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Dear Colleague,

I am glad to inform that the 9th edition of Pariksha Pe Charcha, the unique interactive program of Hon'ble Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi with students, teachers and parents will tentatively be held in January, 2026. This event has been successfully organized for the last eight years by the Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education in coordination with all the States and other Ministries.

2. As you are already aware that over 5 crore students, parents and teachers participated in PPC-2025 - a kind of nationwide Jan Andolan.

3. In order to select participants who will be featuring in the Pariksha Pe Charcha 2026, an online Multiple Choice Question (MCQ) competition is being conducted at <https://innovateindia1.mygov.in> from 1st December, 2025 to 11th January, 2026 for children studying in classes from 6 to 12, teachers and parents. All the participants will receive a participation Certificate.

4. This competition is the mode through which we invite students, parents and teachers to be a part of PPC 2026 and to be able to frame their questions to be addressed to the Hon'ble Prime Minister. Selected questions, shortlisted by NCERT, may feature in the programme. The participants who asked questions in the previous editions of Pariksha Pe Charcha, are invited by media channels to appear in their programmes. Along the same lines, this year's chosen few may get an opportunity to interact with the media.

5. In this context you are requested kindly to arrange the following:

- a. **Appoint a Nodal Officer**, not below the rank of Director, to liaise with my office for the purpose of this event.
- b. **Issue instructions to display creatives** (soft copies of the creatives will be shared shortly) on:
 - i. Official websites of your Organization and its associated offices in the State/UT,
 - ii. Prominent locations in all subordinate offices at various levels,
 - iii. Prominent places in all the schools and other institutions functioning under the aegis of your Organization and its associated offices in the State/UT,
 - iv. Moreover, you may adopt other innovative measures to propagate and promote this significant initiative of Hon'ble Prime Minister towards reducing exam stress.

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- c. Ensure all creatives and directions are sent through email and social media to all your schools and educational administrators through your office and through schools to all parents/students.
 - d. Request your schools to use their own social media handles and #PPC2026 to disseminate the event, along with their own preparations for the event. Schools could make their own posters/creatives/ videos, etc. and post accordingly. The selected creatives/videos from among these shall also be exhibited on the MyGov platform.
 - e. Hold meetings with your Regional Offices within this week to ensure wide dissemination at all levels.
 - f. Prepare your own media plan for ensuring dissemination and participation.
 - g. Ensure maximum registration by students of schools under your administrative control – in the online MCQ competition being conducted at <https://innovateindia1.mygov.in> from **1th December, 2025 to 11th January, 2026** to avail the chance of being selected for this event.
 - h. *Issue instructions to carry out the selection process, underlining that the overall quota allotted to States/UTs in **Annexure-I** includes the quota for Autonomous Bodies.*
6. I would be grateful if an Action Taken Note along with media plan in this regard is shared by **5th December, 2025**. A State/UT/Board wise participation of PPC 2025 is enclosed for your ready reference.

Let us join hands in celebrating the Utsav of examinations, "Pariksha Pe Charcha 2026" as envisioned by our Hon'ble Prime Minister in order to make learning more joyful and meaningful for our future nation builders.

Best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Enclosure: as above


(Sanjay Kumar)

Director/Chairperson/Commissioner,
CBSE/KVS/NVS/NIOS and Other Autonomous Bodies.

Annexure-I

State and UT-wise quota of Questions (including Questions from Autonomous Bodies) is presented below:

Sl. No.	State/UT	Total questions
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	18
2.	Andhra Pradesh	56
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	18
4.	Assam	46
5.	Bihar	130
6.	Chandigarh	18
7.	Chhattisgarh	40
8.	Dadra & NH, Daman & Diu	18
9.	Delhi	50
10.	Goa	20
11.	Gujarat	84
12.	Haryana	40
13.	Himachal Pradesh	20
14.	Jammu And Kashmir	16
15.	Jharkhand	36
16.	Karnataka	84
17.	Kerala	56
18.	Ladakh	4
19.	Lakshadweep	18
20.	Madhya Pradesh	102
21.	Maharashtra	202
22.	Manipur	18
23.	Meghalaya	18
24.	Mizoram	18
25.	Nagaland	18
26.	Odisha	56
27.	Puducherry	18
28.	Punjab	52
29.	Rajasthan	120
30.	Sikkim	18
31.	Tamil Nadu	126
32.	Telangana	38
33.	Tripura	18
34.	Uttar Pradesh	350

Sl. No.	State/UT	Total questions
35	Uttarakhand	22
36	West Bengal	84
	Total	2050

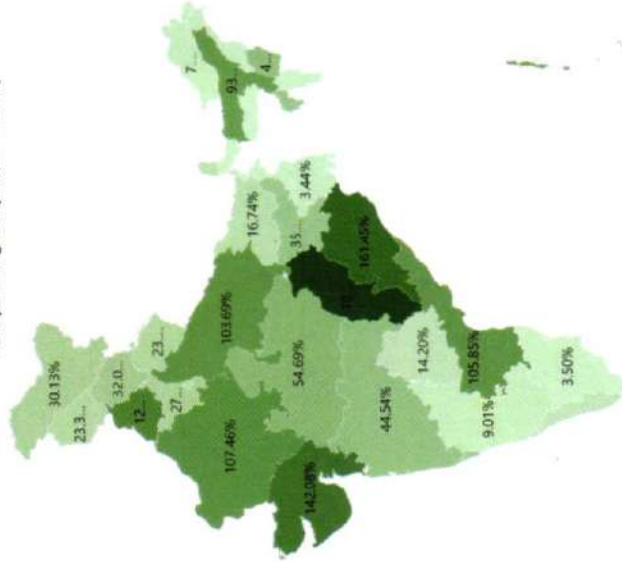
Representation of students, teachers and parents is as below:

S no.	Particular	Limit
1	Students	Not less than 80% of the allocated quota
2	Teachers	about 10% of the allocated quota
3	Parents	about 10% of the allocated quota

Final - Overall - Participation

S.No	Ministry / Department / AB	Students	Teachers	Parents	Total
1	CBSE-Government Schools	951767	65439	48843	1644149
2	CBSE-Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan	669343	26995	25050	643388
3	CBSE-All India Madrasah Education Board	194266	7543	4441	200160
4	CBSE-Private Schools	3427246	325770	159706	3903222
	CBSE - Sub Total	5157622	421147	231140	5819009
5	CBSE	80035	617	3571	9323
6	NIOS	4848	317	436	8601
7	Other International Board	21260	1312	1609	24181
8	State Boards	27651137	1586241	304250	28535628
	Total Boards	33049440	2039181	601279	35689790
9	Department of Atomic Energy School	24	24	224	273
10	Ministry of Education School	16233	776	1651	18660
11	Ministry of Education School	3685	304	333	4322
12	Ministry of Tribal Affairs - EMRI's Schools	59805	693	1161	61659
	Grand Total	33169978	2013428	654544	35787840

Participation Target Completion % - Heat Map



Final - Overall - State / UT wise Participation

S.No	State / UT	Students	Teachers	Parents	State Total	Target as per Student Enrollment		Target Completion
						Target	Enrollment	
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	39220	4859	30319	47268	40762	40762	96.19%
2	Andhra Pradesh	1933159	133229	49332	2109520	1826356	1826356	105.83%
3	Assam	12071	1448	200	13719	19737	19737	93.95%
4	Arunachal Pradesh	3052224	199738	24698	3278550	3393176	3393176	103.51%
5	Bihar	672211	93008	9081	774300	491190	491190	63.44%
6	Chhattisgarh	96919	7683	9784	114386	145190	145190	127.06%
7	Chandigarh	202884	14080	43979	221743	1129380	1129380	197.86%
8	Dadra And Nagar Haveli	36973	2939	2267	42179	70900	70900	62.44%
9	Goa	440263	32423	18440	491116	2578626	2578626	17.07%
10	Gujarat	14605	2265	849	17919	39972	39972	36.01%
11	Haryana	3385617	203982	40401	3650000	2982901	2982901	142.08%
12	Haryana	214522	24471	7400	246423	784890	784890	27.34%
13	Jammu and Kashmir	244481	22506	6460	273457	781941	781941	32.08%
14	Jammu And Kashmir	277739	66332	12866	356927	1190775	1190775	32.74%
15	Jharkhand	427283	31389	12716	461388	223219	223219	48.39%
16	Karnataka	207981	25141	9044	242166	635260	635260	14.75%
17	Kerala	123195	17174	624	140993	25675	25675	30.13%
18	Ladakh	737	228	66	1031	6197	6197	93.65%
19	Lakshadweep	55	4	1	60	5005204	5005204	54.69%
20	Madhya Pradesh	1687534	119468	20902	1827004	4735685	4735685	44.54%
21	Madhya Pradesh	210684	159730	69891	236594	3044695	3044695	41.89%
22	Madhya Pradesh	127534	159955	17995	145524	3984895	3984895	3.22%
23	Madhya Pradesh	5173	364	75	5612	135128	135128	15.49%
24	Mizoram	6678	538	292	7508	131059	131059	2.46%
25	Nagaland	4955	1050	270	6275	1036320	1036320	161.45%
26	Nagaland	1677867	119456	26569	1824892	21335	21335	1.18%
27	Odisha	879193	94892	36309	950394	727829	727829	120.69%
28	Odisha	3287123	260177	21794	3568094	3486170	3486170	107.46%
29	Punjab	12638	4321	657	13716	65443	65443	19.92%
30	Rajasthan	97389	10912	6892	115293	777286	777286	3.50%
31	Tamil Nadu	133702	14246	5225	153174	341664	341664	40.94%
32	Tamil Nadu	148543	16133	3108	167784	89718	89718	53.51%
33	Tripura	8677900	214786	85110	9003896	343112	343112	103.68%
34	Uttar Pradesh	298811	32132	4402	334345	1289205	1289205	23.53%
35	Uttar Pradesh	3289318	206727	64644	3556689	65100948	65100948	62.11%
36	West Bengal	33045940	2079800	851277	35668817	5100968	5100968	62.23%
	Total	33169978	2013428	654544	35787840			
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