

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1903**  
ANSWERED ON - 10/03/2021

**SOCIAL WELFARE SCHEMES**

1903. SMT. PRIYANKA CHATURVEDI

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:-

- (a) the details of the number of social welfare schemes being implemented in various States of the country along with name of each scheme;
- (b) whether there are specific schemes for weaker section; and
- (c) if so, the details of these schemes along with allocation, State-wise?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA)

(a) to (c) The focus of the Department of Social Justice's welfare efforts is on the requirements of the poorest households as represented by the socially, educationally and economically marginalized sections of the society including Scheduled Castes (SCs), Other Backward Classes, Senior Citizens, Victims of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse, Transgender Persons, Beggars, Denotified and Nomadic Tribes (DNTs), Economically Backward Classes (EBCs) and Economically Weaker Section (EWS). The Department is implementing various programmes/schemes for the welfare of these poor and marginalized sections, the details of the schemes and Budget allocation for 2020-21 are given at **Annexure**.

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### Annexure

**Annexure as referred to in reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1903 due for answer on 10.03.2021**

SN	Programme /Schemes of the Department of Social justice and Empowerment	Budget Allocation 2020-21(Cr.)
1.	Post Matric Scholarship for SCs	2987.33
2.	Free Coaching for SCs and OBCs	30.00
3.	Pradhan Mantri Adharsh Gram Yojana	700.00
4.	Strengthening of machinery for Enforcement of Protection of Civil Right Act 1955 and Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989	550.00
5.	Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojana	30.00
6.	Assistance to Vol. Orgns. for SCs	100.00
7.	Pre-matric Scholarships for the children of those engaged in unclean occupation	25.00
8.	Special Central Assistance to Scheduled Castes Sub Plan	1200.00
9.	National Fellowship for SCs	300.00
10.	Self Employment Scheme of Liberation & Rehabilitation of Scavengers	110.00
11.	National Overseas Scholarship for SCs	20.00
12.	Top Class Education for SCs	40.00
13.	Pre Matric Scholarship for SCs	700.00
14.	National Action Plan for Senior Citizens	200.00
15.	National Action Plan on Drug Demand Reduction	260.00
16.	Integrated Programme for Rehabilitation of Beggars	100.00
17.	Pre-matric Scholarship to OBCs	250.00
18.	Assistance for Skill Development of OBCs, DNTs and EBCs	50.00
19.	Boys & Girls Hostels for OBCs	50.00
20.	Post-Matric Scholarship for OBCs	1415.00
21.	Scheme for Educational and Economical Development of De-notified and Nomadic Tribes	10.00
22.	Post Matric Scholarship for Economically Backward Classes	25.00
23.	Interest Subsidy on Overseas Studies of OBCs	35.00
24.	National Fellowship for OBCs and EBCs	120.00
25.	National Scheduled Castes Finance & Development Corporation	180.00
26.	National Safai Karamcharis Finance & Development Corporation	40.00
27.	National Backward Classes Finance & Development Corporation	200.00
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>9727.33</b>