



SKILL DEVELOPMENT MISSION

GOVERNMENT OF West Bengal

SKILL DEVELOPMENT ACTION PLAN

- Government of West Bengal has constituted a Skill Development Council under chairmanship of the Hon'ble Chief Minister.
- A Secretary Level Committee has also been constituted under the chairmanship of the Chief Secretary to implement the decisions of the Skill Development Council.

Accordingly, the Development & Planning Department, Govt. of West Bengal has set up a State Council on Skill Development on 14th Nov'2008

Members of the State Council on Skill Development are:

1.Chief Minister

- 2. MIC, Development & Planning
- 3. MIC, Finance Department
- 4. MIC, Higher Education Department
- 5. MIC, School Education Department
- 6. MIC, Technical Education Department
- 7. MIC, Commerce & Industries Department
- 8. MIC, Micro & Small Scale Enterprise & Textile Deptt.
- 9. MIC, Panchayat & Rural Development Department
- 10. MIC, Municipal Affairs Deptt./ Urban Development Deptt
- 11. MIC, Labour Department
- 12. Experts in the area of Skill Development
- 13. Chief Secretary Secretary

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Secretary Level Committee on Skill Development chaired by the CS has also been set up to implement the decisions of the State Council on 25th Nov'2008

Members of the Secretary Level Committee on Skill Development are: 1.Chief Secretary ...Chairperson

2. Principal Secretary, Finance Department	Member
3. Principal Secretary, School Education Department	Member
4. Principal Secretary, Commerce & Industries Department	Member
5. Principal Secretary, Micro & Small Scale Enterprise & Textile Deptt	Member
6. Principal Secretary, Panchayat & Rural Development Department	Member
7. Principal Secretary, Municipal Affairs Deptt	Member
8. Principal Secretary, Labour Department	Member
9. Principal Secretary, Food Processing Industries & HorticultureDeptt.	Member
10. Secretary Higher Education Department	Member
11. Secretary, Technical Education & Training Department	Member
12. Secretary, Information Technology Department	Member
13. Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department	Member
14. Principal secretary, development & Planning Deptt Principal Secretary Secretary	Member



- > Utilization of existing infrastructure.
- > Creation of New Infrastructure.
- Setting up of monitoring mechanism at District level.

Initiatives taken by the Line Departments of Government of West Bengal

- > Technical Education & Training Department.
- > Labour Department.
- » Micro & Small Scale Enterprises & Textile Department.
- > Panchayat &Rural Development Department.
- Food Processing & Horticulture Department.
- > Information & Technology Department.

INITIATIVE of TECHNICAL EDUCATION & TRAINING DEPARTMENT



Diploma Level

Present scenario

- 70 nos. Polytechnics with annual intake of 17185.
- Targets by 2016
- 40 new Polytechnics.
- Introducing 2nd shift.
- Introduction of PPP mode in Polytechnics.
- To bring the annual intake to 30000

INITIATIVE of TECHNICAL EDUCATION & TRAINING DEPARTMENT



• I.T.I Level

Present scenario

- 51 Govt. & Govt. aided ITIs and 42 private ITIs with annual intake of about <u>17216</u>.
- 322 registered VTPs are providing training in Modular employable scheme (MES) under SDIS.
- No. of persons tested under MES about <u>124000</u> till date.

Target by 2016

- 69 new ITIs with intake capacity <u>30000</u>.
- Upgradation of ITIs under scheme of "Centre of Excellence" with fund assistance from Govt. of India.
- Upgradation of ITIs under PPP mode where interest free loan upto Rs. 2.5 crore will be available from each ITI/ITC
- Setting up about 160 ITIs and 700 SDCs in PPP mode in the unserviced blocks under the scheme of Govt. of India (Training capacity for ITIs – <u>64,000</u> and for SDCs – <u>2,10,000</u>).

INITIATIVE of TECHNICAL EDUCAT

Vocational Education and Training programme: <u>Present scenario</u>:

• VIII + and X+ 2 level combined intake capacity-213000 at 3500 VTCs

Target by 2016

• Total intake would be 325000

TECHNICAL EDUCATION & TRAINING DEPARTMENT

Level-wise institutions	Number	Annual Intake
Degree Engg./Tech. Institutes (4 years)	73	20000
Polytechnics (3 years)	70	17185
ITI/ITC (1year/2year)	93	17216
Vocational Education & Training	3500	213000
STVT Centre (6 months)	139	6900
Craft Training Institutions	2	60
VTP (Under MES-SDIS)	322	60000

Initiatives of Labour Department

- Providing skill upgradation training to the predeparture emigrant trainees.
- Providing 50% fund assistance to the registered job seekers participating in vocational training.
- > Organizing mock test for various competitive examinations.
- > Arranging vocational guidance/counseling programme for assessment of job seekers ability to avail of the opportunities in employment market.

Initiatives of Micro & Small Scale Enterprises and Textile Department

- I0185 nos of sericulturists have been trained up for skill upgradation in plantation, rearing & reeling activities in the last FY.
- > 275 micro & small entrepreneurs have been trained for skill development in the last FY.
- Providing skill upgradation training for Lac cultivators, coir cultivators, bee keepers etc.
- > Arranged advanced skill training for 42 handicraft artisans in last FY.
- EDP Programmes have been arranged for 1830 enterprenuers in last FY.
- > About Rs. 1.32 crore has been spent for skill development in the last FY.

Initiatives of Panchyat & Rural Development Department



> Skill training in:

- Animal Resource Development in Dairy, Piggery, Goatery, Duckery, Poultry etc.
- Horticulture, floriculture, vermicompost and other biomanure preparation.
- Apiary collection or processing of other forest products.
- Food processing inclduing spice making.
- Making items from leather, horns and other animal products.
- Pottery, shoe making, bamboo/ cane product, mat, pati making.
- Weaving, embroidery and garment making, jeweller making etc.

Initiatives of Food Processing & Horticulture: Department

- Skill Development training through different schemes like National Horticulture Mission, ASIDE,RIDF etc.
- > 3years Diploma Courses are offered in two Govt. Polytechnics.
- Skill training on pre & post harvest management, horticulture farmers, pre sowing techniques for potatoes, high density cultivation of pineapples, organic farming in mango orchards, litchi orchards organic farming of vegetables.
- Skill training in production of exotic vegetables like broccoli, capsicum etc.

Initiatives of Information & Technology Department



- Skill demand potential on hardware sector has enriched by the Semiconductor Policy of Gol.
- > One academic council is monitoring the syllabus & training for the manpower requirement of IT industries.
- Incubation centres in different districts have been set up to attract new ventures.
- Finishing school has been set up to make the fresh engineers industry-ready.

Suggested Action for Skill development



- Synergy among different Line Departments providing Skill Training.
- Identifying skill deficit areas & Skill Mapping.
- > Active participation of the Industry houses in Skill training.
- Increasing Public & private training institutes.
- Synergizing the school curriculum with vocational training.
- Keeping track of the trainees finding employment.



THANK YOU

Government of West Bengal Technical Education & Training Department