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Government of India

Ministry of Education

Department of School Education & Literacy

D.O. No. 3/3/2025-SHVR

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मिडी: 14-10-25

Respected Sir/Ma'am,

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that the Swachh Evam Harit Vidyalaya Rating (SHVR) 2025-26 was launched on 29th July, 2025 by the Hon'ble Education Minister on the occasion of the celebration of the 5th-year of NEP 2020 at Akhil Bhartiya Shiksha Samagam (ABSS) 2025 at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. The SHVR, 2025 initiative is a revitalised, expanded and universal version of the earlier Swachh Vidyalaya Puraskar (SVP).

2. SHVR 2025-26 is designed as a mandatory programme for all schools having a UDISE code across the country, including Government, Government-aided, Private, Residential, Tribal, Minority, and centrally run schools (e.g., KVS, NVS) and CBSE-affiliated schools etc. It aims to empower schools to self-assess and improve across six key categories: Water, Toilets, Handwashing with Soap, Operation & Maintenance, Behaviour Change & Capacity Building and Mission LiFE activities.

3. The SHVR will be critical in creating a WASH & Mission Life data base for about 14.71 lakhs schools across the country including 10.13 lakh Government schools, covering approximately 1.01 crore teachers and 24.69 crore students. This will be a universal database which will serve as a repository for other departments and ministries for various analyses. On the basis of this database, state report cards will be generated on various parameters while the dashboard will be able to fetch districts report cards on the same parameters.

4. Online applications were invited from schools for participation on the SHVR portal and mobile app for participating in the Swachh Evam Harit Vidyalaya Rating (SHVR) 2025-26. The extended last date for the receipt of applications from schools is 15th October, 2025.

5. A series of orientation-cum-sensitizing workshops for 2025-26 have been organized at the national level by NCERT in collaboration with UNICEF in this regard. Further, the Department has conducted periodic progress review meetings with State/UT/Institution counterparts and consistently encourage them to maximise the outreach. As on date, 59.90 % of the target schools have participated in SHVR 2025 which is considerably lower than the vision of the Department.

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6. One of the leading factors identified for the above is the poor participation of private schools operating under the States/Union Territories. As on date, the private school participation stands at 33.33% as compared to 60.33% participation by government schools which may not be a desirable situation for us.

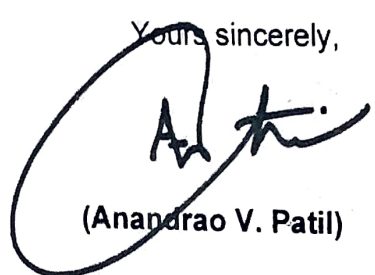
7 May I draw your kind attention to this important matter and request you to direct all schools affiliated to various Boards under your administrative control to achieve 100% participation by them in SHVR 2025-26 within the extended time limit i.e. by 15th October, 2025. In case any clarification is sought in this regard, the same may be sought from Shri Bhagwati Prasad Kalal, Director, Department of School Education & Literacy, 327-C, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi (Tele No. 011-23387153, e-mail Id: bp.kalal@ias.nic.in).

8. I earnestly look forward to your support and immediate intervention for the successful and timely implementation of SHVR 2025-26.

Encl.: As above

High Regards.

Yours sincerely,


(Anandrao V. Patil)

To

Additional Chief Secretary/Secretary/Principal Secretary/Commissioner (Education),
All States & Union Territories.



Prachi Pandey,
Joint Secretary (I&T)

D.O. No. 3-3/2025-SHVR

Dated 11th August, 2025

Respected Madam/Sir,

This is in continuation to this Department's D.O. letter of even number dated 5th August 2025 (copy enclosed) regarding participation in the Swachh Evam Harit Vidyalaya Rating (SHVR) 2025-26, which entails comprehensive details on the SHVR features, guidelines, website, along with all information regarding mobile and web application to enable digital participation, self-assessment, and monitoring.

2. As the participation in SHVR 2025-26 is mandatory for every school, each State/UT is requested to ensure that 100% schools from their State/UT shall submit the online application by 30th September, 2025. Following activities are paramount for smooth implementation of the SHVR 2025-26:-

- I. A national level capacity building workshop on SHVR is scheduled to be held at Rang Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi on 13th August, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM. It is requested to ensure the participation of a Nodal Officer nominated by States/ UTs along with one master trainer from your State/UT in this workshop.
- II. The Autonomous Bodies (CBSE, KVS, NVS etc.), M/o Tribal Affairs (EMRS-NESTS), M/o Defence (Sainik Schools etc.), AEES, Department of Atomic Energy, M/o Social Justice and Empowerment are also requested to ensure participation of their designated Nodal Officers alongwith one Master trainer in the national-level capacity building workshop.
- III. NCERT will organize a national level online training sessions on 8th and 11th August, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM for all the SCERT Directors of State/ UTs who will disseminate the information to their DIETs.
- IV. Following the training, the respective States/ UT administration are required to organize capacity building workshops for their respective functionaries in offline mode at state, district and block levels through a cascading approach.
- V. It is requested to please ensure that States/UTs complete their State-level capacity building training by **August 20, 2025** and District level and Block level by **August 25, 2025** in offline mode. For the supportive resources for the training, at state level, district level and block level in offline mode, States/UTs are requested to visit the "Support Resources" tab at the SHVR website <https://shvr.education.gov.in/>. The States/UTs may translate these resources to their regional language, if needed.
- VI. For the effective utilization of the available window to ensure 100% participation, it is suggested to kindly ensure that the list of District Nodal officers is ready by **August 12, 2025**, so that the State can ensure timely completion of the capacity building at State/UT and the district level.

3. States/ UTs are advised to involve the concerned Points of Contact (PoCs) from Regional Institutes of Education (RIEs) and UNICEF (wherever UNICEF is supporting the State) in the State/UT level capacity building workshops/ Orientation and implementation process. A list of key PoCs for each State/UT is attached at **Annexure-I**. For any query, please contact us at the toll-free number 8800-440-559 or email us at shvr.support@ciet.nic.in. The national-level contacts from NCERT and UNICEF are listed as below

- Prof. Amarendra P. Behera, Central Institute of Educational Technology (CIET), National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) New Delhi (email id- amarendra.behera@ciet.nic.in)

- Dr. Pratibha Singh, WASH Specialist, UNICEF, New Delhi (email id- prsingh@unicef.org)
- Dr. Jubilee Padmanabhan, (DESM), National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) New Delhi (email- jubileepadmanabhan@gmail.com)
- Dr. Jipsy Malhotra, (CIET), National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) New Delhi) (email jipsy.malhotra@ciet.nic.in)
- Mr. Ram Chandra Singh, National Consultant for Climate Resilient WASH in institutions, UNICEF, New Delhi (email id- rchander@unicef.org)

4. You are further requested to constitute a State/UT and District level committee for implementing SHVR as per the SHVR guidelines. It is also advised to identify suitable evaluators and use their services for verification at the District and State level plan for the evaluators as per the guidelines. NCERT would organize doubt- clearing sessions, as and when required, for the different stages of SHVR 2025.
5. I would be grateful if you could kindly issue instructions for wider publicity of SHVR, for dissemination and promotion of SHVR 2025-26 given at Annexure II. It is advised to issue instructions to display banners on the official websites of the State and UT Ministry /Departments/ Associated offices etc. (Open File for the banner, Infographics may be accessed at https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1NhulrH6hD_wL44RO2DJ6INPEOaiqITZx?usp=sharing). The link to the social media post for the SHVR may be accessed at https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1NhulrH6hD_wL44RO2DJ6INPEOaiqITZx?usp=sharing)
6. States may like to further customize these posts, in their own language or develop appropriate local infographics for their respective social media posts.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Prachi Pandey
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(Prachi Pandey)

To,

1. Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries (School Education) of all States/UTs.
2. Heads of Organizations (KVS, NVS, C.I.S.C.E., CBSE, Atomic Energy Education Society Under Deptt. Of Atomic Energy, Sainik Schools under Ministry of Defence, Eklavya Model Residential Schools under Ministry of Tribal Affairs).
3. Director, NCERT – for finalizing the modalities and logistics for organizing national level workshop before 14th August, 2025.

Copy to:

1. State Project Directors, Samagra Shiksha of all State/UTs.
2. Dr. Pratibha Singh, WASH Specialist, New Delhi, Nodal Point of Contact (NPC), to coordinate for 12 UNICEF presence States/UTs.
3. UNICEF, State level WASH and CCES Specialists/Programme Officers for 12 States (I. Assam, II. Bihar, III. Chhattisgarh, IV. Gujarat, V. Jharkhand, VI. Karnataka, VII. Madhya Pradesh, VIII. Maharashtra, IX. Odisha, X. Rajasthan, XI. Uttar Pradesh, and XII. West Bengal).
4. Principals of RIE-Ajmer/Bhopal/Bhubaneshwar/Mysore/NERIE Shillong & OSD Nellore along with all Heads of Departments/Divisions/Cells.
5. Directors of SCERTs of all States/UTs
6. SHVR 2025-26 Coordination Cell, CIET-NCERT