U-DISE 2014-15

For monitoring activities of Government’s flagship programme, namely Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) & Rastriya Madhyamic Abhiyan (RMSA) a computerized management information system, namely U-DISE with school as the unit of data collection and district as the unit of data dissemination has been successfully developed jointly by the National University of Educational Planning and Administration (NUEPA), Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of HRD, Government of India and UNICEF which is under implementation in all the 662 districts spread over 36 States and UTs of the country.

As a part of 2014-15 annual collection, data will be recorded on 30th September 2014. States are advised to observe U-DISE Fortnight, preferably during the period 25th September-09th October, 2014 across the country. U-DISE day will celebrate on 30th September 2014 across the Country. In each state, data will be collected by SSA & RMSA Implementation Societies through Cluster Resource Centre and Block Resource Centre Coordinators and other SSA and RMSA officers working at different levels. All the schools and madarsas imparting formal education including Secondary and Higher Secondary schools across the country are expected to be covered during the Annual School Census: 2014-15. DISE Data Capture Format has been slightly modified to meet the requirements of all schools imparting school education.

DISE software developed by NUEPA is being used successfully across the country both at the State and District levels. A few states, have decentralized data entry even to the block level. U-DISE software is time-tested, error-free, user friendly and menu-driven software which has no scope for data manipulation and is developed in-house at NUEPA, New Delhi. Like last year,
Data Entry of DISE 2014-15, including Secondary and Higher Secondary schools shall take place in the Office of District/Block SSA with the help of RMSA Officials.

Under the U-DISE, Management Information System Units both at the district and state levels have been established with adequate number of computer professionals and Hardware and Software. U-DISE has completely reduced the time-lag in availability of educational statistics in case of elementary level of education from 7-8 year to less than a year at the National and only a few months at the State and District levels and there are no more data-gaps. Comprehensive data is now available at all levels, such as, school, cluster, block, district, state and national levels in ready to use form. District and State Report Cards as well as DISE Flash Statistics and Analytical Tables are being brought out by NUEPA annually and are also made available at http://www.dise.in for the last more than nine years. District Education Plans under SSA & RMSA across the country are primarily formulated based on the U-DISE data.

Special efforts are being made for further improving the Quality and Coverage of U-DISE data during 2014-15 data collection.

(i) All the States/UTs to print the U-DCF 2014-15 from the DISE software.
(ii) Before DCF is printed, identify and initialize schools which were not covered under DISE: 2013-14. Update School Directory w.r.t to up-gradation of schools, closed schools, merged schools etc. Please ensure that DCF also reaches to degree colleges having classes XI & XII during 2014-15 data collection. Please also see list of missing schools reported by users available at http://www.schoolreportcards.in.
(iii) Observe DISE Week/Fortnight so that data from across the state is collected during the said period. It is also proposed to observe September 30th, 2014 as DISE-day with focus on data sharing, dissemination, poster-competition, address by SPD and DPC, reward to MIS officers for outstanding work etc.
(iv) To share Data Capture Format: 2014-15 and other related issues, organize orientation programmes at cluster, block, district and state levels.
(v) Special drives may be initiated (advertisement in local newspapers, through SMS, FM Radio etc.) to ensure data collection from all the schools imparting school education including private unaided schools.
(vi) Officers of the mainstream departments (Directorate of Education, Directorate of Economics & Statistics etc) responsible for educational statistics may also be involved in U-DISE 2014-15 at all levels.
(vii) Please ensure 100 percent checking of filled-in DCF at CRC level, 20 percent at block and 10 percent at district level. MIS Coordinators to ensure use of ‘Consistency Module’ provided in the software and remove all inconsistencies in data, if any with the help of BRC and CRC Coordinators and school HMs/Principal/Respondents.
(viii) Like in previous year, ‘data-entry’ will be handled by the MIS Coordinators of SSA. RMSA MIS Coordinator may be requested to be present with the SSA MIS Coordinator at the time of consistency-check of data in case of Secondary & Higher Secondary schools/sections and also whenever their presence is required.

(ix) After data-entry is over, MIS Coordinators will ensure that School Report Cards are printed from the software and the same is sent back to schools for verification. After verification, the same will reach back to data entry point for necessary corrections.

(x) SSA MIS Coordinator will ensure that final database (dmp file) of UDISE 2014-15 is shared with RMSA Officer with printed reports. RMSA Officers are advised to install U-DISE Software so that they can also generate required reports at their own end.

(xi) Final School Report Cards are to be sent to all schools for display at prominent location in school which may also be discussed with Schools HM and others by the CRC Coordinator. RMSA MIS Officer will ensure that the printed School Report Cards reach all Secondary & Higher Secondary schools/sections. Both SSA and RMSA Officers will ensure sharing of data at block, district and state levels for which they may like to jointly organize data sharing workshops.

(xii) States will identify agency for random sample checking of U-DISE: 2014-15 data and shall share the findings with all concerned and send hard & soft copies to NUEPA.

School Report Cards

School Report Cards (elementary level) for last nine years i.e. 2005-06 to 2013-14 and Secondary report cards (English) for 2010-11 to 2013-14 is available at [http://www.schoolreportcards.in](http://www.schoolreportcards.in).

Related Links:

- Observing U-DISE Day : 30th September 2014
- 5% Random sample Checking Format
- Mandatory Certificate for Submission of U-DISE 2014-15 Data
- Data Capture Format
- Time Schedule, U-DISE 2014-15
- U-DISE 2014-15, Guidelines for filling-up Data Capture Format
- U-DISE Software
- Letter Regarding Launching of U-DISE Data Collection