

hostels attached to Ashram school messes being run on the agricultural and horticultural produce of land attached to the school? If not, why not?																																				
10. Have the residential school! Ashram Schools been in receipt of private donations? If so, please indicate the quantum institution-wise and year-wise.	No.																																			
11. Do you consider that Ashram Schools should be extended to other areas inhabited predominantly by the tribals where presently such institutions do not exist? If so, what should be the coverage of population and area for each such Ashram School?	Not necessary at present.																																			
12. During the last two Plan periods, what have been the percentages of wastage and stagnation in the education of tribals at the primary / middle / secondary stages in your State? What measures have been taken to reduce them? What further measures need to be taken in this regard?	Percentage of drop out among tribals is given below:- <table><tr><th>Years</th><th>Primary</th><th>Middle (VI-VIII)</th><th>Secondary (IX-X)</th><th>Senior Secondary (XI-XII)</th></tr><tr><td>96-97</td><td>28.36</td><td>25.59</td><td>38.85</td><td>20.61</td></tr><tr><td>97-98</td><td>24.17</td><td>27.24</td><td>44.95</td><td>22.94</td></tr><tr><td>98-99</td><td>17.06</td><td>27.30</td><td>33.89</td><td>15.38</td></tr><tr><td>99-00</td><td>20.31</td><td>13.37</td><td>36.25</td><td>12.90</td></tr><tr><td>00-01</td><td>15.35</td><td>21.01</td><td>21.12</td><td>14.56</td></tr><tr><td>01-02</td><td>13.18</td><td>18.31</td><td>36.53</td><td>26.47</td></tr></table> The following incentives are being provided by the Education Department for controlling the drop out rate of the tribal students. (i) Providing free textbooks, note books, Stationary, school bags etc. (ii) Providing free uniforms. (iii) Hostel stipend to hostlers at the rate of Rs. 115/- per month. (iv) Cooked meal for lunch and free snacks in the morning under NPNSPE programme.	Years	Primary	Middle (VI-VIII)	Secondary (IX-X)	Senior Secondary (XI-XII)	96-97	28.36	25.59	38.85	20.61	97-98	24.17	27.24	44.95	22.94	98-99	17.06	27.30	33.89	15.38	99-00	20.31	13.37	36.25	12.90	00-01	15.35	21.01	21.12	14.56	01-02	13.18	18.31	36.53	26.47
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