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PREFACE

School education in the different States and Union Territories of India is characterized by a wide variation in terms of the duration of various stages of school education, age restriction for admission to Class-I, medium of instruction, introduction of compulsory education at the elementary stage, teaching of Hindi and English, number of working days in a year, academic session and vacations, public examinations, provision of free education and tuition fee charged etc. This publication, 'Selected Information on School Education in India' provides state-wise information on all these aspects of education. This is an annual publication of the Department of Secondary and Higher Education. The present publication relating to the year 1997-98, has been prepared on the basis of information that has been obtained from the Directorates of School Education in the States and Union Territories in a pre-devised format.

We are sure that this publication will be useful for education planners, policy makers and to those engaged in research. Suggestions for improving the publications are welcome.

I am thankful to the officers and staff of the Governments of the States and Union Territories Administrations for the reasonable timely supply of information reflected in this publication. We are taking steps to streamline these efforts in order to make the future editions of this publication more timely and useful.

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INTRODUCTION

A uniform structure of school education, the 10+2 system has been adopted by all the States and Union Territories of India. However, within the States and the UTs, there remains variations in the number of classes constituting the Primary, Upper Primary, High and Higher Secondary school stages, age for admission to class I, medium of instruction, public examinations, teaching of Hindi and English, number of working days in a year, academic session, vacation periods, fee structure, compulsory education etc. This publication is an attempt to provide information on these items for all the States and Union Territories.

During this period we have not received reports from Haryana (Middle/ High/ Higher Secondary stage) and Jammu & Kashmir and as such we have been constrained to repeat the latest available information.

2. The items included in this publication are discussed briefly in the following paragraphs:

I STAGES OF SCHOOL EDUCATION IN INDIA

- (a) The Primary Stage consists of Classes I-V, i.e., of five years duration, in 20 States/UTs namely Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Bihar, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Madhya Pradesh, Manipur, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Chandigarh, Delhi, and Karaikal and Yanam regions of Pondicherry. The primary stage consists of classes I-IV in Assam, Goa, Gujarat, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra,

Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep and Mahe region of Pondicherry.

- (b) The Middle Stage of education comprises Classes VI-VIII in as many as 18 States/UTs viz., Arunachal Pradesh, Bihar, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Madhya Pradesh, Manipur, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Chandigarh, Delhi, and Karaikal region of Pondicherry; Classes V-VII in Assam, Goa, Gujarat, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep and Mahe region of Pondicherry and Classes VI-VII in Andhra Pradesh, Orissa, and Yanam region of Pondicherry. In Nagaland Classes V – VIII constitute the upper primary stage.
- (c) The Secondary Stage consists of Classes IX-X in 19 States/UTs. Viz., Arunachal Pradesh, Bihar, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Madhya Pradesh, Manipur, Nagaland, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Chandigarh, Delhi, and Karaikal region of Pondicherry. The High School stage comprises classes VIII to X in 13 States/UTs viz., Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Goa, Gujarat, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Orissa, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep and Mahe & Yanam regions of Pondicherry. However, the Higher Secondary /Senior Secondary stage of school comprising classes XI-XII (10+2 pattern) is available in all the States/UTs though in some States/UTs these classes are attached to Universities/Colleges.

State/UT-wise details of the different stages of School Education are given in Statement-I.

II. AGE RESTRICTION FOR ADMISSION

The minimum age for admission to class I of the Primary School stage is generally 5+ or 6+ years. In 22 States/UTs the minimum age for admission to Class I is 5+ years and in 7 States/UTs the minimum age for admission is 6+ years. There is no age restriction in the case of Mizoram. In Gujarat, the minimum age for admission is 5+ years (voluntary) and 6+ years (compulsory). In Lakshadweep, the minimum age for admission is 5 ¹/₂ Years. The details for all the States/UTs are given in Statement-II.

III. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

Mother tongue or regional language is the medium of instruction at the primary stage of education in most of the States/UTs. Facilities for studying in a medium other than regional language vary considerably in different States and Union Territories. State-wise details are given in Statement -III.

IV. TEACHING OF HINDI

Apart from Hindi speaking States, teaching of Hindi is compulsory in most of the non-Hindi speaking States/UTs, though the classes from which the teaching of Hindi is compulsory differ from State to State. Teaching of Hindi is not compulsory in the States of Tamil Nadu, Tripura, and Karaikal region of Pondicherry. Classes in which teaching of Hindi is compulsory or optional for different States are indicated in Statement - IV.

V TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Teaching of English is compulsory in all the States/UTs, except Bihar. However, the classes in which teaching of

English is compulsory differs from State to State. In general, it is compulsory in Classes VI-X in most of the States/UTs. State-wise details may be seen in Statement-V.

VI PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS

In all the States/UTs Public Examinations are conducted at the end of X and XII Classes by the respective State Boards of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education. The minimum age for the Secondary School Examination varies from 14+ to 16+ years in Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Jammu & Kashmir, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Manipur, Orissa, Punjab, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, West Bengal, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Delhi, Lakshadweep, and Pondicherry. In Mizoram, the minimum age for secondary school examination is 13+ years. Other States/UTs either do not have age restrictions or have not prescribed any age restriction. The minimum age for higher Secondary School Examination varies from 16+ to 18+ years in Arunachal Pradesh, Bihar, Gujarat, Jammu & Kashmir, Kerala, Maharashtra, Punjab, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Delhi, Lakshadweep and Pondicherry. In other States/UTs, either there is no age restriction prescribed or if it exists, it has not been indicated. In some of the States/UTs, the first Public Examination is also conducted at the Middle stage of School Education. State-wise details are given in Statement –VI.

VII NUMBER OF WORKING DAYS

The number of working days of School Education in a year is generally more than 200 days in all the States/UTs. State-wise details may be seen in Statement-VII.

VIII ACADEMIC SESSION

The academic session begins from different months of the year in the different States and Union Territories. However, in most of the States, the long vacation periods are availed in the summer season while in some of the hilly States, these fall in the winter months. The State-wise position is given in Statement-VIII.

IX COMPULSORY EDUCATION

Compulsory education has been enforced in four States and Union Territories at the primary stage of education while in eight States/UTs there is compulsory education covering the entire elementary stage of education. As many as 20 States/UTs have not introduced any measure of compulsion upto the year 1997-98. The State/UT-wise details are given in Statement IX.

X FREE EDUCATION

A majority of States and Union Territories have introduced free education in Classes I-XII of their schools. The State-wise details are available in Statement X.

XI TUITION FEES CHARGED PER CHILD PER ANNUM IN GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS

In the States/UTs where education is not free for classes IX and above, the annual fee varies considerably from the highest level of Rs.360/- for classes XI and XII in the case of Meghalaya to the lowest at Rs.48/- in the case of Assam. Details of Tuition Fee charged per annum have been provided in Statement-XI.

STATEMENTS

STATEMENT – I : STAGES OF SCHOOL EDUCATION

Sl. No.	State/ Union Territory	Stages	Classes (From - To)	Duration in years
1	2	3	4	5
States				
1	Andhra Pradesh	i) Primary	I - V	5
		ii) Upper Primary	VI - VII	2
		iii) High	VIII - X	3
		iv) +2 stage/Jr. Colleges	XI - XII	2
2	Arunachal Pradesh	i) Primary	I - V	5
		ii) Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii) Secondary	IX - X	2
		iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1978-79. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
3	Assam	i) Primary / Jr. Basic	I - IV	4
		ii) Middle / Sr. Basic	V - VII	3
		iii) High	VIII - X	3
		iv) Higher Secondary	XI - XII	2
4	Bihar	i) Primary	I - V	5
		ii) Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii) High	IX - X	2
		iv) Junior Colleges (10+2 system introduced in 1978-79. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
5	Goa	i) Primary/Jr. Basic	I - IV	4
		ii) Middle / Sr. Basic	V - VII	3
		iii) High	VIII - X	3
		iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1975-76. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
6	Gujarat	i) Primary	I - IV	4
		ii) Middle	V - VII	3
		iii) High	VIII - X	3
		iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1986. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
7	Haryana	i) Primary	I - V	5
		ii) Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii) High	IX - X	2
		iv) Sr. Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1985. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2

1	2	3	4	5	
8	Himachal Pradesh	i)	Primary	I - V	5
		ii)	Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii)	Secondary	IX - X	2
		iv)	Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1986. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
9	Jammu & Kashmir	i)	Primary	I - V	5
		ii)	Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii)	High	IX - X	2
		iv)	Higher Secondary	XI - XII	2
10	Karnataka	i)	Primary	I - IV	4
		ii)	Middle	V - VII	3
		iii)	High	VIII - X	3
		iv)	Junior Colleges (+2 Pattern) (10+2 system introduced in 1971-72.)	XI - XII	2
11	Kerala	i)	Primary	I - IV	4
		ii)	Middle	V - VII	3
		iii)	High	VIII - X	3
		iv)	Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1990-91.)	XI - XII	2
12	Madhya Pradesh	i)	Primary	I - V	5
		ii)	Middle	VI - VIII	3
		iii)	High	IX - X	2
		iv)	Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1985-86. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
13	Maharashtra	i)	Primary	I - IV	4
		ii)	Middle	V - VII	3
		iii)	Secondary	VIII - X	3
		iv)	Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1975. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2
14	Manipur	i)	Primary/Jr. Basic	I - V	5
		ii)	Middle / Sr. Basic	VI - VIII	3
		iii)	High	IX - X	2
		iv)	Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1974-75. +2 stage is part of School Education)	XI - XII	2

1	2	3	4	5
15	Meghalaya	i) Primary / Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High School iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1994-95. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2
16	Mizoram	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High iv) Jr. College (+2 stage is part of School Education)	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2
17	Nagaland	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High iv) Higher Secondary	I - IV V - VIII IX - X XI - XII	4 4 2 2
18	Orissa	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1982-83. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VII VIII - X XI - XII	5 2 3 2
19	Punjab	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1986-87. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
20	Rajasthan	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) Secondary iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 System was introduced in 1988-89. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
21	Sikkim	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1975.)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2

1	2	3	4	5
22	Tamil Nadu	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1978-79. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
23	Tripura	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 System introduced in 1976. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
24	Uttar Pradesh	i) Primary ii) Middle/ Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Intermediate college (10+2 system introduced in 1987-88.)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
25	West Bengal	i) Primary / Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1976. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
<u>Union Territories</u>				
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) Secondary iv) Sr. Secondary (10+2 System introduced in 1977-78. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
27	Chandigarh	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1986-87.)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1976-77. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2

1	2	3	4	5
29	Daman & Diu	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1976. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2
30	Delhi	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) Secondary iv) Sr. Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1977. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
31	Lakshadweep	i) Primary/ Jr. Basic ii) Middle / Sr. Basic iii) High iv) Higher Secondary (10+2 system introduced in 1993-94. +2 stage is part of School Education)	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2
32	Pondicherry			
	Pondicherry and Karaikal Region	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High School iv) Higher Secondary	I - V VI - VIII IX - X XI - XII	5 3 2 2
	Mahe Region	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High School iv) Higher Secondary / Pre- Degree	I - IV V - VII VIII - X XI - XII	4 3 3 2
	Yanam Region	i) Primary ii) Middle iii) High School iv) Intermediate (10 +2 system introduced in 1978-79. +2 stage is part of school education	I - V VI - VII VIII - X I yr. & II yr.	5 2 3 2

STATEMENT – II: AGE RESTRICTION FOR ADMISSION TO CLASS - I

Sl.No.	State/Union Territory	Stage	Minimum age for Admission to Class – I of the stage
1	2	3	4
<u>States</u>			
1	Andhra Pradesh	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
3	Assam	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
4	Bihar	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
5	Goa	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
6	Gujarat	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years (Voluntary) 6 (Plus) Years (Compulsory)
7	Haryana	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
8	Himachal Pradesh	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
9	Jammu & Kashmir	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
10	Karnataka	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
11	Kerala	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
12	Madhya Pradesh	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
13	Maharashtra	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
14	Manipur	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
15	Meghalaya	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
16	Mizoram	Primary Stage	No age restriction
17	Nagaland	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
18	Orissa	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
19	Punjab	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
20	Rajasthan	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
21	Sikkim	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
22	Tamil Nadu	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
23	Tripura	Primary Stage	6 (Plus) Years
24	Uttar Pradesh	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
25	West Bengal	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
<u>Union Territories</u>			
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
27	Chandigarh	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years

1	2	3	4
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
29	Daman & Diu	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
30	Delhi	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years
31	Lakshadweep	Primary Stage	5 1/2 (Plus) Years
32	Pondicherry	Primary Stage	5 (Plus) Years

**STATEMENT - III: MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION AT PRIMARY, MIDDLE & HIGH/HIGHER
SECONDARY STAGES**

Sl. No.	State / Union Territory	Stage of Education	Medium of instruction
1	2	3	4
<u>States</u>			
1	Andhra Pradesh	Primary/ Upper Primary/ High	Telugu (regional language) and English. Provision is also available for education through Persian, Urdu, Tamil, Marathi, Oriya, Kannada and Hindi
		+2 stage / intermediate	English, Telugu, Urdu and Hindi
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Primary / Middle/ Secondary and Higher Secondary	English and Hindi
3	Assam	Primary	Assamese, Bengali, Hindi, English, Manipuri, Bodo, Mising and Nepali.
		Middle / High	Assamese, Bengali, Hindi, English, Manipuri, Bodo and Nepali.
		Higher Secondary	Assamese, Hindi, Bengali and English.
4	Bihar	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Hindi
5	Goa	Primary	English, Marathi, Konkani, Kannada, Urdu, Hindi, Malayalam and Telugu.
		Middle	Marathi, Urdu, Kannada, Hindi and English
		High	English, Konkani, Marathi and Urdu.
		Higher Secondary	English
6	Gujarat	Primary / Middle/ High/ Higher Secondary	Gujarati, Hindi and English

1	2	3	4
7	Haryana	Primary / Middle / High Higher Secondary	Hindi Hindi and English.
8	Himachal Pradesh	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Hindi and English
9	Jammu & Kashmir	Primary Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Urdu, Hindi Students have the option to study in Dogri. Urdu, Hindi and English.
10	Karnataka	Primary/ Middle / High Higher Secondary / + 2 stage	Kannada, English, Hindi, Telugu, Tamil, Marathi and Urdu. English and Kannada
11	Kerala	Primary / Middle / High Higher Secondary	Malayalam, English, Tamil and Kannada English, Malayalam and Hindi
12	Madhya Pradesh	Primary / Middle High / Higher Secondary	Hindi Hindi and English
13	Maharashtra	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary / + 2 stage	Marathi (for children having their mother tongue other than Marathi, the medium of instruction can be English, Urdu, Sindhi, Hindi, Gujarati and Kannada.)
14	Manipur	Primary Middle High School Higher Secondary	Hindi, Manipuri and recognised Tribal Dialects Hindi, Bengali and Manipuri English and Manipuri English
15	Meghalaya	Primary Middle / High / Higher Secondary / + 2 stage	Mother Tongue namely Khasi and Gharo, Assamese, Bengali, English, Hindi and Nepali. English

1	2	3	4
16	Mizoram	Primary / Middle High / Higher Secondary	Mother Tongue (Mizo) English
17	Nagaland	Primary Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Mother Tongue and English English
18	Orissa	Primary / Middle / High Higher Secondary	Oriya and English English
19	Punjab	Primary / Middle High / Higher Secondary	Punjabi Punjabi and English
20	Rajasthan	Primary / Middle / High Higher Secondary	Hindi Hindi and English
21	Sikkim	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	English
22	Tamil Nadu	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Tamil or Mother tongue of the Student. Provision for English medium is also available from Standards VI to XII.
23	Tripura	Primary Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Bengali, English, Kak Barak, Hindi, Manipuri and Lusai. Bengali, English and Hindi
24	Uttar Pradesh	Primary / Middle High / Higher Secondary	Hindi Hindi and English
25	West Bengal	Primary Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Bengali or Mother tongue of the student Mother tongue and English
<u>Union Territories</u>			
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Hindi, English, Bengali, Tamil and Telugu.

1	2	3	4
27	Chandigarh	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Hindi Punjabi, English (except for science subjects in classes XI & XII where only English is the medium of instruction)
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Gujarati, Marathi and English
29	Daman & Diu	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Gujarati and English
30	Delhi	Primary	Hindi
		Middle / Secondary / Senior Secondary / +2 stage	Hindi and English
31	Lakshadweep	Primary	English, Malayalam and Mahe
		Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Malayalam, English and Hindi
32	Pondicherry		
	Pondi & Karaikal Region	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary	Tamil, English and French
	Mahe Region	Primary / Middle / High / Higher Secondary and Pre-Degree	Malayalam, English and French
	Yanam Region	Primary / Middle / High / Intermediate	Telugu and English

STATEMENT – IV: CLASSES IN WHICH HINDI IS TAUGHT AS A COMPULSORY / OPTIONAL SUBJECT

Sl.No.	State/Union Territory	Classes in which teaching of Hindi is	
		Compulsory	Optional
1	2	3	4
<u>States</u>			
1	Andhra Pradesh	VI to X	XI to XII
2	Arunachal Pradesh	I to X	XI to XII
3	Assam	V to VII	VIII to XII
4	Bihar	I to XII	--
5	Goa	V to X	XI to XII
6	Gujarat	V to IX	X to XII
7	Haryana	I to XII	--
8	Himachal Pradesh	I to X	XI to XII
9	Jammu & Kashmir	I to V	VI to XII
10	Karnataka	V to X	XI to XII
11	Kerala	V onwards	--
12	Madhya Pradesh	I to XII	--
13	Maharashtra	All classes of Hindi medium schools. In other schools, it is compulsory for classes V to VII	VIII to XII
14	Manipur	III to VIII	IX to XII
15	Meghalaya	V to VIII	--
16	Mizoram	V to VIII	--
17	Nagaland	V to VIII	IX to XII
18	Orissa	VI to VIII	IX to XII
19	Punjab	III to X	XI to XII
20	Rajasthan	I to XII	--

1	2	3	4
21	Sikkim	IV to VIII	IX to XII
22	Tamil Nadu	Not Compulsory	Pupils whose mother tongue is Hindi, children of Central Government employees and Defence Service Personnel and Children from families migrating from other states can opt Hindi either as a language or as the medium of instruction. Those who have studied Hindi previously are permitted by Government to study Hindi privately.
23	Tripura	--	VI to VIII
24	Uttar Pradesh	I to XII	--
25	West Bengal	First language when mother tongue is Hindi	As third language in classes VI to VIII
<u>Union Territories</u>			
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	I to X	IX to XII
27	Chandigarh	III to VIII either First language or Second language	I, II, IX to XII
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	V to IX	X to XII
29	Daman & Diu	III to IX	X to XII
30	Delhi	I to VIII	IX to XII
31	Lakshadweep	V to X	XI to XII
32	Pondicherry		
	Pondicherry & Karaikal Region	--	VI to XII
	Mahe Region	V to X	--
	Yanam Region	VI to X	--
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STATEMENT – V : CLASSES IN WHICH ENGLISH IS TAUGHT AS A COMPULSORY/
OPTIONAL SUBJECT

SL. NO.	STATE/UNION TERRITORY	CLASSES IN WHICH TEACHING OF ENGLISH IS	
		COMPULSORY	OPTIONAL
1	2	3	4
States			
1	Andhra Pradesh	V to XII	-
2	Arunachal Pradesh	I to XII	-
3	Assam	V to XII	NA
4	Bihar	-	VI to XII
5	Goa	V to XII	-
6	Gujarat	V to IX	X to XII
7	Haryana	VI to XII	-
8	Himachal Pradesh	IV to XII	-
9	Jammu & Kashmir	VI to XII	I to V
10	Karnataka	V to X	XI to XII
11	Kerala	IV onwards	-
12	Madhya Pradesh	VI to X	XI to XII
13	Maharashtra	i) All classes of English medium schools ii) V to XII of other schools	-
14	Manipur	III to XII	-
15	Meghalaya	I to XII	-
16	Mizoram	III to XII	-
17	Nagaland	I to XII	-
18	Orissa	III to X	XI to XII
19	Punjab	VI to XII	-
20	Rajasthan	VI to XII	-

1	2	3	4
21	Sikkim	I to XII	-
22	Tamil Nadu	III to XII	-
23	Tripura	III to XII	-
24	Uttar Pradesh	VI to VIII	IX to XII
25	West Bengal	VI to XII	-
	Union Territories		
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	I to XII	-
27	Chandigarh	III to XII	-
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	V to IX	X to XII
29	Daman & Diu	V to IX	X to XII
30	Delhi	VI to VIII	I to V, IX to XII
31	Lakshadweep	IV to XII	-
32	Pondicherry	I to XII	-

STATEMENT - VI: PUBLIC EXAMINATION HELD AT VARIOUS STAGES

SL. NO.	STATE/UNION TERRITORY, PUBLIC EXAMINATION AND THE CLASS	ARE THESE EXAMINATIONS COMPULSORY (AGE RESTRICTION, IF ANY, FOR ADMISSION TO THE PUBLIC EXAMINATION)	NAME OF THE BOARD/ ORGANIZATION CONDUCTING THE EXAMINATION
1	2	3	4
<u>States</u>			
1	Andhra Pradesh		
	i) 7 th Class Common Examination	Yes (11+ years on 1st September of the year)	District Education Officer
	ii) Secondary School Certificate(Class X)	Yes (14+ years on 1st September of the Year)	Board of Secondary Education, Hyderabad
	iii) Intermediate Examination	Yes (No age restriction)	Board of Intermediate Education
2	Arunachal Pradesh		
	i) All India Secondary School Examination (Class X)	Yes (15+ years)	Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi
	ii) All India Senior School Certificate Examination (AISSC)	Yes (17+ years)	-- do --
3	Assam		
	i) High School Leaving Certificate	Yes (15+ years)	Board of Secondary Education, Assam Guwahati.
	ii) Higher Secondary School leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (No age restriction)	Higher Secondary Education Council, Assam.
4	Bihar		
	i) Secondary School Examination	Yes (+ 14 years)	Bihar School Examination Board, Patna
	ii) Intermediate	Yes (+16 years)	Bihar Intermediate Education Council, Patna.

1	2	3	4
5	Goa		
	i. High School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (No age restriction)	i) Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education, Post Betim, Goa ii) CBSE, New Delhi.
	ii. Higher Secondary School Examination (10+2 pattern) at the end of Class XII	--- do ---	i) Goa Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education, Post Betim, Goa ii) CBSE, New Delhi.
6	Gujarat		
	i) SSC at the end of Class X	Yes (15 years)	Gujarat Secondary Education Board, Baroda
	ii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (17 Years)	Gujarat Higher Secondary Education Board, Gandhi Nagar
7	Haryana		
	i) Middle Standard Examination at the end of Class VIII	Yes	Board of School Education, Haryana, Bhiwani --- do ---
	ii) Matriculation Examination at the end of Class X	Yes	--- do ---
	iii) Senior Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes	--- do ---
8	Himachal Pradesh		
	i) Middle at the end of Class VIII	Yes (+12 years)	Himachal Pradesh Board of School Examinations, Dharamshala, Distt. Kangra
	ii) Matriculation at the end of Class X	Yes (No age restriction)	--- do ---
	iii) Higher Secondary XII Class	Yes (No age restriction)	--- do ---

1	2	3	4
9	Jammu & Kashmir		
	i) Matriculation at the end of Class X	Yes (+16 Years)	Jammu & Kashmir Board of School Examinations, Jammu Tawi / Srinagar.
	ii) Higher Secondary – Part-I	Yes (+17 Years)	--- do ---
	iii) Higher Secondary - Part – II	Yes (+18 Years)	--- do ---
10	Karnataka		
	i) 7 th Standard District level Examination	Yes (12 Years)	Karnataka State Secondary Education Examination Board, Malleswaram, Bangalore.
	ii) SSLC Examination at the end of High School	Yes (15 Years)	--- do ---
	iii) Pre-University (+2 Stage)	Yes	Pre-University Education Examination Board, Bangalore.
11	Kerala		
	i) SSLC Examination at the end of Standard X	Yes (15 Years)	Board of Public Examinations
	ii) Higher Secondary (+ 2 stage)	Yes (17 Years)	Board of Higher Secondary Examinations
	iii) VHSS	NA	Board of Vocational Higher Secondary Examination
12	Madhya Pradesh		
	i) Primary School Certificate at the end of Class V	Yes (No age restriction)	District Board of Primary School Education, Madhya Pradesh,
	ii) Middle School Certificate Examination at the end of Class VIII	Yes	Divisional Board of Middle School Examination, Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal
	iii) High School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes	Madhya Pradesh Board of Secondary Education, Bhopal
	iv) Higher Secondary School Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes	--- do ---

1	2	3	4
13	Maharashtra		
	i) Secondary School Certificate Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (+14 Years for regular students and +16 Years for private students)	Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education, Pune.
	ii) Higher Secondary School Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (+16 Years for regular students and +18 for private students)	--- do ---
14	Manipur		
	i) High School Leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (+15 Years)	Board of Secondary Education, Manipur, Imphal
	ii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (No age restriction)	Council of Higher Secondary Education, Manipur.
15	Meghalaya		
	i) Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class X	Yes	Meghalaya Board of School Education, Shillong
	ii) Higher Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes	--- do ---
16	Mizoram		
	i) Primary School Leaving Certificate Examination	Yes (No age restriction)	School Complex, PSLC
	ii) Middle School Leaving Certificate Examination	Yes	Mizoram Board of School Education, Aizawl
	iii) High School Leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (+13 Years)	--- do ---
	iv) Higher Secondary School Leaving Certificate Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes	---do ---

1	2	3	4
17	Nagaland		
	i) Elementary School Class VIII Examination	Yes (No age restriction)	Nagaland Board of School Education
	ii) High School Leaving Certificate Examination	--- do ---	--- do ---
	iii) Higher Secondary School Examination	--- do ---	--- do ---
18	Orissa		
	i) Middle School Common Examination	Yes	Board of Secondary Education, Orissa, Cuttack
	ii) High School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (15+ Years)	--- do ---
	iii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (No age restriction)	Council of Higher Secondary Education, Orissa, Bhubaneswar
19	Punjab		
	i) Middle Standard Examination at the end of Class VIII	Yes (No age restriction)	SCERT, Punjab, Chandigarh
	ii) Matriculation	Yes (14+ Years)	Punjab School Education Board, SAS Nagar, Roop Nagar
	iii) Sr. Secondary Certificate Examination Part - II	Yes (16+ Years)	-- do --
20	Rajasthan		
	i) Secondary Examination at the end of class X	Yes (No age restriction)	Board of Secondary Education, Rajasthan, Ajmer
	ii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	-- do --	-- do --

1	2	3	4
21	Sikkim		
i)	Junior High School Examination at the end of Class VIII	Yes (No age restriction)	Department of Education, Sikkim
ii)	All India Secondary Examination at the end of class X	-- do --	ICSE and CBSE, New Delhi
iii)	All India Senior School Certificate Examination at the end of class XII	-- do --	-- do --
22	Tamil Nadu		
i)	SSLC Examination at the end of Standard X	Yes (14+ Years as on 31 st March)	Board of Secondary Education, Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
ii)	Matriculation Examination	-- do --	Board of Matriculation Examination
iii)	Anglo Indian Examination	-- do --	Board of Anglo Indian Examination
iv)	H.S.S.L.C Examination at the end of Standard XII	Yes (16+ Years as on 31 st March)	Board of Higher Secondary Education, Tamil Nadu, Chennai
23	Tripura		
i)	Madhyamik Education at the end of Class X	Yes (+ 16 Years)	Tripura Board of Secondary Education, Agartala
ii)	Uchha Madhyamik (+2stage) at the end of Class XII	Yes (+18 Years)	-- do --
24	Uttar Pradesh		
i)	Primary at the end of Class V	Yes (No age restriction)	Committee at Block level
ii)	Upper Primary at the end of class VIII	-- do --	Committee at District level
iii)	High School Examination at the end of Class X	-- do --	Board of High School and Intermediate Examination, Allahabad.
iv)	Intermediate Examination at the end of Class XII	-- do --	-- do --

1	2	3	4
25	West Bengal		
	i) Madhyamik Pariksha (Secondary Examination) at the end of Class X	Yes (+15 Years)	West Bengal Board of Secondary Education
	ii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (No age restriction)	West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education
	<u>Union Territories</u>		
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands		
	i) Secondary School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (Minimum +15 Years)	Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi.
	ii) Senior Secondary School Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (Minimum +17 Years)	-- do --
27	Chandigarh		
	i) Middle Standard Examination at the end of Class VIII	Yes (No age restriction)	Registrar, Departmental Examination, Chandigarh Administration
	ii) Matriculation Examination at the end of Class X	-- do --	CBSE, New Delhi or ICSE, New delhi
	iii) +2 stage Examination at the end of Class XII	-- do --	-- do --
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli		
	i) Secondary School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (No age restriction)	New Secondary School Certificate Examination Board, Gujarat State, Baroda
	ii) Higher Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	-- do --	Gujarat Higher Secondary Certificate Examination Board, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat

1	2	3	4
29	Daman & Diu		
	i) Secondary School Certificate Examination	Yes (No age restriction)	Gujarat State Secondary School Examination Board, Gandhi Nagar, (Exam wing at Baroda)
	ii) Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination	-- do --	Gujarat State Higher Secondary Examination Board, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat
30	Delhi		
	i) Secondary School Examination at the end of Class X	Yes (+15 Years as on 30 th September)	Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi.
	ii) Senior Secondary Examination at the end of Class XII	Yes (+17 Years as on 30 th September)	-- do --
31	Lakshadweep		
	i) Secondary School leaving Certificate (SSLC) at the end of Class X	Yes (14 Years)	Board of Public Examinations, Kerala Trivandrum
	ii) All India Secondary School Examination (AISSE) at the end of Class X	-- do --	Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi
	iii) All India Senior Secondary School Examination (AISSSE) at the end of Class XII	Yes (13 Years)	-- do --
	iv) Pre-Degree Examination	Yes (16 Years)	University of Kozhikode, Kerala,
32	Pondicherry		
	Pondicherry and Karaikal Region		
	i) SSLC	Yes (14+ years)	Board of Secondary Education, Tamil Nadu, Chennai
	ii) Higher Secondary	Yes (16+ years)	Board of Higher Secondary Education, Tamil Nadu, Chennai

1	2	3	4
Mahe Region			
i)	SSLC/ SSC	Yes (14+ Year)	Board of Secondary School Examination, Kerala
ii)	Pre-Degree	Yes (16+ Years)	Univeristy of Kozhikode, Kozhikode, Kerala
Yanam Region			
i)	SSC	Yes (14+ Years)	Board of Secondary Education, Andhra Pradesh
ii)	Intermediate	Yes (16+ Years)	Board of Intermediate Examination, Andhra Pradesh
French Examination			
i)	Certificate d' Studes Primaries Elementaire de Francais (equivalent to VIII)	Yes (12 Years and above)	Department of Education, Govt. of Pondicherry
ii)	Brevet Elementaire (equivalent to Matriculate / SSLC)	Yes (14 Years and above)	-- do --

Note: Details of Public Examinations, Annual School Examinations not included.

STATEMENT – VII: NUMBER OF WORKING DAYS IN PRIMARY, MIDDLE & HIGH/HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOLS

SL. NO.	STATE/ UNION TERRITORY	STAGE OF EDUCATION	NUMBER OF WORKING DAYS
1	2	3	4
States			
1	Andhra Pradesh	Primary / Middle/ High	220
		+2 Stage / Inter - I Year	150
		+2 Stage / Inter - II Year	180
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Primary/Middle/ Secondary/Higher Secondary	250
3	Assam	Primary	224
		Middle	223
		High/Higher Secondary	244
4	Bihar	Primary / Middle	259
		High/Higher Secondary/ +2 stage	251
5	Goa	Primary / Middle/ High/ Higher Secondary (+2 stage)	220
6	Gujarat	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
7	Haryana	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	240
8	Himachal Pradesh	Primary/Middle	225
		High	212
		Higher Secondary	202
9	Jammu & Kashmir	Primary/Middle	180 to 210
		High/Higher Secondary	150
10	Karnataka	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
11	Kerala	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	200
		VHSS	180
12	Madhya Pradesh	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
13	Maharashtra	Primary	220
		Middle/Secondary/ Higher Secondary	230

1	2	3	4
14	Manipur	Primary / Middle High/Higher Secondary	265 250
15	Meghalaya	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
16	Mizoram	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	197
17	Nagaland	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	228
18	Orissa	Primary/Middle High +2 stage	237 228 Attached to Colleges
19	Punjab	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	240
20	Rajasthan	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	245
21	Sikkim	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
22	Tamil Nadu	Primary/Middle High/Higher Secondary	220 200
23	Tripura	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	266
24	Uttar Pradesh	Primary/Middle/High/ Intermediate college	220
25	West Bengal	Primary Middle/High/Higher Secondary	220 226
<u>Union Territories</u>			
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	Primary/Middle/ Secondary/ Senior Secondary	210 to 215
27	Chandigarh	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	243
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	234
29	Daman & Diu	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220

1	2	3	4
30	Delhi	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	210
31	Lakshadweep	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	220
32	Pondicherry		
	Pondicherry and Karaikal Region	Primary/Middle/High/ Higher Secondary	201
	Mahe Region	Primary/Middle/High/ Pre-Degree courses	200
	Yanam Region	Primary/Middle/High/ Intermediate college	222

N.B: Number of working days includes examination & Co-Curricular activity days also.

STATEMENT – VIII: ACADEMIC TERMS AND VACATION PERIODS

Sl. No.	State/Union Territory	Academic Period	Vacation Period
1	2	3	4
States			
1	Andhra Pradesh	For Classes I to X: 1 st June to 31 st May	i) 12 days in October (1.10.1997 to 12.10.1997) ii) 10 days in December/ January (23.12.1997 to 1.1.1998) iii) 24 th April to 11 th June (49 days)
		For Classes XI to XII: 1 st June to 31 st May	Mid-term - 1.10.1997 to 15.10.1997 Summer Vacation - 1.4.1998 to 15.6.1998
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1 st June to 15 th April, 1998	45 days vacation w.e.f. 16 th April to 30 th May
3	Assam	For Classes I to X: 1 st January to 31 st December For Classes XI to XII: July to June	i) Summer vacation from 1 st July to 31 st July ii) Holidays for festivals 38 days.
4	Bihar	Primary/ Middle and High: January to December. 10+2 stage: July to May	Summer Vacation: 1 st June to 30 th June Puja Vacation: 1 st October to 8 th October
5	Goa	June, 1997 to April, 1998	i) Mid-term break from 6.9.1997 to 11.9.1997 ii) Vacation from 28.10.1997 to 8.11.1997 iii) Mid-term break from 24.12.1997 to 2.1.1998 iv) Summer Vacation from 26.4.1998 to 7.6.1998

1	2	3	4
6	Gujarat	Middle of June to end of April	Diwali Vacation from 27 th October to 16 th November 1997 Summer Vacation from 1 st May, 1998 to 14 th June, 1998
7	Haryana	1 st April to 31 st March	i) 5 th April to 14 th April ii) Summer Vacation: 25 th May to 5 th July iii) 15 th October, to 21 st October
8	Himachal Pradesh	i) Winter Closing School – 1 st March to 28 th February ii) Summer Closing school - 1 st April to 31 st March	i) First week of August (6 days) ii) Winter Vacation: 1 st January to 15 th February i) Summer Vacation: 17 th July to 31 st August ii) 26 th December to 31 st December
9	Jammu & Kashmir	i) 1 st December to end of November in Kashmir Province ii) 1 st April to end of March in Jammu Province	i) Winter Vacation: 16 th December to end of February ii) Summer vacation: 15 th July to 31 st July i) Summer Vacation: 1 st June to end of July ii) Winter Vacation: 16 th December to 31 st December
10	Karnataka	June to April	i) 1.10.1997 to 28.10.1997 ii) 11.4.1998 to 31.5.1998
11	Kerala	June, 1997 to May, 1998	i) Onam holidays: 13.9.1997 to 21.9.1997 ii) X-mas holidays: 20.12.1997 to 28.12.1997 iii) Mid-summer Vacation: 1.4.1998 to 30.6.1998
12	Madhya Pradesh	N.A.	i) Summer Vacation: 1 st May to 30 th June ii) 9 th October to 11 th October iii) 9 th November to 12 th November

1	2	3	4
13	Maharashtra	i) Primary – Not specified ii) Others – June to April	To be fixed by local bodies. 145 days including Sundays. i) Diwali Vacation: In October/ November – 21 days ii) Summer Vacation: May/June – About 40 days
14	Manipur	i) 1 st February to 31 st January (For elementary/ high school) ii) 1 st May to 30 th April (For higher secondary school)	i) 20/30 days of summer vacation in case of primary/middle schools and high school respectively. ii) No date is specified
15	Meghalaya	14 th April, 1997 to 22 nd December 1997	i) Summer vacation: 10 days ii) Puja vacation: 5 days iii) Winter vacation - 23 rd December to 13 th February
16	Mizoram	January to December	i) 15 th May to 19 th May, 1997 ii) 27 th August to 31 st August, 1997 iii) 4 th December 1997 to 1 st February, 1998
17	Nagaland	January to December	i) Summer vacation: 14- 30 June, 1997 ii) Winter Vacation: 20 th December 1997 to 2 nd February, 1998
18	Orissa	July to June	i) Summer Break: 33 days ii) Puja and Dushera holidays: 15 days iii) X-mas holidays: 13 days
19	Punjab	1 st April 1997 to 31 st March, 1998	i) Summer vacation: 46 days in June/July ii) 7 days in December

1	2	3	4
20	Rajasthan	1 st May, 1997 to 30 th April, 1998	i) Summer vacation: 30 days from 1 st June to 30 th June, 1997 ii) Mid-session break from 9.10.1997 to 3.11.1997
21	Sikkim	January, 1997 to December 1997	i) Summer vacation: 7.7.1997 to 19.7.1997 ii) Winter Vacation: 13.12.1997 to 16.2.1998
22	Tamil Nadu	June to April	i) 14 days for Dusshera or 14 days for Christmas in December ii) 6 week long summer in April/May
23	Tripura	January, 1997 to December 1997	i) Summer Vacation: 12 th May, 1997 to 11 th June, 1997 ii) Puja Vacation: 7 th October, 1997 to 18 th October, 1997
24	Uttar Pradesh	July to June	21 st May to 30 th June
25	West Bengal	May to April	87 days in June-July and September-October
Union Territories			
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1 st July to 30 th April (The vacation periods are sometimes shifted to fit in with the availability of ship services)	27 th April to 2 nd July
27	Chandigarh	1 st April, 1997 to 31 st March, 1998	i) 7.4.1997 to 16.4.1997 ii) 1.6.1997 to 13.7.1997 iii) 25.12.1997 to 31.12.1997
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	June, 1997 to April, 1998	i) 27.10.1997 to 15.11.1997 ii) 1.5.1998 to 11.6.1998
29	Daman & Diu	June, 1997 to April, 1998	i) Diwali holidays: 20 th October to 9 th November, 1997 ii) Mid-term Break: 24 th December, 1997 to 2 nd January, 1998 iii) Summer vacation: 27 th April, 1998 to 6 th June, 1998

1	2	3	4
30	Delhi	1 st April, 1997 to 31 st March, 1998	i) 1 st May to 30 th June, 1997 ii) Dusshera/Durga Puja holidays – 10 days in October, 1997 iii) 25 th December to 31 st December 1997
31	Lakshadweep	June, 1997 to March, 1998	i) Ramzan holidays: 30 th December, 1997 to 7 th February, 1998 ii) Summer Vacation: 1 st April, 1998 to 31 st May, 1998
32	Pondicherry		
	Pondicherry & Karaikal Region	June, 1997 to May, 1998	i) 1 st October to 7 th October, 1997 ii) 1 st to 18 th January, 1998 iii) 16 th April to 31 st May, 1998
	Mahe Region	June, 1997 to May, 1998	i) 6 th September to 15 th September, 1997 ii) 24 th December, 1997 to 1 st January, 1998 iii) 1 st April to 31 st May, 1998
	Yanam Region	June, 1997 to May, 1998	i) 21 st September to 1 st October, 1997 ii) 9 th January, to 19 th January, 1998 iii) 24 th April to 14 th June, 1998

STATEMENT – IX: INTRODUCTION OF COMPULSORY EDUCATION

Sl. No.	State/Union Territory	In Urban Areas (Age Group)		In Rural Areas (Age Group)	
		For Boys	For Girls	For Boys	For Girls
1	2	3	4	5	6
States					
1	Andhra Pradesh	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
2	Arunachal Pradesh		Compulsion is not in force		
3	Assam	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
4	Bihar		Compulsion is not in force		
5	Goa	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
6	Gujarat	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
7	Haryana	6-11	6-11	6-11	6-11
8	Himachal Pradesh		Compulsion is not in force		
9	Jammu & Kashmir		Compulsion is not in force		
10	Karnataka	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
11	Kerala	5-14	5-14	5-14	5-14
12	Madhya Pradesh		Compulsion is not in force		
13	Maharashtra		Compulsion is not in force		
14	Manipur		Compulsion is not in force		
15	Meghalaya		Compulsion is not in force		
16	Mizoram		Compulsion is not in force		
17	Nagaland		Compulsion is not in force		
18	Orissa		Compulsion is not in force		
19	Punjab	6-11	6-11	6-11	6-11
20	Rajasthan		Compulsion is not in force		
21	Sikkim		Compulsion is not in force		
22	Tamil Nadu	6-14	6-14	6-14	6-14
23	Tripura		Compulsion is not in force		

1	2	3	4	5	6
24	Uttar Pradesh		Compulsion is not in force		
25	West Bengal	6-10	6-10	6-10	6-10
<u>Union Territories</u>					
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	6-11	6-11	6-11	6-11
27	Chandigarh		Compulsion is not in force		
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli		Compulsion is not in force		
29	Daman & Diu	5-14	5-14	5-14	5-14
30	Delhi		Compulsion is not in force		
31	Lakshadweep		Compulsion is not in force		
32	Pondicherry		Compulsion is not in force		

STATEMENT - X: FREE EDUCATION IN GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS

SL. NO.	STATES/UNION TERRITORY	IN URBAN AREAS		IN RURAL AREAS	
		IN SCHOOLS FOR BOYS	IN SCHOOLS FOR GIRLS	IN SCHOOLS FOR BOYS	IN SCHOOLS FOR GIRLS
1	2	3	4	5	6
	<u>States</u>				
		<u>CLASSES</u>	<u>CLASSES</u>	<u>CLASSES</u>	<u>CLASSES</u>
1	Andhra Pradesh	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
2	Arunachal Pradesh	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
3	Assam	I to X	I to XII	I to X	I to XII
4	Bihar	I to X	I to XII	I to X	I to XII
5	Goa	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
6	Gujarat	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
7	Haryana	I to VIII	I to XII	I to VIII	I to XII
8	Himachal Pradesh	I to X	I to XII	I to X	I to XII
9	Jammu & Kashmir	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
10	Karnataka	I to VII	I to VII	I to VII	I to VII
11	Kerala	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
12	Madhya Pradesh	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
13	Maharashtra	I to VII	I to XII	I to VII	I to XII
14	Manipur	I to VIII	I to X	I to VIII	I to X
15	Meghalaya	I to X	I to X	I to X	I to X
16	Mizoram	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
17	Nagaland	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
18	Orissa	I to V	I to XII	I to V	I to XII
19	Punjab	I to VIII	I to XII	I to VIII	I to XII
20	Rajasthan	I to VIII	I to XII	I to VIII	I to XII
21	Sikkim	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
22	Tamil Nadu	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII

1	2	3	4	5	6
23	Tripura	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
24	Uttar Pradesh	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
25	West Bengal	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
<u>Union Territories</u>					
26	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
27	Chandigarh	I to VIII	I to XII	I to VIII	I to XII
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
29	Daman & Diu	I to X	I to XII	I to X	I to XII
30	Delhi	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
31	Lakshadweep	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII
32	Pondicherry	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII	I to XII

**STATEMENT - XI: TUITION FEE CHARGED PER CHILD PER ANNUM IN GOVERNMENT
SCHOOLS**

(In Rupees)

Sl. No.	States/Union Territories	Boys/ Girls	Class IX	Class X	Class XI	Class XII	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
States							
1	Andhra Pradesh	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
3	Assam	Boys Girls	- -	- -	48 -	48 -	- -
4	Bihar	Boys Girls	- -	- -	168 -	168 -	- -
5	Goa	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
6	Gujarat	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
7	Haryana	Boys Girls	120 -	120 -	120 -	180 -	- -
8	Himachal Pradesh	Boys Girls	- -	- -	120 -	120 -	- -
9	Jammu & Kashmir	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
10	Karnataka	Boys Girls	65 65	65 65	150 150	150 150	- -
11	Kerala	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
12	Madhya Pradesh	Boys Girls	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
13	Maharashtra	Boys Girls	84 to 108 -	96 to 120 -	192 to 240 -	216 to 264 -	- -

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	Manipur	Boys	75	90	Art.150 Sc.180	Art. 150 Sc. 180	-
		Girls	-	-	Art.150 Sc.180	Art.150 Sc. 180	-
15	Meghalaya	Boys	-	-	350	350	-
		Girls	-	-	360	360	-
16	Mizoram	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
17	Nagaland	Boys	-	-	200	200	-
		Girls	-	-	200	200	-
18	Orissa	Boys	-	-	N.A.	N.A.	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
19	Punjab	Boys	72* /84**	72* /96**	120	120	[*] - High Schools [**] - Sr. Sec Schools
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
20	Rajasthan	Boys	18/120	18/120	48/144	48/144	Non-IT/ IT payee
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
21	Sikkim	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
22	Tamil Nadu	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
23	Tripura	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
24	Uttar Pradesh	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
25	West Bengal	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Union Territories</u>							
26	Andaman & Nicobar Isian Is	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
27	Chandigarh	Boys	72	72	240	240	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
28	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
29	Daman & Diu	Boys	-	-	240	360	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
30	Delhi	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
31	Lakshadweep	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-
32	Pondicherry	Boys	-	-	-	-	-
		Girls	-	-	-	-	-

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