

Annexure referred to in reply of Part (a) to (c) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3714 for 25-03-2026 asked by Dr. V. Sivadasan, Hon'ble MP regarding 'Scholarships and assistance provided by the Ministry'

Fresh Scholarships/ Claims under the Scheme

Scheme Name	Fresh Scholarships/ Claims				
	AY 2021-22	AY 2022-23	AY 2023-24	AY 2024-25	AY 2025-26 (as on 22.03.2026)
PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	77698	72819	73576	77200	79012
PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh	3507	3574	3525	3674	3625
National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme	68762	76332	80211	85711	63852
Scheme Name	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24	FY 2024-25	FY 2025-26 (upto 28.02.2026)
PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme	58350	83923	105295	116405	116467

Details of the scheme from 25.02.2025 to 18.03.2026 (Amount ₹ Crore)

Scheme Name	No of Loans Sanctioned	Total Sanctioned Amount	No of loans Disbursed	Disbursed Amount
PM-Vidyalaxmi (New Central Sector Scheme launched on 6 th Nov 2024)	70169	9348.49	62895	2137.46

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Details of Funds allocated, released and utilised under the Schemes

Amount (₹ crores)			
FY	Scheme Name	FG Allocated/ Released	Fund Utilized
2021-22	PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	206.32	192.40
	PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh	225	184
	PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme and Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Education Loan	1616.4	1385.68
	National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme		251.98
2022-23	PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	242	229.46
	PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh	200	200
	PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme and Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Education Loan	873.7	873.49
	National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme	-	306.49
2023-24	PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	1147	1098.67
	PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh		
	PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme and Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Education Loan	-	313.1
	National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme		
2024-25	PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	1000	999.86
	PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh		
	PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme and Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Education Loan		
	National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme	-	352.49
2025-26 (upto 22.3.2026)	PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students	1454.46	1454.45
	PM-USP Special Scholarship Scheme for Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh		
	PM-USP Central Sector Interest Subsidy Scheme and Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Education Loan		
	National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme	-	256.7

w.e.f. FY 2023-24, common budget has been allotted to the PM-USP Yojana