

SCHOOL REPORT CARD

From the ANNUAL STATUS OF EDUCATION REPORT 2014

INDIA RURAL

ANALYSIS BASED ON DATA FROM GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS. 577 OUT OF 585 DISTRICTS

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 1: Number of schools visited 2010, 2012 and 2014

Type of school	2010	2012	2014
Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	8419	8774	8844
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	5821	5888	6362
Total schools visited	14240	14662	15206

Table 2: Student and teacher attendance on the day of visit 2010, 2012 and 2014

Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	2010	2012	2014
% Enrolled children present (Average)	72.9	71.4	71.4
% Teachers present (Average)	87.1	85.2	85.0
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	2010	2012	2014
% Enrolled children present (Average)	73.4	73.1	71.1
% Teachers present (Average)	86.4	85.4	85.8

Table 3: Small schools and multigrade classes 2010, 2012 and 2014

Primary schools (Std I-IV/V)	2010	2012	2014
% Schools with total enrollment of 60 or less	27.3	32.3	36.0
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	55.2	62.6	62.8
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	49.0	56.5	56.8
Upper primary schools (Std I-VII/VIII)	2010	2012	2014
% Schools with total enrollment of 60 or less	2.7	6.3	7.2
% Schools where Std II children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	54.0	58.7	59.8
% Schools where Std IV children were observed sitting with one or more other classes	41.6	46.1	48.4

RTE indicators

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) Act, 2009 specifies a series of norms and standards for a school. Data on selected measurable indicators of RTE are collected in ASER.

Table 4: Schools meeting selected RTE norms 2010, 2012 and 2014

% Schools meeting the following RTE norms:		2010	2012	2014
PTR & CTR	Pupil-teacher ratio (PTR)	38.9	42.9	49.3
	Classroom-teacher ratio (CTR)	76.2	73.7	72.8
Building	Office/store/office cum store	74.1	73.5	76.7
	Playground	62.0	61.1	65.3
	Boundary wall/fencing	51.0	54.7	58.8
Drinking water	No facility for drinking water	17.0	16.7	13.9
	Facility but no drinking water available	10.3	10.3	10.5
	Drinking water available	72.7	73.0	75.6
	Total	100	100	100
Toilet	No toilet facility	11.0	8.5	6.3
	Facility but toilet not useable	41.8	35.2	28.5
	Toilet useable	47.2	56.4	65.2
	Total	100	100	100
Girls' toilet	No separate provision for girls' toilet	31.2	21.4	18.8
	Separate provision but locked	18.7	14.2	12.9
	Separate provision, unlocked but not useable	17.2	16.4	12.6
	Separate provision, unlocked and useable	32.9	48.1	55.7
	Total	100	100	100
Library	No library	37.4	24.1	21.9
	Library but no books being used by children on day of visit	24.7	32.2	37.4
	Library books being used by children on day of visit	37.9	43.8	40.7
	Total	100	100	100
Mid-day meal	Kitchen shed for cooking mid-day meal	82.1	84.3	88.1
	Mid-day meal served in school on day of visit	84.6	87.0	85.1

About ASER

Every year since 2005, Pratham has facilitated an innovative exercise in India: that of implementing the Annual Status of Education Report (ASER). This enormous annual household survey is done by citizens and reaches a representative sample of children in almost every rural district in the country. Using simple tools, children are asked to do basic reading and arithmetic tasks. They are also asked if they are enrolled in school. ASER is carried out by a local organization or institution in each district.

ASER 2014 reached 577 districts, 16,497 villages, 341,070 households and 569,229 children. More than 500 local organizations and 25,000 volunteers participated in this effort.

Table 5: Performance of schools 2010, 2012 and 2014

State	Selected Right to Education indicators												Other selected indicators																	
	% Schools complying with:						% Schools that have:						% Schools that have:																	
	Pupil teacher ratio (PTR)		Classroom-teacher ratio (CTR)		Drinking water available		Useable toilet		Useable toilet for girls		A total enrollment of 60 or less		Library books available		Computers available		Mid-day meal served in school on day of visit													
	2010	2012	2014	2010	2012	2014	2010	2012	2014	2010	2012	2014	2010	2012	2014	2010	2012	2014												
AP + Telangana	644	649	632	61.7	56.4	52.0	53.4	61.1	72.0	64.8	66.3	61.2	38.6	47.7	64.3	25.4	38.2	54.2	25.6	27.2	27.5	92.0	94.7	97.2	9.3	10.4	13.6	99.2	98.3	99.5
Arunachal Pradesh	189	178	259	78.0	75.3	69.4	79.8	77.6	68.7	53.2	48.9	53.5	25.3	35.1	35.1	12.2	23.2	24.5	33.9	34.3	38.0	13.0	15.9	25.0	14.3	14.2	10.2	47.1	49.7	57.5
Assam	519	492	519	33.6	35.2	34.0	67.7	64.4	70.1	60.9	65.4	65.3	33.1	52.8	58.7	13.7	40.4	47.0	40.9	33.7	36.1	20.8	39.6	45.3	1.8	2.9	2.4	67.3	67.4	61.7
Bihar	1057	967	967	8.8	8.5	12.7	48.2	56.7	60.5	78.7	85.4	90.4	33.6	51.2	60.6	18.1	42.0	46.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	52.9	74.6	76.3	6.9	6.2	5.7	57.2	75.0	69.2
Chhattisgarh	425	430	425	39.6	48.3	53.8	64.2	70.2	68.1	77.6	79.2	80.3	29.6	51.4	68.9	20.0	41.6	53.4	16.1	29.3	33.6	72.9	88.3	89.5	4.1	2.8	0.5	94.6	91.8	86.1
Gujarat	623	692	623	62.7	55.3	69.0	84.2	0.0	89.7	79.4	82.3	87.0	64.8	70.0	84.8	49.9	65.8	81.4	4.6	5.5	6.6	83.8	85.6	92.3	52.2	86.4	81.3	96.2	95.1	94.2
Haryana	528	513	528	40.3	40.3	46.0	75.1	76.7	70.4	74.6	75.7	76.2	67.9	73.5	81.8	52.8	70.8	79.6	6.5	9.2	10.0	64.6	84.5	84.2	17.4	20.1	11.5	93.7	91.7	91.7
Himachal Pradesh	261	239	261	60.6	68.0	60.7	76.7	78.4	78.2	83.2	83.4	87.7	56.0	74.2	87.6	38.7	70.4	86.2	48.6	68.5	71.3	80.3	96.6	95.7	6.7	5.5	5.5	98.0	97.0	93.8
Jammu and Kashmir	387	343	387	84.2	89.0	84.2	89.0	50.0	53.0	50.5	51.6	49.0	58.1	49.0	58.1	30.6	46.7	51.4	55.9	51.4	55.9	49.9	54.4	49.9	54.4	11.5	8.8	87.9	74.7	74.7
Jharkhand	547	438	547	11.2	15.0	21.9	81.2	76.9	83.1	73.8	78.1	80.2	26.8	37.0	52.9	20.9	32.0	48.0	7.7	12.6	15.9	61.6	79.0	89.7	7.0	4.4	4.0	92.6	84.2	78.6
Karnataka	769	756	769	69.4	66.9	70.4	82.8	83.2	84.1	75.8	81.3	81.2	38.4	59.5	60.2	31.8	54.0	55.1	17.8	21.4	22.3	92.4	94.2	91.8	29.4	36.4	39.5	96.0	98.5	98.9
Kerala	275	347	275	89.2	92.0	96.6	80.3	89.5	89.4	85.7	85.1	83.0	58.2	75.7	84.8	43.9	73.5	80.2	19.9	26.9	30.5	83.1	95.7	94.7	82.8	92.5	89.8	100	98.2	74.6
Madhya Pradesh	1219	1211	1219	19.4	32.9	48.5	81.4	68.9	62.9	78.5	70.5	75.1	50.3	46.7	55.4	28.9	34.4	40.5	10.4	18.7	26.3	56.3	71.0	84.2	7.5	7.2	4.0	94.7	90.2	88.1
Maharashtra	902	822	902	58.9	63.2	72.7	87.6	83.3	85.3	69.0	69.5	70.5	53.0	57.3	66.3	43.2	53.1	59.1	16.7	21.0	21.1	86.1	86.3	82.6	33.3	43.3	46.3	90.7	93.2	94.8
Manipur	125	186	125	74.3	85.8	92.6	62.5	41.5	36.1	5.1	7.1	15.7	40.2	40.9	53.1	8.4	23.0	19.8	35.3	47.8	52.5	9.2	11.5	18.0	8.5	10.4	16.3	47.8	41.1	34.5
Meghalaya	110	129	110	54.3	65.1	60.0	84.2	72.7	67.3	23.9	12.8	16.5	24.5	31.7	38.8	14.8	20.5	16.8	71.0	65.1	68.6	22.0	24.0	23.6	2.8	2.4	1.6	51.9	30.5	40.7
Mizoram	174	199	174	89.1	86.5	83.9	57.6	75.9	77.3	48.5	65.0	68.5	55.6	44.2	33.7	30.8	30.0	28.1	39.8	53.8	63.7	6.4	22.2	16.9	7.7	8.7	1.6	94.0	91.4	72.0
Nagaland	223	272	223	91.9	93.0	92.1	78.6	63.3	73.9	37.0	22.2	23.4	53.9	52.5	68.0	30.6	32.7	45.0	45.8	45.4	35.2	13.3	12.2	14.6	14.8	14.9	11.4	31.9	38.2	24.1
Odisha	741	809	741	22.5	28.0	38.6	74.0	78.2	68.3	70.3	78.7	81.6	44.4	49.3	63.1	34.7	41.4	53.0	21.4	24.0	23.7	65.3	88.3	88.0	7.1	7.8	14.1	88.8	96.1	96.8
Punjab	449	525	449	34.9	34.6	64.0	76.9	80.3	69.3	83.1	82.8	81.0	61.2	70.5	79.2	49.4	65.6	71.6	17.2	17.4	25.4	96.0	90.7	88.7	10.7	11.0	8.7	97.9	95.5	92.7
Rajasthan	896	877	896	46.4	51.1	66.6	82.0	80.1	72.2	68.0	67.1	73.4	65.4	72.0	81.5	50.3	65.1	73.7	13.0	17.3	17.9	63.7	76.9	87.8	15.7	25.6	33.8	94.8	93.9	82.7
Sikkim	69	45	69	93.4	95.0	91.9	61.3	62.5	78.6	76.8	69.8	74.0	59.4	60.0	73.0	37.5	53.7	65.2	23.2	23.3	26.7	44.1	47.7	55.3	39.1	46.5	42.9	98.6	81.4	85.1
Tamil Nadu	662	656	662	47.0	49.2	58.6	75.2	81.7	74.0	80.5	81.0	79.8	44.6	68.1	79.8	35.1	61.4	68.7	24.4	33.0	35.7	79.1	83.8	86.5	47.0	56.6	62.4	99.4	99.8	99.8
Tripura	98	102	98	68.5	82.6	81.4	60.0	63.6	47.7	40.0	48.5	56.2	43.0	50.0	58.7	30.3	33.0	57.1	9.4	17.0	21.9	35.4	32.4	60.0	8.5	12.8	7.8	74.7	95.0	97.1
Uttarakhand	337	287	337	13.7	23.2	24.6	87.4	89.1	86.1	68.3	71.0	69.2	53.4	64.4	69.2	24.0	52.9	53.7	69.0	72.8	76.7	47.7	82.1	85.9	6.7	7.8	8.8	95.0	94.1	92.3
Uttar Pradesh	1896	1887	1896	16.1	15.6	19.9	81.6	78.4	79.8	82.2	81.3	85.8	47.4	52.5	54.9	33.9	43.7	49.1	4.6	6.7	9.1	48.7	82.2	74.6	1.4	2.9	2.2	71.3	85.6	93.9
West Bengal	408	408	408	26.2	33.2	46.9	64.8	67.4	68.6	67.2	71.9	78.4	52.1	58.8	70.8	23.7	44.0	46.9	10.1	15.7	23.3	49.5	64.7	66.3	1.3	1.2	2.0	63.4	59.7	66.7
All India	14240	14662	14240	38.9	42.9	49.3	76.2	73.7	72.8	72.7	73.0	75.6	47.2	56.4	65.2	32.9	48.1	55.7	17.3	21.8	24.0	62.6	75.9	78.1	15.8	20.1	19.6	84.6	87.0	85.1

School funds and activities

Table 6: % Schools that report receiving SSA grants - Full financial year

SSA school grants	April 2011 to March 2012				April 2013 to March 2014			
	Number of schools	% Schools			Number of schools	% Schools		
		Yes	No	Don't know		Yes	No	Don't know
Maintenance grant	14305	86.5	7.4	6.2	14953	79.6	15.1	5.3
Development grant	14165	79.0	13.9	7.1	14870	67.5	26.0	6.5
TLM grant	14319	89.1	6.7	4.2	14685	17.8	78.0	4.3

Table 7: % Schools that report receiving SSA grants - Half financial year

SSA school grants	April 2012 to date of survey (2012)				April 2014 to date of survey (2014)			
	Number of schools	% Schools			Number of schools	% Schools		
		Yes	No	Don't know		Yes	No	Don't know
Maintenance grant	13801	56.0	35.9	8.1	14547	41.2	51.8	7.1
Development grant	13652	51.2	40.0	8.8	14451	34.3	58.2	7.6
TLM grant	13733	54.7	38.7	6.6	14251	7.5	86.8	5.7

Note for Table 6 and 7: Grant information was not collected in ASER 2013.

Table 8: % Schools carrying out different activities since April 2013

Type of activity		% Schools		
		Yes	No	Don't know
Construction	New classroom built	15.3	83.5	1.2
Repair	White wash/plastering	55.9	42.8	1.2
	Repair of drinking water facility	46.8	51.8	1.4
	Repair of toilet	38.6	60.0	1.4
Purchase	Mats, Tat patti etc.	50.5	47.8	1.7
	Charts, globes or other teaching material	62.3	36.2	1.6

Table 10: School Management Committee (SMC) in schools 2014

% Schools which said they have an SMC	94.0
Of the schools that have SMC, % schools that had the last SMC meeting	
Before Jan 2014	2.1
Jan to June 2014	8.6
July to Sept 2014	74.3
After Sept 2014	15.0
% Schools that could give information about how many members were present in the last meeting	93.9
Average number of members present in last meeting	13

Every year schools in India receive three financial grants. This is the only money over which schools have any expenditure discretion. Since 2009, ASER has been tracking whether this money reaches schools.

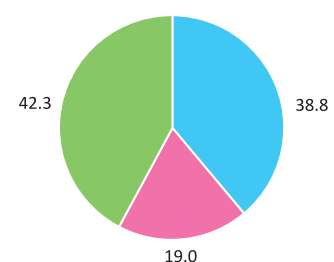
Name of Grant	Type of activity
School Maintenance Grant	For minor repairs and infrastructure maintenance. Eg. Repair of toilet, boundary wall, whitewashing
School Development Grant	For purchasing school and office equipment. Eg. Blackboards, sitting mats, chalks, duster
Teacher Learning Material Grant*	For purchasing teaching aids

* In 2013-14 and 2014-15 Government of India stopped sending money for this grant in most states.

Table 9: Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) in schools 2013-2014

CCE in schools	2013	2014
% Schools which said they have heard of CCE	78.9	88.5
Of the schools which have heard of CCE, % schools which have received materials/manuals		
For all teachers	59.9	61.5
For some teachers	15.8	15.6
For no teachers	19.9	17.7
Don't know	4.4	5.2
Of the schools which have received manual, % schools which could show it	79.8	77.9

Chart 1: School Development Plan (SDP) in schools 2014

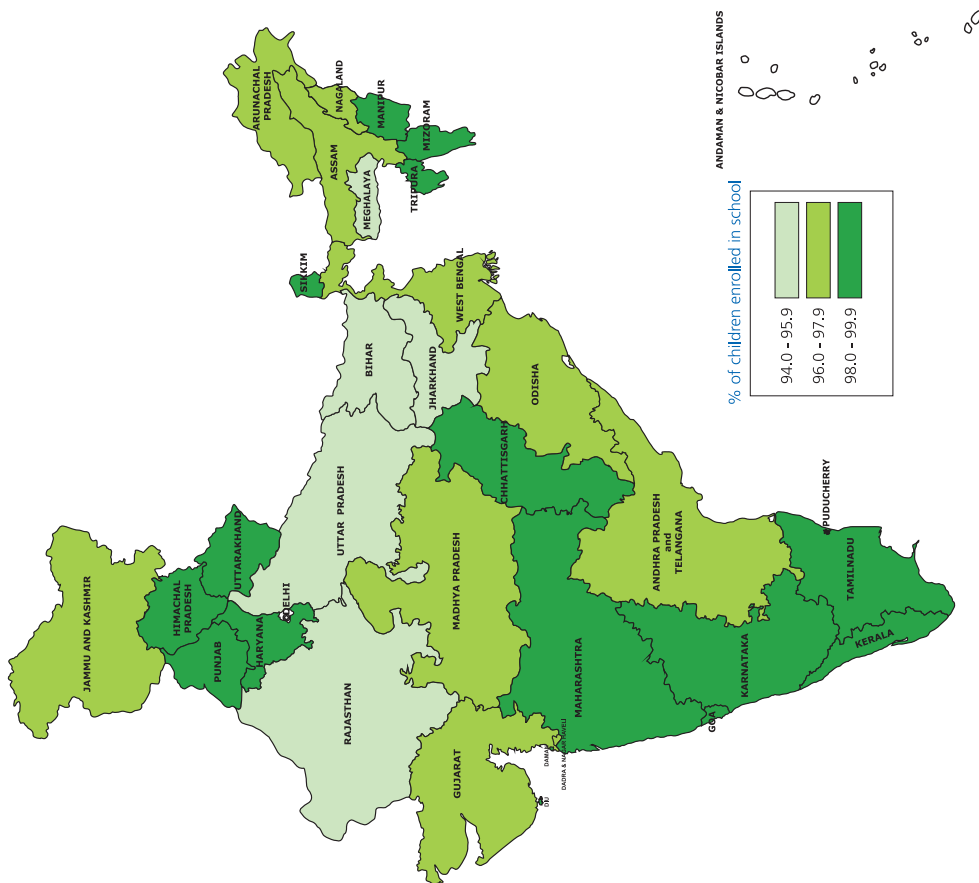


■ % Schools which reported not having an SDP for 2013-14
 ■ % Schools which reported having an SDP for 2013-14 but could not show it
 ■ % Schools which reported having an SDP for 2013-14 and could show it

Enrollment and attendance in states

Enrollment in schools (age 6-14)

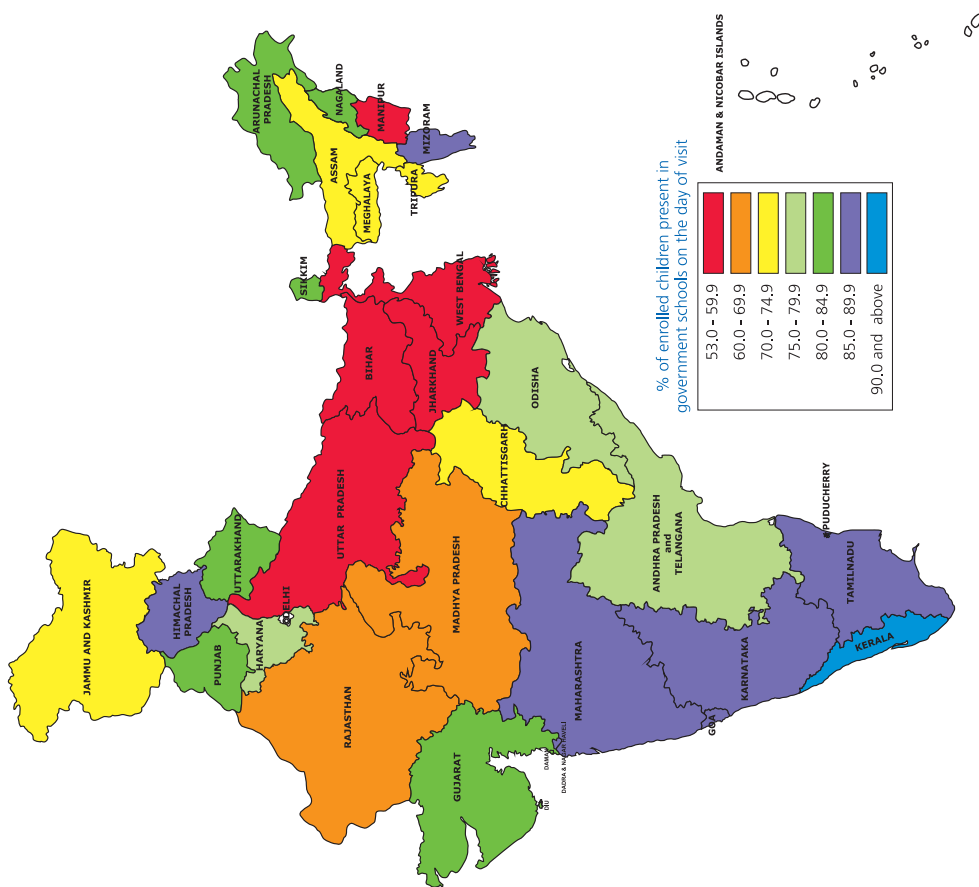
Statewise map showing % of children enrolled in school



Information on enrollment based on data collected from households.

Attendance in government schools

Statewise map showing % enrolled children present in government schools on the day of the visit



Information on attendance based on data collected from government schools.

Maps may not be accurate or to-scale. These are mere representations. The National Survey and Mapping Organization of India had not released separate maps for Andhra Pradesh and Telangana at the time the report went to print.