

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
SCHOOL EDUCATION (PROG.II) DEPARTMENT**

SHORT DISCUSSION ON “AMMA VODI SCHEME – GOALS” IN ANDHRA PRADESH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

In Andhra Pradesh there are (62,518) schools with an enrolment of (72,77,387) Children out of which the Government and Aided Schools are (47,273) and private Schools (15,245)

2. The literacy in Andhra Pradesh is 67.35% as per 2011 census out of which the female literacy 59.96.

3. The Government has put in a number of dedicated efforts to bring in a radical transformation of school education themselves with a long-time objective of preparing the students of Andhra Pradesh for a bright future. JAGANANNA AMMA VODI is a unique and innovative scheme as part of “NAVARATNALU” launched by Government in order to enhance access to schools, ensuring equity, assuring quality education, for regulation of attendance, retention and to achieve minimum learning levels, and for overall development of the child from Classes I to XII (Intermediate Education) which will lead to a strong foundation for the increase in overall Gross Enrolment Ration (GER) at primary and secondary level of education of the state including Higher Education. Government have issued orders for releasing financial assistance of Rs.15,000/-p.a to each mother or recognised guardian from BPL families that are sending their children to schools or colleges from Class I to XII vide GO Ms.No.79, SE(Prog.II) Dept., dated 04-11-2019.

Identification of unique mothers

4. In order to identify the eligible unique mothers and to obtain the details of their bank accounts along with IFSC code the department has updated the child info by conducting a special drive from 17-11-2019 to 21-11-2019.

5. As per the drive, the total students from class I to class XII are (81,72,224). Among them Class I to Class X are (72,77,387) and Class XI to Class XII are (8, 94,837).

6. The child info data was communicated to APCFSS and they have mapped the data with ration card database from 25-11-19 to 29-11-2019 and pushed the data to village/ward secretariats for display in social audit.

7. The data was communicated in Form I wherever the details are complete and in Form II wherever the data is not complete. The village/ward volunteers have collected the gaps in information of the data and it was updated at the MEO level from 4-12-2019 to 8-12-2019.

8. After obtaining the data under both Form I and II, the final list of students was put to six-step verification with the RTGS by APCFSS. Based on the six-step validation of the school children data and after merging the data with the

intermediate children data, the APCFSS has communicated a list of eligible unique mothers and another list of mothers whose data still requires further verification.

Social audit of the data

9. Both the lists were communicated to village/ward secretariats, all schools, all junior colleges, MEOs, DEOs and Intermediate Education Officers and the data was published for social audit from 28-12-2019 to 1-1-2020. Time was allowed up to 5-1-2020 to the mothers whose data is incomplete to produce the relevant details to claim their eligibility.

Program launched

10. Finally after identifying the unique mothers, the program was launched on 09-01-2020 and an amount of Rs. 6,028.98 Cr. was transferred to the bank accounts of the (40,19,323) eligible mothers.

Awareness campaign

11. A campaign was carried out from 04-01-2020 to 09-01-2020 on Ammavodi Varostavam and awareness was created among the mothers and parents on the following initiatives taken up by the Government to transform School Education Department.

Date	Activity
04-01-2020	Orientation Program on Jagananna Ammavodi.
06-01-2020	Providing Quality MDM:
07-01-2020	Introduction of English Medium (2020-21) :
08-01-2020	Manabadi-NaduNedu:
09-01-2020	Jagananna Ammavodi:

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