

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR, SCHOOL EDUCATION & STATE PROJECT
DIRECTOR, SAMAGRA SHIKSHA, TELANGANA, HYDERABAD
Present: Dr. E. Naveen Nicolas, I.A.S.,

Proc.Rc.No.832082(4035)/PMSHRI/TSS/Pdg/T6/2026

Date: 20.06.2026

Sub: PMSHRI Telangana, Hyderabad – 2026-2027 – Meeting of the Project Approval Board (PAB) held on 17th April 2026 to consider the Annual Work Plan and Budget (AWP&B) for the year 2026-27 – RAA - Formation of Maths Circle and Science Circles in 712 PMSHRI Schools – Sanction on budget - orders issued - Reg.

Ref: 1) PMSHRI PAB Minutes communicated in F.No.9-16/2024-IS. 19/SS.19 dt : 11.05.2026 of Ministry of Education Department of School Education & Literacy GoI New Delhi.
2) Govt. BRO No. 661, Finance – (EBS-IV) Department dt : 21.04.2026
3) Govt.Rt. No. 83 School Education (Prog.II) Dept., dt : 24.04.2026

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ORDER : -

In pursuance of the orders issued in the reference 1st to 3rd cited, sanction is hereby accorded for an amount of **71,20,000/- Rupees Seventy One Lakhs Twenty Thousand only** towards the formation of Maths Circles & Science Circles in 712 PM SHRI Schools @ Rs.5,000/- to each school during the year 2026-2027. The amount is sanctioned to the Principals / Head Masters and District Educational Officers in the State (in respective of schools which do not have DDO codes and Complex Head Masters (in respect of 29 Upper Primary schools) for implementation of the programme.

The following are the details of the budget approved in PAB AWP & B 2026-2027

Sub-Component	Activity	Sub-Activity	Physical	Unit Cost (in Rs.)	Amount (in Rs.)
RAA	Rashtriya				
Rashtriya	Avishkar		712	5000	35,60,000/-
Avishkar	Abhiyan	Maths Circles & Science Circles	712	5000	35,60,000/-
Abhiyan	(Class VI to XII)				

The Headmasters / Principals PM SHRI schools concerned and the District Educational Officers in respect of PM SHRI Schools not having separate DDO codes and complex Head master who are acting as DDOs shall utilize the funds stickily for the purpose for which they are sanctioned and shall adhere to the guidelines while incurring expenditure towards the implementation of the Programme.

The Headmasters / Principals and Complex Headmasters concerned shall be held personally responsible for proper utilization of funds, implementation and monitoring of the programme, maintenance of prescribed records and submission of utilization certificates with in the time lines prescribed by the department, duly complying with all financial rules, guidelines, and instructions issued from time to time.

Further, the 417 Headmasters/Principals (Annexure-I) having DDO code shall submit expenditure reports along with supporting documents such as invoices / GST bills within the stipulated time to the concerned Treasury.

In respect of 266 High Schools (Annexure-II) which do not have DDO Codes, the concerned District Educational Officers (DEOs) shall obtain all supporting documents from the respective PM SHRI School Headmasters / Principals and submit consolidated bills to the concerned District Treasury.

In respect of 29 Upper Primary Schools (Annexure-III) which do not have DDO Codes, the concerned Complex Headmasters who are acting as DDOs shall obtain all supporting documents from the respective PM SHRI School Headmasters and submit consolidated bills to the concerned District Treasury.

The State Finance Controller of this office is requested to make necessary arrangements for allocation of funds to the authorized SNA SPARSH accounts of the respective Headmasters/Principals (417 Schools) and District Educational Officers (266 Schools without DDO Codes) and Complex Headmasters (29 Upper Primary Schools) as per the Annexure enclosed, for a total amount of Rs.71,20,000/- **(Rupees Seventy One Lakhs Twenty Thousand only)**

The following are the details of Head of accounts

(Amount in Rupees)				
Name of Intervention	Category of Budget	Amount to be Released	Head of Account	Amount (Rs.)
RAA Rashtriya Avishkar Abhiyan (Class VI to XII) Maths Circle & Science Circle	Recurring Recurring	35,60,000/- 35,60,000/-	2202-01-001-15-07- 500-503	71,20,000/-
Total		71,20,000/-		71,20,000/-

The District wise budget distribution statement is enclosed here with.

The District Educational Officers, Principals / Head Masters and Complex Headmasters concerned shall ensure effective implementation of the Maths & Science Circle programme in all PMSHRI schools and submit consolidated reports, Photo graphs, Best Practices and utilization particulars to SPD office Telangana.

The guidelines shown in the annexure for formation of Maths & Circles shall be followed scrupulously without any deviation.

Encl : Annexure.

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Dr.E.Naveen Nicolas, IAS.,
State Project Director,
Samagra Shiksha, Telangana

To
All the Principals / Head Masters of 417 PM SHRI Schools
All the Principals / Head Masters of 266 PM SHRI Schools
All the Complex Headmasters concerned of 29 Upper Primary school
All the DEOs in the state for information and n/a.
The State Finance Controller of this office

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Annexure



Formation of Maths and Science Circles

Maths and Science Circles are small, focused student groups designed to promote curiosity, hands-on learning, and critical thinking through regular activities outside the textbook. These circles aim to strengthen students' conceptual understanding and develop a positive attitude toward Mathematics and Science.

• **Formation of Circles**

- Each school should form:
 - **3 Maths Circles** and
 - **3 Science Circles**
- Each circle should consist of:
 - **10–15 students** from mixed classes (preferably Classes VI to X)
 - **1 teacher mentor** per circle to guide and coordinate
 - Equal participation of boys and girls should be encouraged
- Members should be rotated every term to ensure wider participation.

♦ **Suggested Activities**

1. Maths Circle Activities

- Math puzzles and games
- Fun with numbers (patterns, Vedic maths, mental maths)
- Group problem-solving challenges
- Poster making or quiz on mathematical concepts
- Exploring real-life applications of geometry and measurement

2. Science Circle Activities

- Simple science experiments and demonstrations
- Nature walk and observation exercises
- Science model making or working models
- Discussion on recent scientific discoveries or innovations
- Science-based storytelling or skits

3. Celebration Days

- Organize special activities during:
 - **National Mathematics Day (Dec 22)**
 - **National Science Day (Feb 28)**
 - **Pi Day (March 14)** or any local science fair

4. Peer Learning and Presentations

- Students in each circle take turns leading sessions
- Presentation of learning or experiments during assembly or club period

5. Circle Showcase

- Each circle should document its work and display it on the **Maths & Science Wall**
- Schools may organize a **Circle Exhibition** once per term

✦ Suggested Budget – ₹5,000 per Circle

Item	Estimated Cost (₹)
Learning materials (charts, kits, props)	2,000
Supplies for activities (paper, colors, models)	1,000
Prizes or certificates for group challenges	1,000
Refreshments/logistics	500
Miscellaneous (printing, AV use, etc.)	500
Total per Circle	5,000

✦ Final Notes

- Ensure activities are conducted at least **once every 2 weeks** by each circle.
- Submit a brief report per term with 2 photographs and details of activities conducted.

ANNEXURE - I
RAA - Formation of Maths Circle and Science Circles in 712 PMSHRI Schools during the year 2026 - 2027

S. No	District Name	No. of Schools	Maths circles @rs.5000 to each school	science circles @ Rs.5000 to each school	General	Total Amount
1	ADILABAD	21	105000	105000	210000	210000
2	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	22	110000	110000	220000	220000
3	HANUMAKONDA	16	80000	80000	160000	160000
4	HYDERABAD	2	10000	10000	20000	20000
5	JAGITIAL	16	80000	80000	160000	160000
6	JANGAON	15	75000	75000	150000	150000
7	JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY	7	35000	35000	70000	70000
8	JOGULAMBA GADWAL	22	110000	110000	220000	220000
9	KAMAREDDY	27	135000	135000	270000	270000
10	KARIMNAGAR	20	100000	100000	200000	200000
11	KHAMMAM	26	130000	130000	260000	260000
12	KUMURAM BHEEM ASIFABAD	16	80000	80000	160000	160000
13	MAHABUBABAD	21	105000	105000	210000	210000
14	MAHABUBNAGAR	24	120000	120000	240000	240000
15	MANCHERIAL	22	110000	110000	220000	220000
16	MEDAK	29	145000	145000	290000	290000
17	MEDCHAL MALKAJGIRI	22	110000	110000	220000	220000
18	MULUGU	10	50000	50000	100000	100000
19	NAGARKURNOOL	24	120000	120000	240000	240000
20	NALGONDA	38	190000	190000	380000	380000
21	NARAYANPET	19	95000	95000	190000	190000
22	NIRMAL	19	95000	95000	190000	190000
23	NIZAMABAD	36	180000	180000	360000	360000
24	PEDDAPALLI	13	65000	65000	130000	130000
25	RAJANNA SIRCILLA	11	55000	55000	110000	110000
26	RANGA REDDY	37	185000	185000	370000	370000
27	SANGAREDDY	42	210000	210000	420000	420000
28	SIDDIPET	32	160000	160000	320000	320000
29	SURYAPET	24	120000	120000	240000	240000
30	VIKARABAD	27	135000	135000	270000	270000
31	WANAPARTHY	16	80000	80000	160000	160000
32	WARANGAL	14	70000	70000	140000	140000
33	YADADRI BHUVANAGIRI	22	110000	110000	220000	220000
Grand Total		712	3560000	3560000	7120000	7120000

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