGS to PS	164		164		100%				0						0	
1.02	New PS	46		46		100%				253						0	
	Total of Primary	210		210		100%				253						0	
1.03	Upgraded/New UPS	338		338		100%				1005						1005	
2	New Teachers Salary																
2.01	Primary Teachers (Regular)	420	264.600	420	264.600	100%	100%	0	0.6300	506	318.780	318.780	0	0.4200	0	0.000	0.000
2.02	Upper Primary Teachers (Regular)	1256	1130.400	1256	1130.400	100%	100%	0.00	0.9000	1577	1419.300	1419.300	0.00	0.3000	1577	473.100	473.100
	Add.Teacher against PTR																
	Sub Total	1676	1395.000	1676	1395.00	100%	100%	0.00		2083	1738.080	1738.080	0.00		1577	473.100	473.100
	Teachers Salary (Recurring)																
2.03	Primary Teachers (Regular)	2800	2352.000	2800	2352	100%	100%	0	0.8400	3220	2704.800	2704.800	0	0.8400	3220	2704.800	2704.800
2.04	UP Teachers (Regular)	15899	19078.800	15899	19079	100%	100%	0	1.2000	17155	20586.000	20586.000	0	1.2000	17155	20586.000	20586.000
	Sub Total	18699	21430.800	18699	21430.80	100%	100%	0.00		20375	23290.800	23290.800	0.00		20375	23290.800	23290.800
	SUB TOTAL (New Teachers+Teachers Recurring)	20375	22825.800	20375	22825.80	100%	100%	0.00		22458	25028.880	25028.880	0.00		21952	23763.900	23763.900
3	Teachers Grant																
3.01	Primary Teachers	94192	470.960	94192	470.960	100%	100%	0	0.0050	92545	462.725	462.725	0	0.0050	92545	462.725	462.725
3.02	Upper Primary Teachers	127412	637.060	127412	637.060	100%	100%	0	0.0050	117109	585.545	585.545	0	0.0050	117109	585.545	585.545
	Sub Total	221604	1108.020	221604	1108.02	100%	100%	0.00		209654	1048.270	1048.270	0.00		209654	1048.270	1048.270
4	Block Resource Centre (BRC)/UBRC																
4.01	Salary of Resource Persons (existing)	1896	2957.760	1896	2957.760	100%	100%	0	1.8000	1912	3441.600	3441.600	0	1.8000	1912	3441.600	3441.600
4.02	Salary of Resource Persons (new)	16	24.960	16	24.960	100%	100%		1.8000			0.000		1.8000		0.000	
4.03	Furniture Grant	6	6.000	6	6.000	100%	100%	0	1.0000	0	0.000	0.000	0	1.0000	0	0.000	0.000
4.04	Contingency Grant	401	50.125	401	50.125	100%	100%	0	0.2000	401	80.200	80.200	0	0.2000	401	80.200	80.200
4.05	Meeting, TA	401	24.060	401	24.060	100%	100%	0	0.0900	401	36.090	36.090	0	0.0900	401	36.090	36.090
4.06	TLM Grant	401	20.050	401	20.050	100%	100%	0	0.0500	401	20.050	20.050	0	0.0500	401	20.050	20.050
	Sub Total		3082.955		3082.955		100%	0.00			3577.940	3577.940	0.00			3577.940	3577.940
5	Cluster Resource Centres																
5.01	Salary of Resource Persons (existing)	4088	6377.280	4088	6377.28	100%	100%	0	1.8000	4088	7358.400	7358.400	0	1.8000	4088	7358.400	7358.400
5.02	Furniture Grant	212	21.200	212	21.200	100%	100%	0	0.1000	0	0.000	0.000	0	0.1000	0	0.000	0.000
5.03	Contingency Grant	4088	102.200	4088	102.200	100%	100%	0	0.0300	4088	122.640	122.640	0	0.0300	4088	122.640	122.640
5.04	Meeting, TA	4088	98.112	4088	98.112	100%	100%	0	0.0360	4088	147.168	147.168	0	0.0360	4088	147.168	147.168
5.05	TLM Grant	4088	61.320	4088	61.320	100%	100%	0	0.0100	4088	40.880	40.880	0	0.0100	4088	40.880	40.880
	Sub Total		6660.112		6660.112		100%	0.00			7669.088	7669.088	0.00			7669.088	7669.088

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6	Teachers Training																
6.01	In-service (10 days) at BRC level																
6.01.1	SPO/KRP Training/ IT Academy Training at BRC level	221604	110.802	221604	110.802	100%	100%		0.0005	209654	104.827	104.827		0.0005	209654	104.827	104.827
6.01.2	Modules/SLM/ABL Cards/Workbooks / English Radio programme/RP Training at BRC level	221604	997.218	221604	997.218	100%	100%		0.0045	209654	943.443	943.443		0.0045	209654	943.443	943.443
6.01.3	Training to Teachers at BRC level	221604	1994.436	221604	1994.436	100%	100%		0.0050	209654	1048.270	1048.270		0.0050	209654	1048.270	1048.270
6.02	Induction training for Newly Recruit Trained Teachers	1676	11.732	1676	11.732	100%	100%	0	0.0100	1577	15.770	15.770	0	0.0100	1577	15.770	15.770
6.03	In-service teachers training (CRC meeting) (10 days)								0.0050	209654	1048.270	1048.270		0.0050	209654	1048.270	1048.270
	Sub Total		3114.188		3114.188		100%				3160.580	3160.580				3160.580	3160.580
7	Interventions for OOSC																
7.01	Bridge course Residential (per child) (12 Months)	17719	1204.892	17719	1204.892	100%	100%	0	0.1000	14052	1405.200	1405.200	0	0.1000	14052	1405.200	1405.200
7.02	Months)	28241	847.230	28241	847.230	100%	100%	0	0.0300	39165	1174.950	1174.950	0	0.0300	39165	1174.950	1174.950
7.03	Months)	1626	130.080	1626	130.080	100%	100%	0	0.1120	1587	177.744	177.744	0	0.1120	1587	177.744	177.744
7.04	Others											0.000					0.000
7.05	Summer Camps (3 months) per child	42855	25.713	42855	25.713				0.0075	18310	137.325	137.325		0.0075	18310	137.325	137.325
7.06	Coverage under KGBV	2600	0.000	2600	0.00					2500					2500		
7.07	Coverage under NCLP/INDUS	10200	0.000	10200	0.00					10800					10800		
	Sub Total	103241	2207.915	103241	2207.915	100%	100%	0.00		86414	2895.219	2895.219	0.00		86414	2895.219	2895.219
8	Remedial Teaching																
8.01	Remedial Teaching - Languages, Science, Maths, Workbooks (4 subjects) / TLM per child / ABL card / English Radio Programme / Maths kit, Science article	430000	602.000	430000	602	100%	100%	0	0.0015	591137	886.706	869.769	0	0.0015	246181	369.272	369.272
	Sub Total	430000	602.000	430000	602.00	100%	100%			591137	886.706	886.706			246181	369.272	369.272
9	Free Text Book																
	Sub Total									0	0.000	0.000			0	0.000	0.000
10	Interventions for CWSN (IED)																
10.01	Fees for spl.teacher per teacher with FTA	830	498.000	830	498.000	100%	100%	0	0.6000	830	498.000	498.000	0	0.6360	830	527.880	527.880
10.02	Fees for physiotherapist per teacher Dist	103	55.620	103	55.620	100%	100%	0	0.6000	103	61.800	61.800	0	0.6000	103	61.800	61.800
10.03	Medical Camps per block	411	24.660	411	24.660	100%	100%	0	0.0600	409	24.540	24.540	0	0.1000	409	40.900	40.900
10.04	Assistive Devices (including surgery)	367	110.100	367	110.100	100%	100%	0	0.3000	365	109.500	109.500	0	0.0150	20000	300.000	300.000
10.05	Day Care Centres	356	192.240	356	192.240	100%	100%	0	0.5400	352	190.080	190.080	0	0.5640	352	198.528	198.528
10.07	Contingencies & Documentation (per Block)	775	15.500	775	15.500	100%	100%	0	0.0200	647	12.940	12.940	0	0.0500	324	16.200	16.200

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10.08	Training to Teachers & Special teachers	64578	64.578	64578	64.578	100%	100%	0	0.0010	57454	57.454	57.454	0	0.0010	57454	57.454	57.454
10.09	Life Skills & Vocational Training for CWSN	46512	116.780	46512	116.780	100%	100%	0	0.0025	0		0.000	0	0.0010	5000	5.000	5.000
10.10	Ramps in existing schools	52362	52.362	52362	52.362	100%	100%	0	0.0010	0		0.000	0	0.0600	566	33.960	33.960
10.11	Workshops and meetings (at district/ state level)	57082	28.541	57082	28.541	100%	100%	0	0.0005	0		0.000	0		32	18.040	18.040
10.12	Braille Kits / Books	57082	57.082	57082	57.082	100%	100%	0	0.0045	58270	262.215	262.215	0	0.0050	500	2.500	2.500
	<b>Total</b>									114752							
	<b>Sub Total</b>	116393	1396.710	57082	28.54	48%	2%	0.00		114752	1377.024	1377.024	0.00		114752	1262.262	1262.262
11	<b>CVH Works</b>																
11.01	BRC	0	0.000	0	0.000			0.00	8.0000	0	0.000	0.000	0.00	8.0000	0	0.000	0.000
11.02	CRC	0	0.000	0	0.000			0.00	3.3000	918	3029.400	3029.400	0.00	2.9000	0	0.000	0.000
11.03	<b>Primary School (new)</b>																
	a. Traditional Foundation	107	524.300	107	524.300	100%	100%		6.6000	233	1537.800	1537.800		5.8000	0	0.000	0.000
	b. Raft/Framed Structure	79	474.000	79	474.000	100%	100%		8.0000	6	48.000	48.000		7.0000	0	0.000	0.000
	C. Hill Areas	24	139.200	24	139.200	100%	100%		7.8000	14	109.200	109.200		7.0000	0	0.000	0.000
	<b>Total</b>	210	1137.500	210	1137.500	100%	100%			253	1695.000	1695.000			0	0.000	0.000
11.04	<b>Upper Primary School Building (2006-2007)</b>																
	a. Traditional Foundation	265	854.625	265	854.625	100%	100%										
	b. Raft/Framed Structure	206	772.500	206	772.500	100%	100%										
	C. Hill Areas	75	270.000	75	270.000	100%	100%										
	<b>Total</b>	546	1897.125	546	1897.125	100%	100%										
	<b>Upper Primary School Building</b>																
	a. Traditional Foundation	338	2906.800	338	2906.800	100%	100%		9.7500	879	8570.250	8570.250		9.7500	879	8570.250	8570.250
	b. Raft/Framed Structure	0	0.000	0	0.000				11.5000	79	908.500	908.500		11.5000	79	908.500	908.500
	C. Hill Areas	0	0.000	0	0.000				11.5000	47	540.500	540.500		11.5000	47	540.500	540.500
	<b>Total</b>	338	2906.800	338	2906.800	100%	100%			1005	10019.250	10019.250			1005	10019.250	10019.250
11.05	<b>Additional Class Room</b>																
	a. Traditional Foundation		11609.090		11609.090		100%	0.000	3.3000	1891	6240.300	6240.300	0.000	2.9000	1197	3471.300	3471.300
	b. Raft/Framed Structure		839.190		839.190		100%	0.000	4.0000	1544	6176.000	6176.000	0.000	3.5000	1167	4084.500	4084.500
	C. Hill Areas		179.740		179.740		100%	0.000	3.9000	113	440.700	440.700	0.000	3.5000	44	154.000	154.000
	<b>Total</b>		12628.020		12628.020		100%	0.000		3548	12857.000	12857.000	0.000		2408	7709.800	7709.800
11.06	Toilet/Urinals								0.3500	0	0.000	0.000		0.3500	0	0.000	0.000
11.07	Separate Girls Toilet								0.3500	0	0.000	0.000		0.3500	0	0.000	0.000
11.08	Drinking Water Facility								0.2500	0	0.000	0.000		0.2500	0	0.000	0.000



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11.09	Residential Hostel								0.0000	0	0.000	0.000			0.0000	0	0.000	0.000	
11.10	Major Repairs (Primary)								0.0000	0	0.000	0.000			0.0000	0	0.000	0.000	
11.11	Major Repairs (Upper Primary)								0.0000	0	0.000	0.000			0.0000	0	0.000	0.000	
11.12	Others								0.0000	0	0.000	0.000			0.0000	0	0.000	0.000	
	<b>Sub Total of Civil Works</b>		<b>18569.445</b>		<b>18569.445</b>		<b>100%</b>	<b>0.000</b>				<b>27600.650</b>	<b>27600.650</b>	<b>0.000</b>			<b>17729.050</b>	<b>17729.050</b>	
12	<b>Furniture for Govt. UPS</b>																		
12.01	No. of Children								0.0050	765791	3828.955	3828.955		0.00500	19600	98.000	98.000		
	<b>Sub Total(Furniture)</b>										<b>3828.955</b>	<b>3828.955</b>				<b>98.000</b>	<b>98.000</b>		
	<b>Sub Total (Civil + Furniture)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18569.445</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18569.445</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0.000</b>			<b>31429.605</b>	<b>31429.605</b>	<b>0.000</b>			<b>17827.050</b>	<b>17827.050</b>		
13	<b>Teaching Learning Equipment</b>																		
13.01	TLE - New Primary	210	21.000	210	21.000	100%	100%	0	0.2000	253	50.600	50.600	0	0.2000	0	0.000	0.000		
13.02	TLE - New Upper Primary	338	169.000	338	169.000	100%	100%	0	0.5000	1005	502.500	502.500	0	0.5000	1005	502.500	502.500		
13.03	Others							0	0.0000	0	0.000	0.000	0	0.0000	0	0.000	0.000		
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>190.000</b>	<b>548</b>	<b>190.00</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>1258</b>	<b>553.100</b>	<b>553.100</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>1005</b>	<b>502.500</b>	<b>502.500</b>		
14	<b>Maintenance Grant</b>																		
14.01	Primary School	30787	1539.350	30787	1539.350	100%	100%	0											
14.01.1	upto 3 classrooms								0.050	14791	739.550	739.550		0.050	14791	739.550	739.550		
14.01.2	more than 3 classrooms								0.100	9558	955.800	955.800		0.100	9558	955.800	955.800		
14.02	Upper Primary School	10587	529.350	10587	529.350	100%	100%	0											
14.02.1	upto 3 classrooms								0.050	1239	61.950	61.950		0.050	1239	61.950	61.950		
14.02.2	more than 3 classrooms								0.100	9635	963.500	963.500		0.100	9635	963.500	963.500		
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>41374</b>	<b>2068.700</b>	<b>41374</b>	<b>2068.70</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0.00</b>			<b>2720.800</b>	<b>2720.800</b>	<b>0.00</b>			<b>2720.800</b>	<b>2720.800</b>		
15	<b>School Grant</b>																		
15.01	Primary School	37504	750.080	37504	750.080	100%	100%	0	0.050	37714	1885.700	1885.700	0	0.050	37714	1885.700	1885.700		
15.02	Upper Primary School	14015	280.300	14015	280.300	100%	100%	0	0.070	14353	1004.710	1004.710	0	0.070	14353	1004.710	1004.710		
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>51519</b>	<b>1030.380</b>	<b>51519</b>	<b>1030.38</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>52067</b>	<b>2890.410</b>	<b>2890.410</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>52067</b>	<b>2890.410</b>	<b>2890.410</b>		
16	<b>Research &amp; Evaluation</b>																		
16.01	Quarterly Achievement Test	43549	130.647	43549	130.647	100%	100%		0.001	43619	43.619	43.619		0.001	43549	43.549	43.549		
16.02	Action Research, Evaluation & Impact Studies	43549	87.098	43549	87.098	100%	100%		0.005	43619	218.095	218.095		0.005	43549	217.745	217.745		
16.03	Monitoring / Survey & Census	43549	130.647	43549	130.647	100%	100%		0.004	43619	174.476	174.476		0.004	43549	174.196	174.196		



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	Additional Learning Material / Workbooks/ Maths & Science Kit and Audio equipments								0.0045	385454	1734.543	1734.543		0.0045	290785	1308.533	1308.533
	Sub Total		2282.814		2282.814		100%	0.00			5196.885	5196.885	0.00			3822.666	3822.666
18	Innovative Activity																
18.01	Computer Education																
	Provision of Hardwares/Softwares	1421	441.000	1421	441.000	100%	100%		0.4100	3000	1230.000	1230.000		0.4100	3000	1230.000	1230.000
	Preparation of Modules & Training to Teachers	29	9.000	29	9.000	100%	100%		0.0750	3600	270.000	270.000		0.0750	3600	270.000	270.000
	Sub Total		450.000		450.000		100%				1500.000	1500.000				1500.000	1500.000
18.02	ECCE																
	Upgraded Centres	21900	32.850	21900	32.850	100%	100%		0.0015	0	0.000	0.000		0.0015	0	0.000	0.000
	Play / Learning Materials per centre	6870	68.700	6870	68.700	100%	100%		0.0020	45769	95.697	95.697		0.0100	9545	95.450	95.450
	Joint Trg. & Trg. to Anganwadi workers	40380	48.456	40380	48.456	100%	100%		0.0012	45769	54.923	54.923		0.0012	45289	54.347	54.347
	Sub Total		150.000		150.000		100%				150.620	150.620				149.797	149.797
18.03	Girls Education																
	Vocational Training	118300	120.000	118300	120.000	100%	100%										
	Supply of Learning Materials/ Workbooks/ Maths & Science Kit per school	29000	120.000	29000	120.000	100%	100%		0.0028	126300	353.640	353.640		0.0800	4200	336.000	336.000
	English Communication skill improvement	116000	120.000	116000	120.000	100%	100%		0.0020	123000	246.000	246.000		0.0020	57000	114.000	114.000
	Life Skills Training	34340	90.000	34340	90.000	100%	100%										
	Sub Total		450.000		450.000		100%				599.640	599.640				450.000	450.000
18.04	SC/ST																
	Remedial Coaching		120.000		120.000		100%										
	Exposure Visit	58000	120.000	58000	120.000	100%	100%			0	0.000	0.000			0	0.000	0.000
	Life Skills Training	37700	120.000	37700	120.000	100%	100%			0	0.000	0.000			0	0.000	0.000
	English Communication skill improvement	43500	90.000	43500	90.000	100%	100%		0.0020	120000	240.000	240.000		0.0020	51000	102.000	102.000
	Supply of Learning Materials/ Workbooks/ Maths & Science Kit per school								0.0028	128950	361.060	361.060		0.0800	4350	348.000	348.000
	Sub Total		450.000		450.000		100%				601.060	601.060				450.000	450.000
18.05	Minority children																
	Supply of Learning Materials/ Workbooks/ Maths & Science Kit per school								0.0800	4590	367.200	367.200		0.0800	4590	367.200	367.200
	English Communication skill improvement								0.0020	41400	82.800	82.800		0.0020	41400	82.800	82.800
	Sub Total										450.000	450.000				450.000	450.000

**Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA)  
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State Consolidate

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S.No.	Activity	2007-2008						Proposal for 2008-09					Recommended for 2008-09						
		PAB Approved		Achievement				Spill Over	Fresh Proposal		Total Proposal	Spill Over	Fresh Proposal		Total Proposal				
		Phy.	Fin.	Phy.	Fin.	Phy. (%)	Fin. (%)		Fin.	Unit Cost			Phy.	Fin.		Fin.	Fin.	Unit Cost	Phy.
	<b>Total of INNOVATION</b>		1500.000		1500.000		100%					3301.320	3301.320					2999.797	2999.797
19	<b>Community Training</b>																		
19.01	Community Training (VEC Members)	193358	116.015	193358	116.015	100%	100%	0	0.0006	173332	103.999	-103.999	0	0.0006	162324	97.394	97.394	97.394	
19.02	Community awareness programme								0.0200	4088	81.760	81.760		0.0200	0	0.000	0.000	0.000	
	<b>Sub Total</b>	193358	116.015	193358	116.015	100%	100%	0.00			185.759	185.759	0.00			97.394	97.394	97.394	
	<b>Total of SSA (Districts)</b>		67147.00		67147.00		100%	0.000			92445.013	92445.013	0.000			75129.735	75129.735	75129.735	
20	<b>STATE COMPONENT</b>																		
20.01	Management		302.000		302.000		100%		0.0000		520.420	520.420		0.0000		520.420	520.420	520.420	
20.02	REMS		217.745		217.745		100%		0.0000		43.619	43.619		0.0000		43.549	43.549	43.549	
20.03	SIEMAT		250.000		250.000		100%				0.000	0.000				0.000	0.000	0.000	
	<b>Sub Total</b>		769.745		769.745		100%				564.039	564.039				563.969	563.969	563.969	
	<b>STATE SSA TOTAL</b>		67916.746		67916.746		100%	0.000			93009.052	93009.052	0.000			75693.704	75693.704	75693.704	
21	<b>NPEGEL</b>		1279.985		1279.985		100%	663.89		937	725.363	1389.253	587.09		937	597.940	1185.030	1185.030	
22	<b>KGBV</b>	53	1074.325	53	966.137	89.93%		0		55	1704.750	1704.750	0		53	1292.720	1292.720	1292.720	
	<b>GRAND TOTAL (SSA+NPEGEL+KGBV)</b>		70271.056		70162.868		99.85%	663.890			95439.165	96103.055	587.09			77584.364	78171.454	78171.454	

## **ABBREVIATIONS**

<b>AAEEO</b>	-	<b>Additional Assistant Elementary Educational Officer</b>
<b>ADPC</b>	-	<b>Assistant District Programme Coordinator</b>
<b>Addl. DPC</b>	-	<b>Additional District Programme Coordinator</b>
<b>ADS</b>	-	<b>Assistant Director of Statistics</b>
<b>AEEEO</b>	-	<b>Assistant Elementary Educational Officer</b>
<b>AIE</b>	-	<b>Alternative and Innovative Education</b>
<b>AWPB</b>	-	<b>Annual Work Plan and Budget</b>
<b>ABL</b>	-	<b>Activity Based Learning</b>
<b>ALM</b>	-	<b>Active Learning Methodology</b>
<b>BaLA</b>	-	<b>Building as Learning Aid</b>
<b>BC</b>	-	<b>Backward Class</b>
<b>BEC</b>	-	<b>Block Education Committee</b>
<b>BRC</b>	-	<b>Block Resource Centre</b>
<b>BRG</b>	-	<b>Block Resource Group</b>
<b>BRTE</b>	-	<b>Block Resource Teacher Educator</b>
<b>CAL</b>	-	<b>Computer Aided Learning</b>
<b>CEO</b>	-	<b>Chief Educational Officer</b>
<b>CR</b>	-	<b>Completion Rate</b>
<b>CRC</b>	-	<b>Cluster Resource Centre</b>
<b>DEC</b>	-	<b>District Education Committee</b>
<b>DEE</b>	-	<b>Director of Elementary Education</b>
<b>DEEO</b>	-	<b>District Elementary Educational Officer</b>
<b>DEEP</b>	-	<b>District Elementary Education Plan</b>
<b>DEO</b>	-	<b>District Educational Officer</b>
<b>DIET</b>	-	<b>District Institute of Education and Training</b>
<b>DISE</b>	-	<b>District Information System for Education</b>
<b>DPC</b>	-	<b>District Programme Coordinator</b>
<b>DPEP</b>	-	<b>District Primary Education Programme</b>
<b>DPO</b>	-	<b>District Project Office</b>
<b>DR</b>	-	<b>Dropout Rate</b>
<b>DRG</b>	-	<b>District Resource Group</b>
<b>DSE</b>	-	<b>Director of School Education</b>

DTERT	-	Directorate of Teacher Education, Research and Training
EBB	-	Educationally Backward Class
ECCE	-	Early Childhood Care and Education
EGS	-	Education Guarantee Scheme
EMIS	-	Educational Management Information System
GAR	-	Gross Access Ratio
GER	-	Gross Enrolment Ratio
GIS	-	Geographic Information System
GOI	-	Government of India
GOTN	-	Government of Tamilnadu
GOVT	-	Government
GPS	-	Global Positioning System
HM	-	Headmaster
ICDS	-	Integrated Child Development Scheme
IED	-	Integrated Education for the Disabled
INDUS	-	Indo-United States Child Labour Project
JRM	-	Joint Review Mission
KGBV	-	Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya
MCS	-	Model Cluster School
MIS	-	Management Information System
MLA	-	Member of Legislative Assembly
MP	-	Member of Parliament
NCLP	-	National Child Labour Programme
NCERT	-	National Council of Educational Research and Training
NCTE	-	National Council of Teacher Education
NER	-	Net Enrolment Ratio
NGO	-	Non-Governmental Organization
NIEPA	-	National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration
NPEGEL	-	National Programme for Education of Girls at Elementary Level
OA	-	Office Assistant
OBB	-	Operation Blackboard
PA	-	Personal Assistant

PG	-	Post Graduate Teacher
PMIS	-	Programme Management Information System
PRI	-	Panchayat Raj Institution
PTA	-	Parent Teacher Association
PWD	-	Public Works Department
RR	-	Repetition Rate
SAP	-	School Adoption Programme
SBT	-	School Based Training
SC	-	Scheduled Caste
SDSS	-	Spatial Decision Support System
SLM	-	Self Learning Material
SFD	-	Special Focus District
SIEMAT	-	State Institute of Educational Management and Training
SIT	-	Satellite Interactive Terminal
SPD	-	State Project Director
SPO	-	State Project Office
SRG	-	State Resource Group
SSA	-	Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
ST	-	Scheduled Tribe
SLM	-	Supplementary Learning Material
TA/DA	-	Traveling Allowance/Daily Allowance
TINP	-	Tamilnadu Integrated Nutrition Programme
TLE	-	Teaching Learning Equipment
TLM	-	Teaching Learning Material
TN	-	Tamilnadu
TPR	-	Teacher Pupil Ratio
TR	-	Transition Rate
TSG	-	Technical Support Group
TTO	-	Teacher Training Officer
UEE	-	Universalisation of Elementary Education
VEC	-	Village Education Committee
VI	-	Visually Impaired
WDO	-	Women Development Officer