

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3561
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4TH APRIL, 2022

SAINIK SCHOOLS IN JHARKHAND

3561. SHRI DEEPAK PRAKASH:

Will the Minister of Defence be pleased to state:

whether Central Government is taking any steps to open Sainik school in the State of Jharkhand?

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MINISTER OF STATE
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

One Sainik School at Tilaiya is already functioning in the State of Jharkhand. Further, upon the request of State Govt. of Jharkhand, in-principle approval was accorded for establishment of a Sainik School at Godda district of Jharkhand, however, no communication with respect to signing of Memorandum of Agreement or completion of other formalities has been received from the State Govt. of Jharkhand regarding the same.

Meanwhile, the Government approved the initiative for setting up of 100 new Sainik Schools in partnership with NGOs/Private Schools/State Governments in a graded manner. The State of Jharkhand has been provisionally allotted a quota of 03 Schools as New Sainik Schools.
