

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.526  
ANSWERED ON 07.02.2024

**SWAYAM scheme in Madhya Pradesh**

526 SMT. SUMITRA BALMIK:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of students enrolled in the online courses provided under SWAYAM scheme across India and which language and courses are most opted for, if so, the State-wise details thereof;
- (b) the total number of students enrolled in the online courses provided under SWAYAM in the state of Madhya Pradesh and which courses are most opted for, if so, the district-wise details thereof; and
- (c) whether Government is planning to launch courses to promote agricultural education, if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
(DR. SUBHAS SARKAR)**

(a) & (b) The SWAYAM Portal was launched on 9<sup>th</sup> July 2017 to make high-quality content available to learners free of cost with the approach of “Anyone, Anywhere, Anytime Learning”. As on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024, 3295 Unique MOOCs Courses have been developed under the SWAYAM program and 4.12 crore enrolments have been made in these courses. SWAYAM courses are available in different Indian language in transcribed format. Details of enrolment course wise, state wise and students enrolled from Madhya Pradesh (M.P.) for July 2023 semester is available at [https://www.education.gov.in/parl\\_gues](https://www.education.gov.in/parl_gues).

(c) SWAYAM offers courses in multiple disciplines like Arts & Humanities, Law, Commerce & Management, Maths & Sciences, Engineering & Technology, Architecture & Planning, Teacher Education including Agricultural Education. 20 MOOCs courses in Agricultural & Food Engineering categories have been offered in January, 2024 Semester. It is available at <https://swayam.gov.in/explorer>

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