

EDUCATION

SCHOOL EDUCATION

School Education plays a vital role in the economic, social and cultural development of a country. Besides moulding character and values of the citizen, the overall growth of the country depends on educational growth. Education is the basic prerequisite to build a just, equitable society and tool for the development of the individual and the nation. The vision is to offer quality education aiming an all round development from Primary to Higher Secondary level. In so far as the Union territory of Puducherry is concerned school education has been placed at a higher pedestal.

There are 294 Primary Schools, 105 Middle Schools, 180 High Schools and 135 Higher Secondary Schools (both Govt./Govt. aided and private schools). Almost the habitations in this Union Territory are provided with access to Primary Schools within 1 km distance. The dropout in Primary is Nil. The teacher pupil ratio is 1:25 (National norms 1:32). In this Union Territory every student passing 10th Std is assured of a seat in the Hr. Sec. Classes.

Realizing the importance and impact of Pre Primary Education on Primary Education, the Government of Puducherry started Pre-Primary classes in all Government Primary Schools. Puducherry is unique in having Pre Primary classes in all Government Primary Schools where specially trained Pre-Primary teachers are engaged for handling Pre Primary classes.

To achieve 100% enrolment and retention of children in Government schools by taking various measures viz. providing Text books, Note books, Stationery items, Uniforms and Footwear on free of cost to all the students studying from LKG to XII Standard in all Government Schools. In addition, this administration has also launched the 'Bus Pass Scheme' to reduce burden of the transport difficulties of the school going children. The scheme of provision of transport facilities at concessional rate of ₹1/- per trip for all schools are under implementation.

The District Institute of Education & Training (DIET) and the State Training Centre (STC) provides training to teachers for improvement of quality education.

To implement the provisions of the Right to Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009, the Puducherry Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011 has been notified vide G.O. Ms. No.101 dt. 24th October 2011.

Sports and Physical Education forms an integral part of School Education curriculum from Primary to Higher Secondary Education. Active participation of students are ensured in all Sports and Physical Education activities and the talents of students are nurtured. There is ample evidence that students exhibit their potential in varied disciplines of games and sports especially from Middle School level and these talents have to be fostered, strengthened and nurtured towards achieving excellence as they grow up. In this context various sports programmes at National/State/Zonal Level are organized.

HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

The Directorate of Higher & Technical Education was bifurcated from the erstwhile Directorate of Education during 2003 to set up a separate establishment for dealing with the matters pertaining to the Higher Education. The Government of Puducherry, to impart quality higher education has established various colleges in the Government sector and also under various Societies. Apart from this, private initiatives in the field of higher education also being encouraged by this Government by providing No Objection Certificate for Private Managements to start Arts & Science Colleges and Professional Colleges.

There is one Central University by the name of “Pondicherry University” located at Kalapet. Most of the Government Arts & Science Colleges, Professional Colleges, and Engineering & Medical colleges are affiliated to Pondicherry University. It also offers various PG/M.Phil/Research programmes in its campus. During the financial year 2010-11, the National Institute of Technology is started in Karaikal which offers wide exposure to our students.

There are seven Government Arts & Science Colleges, one Govt. Law College, one Govt. Polytechnic college, 6 Polytechnic Colleges under PIPMATE Society, Pondicherry Engineering College and Karaikal Engg. College under Engineering College Society and 5 Arts & Science Colleges under PONSHE under the purview of this Directorate.

The desire of the local inhabitants of Puducherry who equate knowledge with wealth is making Puducherry a knowledge hub. The tireless effort of the people of Puducherry to transform this tiny Union Territory into a knowledge society is bearing fruit already. The setting up of Govt. Medical College in Puducherry and National Institute of Technology in Karaikal are the unforgettable milestones in this tireless mission. Our vision is to make this journey forward by providing 100% access, enrollment in Higher Education and to give ample opportunities to the students for their better career.

ART & CULTURE

The Union Territory of Puducherry, the erstwhile French colony has many legacies of art & culture with rich heritage. Separate Directorate for Art and Culture has been established in order to develop the arts, literature, political legacies and remembrance of great poets, Maintenance of Romain Rolland Library and Public Branch Libraries (80 Nos.), Bharathiar, Bharathidasan, Subbaiah, Toy, French, Kizhour and Puducherry Museums and autonomous institutions like Barathiar Palkalaikoodam and Pondicherry Institute of Linguistics Culture come under the purview of the Department of Art & Culture. Number of festivals and workshops were successfully conducted and awards along with the monthly Honorarium are given to the meritorious/outstanding artist in various field to encourage literary and research works etc. Financial assistance are given to the persons distinguished in letters/performing visual arts etc. to uplift the economic condition of their life.

Further the Department is preserving the records/publications and strengthening the archives. Grant-in-aid are released to Bharathiar Palkalaikooma, Pondicherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture and M/s. INTACH, Puducherry every year for the overall development of Art and Culture activities of the Puducherry

Voluntary Cultural organisation are assisted and fellowship grants provided to the research scholars for pursuing higher studies in the field of Art and Culture. Grant of Financial assistance for the publication of Manuscripts and for making Documentary Film on the life History renowned Poets/Freedom fighters.

Along with the above objectives the Department looks after the conducting of Birth and Death Anniversaries of various Leaders, Poets and Freedom Fighters and conducting Book Fair and Fete-de-Puducherry in a befitting manner.

LAW (Higher Education)

The Law college which was started in the year 1972 has a campus area of 28 acres consisting of academic block, library, Moot Court, Administrative Block, hostels for boys and girls. Presently 5-year / 3-year integrated courses, 2-year course in Post Graduation, one year evening course and fulltime and part time Ph. D. courses are conducted.

OUTLAY AT A GLANCE

Sector : EDUCATION

No. of Schemes : 39

Department : 1. SCHOOL EDUCATION
 2. HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION
 3. ART & CULTURE
 4. LAW (Higher Education)

(Plan : 30 + CSS : 9)

(₹ in lakh)

Annual Plan 2013-14 Actual Expenditure	:	24852.91
Annual Plan 2014-15 Approved Outlay	:	27684.48
Annual Plan 2014-15 Revised Outlay	:	28905.94
Annual Plan 2015-16 Approved Outlay (Plan + CSS)	:	40068.50

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Annual Plan 2013-14	Annual Plan 2014-15		Annual Plan 2015-16	
		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	Of which capital content
(1)	(2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
(a)	Elementary Education & Literacy					
1.	Pre-Primary Education	2.10	2.10	2.10	6.10	--
2.	Universalisation of Elementary Education for the age group 6-14 year	3125.05	3149.60	3672.63	3801.42	300.00
3.	Free Supply of Books, Stationery, Uniforms, Footwear and provision of transport facilities to students	1681.60	1475.00	2190.71	3433.37	--
4.	Development of Jawahar Bal Bahavan and Opening of these Bal Bhavan at Commune level	143.61	175.26	161.09	189.72	--

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Annual Plan 2013-14	Annual Plan 2014-15		Annual Plan 2015-16	
		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	Of which capital content
5.	Reimbursement of tuition fees and provision of other facilities due to implementation of Right to Education (RTE) Act.	--	0.01	--	0.01	--
	Sub-total	4952.56	4801.97	6026.53	7430.62	300.00
(b)	Secondary Education					
6.	Strengthening and Development of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education including Technical / Vocational education and Junior College	6153.48	5956.64	5979.92	7315.93	1200.00
7.	Scholarship, Incentive, Cash awards and Mementos	--	1.00	1.40	1.00	--
8.	Improvement of Science Education in Schools	10.50	15.86	14.24	14.13	--
9.	Establishment of State Institute of Education by upgrading the existing State Training Centre	10.25	17.68	16.10	29.30	--
10.	Strengthening of Inspectorate & Directorate of Education	182.41	197.15	180.62	234.23	--

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Annual Plan 2013-14	Annual Plan 2014-15		Annual Plan 2015-16	
		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	Of which capital content
	Scheme for counselling, guidance, evaluation and improvement of academic and general performance of school students	--	0.01	--	--	--
	Sub-total	6356.64	6188.34	6192.28	7594.59	1200.00
(c)	Adult Education					
	Adult Education Programme	--	--	--	--	--
(d)	Sports & Youth Services					
11.	Strengthening & Development of Sports, Physical Education, Youth Activities, NCC, Bharat Scouts and Guides, National Service Scheme and Community Service scheme	799.83	766.59	513.14	724.79	500.00
	Panchayat Raj Window	--	--	--	--	--
	Negotiated Loan	--	300.00	400.00	500.00	500.00
	Sub-total (School Education)	12109.03	12056.90	13131.95	16250.00	2500.00

(₹ in lakh)

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		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	Of which capital content
HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION						
a) Higher Education						
12.	Strengthening / development of existing Arts & Science Colleges	1890.65	2564.57	2499.31	2862.34	378.13
13.	Award of financial assistance to Post Graduate Students	0.30	0.50	0.30	0.50	--
14.	Assistance to the Centre for the Dev. of Bio-technology in Pondicherry University.	4.92	2.92	4.92	2.92	--
	Subtotal	1895.87	2567.99	2504.53	2865.76	378.13
b) Technical Education						
15.	Strengthening of Government Teachers Training (B.Ed.) College at Karaikal.	168.14	240.00	168.14	285.00	20.00
16.	Financial Assistance to students undergoing professional courses in colleges through CENTAC	4170.00	3170.25	4226.00	4000.00	--
17.	Setting up of Puducherry State University	--	--	--	--	--

(₹ in lakh)

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		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	Of which capital content
18.	Strengthening / development of Technical Education	5090.17	6325.01	5332.13	7451.53	1472.00
19.	Expansion and improvement of Polytechnics.	108.21	161.27	109.12	153.81	40.02
20.	Strengthening of Directorate of Higher & Tech. Education	284.10	255.78	245.38	380.00	150.00
	Sub-total	9820.62	10152.31	10080.77	12270.34	1682.02
	Total (Higher & Technical Education)	11716.49	12720.30	12585.30	15136.10	2060.15
ART & CULTURE						
21.	Improvement of Official Language & Linguistic Studies	75.94	100.33	78.97	119.14	--
22.	Grants-in-aid to Pondicherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture / Bharathiyar Palkalaikoodam	507.50	454.50	363.00	776.00	--
23.	Financial Assistance to persons distinguished in letters, arts and performing visual arts.	55.19	54.50	59.40	84.42	--
24.	Financial Assistance to INTACH	5.25	5.25	5.25	5.25	--

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Annual Plan 2013-14	Annual Plan 2014-15		Annual Plan 2015-16	Of which capital content
		Actual Expdr.	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Approved Outlay	
25.	Expansion / Improvement of Libraries and archives	127.53	166.31	117.43	259.98	--
26.	Contribution to Raja Ram Mohan Roy Library Foundation	10.00	10.00	10.00	2.00	--
27.	Improvement to Museum/ Research Centre & Strengthening of Nehru Science Centre	136.48	143.29	135.76	86.25	--
28.	Promotion of cultural activities / release of GIA to Voluntary Cultural Institutions	47.19	65.81	67.18	66.95	--
29.	Panchayat Sector Window	--	0.01	0.01	0.01	--
Sub-total (Art & Culture)		965.08	1000.00	837.00	1400.00	--
LAW (Higher Education)						
30.	Development of Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Law College , Puducherry	62.31	65.00	65.00	140.00	--
Total (Education)		24852.91	25842.20	26619.25	32926.10	4560.15

(₹ in lakh)					
Name of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme	Actual Expdr. 2013-14	Approved Outlay. 2014-15	Revised Outlay 2014-15	Approved Outlay 2015-16	
School Education					
31. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA)		529.19	433.15	346.43	
32. Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA)		283.55	741.40	292.06	
33. Support for Educational Development including Teachers Training		75.00	195.42	176.14	
34. Scheme for providing education to Madrasas, Minorities and disabled		13.23	16.28	6.54	
35. National Service Scheme		45.44	45.44	45.44	
36. Panchayat Yuva Krida aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA)		31.62	--	31.62	
37. Information & Communication Technology at schools (ICT)		163.25	--	280.27	
Sub-total		1141.28	1431.69	1178.50	
Higher & Technical Education					
38. Rashtriya Ucchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA)		601.00	755.00	5863.90	
Art & Culture					
39. Setting up, promotion and strengthening of regional museum *		100.00	100.00	100.00	
Total(CSS)		1842.28	2286.69	7142.40	
Total (Plan + CSS)	24852.91	27684.48	28905.94	40068.50	4560.15

* Not covered under restructured Centrally Sponsored Scheme.

Scheme No. 1

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Pre-primary Education
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
 - To develop good habits among children in the age group of 3½ - 5 years and provide opportunities for health recreation & institutional care.
 - To give proper recognition to early childhood education.
 - Strengthening of existing Pre-Primary schools by provision of required Pre-Primary School teachers, learning materials, toys, chairs, etc.
3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :**
 - Purchased Toys, Play materials, Furniture/Plastic Chairs, Puzzles, etc. to the Government Pre-Primary Schools.
4. **Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:**
 - Existing Pre-Primary Schools have been strengthened by purchase of Toys, Play materials, Furniture/Plastic Chairs, Puzzles, etc.
5. **Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :**
 - Strengthening of existing Pre-Primary Schools.
 - Creation of new posts of Pre-Primary School Teachers.
 - Purchase of Toys, Play materials, Furniture/Plastic Chairs, Puzzles, etc. to the Government Pre-Primary Schools.
6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 2

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Universalisation of Elementary Education for the age group 6-14 year
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
 - To achieve cent percent enrolment of children in the Age group of 6-14 years.

- To fulfill the constitutional obligation of providing free and compulsory elementary education of good quality to all children in the age group of 6-14 years.
- To ensure universal access to elementary education to all eligible children to reduce drop out and to prevent child labour activities.
- To improve the quality of Elementary Education.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Provided better education to the students community.
- Purchase of Furniture, Lab articles, Teaching Materials, etc. to schools.
- Celebration of Children's Day and Teacher's Day.
- Matching grant was given to SSA (35 % State Share) on the basis of funds released by Government of India.
- Provided inservice training to teachers.
- Construction of class rooms were undertaken.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Provided of Matching grant to DIET.
- Provided of Teaching Materials, Lab Articles, etc. to schools.
- Celebration of Children's Day and Teacher's Day.
- Inservice training imparted teachers through DIET & SSA.
- Construction of class rooms were undertaken.
- Conducted Student's Day/Teacher's Day, and various competitions like essay competitions, Painting, elocutions, etc.
- Provided of Matching grant to Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan(35 % State Share) on the basis of funds released by Government of India.
- Improvement of infrastructure facilities in the new building of DIET.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Matching grant will be given to Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan(35 % State Share) on the basis of funds released by Government of India.
- Matching grant of 25% will be provided to the teacher training institute DIET for conduct of training to teachers.
- Purchase of Teaching Materials, Lab Articles, etc. to schools.
- Celebration of Children's Day and Teacher's Day.
- Provision of inservice training to teachers through DIET.
- Construction of class rooms, toilet block will be undertaken.

- Improvement of infrastructure facilities in the new building of DIET.
- Student's Day, Teacher's Day and Children's Day and conduct of various Competitions.

6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 3

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Free supply of Text Books, Stationeries, Uniforms, Footwear and Transport facilities to students.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The weaker section of the society still find it difficult to send their children to schools, as they are unable to cope up with the resulting burden of expenditure. As an incentive to poor students, attracting them to attend schools at the elementary level, to ensure their retention and to increase enrolment; textbooks, note books and uniforms are supplied to all children studying in LKG to XII Std., irrespective of parental Income.

3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :**

- Free supply of Text Books, Note books Uniforms to the school students of Government and Government Aided Private Schools were provided. About 1,33,395 students benefitted under this scheme.
- Transport facilities were provided to the school students.

4. **Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:**

- Uniforms, Text Books and stationeries were provided to the school students. About 1,28,023 students benefitted under this scheme.
- Transport facilities were provided to the school students.
- Uniforms, Text Books and stationeries will be provided to the school students. About 1,28,023 students benefitted under this scheme.
- Transport facilities were provided to the school students.

5. **Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :**

- About 1,28,000 students will be benefitted under this scheme "Free supply of Uniforms, Text Books and stationeries to the school students".
- Provision of free Bus facilities to the school students
- Provision of Laptop to all +2 pass students in Govt. Schools. About 6690 students will be benefitted.

6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 4

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Development of Jawahar Bal Bhavan and Mini Bal Bhavan and Opening of these Bal Bhavans at Commune level.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To provide recreational activities with a view to encourage the natural curiosity of children to help them to discover their talents to kindle their imagination and to encourage them to see life as something i.e. both alive and fun.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Conducted valedictory function – Kodaikondattam.
- Conducted Balshree and State Best Child Award.
- Conducted cultural programme on 15th August & 26th January.
- Conducted cultural festival.
- Conducted sports festival
- Incentive to Bal Bhavan Mela and Bal Bhavan meet.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Conducted valedictory function – kodaikondattam.
- Conducted Balashree and State Best Child Award.
- Conducted Cultural Programme on 15th August & 26th January.
- Conducted cultural festival.
- Conducted sports festival.
- Incentives to Bal Bhavan children.
- Conducted Bal Bhavan Mela and Bal Bhavan meet.
- Cultural Programmes were conducted

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Conduct of valedictory function – kodaikondattam.
- Conduct of Balashree and State Best Child Award.
- Conduct of Cultural Programme on 15th August & 26th January.
- Conduct of cultural festival.
- Conduct of sports festival.

- Incentives to Bal Bhavan children.
- Conduct of Bal Bhavan Mela and Bal Bhavan meet.

6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 5

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Reimbursement of tuition fees due to implementation of Right to Education(RTE) Act.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

In line with the national goal of School Education, Government of Puducherry has been taking necessary steps to implement the Right of children to free and compulsory Education Act to achieve universal Elementary Education in the age group 6-14 years. The Act mandates unaided private schools to reserve upto 25 percent of seats for students from weaker sections, in this regard, a new scheme namely “**Reimbursement of tuition fees and provision of other facilities due to implementation of Right to Education(RTE) Act.**” has been evolved for taking care of allocation on Government side for payment of tuition fees and other facilities.

3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14** : --

4. **Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15**: --

5. **Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16** :

- Tuition fees for students admitted in private schools under RTE will be reimbursed.

6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 6

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening and Development of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education including Technical / Vocational Education and Junior College

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

- To provide education facilities for students at Sec. and Hr.Sec. stage of education consequent to thrust given in Elementary Education through SSA and State Welfare Schemes.

- Strengthening and Development of existing Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools.
- To upgrade Middle Schools into High Schools and High Schools into Higher Sec. Schools and starting of additional classes in the existing High schools in order to meet the additional turnout from the elementary stage as a consequence of greater stress on universalisation of elementary education for the age group 6-14 years.
- To ensure 100% enrolment and retention upto Hr.Sec. stage by providing access.
- Strengthening of vocational and technical Hr. Sec. Education.
- Strengthening of S.T.P.P Junior College at Yanam.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Purchased lab articles, library books and sports articles, Maps and Charts, Computers, UPS and other Teaching learning materials.
- Construction of School buildings

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Purchased lab articles, furniture, library books, maps and charts, computers, UPS, Printers .
- Construction of School buildings

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Purchase of lab articles, library books, sports articles, computer, Maps and Charts for +2 students. Purchase of Computers, UPS and Printers.
- Construction of School buildings.
- Matching grant will be given to RMSA(25% State Share) on the basis of funds released by Government of India, for development of Secondary Education.

6. **Remarks** : New Scheme

Scheme No. 7

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
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1. **Name of the Scheme** : Scholarship, Incentive, Cash awards and Mementos

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The scheme aims at providing:

- Award of Pre-Matric scholarship to Other Economically Backward Class students. Economically backward class students are provided assistance to

enable them to complete their education upto secondary level. ₹500/- is given for students studying from 6th to 8th Std and ₹750/- is paid for students studying in 9th and 10th Std.

- Incentive awards to students studying in +2 belonging to poor and weaker section of the society. Students of Higher Secondary belonging to poor and weaker section of the society are provided with incentive awards who secured 45% of marks in the final secondary stage subject to the annual parental income of ₹24,000/-. ₹1000/- per annum is paid for each students.
- Payment of awards to top students in National Talent Search Examination(NTS). To improve the quality and standard of the 8th class students, NTS exam is conducted and who are selected in the NTS examination both at state Level and National Level will be honoured with presentation of cash awards. Candidates selected with National Talent Search examination will be paid a cash-award of ₹ 5000/- each at State Level, a cash award of ₹ 10,000/- each at National level. The N.T.S. examination will be organised by the N.C.E.R.T., New Delhi and conducted by Directorate of School Education, Puducherry.
- Cash awards to best performing schools in the Sec. and Hr. Sec. Public Examination. In order to encourage the teachers, Head Masters and Principals of schools to produce quality in education, it is proposed to award a cash prize of ₹1.00 lakh to the schools which achieve 100% result in urban areas, 90% and above in rural areas in the public examinations SSLC and Higher Sec. which would be used in the development of infrastructure in the schools.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- 20,000 students were benefitted under the scheme “Award of Pre-Matric scholarship to Other Economically Backward Class students.”
- 2000 students were benefitted under the scheme “Incentive awards to the students studied in +2 belonging to poor and weaker section of the society.”

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- 15 Nos. of students benefitted under the scheme “Payment of awards to top students in National Talent Search Examination(NTS)”.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- 15 Nos. of students will be benefitted under the scheme “Payment of awards to top students in National Talent Search Examination(NTS)”.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 8

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Improvement of Science Education in schools

2. Objective of the Scheme :

- To promote Science Education in schools and to popularize science by organizing various Science Exhibitions and related programmes in schools.
- To develop an integrated system for science and technology innovations.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- State Level and Regional level Science Exhibitions and related programmes have been conducted in the schools to promote Science Education.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- State Level and Regional level Science Exhibitions and related programmes have been conducted in the schools to promote Science Education.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- State Level and Regional level Science Exhibitions and related programmes will be conducted in the schools to promote Science Education.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 9

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Establishment of State Council for Education Research & Training(SCERT) by upgrading the existing State Training Centre

2. Objective of the Scheme :

State Training Centre aims at the improvement and enrichment of academic standard of teachers and other functionaries in our educational system. The Centre is a nodal agency

for implementation of all the programmes/ schemes/projects for development of curriculum for evaluation etc.,. To suggest various Educational Policies and implement trainings for teachers of School Education, to provide all facilities to teaching community, to update the techniques and technologies to encourage teaching community to undertake research oriented innovative projects. A State Council for Education Research and Training(SCERT) will be set up.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Conducted 67 Training Programmes during 2012-13 covering 2994 teachers from the funds obtained from SSA, Puducherry.
- Deputed 41 teachers from the Union Territory of Puducherry for various courses organized by NCERT, SCERT, AIDS Control Society, NGS's CCRT,etc.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Training Programmes for TGTs / Lectures were conducted.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Conduct of Training Programmes for TGTs / Lectures.
- Purchase of Motor Vehicle.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 10

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Strengthening of Inspectorate and Directorate of Education

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To strengthen the Inspectorates and the Directorate of Education adequately to cope up with the expansion of developmental activities and the managerial and administrative work involved with the establishment of more number of schools/additional classes/next higher standards opened every year and to face the challenging tasks ahead in achieving the educational targets.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Purchased Computers, Computer Stationeries, Printers, Xerox machine, Office equipments and maintenance of Inspectorates and Directorate.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Purchased Computers, Computer Stationeries, Printers, Xerox machine, Office equipments and maintenance of Inspectorates and Directorate.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Purchase of Computers, Computer Stationeries, Printers, Xerox machines, Office equipments and maintenance of Inspectorates and Directorate.
- Purchase of Motor Vehicle for Office use.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 11

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Strengthening & Development of Sports, Physical Education, Youth Activities, NCC, Bharath Scouts and Guides, National service scheme and Community service scheme.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

This scheme aims at :

- Strengthening & Development of Sports, Physical Education, Youth Activities. Development of Sports and Physical Education in schools in order to give encouragement to the talented students in sports and games, and to look after the welfare of students with a view to build up health and physical skill to improve quality like discipline, sportsman ship, leadership opportunities by conduct of various sports competitions and related activities.
- Provision for Meeting Administration's Matching Contribution for National Service Schemes (NSS). The NSS scheme is introduced in schools with a view to inculcate social service motive among the student's community, To work among people, To engage in creative and constructive social action, To

enhance his/her knowledge of community, To put his/her scholarship to practical using mitigating problems; To gain skill in the exercise of democratic leadership, To gain skills in Programme development to enable for Self employment; To bridge the gulf between the educated and uneducated masses; and To promote the will to serve the weaker section of the community.

- Community Service Scheme. The NSS scheme is introduced in schools with a view to inculcate social service motive among the student's community, to work among people, to engage in creative and constructive social action, to enhance his/her knowledge of community, to put his/her scholarship to practical using mitigating problems; to gain skill in the exercise of democratic leadership, to gain skills in Programme development to enable for elf employment; to bridge the gulf between the educated and uneducated masses; and to promote the will to serve the weaker section of the community.
- Development of NCC Group Head quarters and award of Scholarship to outstanding cadets in the UT of Puducherry. To develop character, comradeship, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure and the ideals of selfless service amongst the youth of country, to create a human resource of organized, trained and motivated youth, to provide leadership in all walks of life and always be available for the service of nation, to provide a suitable environment to motivate the youth to take up a career in the Armed Forces.
- Bharath Scouts & Guides. To contribute to the development of young people in achieving their full physical, intellectual, social and spiritual potentials as individuals, as responsible citizens and as members of the local, national and international communities.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Conducted Zonal School Games
- Conducted coaching scheme
- Conducted State School Games SSGC Gr.I (Pdy), SSGC Gr.II (KKI), SSGC Gr.III (Mahe) and SSGC Gr.I (Yanam)
- Disbursement of Scholarship & Stipend for meritorious sports persons.
- Celebration of Independence day with provision of shoes & cultural programs.
- Conducted Balakalamela at Mahe.

- Conducted Annual day/Sports day at all school
- Conducted Republic day.
- Conducted Children's Rally at Pdy, KKI & Yanam.
- Conducted AICS tournament.
- Construction of Indoor stadium works at Keezhavely, Karaikal is in progress.
- Release of GIA to RGSS
- Action initiated under USIS (CSS) Scheme for construction of one Multi Purpose Indoor hall at T.A.C. Ground, Lawspet, Puducherry.
- Inaugurated Yanam Indoor Stadium and Mahe Indoor Stadium.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Conduct of Zonal School Games.
- Conduct of coaching scheme.
- Conduct of State School Games SSGC Gr.I (pdy), SSGC Gr.II (KKI), SSGC Gr.III (Mahe), and SSGC Gr.IV (Yanam).
- Provision of scholarship & stipend for sports persons.
- Celebration of Independence day with provision of shoes & cultural programs.
- Conduct of Balakalamela at Mahe.
- Conduct of Annual day/Sports day at all school.
- Conduct of Republic Day.
- Conduct of Children's Rally at Pdy, KKI & Yanam
- Conduct of AICS tournament
- Conduct of SGFI all programs
- Grants to Rajiv Gandhi Sports School (RGSS).
- Grants to Puducherry Sports Council (PSSC).
- Grants to Youth Hostel.
- Construction of one Multipurpose indoor hall is under progress.
- Construction of Indoor stadium works at Keezhavely, Karaikal is under progress.
- Organisation of National School Games Championship.
- Renovation of Puducherry Sports Complex.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Conduct of Zonal School Games.
- Conduct of coaching scheme.

- Conducting of State School Games SSGC Gr.I (Pdy), SSGC Gr.II (KKI), SSGC Gr.III (Mahe) and SSGC Gr.IV (Yanam).
- Disbursement of scholarship & stipend.
- Celebration of Independence day with provision of shoes & cultural programs.
- Conduct of Balakalamela at Mahe.
- Conduct of Annual day/Sports day at all schools.
- Conduct of Republic Day.
- Conduct of Children's Rally at Pdy, KKI & Yanam
- Conduct of AICS tournament
- Conduct of SGFI all programs
- Release of GIA to Rajiv Gandhi Sports School (RGSS).
- Release of GIA to Puducherry Sports Council (PSSC).
- Release of GIA to Youth Hostel
- Construction of one Multi Purpose Indoor Hall.
- Formation of a separate Directorate of Sports and Youth Services.
- Construction of Indoor Stadium works at Keezhavely, Karaikal is under progress.
- Construction of one Mini Stadium at GGHSS premises, Koodapakkam is under process.
- Organisation of National School Games Championship in one Game.
- Renovation and improvement of Puducherry Oupalam Sports Stadium.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 12

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

- 1. Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening / development of existing Arts & Science Colleges
- 2. Objective of the Scheme** :

Development of College of General Education (Six Govt. Colleges)

College Education contributes to National development through dissemination of specialized knowledge. It has also a key role in producing teachers for the education system. There are 6 Govt. colleges in the U.T. of Puducherry namely,

- Tagore Arts College, Puducherry.
- Bharathidasan Govt. College for Women, Puducherry.

- Arignar Anna Govt. Arts College, Karaikal.
- Avvaiyar Govt. College for Women, Karaikal.
- Mahathma Gandhi Govt. Arts College, Mahe.
- Dr.S.R.K. Govt. Arts College, Yanam.

In view of the need to effect an all around improvement in the colleges, during the Twelfth Five Year Plan 2012-17, the main emphasis will be on standardization of syllabi, facilities, attract top class faculty and develop with content to large infrastructure. New courses in the emerging areas will be started.

Development of Co-Educational Arts and Science College

In order to meet the increasing demand under higher education (Collegiate level) and to create more employment opportunity, new colleges with more job oriented vocational courses are started for the purpose under the Pondicherry Society for Higher Education (PONSHE). There are 4 colleges in the U.T. of Pondicherry namely,

- Indira Grandhi College of Arts & Science, Puducherry.
- Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Arts College, Puducherry.
- Rajiv Gandhi Arts and Science College, Puducherry.
- Kasthurba College for Women, Villianur, Puducherry.

Development of centre for Post Graduate Studies

- As a matter of fact, maintenance of P.G courses in different colleges involved huge expenditure and large allocation of funds in the Budget, with a view to achieve excellence and to provide higher and rewarded education, it is felt necessary to bring all P.G courses under one roof to utilize the limited resources. Kanchimamunivar Centre for Postgraduate Studies, Puducherry offers PG courses viz M.A., M.Sc., and M.Com and M.Phil and Ph.D programme in various subjects.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- An amount of ₹30,000/- has been disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹300/- per month.
- Coaching classes for NET and remedial coaching classes started in Bharathidasan Govt. College for Women, Puducherry.
- IT finishing school program was conducted in Indira Gandhi Govt. Arts and Science College, Kadirkamam, Puducherry.
- Purchase of computers and ICT materials.
- Purchase of chemicals and lab articles.
- Purchase of Library books.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- An amount of ₹65,000/- has been disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹300/- per month.
- Proposal for creation and development of infrastructure facilities has been prepared in the Institutions and submitted to the Puducherry State Higher Education Council to avail fund under the CSS “RashtriyaUchchatarShikshaAbiyan (RUSA)”.
- Construction of two toilet blocks with incinerators for students’ use under MPLAS scheme in Bharathidasan Govt. College for Women, Puducherry. Purchase of computers and ICT materials.
- Purchase of chemicals and lab articles.
- Purchase of Library books.
- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching classes etc for their better prospects in addition to the regular curriculum under SCSP fund.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- An amount of ₹50,000/- will be disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹300/- per month.
- Action will be taken to avail more funds under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “RashtriyaUcchatarShiskaAbiyan(RUSA)” for Govt. and Society colleges under the purview of this Directorate for which proposals are already prepared by the Institutions concerned.
- Action will be taken to create and fill the posts for newly started courses in Arts and Science Colleges under PONSHE Society.
- Action will be taken to get Accreditation from the National Accreditation and Assessment Council (NAAC) for the Institutions so that we may get more financial assistance from the UGC.
- By improving the infrastructural facilities and the quality of teaching, action will be taken to get permanent affiliation for the courses for the Institutions from the Pondicherry University.
- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching classes etc for their better prospects in addition to the regular curriculum under SCSP fund.
- Purchase of furniture, computers, lab articles, chemicals, ICT materials etc.
- Maintenance of the existing building.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No.13

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : HIGHER &
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Award of financial assistance to Post Graduate Students

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To give financial assistance to the students undergoing P.G. courses in the U.T. of Puducherry and scholarships will be given to those who have secured minimum 60% of marks in the U.G. level and subject to the annual parental income of ₹25,000/- in each case.

Day Scholar : ₹120/- per month for 10 months i.e. ₹1200/- per annum.

Hosteller : ₹300/- per month for 10 months i.e. ₹3000/- per annum.

3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :**

- An amount of ₹30,000/- has been disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹ 300/- per month for day scholar & hostelier respectively.

4. **Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:**

- An amount of ₹65,000/- will be disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹ 300/- per month

5. **Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :**

- An amount of ₹50,000/- will be disbursed to the students studying PG courses @ ₹120/- and @ ₹ 300/- per month.

6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 14

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : HIGHER &
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Assistance to the Centre for the development of Bio-technology in Pondicherry University

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

In order to provide opportunity to two students of the U.T. of Pondicherry to undergo M.Sc. Bio-Technology Programme in the Pondicherry University it is proposed to award fellowship of ₹3,000/- per month and contingent grant of ₹10,000/- per annum to two students hailing from the U.T. of Pondicherry admitted into M.Sc. Bio-Technology

Programme and GIA of ₹2,00,000/- per annum to the Bio-Technology Department of Pondicherry University.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- An amount of ₹4,92,000/- has been released to Bio-technology Department of Pondicherry University. No. of students benefited: 1.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Since no students were joined during this year 2014-15, no fund will be released.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- An amount of ₹2,92,000/- has been proposed in the B.E. 2015-16

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 15

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Strengthening of Government Teachers Training (B.Ed.) College at Karaikal

2. Objective of the Scheme :

B.Ed. College was started in Karaikal region under the Society “Pondicherry Society for Higher Education (PONSHE)” to impart teacher education course with high standard and caliber and to provide all types of in service programmes / training in the field of education.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Well established Library with Automation/INFLIB NET.
- Submitted SAR for NAAC Accreditation.
- Personality development courses and remedial coaching classes were conducted.
- Purchase of lab equipments.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Institution has been accredited by the NAAC with A Grade.
- Setting up of Smart Class rooms.
- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

No. of Beneficiaries : 8284
 Amount (in lakhs) : 6500.00

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 17

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Setting up of Puducherry State University

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To provide additional Higher /University Educational facilities for the students of Puducherry Union Territory including Research and Development on various aspects of Puducherry. The Objectives of the Puducherry State University will be disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional and research facilities in such emerging branches of learning.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15: --

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 : --

6. Remarks : Since the GOI has not approved for the setting up of Puducherry, the scheme is discontinued.

Scheme No. 18

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Strengthening / development of Technical Education

2. Objective of the Scheme :

Development of Engineering College, Puducherry

In order to meet the continuing needs of technical personnel due to rapid industrialization in the country, the existing Engineering College (PEC) at Puducherry will be expanded and strengthened.

Strengthening of Post Matric Technical Education through PIPMATE

PIPMATE is established to impart Post-Matric Technical Education and training in various Engineering subjects and make it sensitive and relevant to the changing Industrial, Technological, Social Environment trends and to assist for maintaining five polytechnics. There are 5 Polytechnic colleges in the U.T. of Pondicherry namely,

- Women's Polytechnic College, Puducherry.
- Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal.
- Women's Polytechnic College, Karaikal.
- Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Polytechnic College, Yanam.
- Indira Gandhi Polytechnic College, Mahe.

Setting up of Engineering College at Karaikal

The Eleventh Five Year Plan has emphasized that new colleges and universities must be set up to provide easier access to students in educational backward districts. Karaikal being remaining as a backward region in the U.T. of Puducherry, setting up of an Engineering College would provide the students of the Karaikal region to avail opportunities to Engineering courses. The Industries which have come up around Karaikal would benefit for providing employment opportunities as well as practical training.

Acquisition of land for National Institute of Technology at Karaikal

Land to an extent of 300 acres has been acquired and handed over to the MHRD for the construction of permanent building for the started at Karaikal during the financial year 2010-11, which is temporarily working in the campus of the Arignar Anna Govt. Arts College, Karaikal.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Towards the construction building for Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Polytechnic College, Yanam an amount of ₹ 2.00 crore has been released.
- Under the CSS Scheme "Upgradation of existing Polytechnics" an amount of ₹130.00 lakhs released by the MHRD has been released as grants-in-aid to the Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal to increase the infrastructure facilities and to replace the obsolete equipments.
- Under the CSS Scheme "Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme – Phase II" an amount of ₹262.50 lakhs and the same has been released to the Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry). Also an amount of ₹87.50 lakhs being the State share(25%) was released.

- Quality Assurance has been set up in Dr. Ambedkar Polytechnic College, Yanam.
- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching classes etc for their better prospects in addition to the regular curriculum under SCSP fund.
- Purchase of Computers, ICT materials, furniture, lab equipments etc.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Under the CSS Scheme “Construction of Women’s Hostel” an amount of ₹49.42 lakhs was released by the MHRD and the same was released to Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal and the construction is going on.
- Under the CSS Scheme “Upgradation of existing Polytechnics” an amount of ₹140.00 lakhs released by the MHRD was released to Women’s Polytechnic College, Puducherry mainly towards purchase of equipments and replacement of obsolete items.
- Under the CSS Scheme “Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme – Phase II” an amount of ₹225.00 lakhs received from MHRD and the same was released to Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry towards the implementation of the scheme.
- Under the CSS Scheme “RashtriyaUchcharShikshaAbiyan (RUSA)”towards the “Upgradation of existing Polytechnics” an amount of ₹ 100.00 lakhs and ₹44.43 lakhs is released by the MHRD for Indira Gandhi Polytechnic college, Mahe and Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal respectively.
- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching classes etc for their better prospects in addition to the regular curriculum under SCSP fund.
- Purchase of Computers, ICT materials, furniture, lab equipments etc.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Action will be taken to avail more funds under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “ RashtriyaUccharShiskaAbiyan(RUSA)”for Society colleges under the purview of this Directorate for which proposals are already prepared by the Institutions concerned.
- Action will be taken to convert Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry into a Technical University.
- Two new courses namely Diploma in Mech. Engineering and Civil Engineering will be started in Dr. BR. Ambedkar Polytechnic College, Yanam.
- Construction of Women’s Hostel in Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal which is functioning under the PIPMATE Society will be completed and also construction of Hostel for SC students in Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry.

- SC Students studying in the Institutions are being offered soft skill development courses, personality development programme, remedial coaching classes etc for their better prospects in addition to the regular curriculum under SCSP fund.
- Purchase of Computers, ICT materials, furniture, lab equipments etc.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No.19

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : HIGHER &
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Expansion and improvement of Polytechnics

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To improve and develop the Polytechnics by strengthening the existing courses and starting new diploma and post diploma courses in Motilal Nehru Govt. Polytechnic College, Puducherry.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Under the CSS scheme “Community Development through Polytechnics (CDTP)” an amount of ₹8.00 lakhs has been released to the Motilal Nehru Govt. Polytechnic College by the MHRD.
- Construction of toilet blocks for students.
- Purchase of furniture, lab equipments and articles.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Construction of toilet blocks for students.
- Renovation work in all buildings.
- Purchase of furniture, lab equipments and articles.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Construction of classrooms, laboratories with seminar hall.
- Purchase of furniture, machineries, equipmentsetc for various department of MNGPC.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 20

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : HIGHER &
TECHNICAL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening of Directorate of Higher and Technical Education
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the Scheme is to Plan and strengthen the Technical Education/Collegiate Education (Arts & Science College) administration machinery, to monitor the implementation of various Technical Education/Academic Colleges/ Programmes, to promote close Industry-Institution Interaction; and to set up Technical manpower cell. The Programme also includes qualitative and quantitative Planning and monitoring Technical Education and General Education in line with the advances in Technology so that it is more responsive to industrial needs, and capable to face emerging challenges of globalization, taking care of continuing education, Inter-action with local industries, etc.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

Sl.No.	Name of the Scholarship	No. of Beneficiaries
1	Scholarship under University Education	49
2	Scholarship under Technical Education	28
3	Scholarship to students for Motilal Nehru Govt. Polytechnic College	4
4	Financial Assistance to Post Graduate Students	25

- Monitoring of admission process and fees structure in professional institutions through Fee Committee and Admission Committee.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Puducherry State Higher Education Council has been setup for the implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme "RashtriyaUchchatarShikshaAbiyan (RUSA)" so as to avail financial assistance towards infrastructure development in Institutions from the Govt. of India.
- Under the Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship (CSS)an amount of ₹52,60,000/- was released by the MHRD to 458 students during this year 2014-15.
- Monitoring of admission process and fees structure in professional institutions through Fee Committee and Admission Committee.

- Under the Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship (CSS) scholarship will be released.
- Award of financial assistance under various scholarship schemes. (Post Matric scholarship, financial assistance to post graduate students etc).

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Under the Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship (CSS) scholarship will be released.
- Award of financial assistance under various scholarship schemes. (Post Matric scholarship, financial assistance to post graduate students etc).
- Monitoring of admission process and fees structure in professional institutions through Fee Committee and Admission Committee.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 21

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

- 1. Name of the Scheme :** Improvement of Official Language & Linguistic Studies
- 2. Objective of the Scheme :**

Introduction of regional languages Tamil, Malayalam and Telegu for official purposes, Conduct of seminars, training classes, vizhas, honouring of writers by presenting various awards etc. Remuneration to instructors and conduct of literary functions, purchase of computers / office equipments and furniture. To strengthen the Directorate of Art and Culture adequately, to cope-up with the increased work load owing to rapid development activities. Besides creation, filling up the posts will be made.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

An Amount of ₹5.00 lakhs was incurred towards the conduct of various Vizhas like Birth Anniversaries of Vanidasan, Poet Pudukkottai Sivam, Poet Tamil Oli, Thiruvalluvar Vizha, Avvaiyar Vizha and Children's Folk Classical Dance Festival. Kamban Pugazh Literary Award had given to 21 best Tamil Scholars and Nehru Children Literary Award given to 2 best Children Literary Books.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

Conducted various Vizhas like Birth Anniversaries of Vanidasan, Poet Pudukkottai Sivam, Poet Tamil Oli, Thiruvalluvar Vizha, Avvaiyar Vizha and Children's Folk Classical

Dance Festival. Kamban Pugazh Literary Award was given to 13 best Tamil Scholars, Nehru Children Literary Award was given to 4 best Children Literary Books.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

Conduct of various Vizhas like Birth Anniversaries of Vanidasan, Poet Pudukai Sivam, Poet Tamil Oli, Thiruvalluvar Vizha, Avvaiyar Vizha and Children's Folk Classical Dance Festival. 90 Pudukai Kalaimani, 4 Malayala Ratna and 4 Telegu Ratna Awardees will be selected. Financial assistance at ₹1000/- per month will be granted to such awardees. Kamban Pugazh Literary Award will be given to 10 best Tamil Scholars, Nehru Children Literary Award will be given to 2 best Children Literary Books. Tholgappiar Award will be given to 6 best Research oriented books.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 22

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Grants-in-aid to Pondicherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture/ Bharathiyar Palkalaikoodam

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To impart Education at graduate and post graduate level in various arts such as dance, music, and fine arts etc. by Bharathiar Palkalaikoodam to which grant-in-aid is being released every year. Release of GIA to Puducherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture for conduct of Research projects in linguistic studies, ethnographic studies, seminars / workshops, in-service training bringing out research publications, establishment of language laboratory and Establishment of Cultural museums.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Grant-in-aid for an amount of ₹280.50 lakhs released to Bharathiar Palkalaikoodam and ₹100 lakhs released to Puducherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Grant-in-aid for an amount of ₹360.50 lakhs released to Bharathiar Palkalaikoodam and ₹145.50 lakhs released to Puducherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Grant-in-aid for an amount of ₹521.00 lakhs to be released to Bharathiar Palkalaikoodam and ₹255.00 lakhs to be released to Puducherry Institute of Linguistic and Culture.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 23

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Financial Assistance to persons Distinguished in letters, arts and Performing visual arts.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

Financial assistance is provided as decided by the High Power Committee to the indigent Tamil Scholars whose annual income does not exceed ₹75,000/- and age not less than 58 years as the rate of ₹1500/- per month.

Financial assistance at ₹1000/- per month will be given to the artists in all walks of life who are in indigent circumstances and who are above 50 years of age and whose annual income does not exceed ₹75,000/-.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Financial assistance to 474 aged Indigent Artistes and 7 Tamil Scholars were granted.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15: --

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- 100 new Indigent artistes will be selected. 10 new Indigent Tamil Scholars will be selected.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No.24

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Grant-in-aid to INTACH for protection of art & culture heritage of Puducherry

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The Indian National Trust for Art & Culture Heritage (INTACH), Puducherry is actively working for the protection of unique Architectural Heritage of Puducherry. Grant-in-

aid being given to M/s INTACH to preserve the remnants of the unique Architectural Heritage of Puducherry.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Released Grant-in-aid ₹5.25 lakhs

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Released Grant-in-aid to INTACH, Puducherry - ₹5.25 lakhs

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Grant-in-aid will be released to INTACH, Puducherry – ₹5.25 lakhs

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No.25

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Expansion / Improvement of Libraries and archives

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The Puducherry archives has been established with a view to collect and conserve all the past records of the Union Territory and to make them available for research scholars for their research on the history of Puducherry. The Puducherry Archives will provide necessary archival guidelines to all the departments /Govt. Undertakings / Local bodies on the need to conserve the records and their preservation for posterity. With the help of Regional Record Survey Committee collection of reader will be set up for preservation of all fragile and rare records.

To cater the needs of reading public, the Roman Rolland Library (RRL) is considered to be the State Central Library in the capital of the Union Territory of Puducherry. The RRL and all the Govt. Branch Libraries (GBLs) of Puducherry is proposed to be modernized in all aspect besides promoting to higher status. To improve reading habit of the public by opening new branch libraries, reading rooms and improvements to the existing libraries in all the regions.

To extend all assistance to eligible voluntary organizations by way of free supply of newspapers, magazines etc. The voluntary organization shall provide rent free accommodation for establishment of reading room and take care for its further maintenance.

With a view to expand literary facilities in the rural and urban area of Union Territory of Puducherry, it is proposed to open new branch libraries and upgrade the commune headquarter library and to improve the existing library with additional books and furniture. Acquisition of land / building for accommodating libraries which are functioning in rental private building and modernization of Romain Rolland Library.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --**4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15: --****5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :**

- Purchase of books for the upgradation of Government Libraries will be made to a tune of ₹25.00 lakhs. Book Fair will be conducted in a more befitting manner.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 26

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Contribution to Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation

2. Objective of the Scheme :

Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation, Kolkata is releasing grant annually on matching grant pattern basis towards purchase of books, computers, furniture, typewriters etc. to Romain Rolland Library and all other Public and Branch Libraries of this Union Territory.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- An amount of ₹10.00 lakhs was released to Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation, Kolkata, as matching grant due to financial constraint.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- No amount was released to Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation, Kolkata, as matching grant due to financial crunch.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- An amount of ₹2.00 lakhs will be released to Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation, Kolkata as matching grant towards modernization of Romain Rolland Library.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 27

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Improvement to Museum/ Research Centre and Strengthening of Nehru Science Centre

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To set up new museums and to improve existing museums. Collection and preservation of archaeological items / antiques. To undertake the educational activities in the

museum and to develop Nehru science centre into a full fledged scientific centre. Award of doctoral fellowship in honour of poet Bharathiar and Bharathidasan. Acquisition of rare books, films, photos and conducting of seminars and symposium. Setting up of art gallery, toy museum, French Museum and science centre. Conduct of Bharathiar, Bharathidasan and Subbaiah festivals. Payment of compensation amount under treasure trove act. Publication of brochures, books, post cards etc. Conduct of painters camp.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- An amount of ₹2.00 lakhs was incurred for the conduct of Birth Anniversary of Bharathiar, Pavendar Bharathidassan, Makkal Thalaivar Thiru V. Subbaiah & Saraswathi Subbiah and Death anniversary of Bharathiar, Bharathidasan and Thiru V. Subbiah Financial assistance released for Doctoral Fellowship to Research Scholar for the research work in the name of Bharathiar and Bharathidasan for 2 years to a tune of ₹26,000/- each.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15: --

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 : --

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 28

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Promotion of cultural activities / release of GIA to Voluntary Cultural Institutions

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To preserve and promote different classical / folk art forms of our country and to create such awareness among the people about the cultural heritage by celebrating various cultural programmes with local artists and artists of other states and by sponsoring artists to other states / countries and to honour eminent artists with award and titles.

The objective is to encourage the troupes / artists performing old traditional arts forms which are in dying stage such as “puppetry”, “therukoothu”, “karagam”, “Kavadiattam” etc. Financial assistance is provided to such troupers / artistes under the scheme.

To train the youth in traditional martial and heroic art forms such as “kalari payattu”, “silambal” etc by providing financial assistance to the masters of such art forms to improve, develop and preserve such art forms which are part of cultural heritage of the ancient people.

A unique festival of Fete de Puducherry is celebrated every year in collaboration with the South Zone Cultural Centre during the month of June in the sense that it is being

celebrated in all four regions of this Union Territory of Puducherry viz. Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam. Fete de Puducherry, since its inception was being celebrated every year in the month of August to coincide with the “De jure” i.e. the Transfer day of Puducherry (16th August) a memorable historic day for the people of Puducherry. Chances were given to 100 local artistes / troupes and also to other states of India and thereby providing an interaction between the local and outside troupes which indirectly help to promote National Integration. Deputing / receiving of cultural troupes from other countries / states, conduct of cultural programmes in all regions.

To promote cultural and research activities in the field of literary arts, fine arts plastic arts, performing arts as well as historic research by way of providing financial assistance to voluntary cultural organizations and research scholars in the form of grant-in-aid for maintenance, festival and for publication of manuscripts.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Grant-in-aid released to 79 writers for publishing their manuscripts. Grant-in-aid released to 2 short/documentary films. Grant-in-aid released to 5 institutions for festival as a special case. Grant-in-aid released to 39 whole time scholar to work on subjects such as Language, Literature, History, Music, Drama, Fine Arts, etc.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Grant-in-aid released to 75 writers for publishing their manuscripts. Grant-in-aid released to 71 organisations/institutions/troupes for maintenance, festival and dance & drama. Grant-in-aid released to 4 institutions for festival in special case

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Grant in aid will be released to 70 writers for publishing their manuscripts. Grant in aid will be released to nearly 75 organizations/institutions/troupes for maintenance, festival and dance & drama. Grant in aid will be released to nearly 10 institutions for conduct of competition, exhibition etc.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 29

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : ART & CULTURE

1. Name of the Scheme : Panchayat Sector Window

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To set up new museums and to improve existing museums. Collection and preservation of archaeological items / antiques. To undertake the educational activities in the

museum and to develop Nehru science centre into a full fledged scientific centre. Award of Doctoral fellowship in honour of poet Bharathiar and Bharathidasan. Acquisition of rare books, films, photos and conducting of seminars and symposium. Setting up of art gallery, toy museum, French Museum and science centre. Conduct of Bharathiar, Bharathidasan and Subbaiah festivals. Payment of compensation amount under treasure trove act. Publication of brochures, books, post cards, etc. Conduct of painters camp.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15: --

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 : --

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 30

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : LAW COLLEGE

1. Name of the Scheme : Development of Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Law College , Puducherry

2. Objective of the Scheme :

Development of Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Law College , Puducherry

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Transport facilities extended to the students of this institution from Puducherry to Kalapet and back.
- Conducted Moot Court
- Conducted Extension Lecture.
- Conducted Seminar/ Education Tour to New Delhi to visit Supreme Court and Parliament for the final year students of LLB 5 years & 3 years
- Law books & Journals were purchased for College Library.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Extension of Transport facilities to the students of this institution from Puducherry to Kalapet and back.
- Girls and Boys hostel will be opened shortly and students will be admitted.
- Conduct of Moot court/ extension lecture / Seminar / Annual Educational Tour to New Delhi to visit Supreme Court and Parliament for the final year students of LLB 5 years & 3 years.

- Automation for registering of students for affiliation and appearing in the University Examination.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Construction of Students centre in the campus.
- Purchase of Books & periodicals and sports articles
- Conduct of Moot court / extension of lecture / seminar
- Annual Educational Tour to New Delhi to visit. Supreme Court and Parliament for the final year students of LLB 5 years & 3years.
- Opening of hostels for boys and girls in the campus.
- Opening of an out-post police station near the college
- Opening of a Primary Health Centre for the use of students and public.
- Yearly visit of Jail.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme Scheme No. 31

Sector : EDUCATION Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Sarva Siksha Abiyan (SSA) (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To Universalise Elementary Education and to provide quality elementary education, promoting social justice.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
1	Teachers Salary	No. of Teachers	147	33
2	Teachers Grant	No. of Teachers	4097	4097
3	School Grant	No. of Schools	580	575
4	Maintenance Grant	No. of Schools	516	516
5	Research & Evaluation	No. of Schools	580	329
6	Teaching Learning Equipment	No. of Schools	20	17
7	Special Training for out of School Children	No. of Children	375	166
8	Integrated Education for Disabled	No. of Children	3919	1406
9	Transport Facility	No. of Children	95	95
10	Teachers Training	No. of Teachers	4267	3659
11	Community Training	No. of persons	6284	4902
12	SC/ST Education	No. of Children	1315	1050
13	Minority Community Children	No. of Children	1200	600
14	Computer Aided Education	No. of Regions	4	4
15	Girls Education	No. of Regions	4	4

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
16	ECCE	No. of Regions	4	4
17	Learning Equipment Programme	No. of Regions	4	0
18	Management	No. of Regions	4	4
19	Block Resource Centre	No. of Teachers	40	34
20	Cluster Resource Centre	No. of Teachers	34	32
21	Civil Works			0
i)	Additional Class Room	No. of Rooms	38	29
ii)	Construction of Toilets	No. of Toilet	2	2
iii)	CWSN Friendly Toilets	No. of Toilet	94	94
iv)	Drinking Water Facility	No. of Schools	26	26
v)	Boundary Wall	Running Mts.	2000	2000
vi)	Headmaster Room	No. of Rooms	7	7
vii)	Augmentation of Training Facility in BRC	No. of Blocks	5	5
viii)	Ramps with Handrails	No. of Units	118	145
ix)	Handrails in Existing Ramps	No. of Units	116	168
x)	Furniture	No. of Units	10000	10000
	Total		35895	30003

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
1	Special Training Out of School Children	No. of Children	341	150
2	Free Text Book	No. of Children	87	87
3	Teachers Salary	No. of Teachers	17	17
4	Teachers Training	No. of Teachers	8478	8478
5	Block Resource Centre	No. of persons	75	31
6	Cluster Resource Centres	No. of persons	34	16
7	School Grant	No. of Children	575	575
8	Research & Evaluation	No. of Children	575	575
9	Maintenance Grant	No. of Children	512	512
10	Intervention for CWSN	No. of Children	2180	1937
11	SMC Training	No. of persons	3408	3408
12	Furniture for Govt. UPS	No. of Children	8000	8000
13	Management & MIS	No. of Regions	4	4
14	Learning Enhancement Prog.	No. of Regions	4	4
15	Community Mobilization activities	No. of Regions	4	4
16	State Component	No. of Regions	1	1
	Total		24295	23799

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target
1	Special Training for out of School	No. of children	303
2	Primary Teachers Salary	No. of Teachers	6
3	Additional Teachers – UPS Salary	No. of Teachers	6
4	Teachers Training at BRC level	No. of persons	2281

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target
5	Cluster level meetings	No. of persons	2281
6	Refresher Training for all Resource Persons	No. of persons	100
7	Salary for BRTs	No. of persons	31
8	Salary for CWSN RPs	No. of persons	12
9	Hon. For MIS Coordinator	No. of persons	4
10	Hon. For Data Entry Operator	No. of persons	6
11	Hon. For Accountant-cum-support staff	No. of persons	8
12	Contingency Grant	No. of BRCs	6
13	Meeting TA	No. of BRCs	6
14	Salary of CRTs	No. of persons	16
15	Contingency Grant	No. of CRCs	32
16	Meeting TA	No. of CRCs	32
17	AMC for computers	No. of computers	1163
18	School Grant Primary	No. of Schools	370
19	School Grant Upper Primary	No. of Schools	205
20	Research, Evaluation, Monitoring & Supervision	No. of Schools	575
21	Maintenance Grant	No. of Schools	512
22	Inclusive Education for CWSN	No. of children	1868
23	Girls Education	No. of Regions	4
24	Intervention for SC/ST Children	No. of Regions	3
25	Intervention for Minority Community children	No. of Regions	3
26	SMC/PRI Training	No. of persons	2538
27	Additional Class Room	No. of Schools	4
28	Furniture for Govt. UPS	No. of Children	4000
29	Project Management and MIS	No. of Regions	4
30	Community Mobilization activities	No. of Regions	4
31	Management & MIS (State Component)	No. of Regions	1
	Total		16384

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 32

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To enhance access to Secondary Education and to provide quality secondary and higher secondary education.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
1	Annual School Grant	No. of Schools	128	128
2	Minor Repair Grant	No. of Schools	117	117
3	Inservice Training Teachers	No. of Teachers	648	467
4	Local Excursion Visit	No. of Students	13726	13726
5	Headmaster Training	No. of Teachers	64	13
6	Science exhibition at District Level	No. of Districts	2	
7	SMDC Member Training	No. of persons	512	512
8	Training for Counselors	No. of persons	256	256
	Total		15453	15219

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
1	Annual School Grant	No. of Schools	128	128
2	Minor Repair Grant	No. of Schools	117	117
3	In-service Training Teachers	No. of Teachers	742	742
4	Induction Training	No. of Teachers	85	85
5	Headmaster Training	No. of Teachers	119	119
6	Readiness Programme/ Remedial Teaching	No. of Students	2190	2190
7	Study Tour to students	No. of Students	256	256
8	Science Exhibition at District Level	No. of Districts	2	2
9	Printing Modules	No. of Students	16000	16000
10	Satellite Interactive Terminals			
11	Sports Kit	No. of Schools	73	73
12	SMDC Member Training	No. of persons	200	200
13	Training for KRPs (25)/ Master Resource Persons (80)/ Preparation of Question Bank (25)/ Map Reading works (25) and Study Materials (25)	No. of Teachers	180	180
14	Training for Librarian	No. of Teachers	103	103
15	Self defense Training for Girls Students	No. of Teachers	40	40
16	Establishment of Com./ Lan. Lab	No. of Schools	2	2
17	Establishment of Resource Centre	No. of Schools	1	10
18	SC /ST activities	No. of Students	550	550
19	Salary for Teachers	No. of persons	9	
20	Salary for Staff	No. of persons	45	
21	Salary for Coordinators	No. of persons	4	4
	Total		20846	20792

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target
1	Integrated Science Lab	No. of Schools	7
2	Lab equipments	No. of Schools	7
3	Computer Room	No. of Schools	3
4	Library	No. of Schools	2
5	Art and Craft room	No. of Schools	5
6	Toilet block	No. of Toilet	6
7	Subject teacher	No. of Teachers	35
8	School Grant	No. of Schools	129
9	In-service training for teachers	No. of Teachers	608
10	Training for new teachers	No. of Teachers	20
11	Training of KRPs	No. of Teachers	40
12	Study tours for students outside the State	No. of Students	516
13	Science exhibition at district level	No. of District	2
14	Distribution of Sports Kit	No. of Schools	56
15	Honorarium to Instructors for self defence training	No. of persons	109
16	Special Coaching programme for SC/ST & Minority students	No. of Students	2578
17	Jaws software	No. of Schools	2
18	Student oriented Activities including assistance and equipments	No. of Students	356
19	Orientation of Principals, Educational administrators, parents / guardians etc.	No. of persons	516
20	Environment Building programme	No. of Schools	10
21	MMER	No. of District	1
	Total		5008

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 33

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Support for Educational Development including Teachers, Training & Adult Education (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :
To offer training to teachers to teach at primary level.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

➤ In-service training given to 492 number of PSTs.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

➤ New building of DIET was inaugurated on 13th May 2013 and In-service training given to 1602 number of PSTs.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- In-service training for 2081 number of PSTs will be given.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 34

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Scheme for providing education to Madarasas, Minorities and Disabled (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To enable all students with disabilities, after completing eight years of elementary schooling, to pursue further four years of secondary schooling in an inclusive and enabling environment.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

Sl. No.	Description	Units	Target	Achieved
1	Allowances to CWSN	No. of children	436	267
2	In-service training for teachers	No. of Teachers	600	228
3	Orientation of Principals, Educational administrators, parents/guardians etc.	No. of persons	650	650
4	Environment Building Programme	No. of units	4	4
5	Equipments for resource room (Non-recurring)	No. of units	1	1
6	Removal of architectural barriers (Non-recurring)	No. of units	1	1
7	Jaws software(Non-recurring)	No. of units	2	1
8	MMER	No. of Regions	1	1
	Total		1695	1153

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- Target – 884 numbers

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 35

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : National Service Scheme (CSS)
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
 - To work among people.
 - To engage in creative and constructive social action.
 - To enhance his/her knowledge of community.
 - To put his/her scholarship to practical using mitigating problems
 - To gain skill in the exercise of democratic leadership
 - To gain skills in Programme development to enable for self employment
 - To bridge the gulf between the educated and uneducated masses; and
 - To promote the will to serve the weaker section of the community.
3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :**
 - 15,972 volunteers were covered under National Service Scheme.
4. **Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:**
 - 15,972 volunteers were covered under National Service Scheme.
5. **Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :**
 - 15,972 volunteers will be covered.
6. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 36

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing
Department : SCHOOL
EDUCATION

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Panchayat Yuva Krida aur Khel Abhiyan (PYKKA) (CSS)
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
To develop Sports infrastructure and Sports activities in rural areas.
3. **Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :** --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Action will be initiated for devolution of funds, subject to availability of funds.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- To develop sports infrastructure at Commune level and village level.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 37

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : SCHOOL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Information and Communication Technology at schools. (ICT) (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

To provide opportunities to secondary stage students to mainly build their capacity on ICT skills and make them learn through computer aided learning process.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- An amount of ₹ 163.25 lakh has been allocated under CSS.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- An amount of ₹ 280.27 lakh will be released under CSS.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 38

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing Department : HIGHER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

1. Name of the Scheme : Rashtriya Uchcharat Shiksha Abiyan (RUSA) (CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The main objective of the scheme is to improve access, equity and quality in Higher Education and to provide funds to State Universities and Colleges. The scheme is aimed to improve the Gross Enrolment Raio in Higher Education Institutions.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 :

- Under the CSS scheme “Upgradation of existing Polytechnics” an amount of ₹130 lakh was released by the MHRD as grants-in-aid to the Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal to increase the infrastructure facilities and to replace the obsolete equipments.
- Under the CSS scheme “Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme – Phase II” an amount of ₹262.50 lakh and the same has been released to the Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry. Also an amount of ₹87.50 lakh being the State share (25%) was released.
- Under the CSS scheme “Community Development through Polytechnics (CDTP)” an amount of ₹8 lakh has been released to the Motilal Nehru Govt. Polytechnic College by the MHRD.

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- Puducherry State Higher Education Council has been setup for the implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abiyan (RUSA)” so as to avail financial assistance towards infrastructure development in Institutions from the Govt. of India.
- Under the Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship (CSS) an amount of ₹52,60,000/- was released by the MHRD to 458 students during this year 2014-15.
- Under the CSS scheme “Upgradation of existing Polytechnics” an amount of ₹140 lakh released by the MHRD was released to Women’s Polytechnic College, Puducherry mainly towards purchase of equipments and replacement of obsolete items.
- Under the CSS scheme “Technical Education Quality Improvement Programme – Phase II” an amount of ₹225 lakh was released by MHRD and the same will be released to Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry towards the implementation of the scheme.
- Under the CSS scheme “Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abiyan (RUSA)” towards the “Upgradation of existing Polytechnics” an amount of ₹100 lakh and ₹44.43 lakh is released by the MHRD for Indira Gandhi Polytechnic College, Mahe and Karaikal Polytechnic College, Karaikal respectively.
- Under the CSS scheme “Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abiyan (RUSA)” towards the “Community Development through Polytechnics” an amount of ₹9 lakh is released by the MHRD for Motilal Nehru Govt. Polytechnic College, Puducherry.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- A State Higher Education Plan for ₹181.40 crore has been prepared and submitted to the MHRD towards various activities in the Govt. Colleges as below:
 - Construction of new and additional buildings.

- Development of infrastructure facilities to cope up the every need of an Institution.
- Recruitment of faculties and faculty improvement programmes.
- Encouraging research and innovation activities in colleges.
- Conversion of existing colleges to Model Degree colleges.
- Conversion of an autonomous institution to an University.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 39

Sector : EDUCATION

Implementing

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1. Name of the Scheme : Setting up, promotion and strengthening of regional museum(CSS)

2. Objective of the Scheme :

Preparation of DPR and project management of Museum of Ancient culture and Museum of Urban History. The Scope of work include conceptualising and design of the exhibit content, sourcing copies and replicas of relevant documents and exhibits from Museum/archives in France and elsewhere, interior design and building restoration schemes.

3. Actual Physical Achievements made in the Annual Plan 2013-14 : --

4. Physical Achievements for the Annual Plan 2014-15:

- An amount of ₹1 crore has been allocated under CSS.

5. Proposed Physical Targets for the Annual Plan 2015-16 :

- An amount of ₹1 crore will be released.

6. Remarks : Continuing Scheme