



ANALYSIS BASED ON DATA FROM HOUSEHOLDS. 13 OUT OF 13 DISTRICTS Data is not presented where sample size is insufficient.



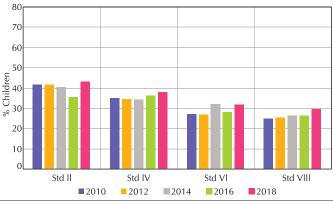
School enrollment

Table 1: % Children enrolled in different types of schools by age group and gender 2018

Age group	Govt	Pvt	Other	Not in school	Total
Age 6-14: All	63.2	35.2	0.3	1.4	100
Age 7-16: All	62.1	35.0	0.3	2.6	100
Age 7-10: All	59.9	39.5	0.2	0.4	100
Age 7-10: Boys	56.5	42.8	0.3	0.4	100
Age 7-10: Girls	63.1	36.3	0.1	0.5	100
Age 11-14: All	66.5	30.6	0.4	2.5	100
Age 11-14: Boys	63.8	33.8	0.3	2.1	100
Age 11-14: Girls	68.9	27.7	0.5	2.9	100
Age 15-16: All	57.1	33.7	0.2	9.0	100
Age 15-16: Boys	57.8	33.7	0.2	8.3	100
Age 15-16: Girls	56.4	33.7	0.2	9.7	100

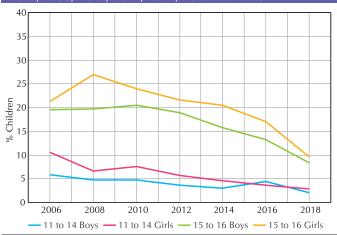
^{&#}x27;Other' includes children going to Madarsa or EGS.

Chart 2: Trends over time % Children enrolled in private schools in Std II, IV, VI and VIII 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018



The proportion of children going to private school often varies by grade. There are also changes over time. For example, in 2018 private school enrollment in Std II is 43.3% as compared to 29.6% in Std VIII.

Chart 1: Trends over time % Children not enrolled in school by age group and gender 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018



Each line shows trends in the proportion of children not enrolled in school for a particular subset of children. For example, the proportion of girls (age 15-16) not enrolled in school was 21.3% in 2006, 21.6% in 2012, and 9.7% in 2018.

Table 2: Age-grade distribution % Children in each grade by age 2018 10 12 Total 100 23.248.820.6 5.5 2 1 Ш 100 3.2 15.1 55.0 20.5 6.1 Ш 100 19.1 53.1 19.0 5.0 2.8 IV 100 2.1 17.3 49.5 23.2 5.2 2.7 ٧ 100 2.3 15.5 55.9 20.1 6 2 VI 100 29 15.5 50.8 23.3 6.3 1 2 VII 2.3 12.5 55.1 24.1 5.2 0.9 100 VIII 100 2.3 13.256.422.4

This table shows the age distribution for each grade. For example, of all children in Std III, 53.1% children are 8 years old but there are also 19.1% who are 7, 19% who are 9, 5% who are 10, and 2.8% who are 11 or older.

Young children in pre-school and school

Table 3: % Children age 3-8 enrolled in different types of pre-schools and schools 2018

	Pre	-school			School	Not in		
Age	Anganwadi	Govt LKG/ UKG	Pvt LKG/ UKG	Govt	Pvt	Other	school or school	Total
Age 3	71.3	0.9	6.6	1.4	1.6	0.0	18.2	100
Age 4	53.4	1.5	36.6	2.2	2.1	0.0	4.2	100
Age 5	30.4	1.6	41.8	15.8	8.4	0.0	2.0	100
Age 6	2.3	0.3	25.7	46.6	24.4	0.0	0.7	100
Age 7	0.4	0.2	5.6	53.9	39.5	0.2	0.3	100
Age 8	0.2	0.0	1.1	58.3	40.2	0.0	0.2	100



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^{&#}x27;Not in school' includes children who never enrolled or have dropped out.

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Reading

ASER learning assessments are conducted in the household. Children in the age group 5-16 are assessed. Assessments are conducted in 19 languages across the country. The type of school in which children are enrolled (government or private) is also recorded.

Table 4: % Children by grade and reading level All children 2018

Std	Not even letter	Letter	Word	Std I level text	Std II level text	Total
I	30.5	36.0	28.0	4.3	1.2	100
II	11.9	24.8	42.9	11.3	9.2	100
Ш	6.1	13.8	36.6	21.1	22.4	100
IV	2.7	6.0	24.8	22.7	43.8	100
V	1.6	3.9	13.8	21.0	59.7	100
VI	1.4	3.1	11.7	19.8	63.9	100
VII	2.0	5.2	10.4	12.2	70.3	100
VIII	1.4	2.5	7.6	10.3	78.2	100

The reading tool is a progressive tool. Each row shows the variation in children's reading levels within a given grade. For example, among children in Std III, 6.1% cannot even read letters, 13.8% can read letters but not words or higher, 36.6% can read words but not Std I level text or higher, 21.1% can read Std I level text but not Std II level text, and 22.4% can read Std II level text. For each grade, the total of these exclusive categories is 100%.

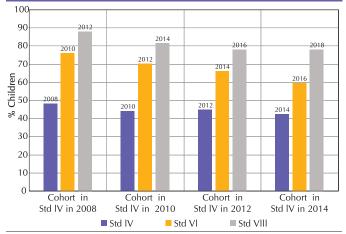
Table 5: Trends over time Reading in Std III by school type 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018

Year	, , , , , , , , ,	lren in Std ad Std II lev	
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
2012	28.0	28.9	28.3
2014	21.3	32.0	24.7
2016	19.0	28.3	22.6
2018	22.6	22.5	22.6

^{*} This is the weighted average for children in government and private schools only.

The highest level in the ASER reading assessment is a Std II level text. Table 5 shows the proportion of children in Std III who can read Std II level text. This figure is a proxy for "grade level" reading for Std III. Data for children enrolled in government schools and private schools is shown separately.

Chart 3: Trends over time % Children who can read Std II level text Cohorts of children in Std IV in 2008, 2010, 2012 and 2014



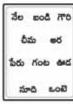
This graph shows the progress of four cohorts from Std IV to Std VIII. For example, the first cohort was in Std IV in 2008, in Std VI in 2010, and in Std VIII in 2012. For this cohort, % children who could read Std II level text in Std IV (in 2008) was 48.4% and in Std VI (in 2010) was 75.9%. When the cohort reached Std VIII in 2012, this figure was 88.1%. The progress of each of these cohorts can be understood in the same way.

Reading Tool (Telugu)

Std II level text

రఘు నిద్దలేదే సరికి వెలుగు కనపడింది. అతను వెలుగు వస్తున్న వైషు వెళ్ళాదు. ప్రతిరోజు ఆ వైషున ఆకాశంలో సూర్యుదు ఉదయిస్తాడు. రఘు వెనకాలే అతని అక్కయ్య వచ్చింది. సూర్యుదు ఉదయించే దిక్కును తూర్పు దిక్కుకు అంటారు. ఉదయించే సూర్యునికి ఎదురుగా నిలబడి చేతులు రాలితే ఎదమవైషు ఉన్న దిక్కును ఉత్తర దిక్కు అని, కుడివైషు ఉన్న దిక్కును దక్షిణ దిక్కు అని అంటారు. Std I level text బాల బాలెకలారా రారండి ఆటలు, పాటలు పాదండి పలకా, బలపం తీసుకొని రారండి అ ఆ ఇ ఈ రాయండి.





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Table 6: Trends over time Reading in Std V and Std VIII by school type 2012 2014 2016 and 2018

2012, 2	2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018								
Year		n in Std V Std II level		% Children in Std VIII who can read Std II level text					
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*			
2012	64.0	58.8	62.4	87.7	89.1	88.1			
2014	57.0	58.2	57.4	79.5	87.4	81.6			
2016	52.6	60.6	55.3	73.5	91.1	78.0			
2018	57.1	64.8	59.7	78.6	77.5	78.2			

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Arithmetic

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Table 7: % Children by grade and arithmetic level All children 2018

Std	Not even	Recognize	numbers	Subtract	Divide	Total
Sta	1-9	1-9	10-99	Jublidet	Divide	Total
1	23.8	33.3	39.3	3.2	0.6	100
Ш	8.4	19.0	57.4	12.9	2.3	100
III	3.9	7.0	50.8	32.8	5.5	100
IV	1.1	3.6	35.5	40.9	19.0	100
V	0.4	1.8	24.8	33.8	39.3	100
VI	0.6	1.0	24.3	32.6	41.5	100
VII	0.4	1.0	19.8	35.6	43.3	100
VIII	0.6	0.2	19.8	31.8	47.6	100

The arithmetic tool is a progressive tool. Each row shows the variation in children's arithmetic levels within a given grade. For example, among children in Std III, 3.9% cannot even recognize numbers 1-9, 7% can recognize numbers up to 9 but cannot recognize numbers up to 99 or higher, 50.8% can recognize numbers up to 99 but cannot do subtraction, 32.8% can do subtraction but cannot do division, and 5.5% can do division. For each grade, the total of these exclusive categories is 100%.

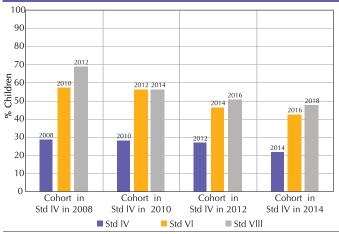
Table 8: Trends over time Arithmetic in Std III by school type 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018

Year		dren in Std at least sub	
	Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*
2012	46.3	67.1	54.1
2014	31.4	57.8	39.8
2016	39.1	62.9	48.3
2018	34.1	45.6	38.5

^{*} This is the weighted average for children in government and private schools only.

In most states, children are expected to do 2-digit by 2-digit subtraction with borrowing by Std II. Table 8 shows the proportion of children in Std III who can do subtraction. This figure is a proxy for "grade level" arithmetic for Std III. Data for children enrolled in government schools and private schools is shown separately.

Chart 4: Trends over time % Children who can do division Cohorts of children in Std IV in 2008, 2010, 2012 and 2014



This graph shows the progress of four cohorts from Std IV to Std VIII. For example, the first cohort was in Std IV in 2008, in Std VI in 2010, and in Std VIII in 2012. For this cohort, % children who were at division level in Std IV (in 2008) was 28.7% and in Std VI (in 2010) was 57.2%. When the cohort reached Std VIII in 2012, this figure was 68.9%. The progress of each of these cohorts can be understood in the same way.

Arithmetic Tool (Telugu)

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47 72	56 31 - 37 - 13	8) 987 (
54 87	45 53 - 18 - 24	4) 519 (
	65 38 92 23 47 72	65 38 41 64 -13 -48 92 23 84 73 -49 -36 47 72 56 31 -37 -13 54 87 45 53 -18 -24

Table 9: Trends over time Arithmetic in Std V and Std VIII by school type 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2018

2012, 2014, 2010 and 2010								
Year		en in Std V do division		% Children in Std VIII who can do division				
	Govt	Pvt Govt & Pvt*		Govt	Pvt	Govt & Pvt*		
2012	41.8	53.4	45.4	65.0	80.5	68.9		
2014	37.8	37.3	37.6	53.0	53.0 65.7			
2016	35.9	40.3	37.4	41.2	76.9	50.5		
2018	36.7	45.3	39.7	44.0	56.1	47.6		

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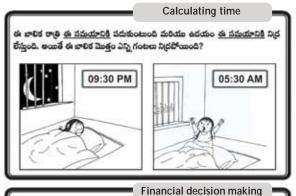
Basic reading and arithmetic

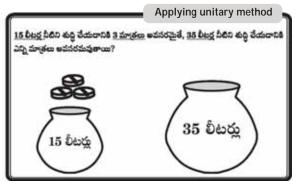
Table 10: Basic reading by age group and gender 2018							
Age group	% Children who can read Std II level text						
	Male	Female	All				
Age 8-10	35.0	42.6	39.0				
Age 11-13	61.3	73.3	67.9				
Age 14-16	79.6	83.0	81.4				

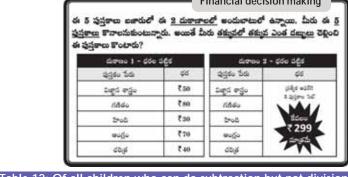
Table 11: Basic arithmetic by age group and gender 2018							
Age group	% Childre	en who can o subtraction	do at least	% Children who can do division			
	Male Female All Male Fe	Female	All				
Age 8-10	50.5	56.7	53.7	18.0	20.0	19.1	
Age 11-13	73.6	76.4	75.1	40.8	44.2	42.7	
Age 14-16	79.8	81.4	80.6	58.1	56.2	57.1	

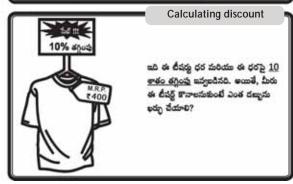
Beyond basics

These questions were asked only to children in the age group 14-16. For each task, the surveyor showed the visual and read out the question to the child. The exact answer given by the child was recorded. The results are reported only for those children who were able to do at least subtraction correctly.









can correctly answer by age and gender 2018												
Age	Calculating time		Calculating time			ying un method	,	Financial decision making Calculat		ating di	scount	
	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
Age 14	35.2	38.5	36.9	36.4	46.1	41.5	15.5	29.1	22.6	14.7	12.0	13.3
Age 15	36.8	40.0	38.8	19.2	40.8	32.5	19.2	21.1	20.4	11.0	17.9	15.3
Age 16	47.8	44.9	46.0	22.6	30.5	27.4	19.2	13.1	15.5	31.9	11.7	19.8
Age 14-16	38.8	40.8	39.9	27.9	40.0	34.8	17.5	21.9	20.0	17.8	14.0	15.6

	Table 13: Of all children who can do division, % children who can correctly answer by age and gender 2018												
Ag	e	Calculating time		Applying unitary method		Financial decision making		Calculating discount					
3		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
Ag	e 14	56.4	36.7	45.6	64.5	51.3	57.2	25.9	28.1	27.1	31.1	27.2	28.9
Ag	e 15	53.9	53.5	53.7	55.3	55.6	55.4	21.4	26.3	23.9	38.6	21.6	29.9
Ag	e 16	53.4	42.8	47.8	54.0	51.0	52.4	34.5	26.7	30.4	32.7	29.1	30.8
Ag	e 14-16	54.6	44.1	49.0	58.1	52.6	55.2	26.8	27.1	26.9	34.3	25.9	29.8



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School observations

In each sampled village, the largest government school with primary sections is visited on the day of the survey. Information about schools in this report is based on these visits.

Table 14: Trends over time Number of schools visited 2010, 2014, 2016 and 2018	3					
	2010	2014	2016	2018		
Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	275	276	296	309		
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	99	104	84	70		
Total schools visited	374	380	380	379		
Table 15: Trends over time Student and teacher attendance on the day of visit 2010, 2014, 2016 and 2018 Primary schools 2010 2014 2016 2018						
(Std I-IV/V) % Enrolled children present (Average)	76.0	79.5	83.5	81.5		
% Teachers present (Average)	83.7	84.5	87.3	82.5		
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	2010	2014	2016	2018		
% Enrolled children present (Average)	74.5	79.8	81.5	84.1		
% Teachers present (Average)	82.3	78.8	87.2	80.1		

Table 16: Trends over time Multigrade classes 2010, 2014, 2016 and 2018				
Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	2010	2014	2016	2018
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	66.4	67.3	62.2	63.0
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	58.0	58.2	58.0	59.0
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	2010	2014	2016	2018
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	55.7	67.0	71.4	57.4
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	47.9	52.0	63.1	50.0

School facilities

% Schools	Trends over time s with selected facilities 14, 2016 and 2018				
% Schools	% Schools with				2018
Mid-day	Mid-day Kitchen shed for cooking mid-day meal		65.1	70.0	72.9
meal	Mid-day meal served in school on day of visit	99.7	99.5	99.5	96.0
	No facility for drinking water	22.8	16.2	15.0	12.7
Drinking	Facility but no drinking water available	12.4	22.6	28.4	29.2
water	Drinking water available	64.8	61.2	56.6	58.1
	Total	100	100	100	100
	No toilet facility	23.4	13.0	4.2	2.9
Toilet	Facility but toilet not useable	38.1	22.7	12.9	10.6
Tollet	Toilet useable	38.6	64.3	82.9	86.4
	Total	100	100	100	100
	No separate provision for girls' toilet	53.1	28.4	15.6	8.9
Girls'	Separate provision but locked	9.2	8.7	6.3	4.2
toilet	Separate provision, unlocked but not useable	12.3	8.7	5.3	5.9
	Separate provision, unlocked and useable	25.4	54.2	72.8	81.1
	Total	100	100	100	100
	No library	8.0	2.8	5.3	9.0
Library	Library but no books being used by children on day of visit	14.4	31.6	24.2	36.2
Library	Library books being used by children on day of visit	77.6	65.6	70.5	54.8
	Total	100	100	100	100
	Electricity connection	95.5	96.5		
Electricity Of schools with electricity connection, % schools with electricity available on day of visit				89.8	93.1
	No computer available for children to use	90.7	86.5	82.6	77.5
Computer	Available but not being used by children on day of visit	3.0	7.9	7.9	15.9
Computer	Computer being used by children on day of visit	6.2	5.6	9.5	6.6
	Total	100	100	100	100





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Other school indicators

In each sampled village, the largest government school with primary sections is visited on the day of the survey. Information about schools in this report is based on these visits.

Table 18: Trends over time % Schools with total enrollment of 60 or less 2010, 2014, 2016 and 2018							
	2010	2014	2016	2018			
Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	36.9	40.4	39.2	43.8			
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	16.3	13.5	25.0	15.7			



Table 19: Physical education and sports in schools 2018						
% Schools with			Std I-VII/ VIII	All schools		
	Physical education period in the timetable	76.7	85.5	78.3		
Dedicated time for	No physical education period but dedicated time allotted	16.1	11.6	15.2		
physical education	No physical education period and no dedicated time allotted	7.2	2.9	6.4		
	Total	100	100	100		
	Separate physical education teacher	2.3	8.7	3.5		
Physical education	Other physical education teacher	70.8	68.1	70.3		
teacher	No physical education teacher	26.9	23.2	26.2		
	Total	100	100	100		
	Playground inside the school premises	60.8	64.3	61.4		
Playground	Playground outside the school premises	18.0	20.0	18.4		
riayground	No accessible playground	21.2	15.7	20.2		
	Total	100	100	100		
Availability of any sports equipment		79.0	88.4	80.7		
Supervised p of visit	37.0	44.6	38.4			



Table 20: School Management Committee (SMC) in schools 2014, 2016 and 2018							
2014 2016 2018							
% Schools which reported having an SMC	99.2	98.4	99.2				
Of all schools that have an SMC, % schools that had the last SMC meeting							
Before July 5.7 1.4 1.1							
Between July and September	94.1	89.4	84.5				

After September

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