

TELANGANA GOVERNMENT

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(PR&RD)

DEPARTMENT-WISE PROGRESS REPORT

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN LAST 11 MONTHS IN PR&RD

Panchayat Raj: The Government launched **SWACHHADANAM - PACHHADANAM** Programme to improve the living standards of the people living in villages by ensuring cleanliness and greenery in the villages coupled with the enhancement of livelihood opportunities. It was implemented in all Gram Panchayats in the State. So far two rounds of **Swachhadanam - Pachhadanam** programme were successfully conducted.



Swachhadanam-Pachhadanam – cleaning – Baddu Tanda GP, M
Thurkanallv Mandal, Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District

All roads, drains and public institutions were cleaned and mosquito prevention measures like fogging, spraying of anti-larval chemicals, observing Friday as Dry day were taken-up. All drinking water sources were also cleaned. Dog survey was conducted in all Gram Panchayats and 3,36,344 dogs were identified for sterilisation.



Swachhadanam-Pachhadanam – Yadgarpally GP, Miryalaguda Mandal,
Nalgonda district

During this programme 2,60,21,000 saplings were distributed to households under homestead plantation and all the saplings were planted. Medical tests were conducted for 1,84,650 multipurpose workers and their family members in second round of Swachhadanam-Pachhadanam to improve the health standards. All these activities shall be continued on sustained basis



Swachhadanam-Pachhadanam CRD Officials
participated in plantation at Abdullapurmet GP &
Mandal, Rangareddy District



Homestead Plants distribution at Dowdapally and
Suraram in Luxettipet Mandal of Mancherial District

MGNREGS : Mahatma Gandhi NREGS is being implemented to enhance livelihood security in rural areas by providing 100 days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year to every household whose adult member is volunteer to do unskilled manual works and also creation of productive and durable assets.

Mahatma Gandhi NREGS is in implementation in 12769 Gram Panchayats covering 540 rural mandals in 32 districts.

Wage employment is provided to 40.1 lakh wage seekers belonging to 25.4 lakh households. 13.67 Crore person days were generated to the rural households during the period and Rs. 2835.37 Crores paid as wages directly to the wage seekers accounts for the work done during the period.



Grampanchayat Building, Kyatanpalle GP, Damaragindda Mandal, Narayanpet District

Further, an amount of Rs. 746.55 Crores incurred as material expenditure for execution of material intensive works like CC roads, GP buildings, Anganwadi centers etc.,

During the period, desilting of traditional water bodies and its renovation works are being taken up in 26231 tanks across the State with an expenditure of Rs. 846 Crores during the period for improving the water holding capacity of the tanks. Similarly, 52,097 works related to desilting of field and feeder channels were taken up with Rs. 460 Crores expenditure for ensuring water supply to the tank through feeder channels and by improving supply of water to the tail end beneficiaries of the tank through field channels.



Cement Concrete Road- Enkoor Mandal, Khammam District

For water conservation, 16361 works like Percolation tanks, staggered trenches were taken up in the villages with an expenditure of Rs. 289.4 Crores. Land development of

vulnerable SC / STs and Small and marginal farmers were taken up for ensuring livelihood security by incurring an expenditure of Rs. 282.2 Crores through 61,643 works.

Rural infrastructure works like CC roads, GP buildings and Anganwadi Centers are being taken up in the villages to ensure basic infrastructure for improving quality of life in the villages.



Farm pond, Cherukupalli GP of Sathupalli Mandal Khammam District

71580 roads to agriculture fields and CC roads works taken up with expenditure of Rs. 487.3 Crores, 13310 buildings taken up with an expenditure of Rs. 129 Crores and for improving rural sanitation, 43075 soak pits taken up with Rs. 62.6 Crores expenditure.

Vana Mahotsavam Programme:

The Government has launched the Vana Mahotsvam Programme i.e. Massive Plantation Programme in 2024-25 to increase the Green Cover in the state and also ensures livelihood through horticulture and other plantations like Eetha and Thati. Under the programme, seedlings are raised as per the requirement of the Gram Panchayat for the next year planting season and various individual and community plantations are taken up in the village.



Eetha plantation- Siddipet dist Raipole Mandal Anajipoor GP

During the year, against the Government allocation of 6.55 Cr. seedlings to be planted by the PR & RD Dept, 6.99 Cr seedlings were planted with an achievement of **107%** under MGNREGS. Different plantations like Community Plantations, Institutional Plantations, Tank Bund Plantations, Road side /Avenue Plantations, Tank Fore shore area plantations, Canal bund Plantations, Haritha Vanalu under **Non-Beneficiary** category was planted. Similarly, under **Beneficiary Plantations** category, Horticulture (Mango, Sweet Lime etc.),

Teak Bund Plantations, Block Plantations, Pulp wood Plantations, Eetha Plantations, Malabar Neem Plantations, Mulberry Bush Plantations were planted.

Horticulture Plantation Programme under MGNREGS

For ensuring livelihood security and providing a sustainable source of income to the vulnerable sections especially, SC, ST, Small and Marginal farmers, Horticulture plantation programme under MGNREGS is being taken up by creating productive assets.



Drum stick plantation- Putani thanda GP of Raghunadapalem Mandal, Khammam District

Assistance is being given to the beneficiaries for various activities like soil sampling charges, cost of pitting, cost of planting & staking, cost of plant material; cost of inputs including maintenance charges for raising of plantations.

Perennial fruit crops like Mango, Acid lime, Sweet orange, Custard apple, Guava, Dragon fruit, Sapota, Cashew, Oil palm, Coconut, Karonda, Apple ber, Pomegranate and Drum stick are being planted in the fields as per the requirement from the beneficiaries. During the year 2024-25, an area of **13063 acres of** horticulture plantations have been raised benefitting **7306** no. of small and marginal farmers.



Dragon Fruit plantation- Pudugurthi GP, Pudur Mandal, Vikarabad District

PMKSY – Watershed Component: The Department of Land Resources (DoLR), MoRD, GoI have sanctioned 35 Watershed Development Projects covering in area of 1,46,686 ha., with a total cost of Rs. 368.07 Cr., covering 248 Gram Panchayats in 21 districts of Telangana.



Percolation Tank, Varni Project, Mallaram MWS,

The objective of this programme is to enhance agricultural production & productivity through scientific approach & sustainable agriculture practices, integrated livestock management for increasing incomes and ensuring Livelihood security for the poorest of the rural poor. 505 Water Harvesting & Soil Moisture (SMC) structures were constructed with an expenditure of Rs. 10.87 Cr. An area of 1,789 ha., is converted into Productive Irrigation benefitting 2082 farmers.



Check Dam, Yellaipally GP, Allipur MWS, Siddipet



Rock Fill Dam

Achievements of State Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen) (since 07-12-2023)

- i. An amount of Rs.20.99 crs. released to 18,812 beneficiaries towards incentive of IHHLs amount.
- ii. Under Swachhadanam – Pachhadanam, 1,56,76,586 people participated in Mass Cleanliness Drives (like Shramadaan, Door to Door awareness, Gram Sabhas, etc.).
- iii. Conducted health camps for Multipurpose workers and their family members through the State and 184650 are benefitted.



Hon'ble Minister, PR&RD, RWS and WCD participated in Plantation activity



Hon'ble Minister, PR&RD, RWS and WCD participated in Mass Cleanliness drives activity



Hon'ble Minister, PR&RD, RWS and WCD participated in Health camps to Multipurpose workers and their members

PANCHAYAT RAJ ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Significant progress has been made by the Panchayati Raj Engineering Department since formation of our people's government of Telangana. Various types of works mentioned below have been undertaken in the Panchayati Raj Engineering Department.

Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY): In the past few years, contractors have faced many difficulties due to non-receipt of payments for completed works. Immediately after formation our new government, Rs.347.64 crs were released to clear pending bills. As a result, many halted works are brought back into progress.

Pradhan Mantri Janjati Adivaasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan (PM JANMAN): Under the PM JANMAN scheme, with the intention of connecting the tribals who live far from mainstream society, proposals worth Rs.66.85 crs have been approved for 25 roads covering 66.98 kilo meters, connecting 28 PVTG (Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group) habitations. These proposals have been cleared by the central government. The works will commence soon.

Construction of Rural Roads (CRR): The up gradation of existing rural roads and providing of connectivity to unconnected habitations is taken up under Construction of Rural roads program. The Government accorded permission to ground the not started works of 417 numbers to a length of 813.74 Km with an estimate cost of Rs.688.64 crs and the administrative sanction accorded for new works of 931 numbers to a length of 1983.36 Km with an estimate cost of Rs.2220.53 crs. The total approval given for program under CRR grant is Rs.3789.63 crs.

Maintenance Rural Roads (MRR): The maintenance of all rural roads is taken up under MRR grant. The Government accorded permission to ground the not started works of 194 numbers to a length of 510.85 Km with an estimate cost of Rs.190.01 crs and the administrative sanction accorded for new works of 119 numbers to a length of 367.31 Km with an estimate cost of Rs.181.94 crs. The total approval given for programme under MRR is Rs. 1879.57 crs.

Flood Damage Repairs (FDR): With the aim of prioritizing the repair of rural roads damaged due to natural calamities, orders have been issued to commence and complete all works under the FDR grant (728 works with an estimated value of 544.83 crs). All these

works are currently in progress. The sanction of proposals for repairs to the damages occurred during the recent floods is also under process.

Sammakka Sarakka Jatara Works: The Medaram Jatara in Telangana state, renowned as the South Kumbh Mela, in order to facilitate the devotees visiting the event, 157 works were successfully undertaken and completed in February with an expenditure of 15.45 crs, aimed at the development of the temple surroundings. These works were carried out successfully shortly after the new government was formed.

Zilla Mahila Samakhya Buildings: Mahila Samakhya Programme was launched with an objective for educating and empowerment of women in rural areas particularly of women from socially and economically marginalized groups. Under this programme **Zilla Mahila Samakhya Buildings** have been proposed at 22 locations at the head quarters of newly formed districts to carry out Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP) activities benefitting self help groups across Telangana.

Night Bazar under Mahila Shakthi Scheme: The government has sanctioned Rs.900.00 lakhs to develop Night Bazar under Mahila Shakthi Scheme besides Shilparamam - Hitech city, Hyderabad. The main aim of this concept is to create a common facility to sell the products of Rural Self Groups, so as to transform lives of families/villages of Rural Self Help Groups under Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP). The government have taken steps to launch this Night Bazar on 05.12.2024 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

Mission Bhagiratha Department Achievements

• Summer management- 2024:

- All necessary efforts were made in advance during Feb'2024 itself anticipating hot summer and severe heat wave, which resulted in reducing the criticality. Critical sources were identified in advance and daily monitored the water levels in the reservoirs. Accordingly Water is released to reservoirs and emergency arrangement were also made thereby the criticality is totally reduced.
- With constant persuasion from our Government, Karnataka Government has released 2 TMC of Water from Narayanapur Dam to Jurala reservoir.
- Due to non finalization of intra O&M policy by the previous Government, repairs to existing Village infrastructure such as Hand Pumps, Single Phase Pumps, PWS scheme Pumpsets, Open wells was not taken up and kept idle since a decade. The present Government during Feb'2024 brought Operation and Maintenance of Intra Village water supply system under the purview of Gram Panchayats. Existing Village infrastructure i.e., 64218 hand pumps , 45882 single phase motors & 32517 PWS scheme motors are made functional.
- Works costing Rs 213.85 Crores sanctioned under SDF, GP & Contingent Grant to tackle the summer. 3 Spare Pump sets (5 HP, 3HP &1HP) procured for each Sub Division (108 Sub divisions) thereby not affecting the Drinking Water supply even for a single day.



**Hand pump Repair at Rajaka Bazar
of kothapeta , Bayyaram(M)**



**Hand pump repair at vilochavaram ,
Manthani(M)**



**Flushing and Repair of
Borewell Works at
Bhadradi District**

Flood Damages- Restoration of drinking water supply on war footing:

- The prolonged high intensity rain fall during Aug- Sep'2024 triggered floods in multiple locations causing extensive loss and damage to drinking water infrastructure in 21 districts effecting potable supply to 6022 habitations.
- The major damages include ,
 - Pipeline damaged : 11340 Rmt (11.340 Kms) in 144 locations
 - Pump sets / Electrical equipment effected locations : 12
- In the majority of the locations, the drinking water pipeline / Concrete Pedestals supporting pipeline was washed away in the stream and nala portions. Also some of the pumping stations/ Electrical sub stations / Water treatment plants were inundated in the flood waters.
- Potable water supply was restored in most of the effected habitations , within 2-3 days duly taking immediate measures on war footing basis.

‘Grama Manchineeti Sahayakudu’ Trainings:

- Waterman / local person in each Gram Panchayath was identified as ‘Grama Manchineeti Sahayakudu’ and Mandal level 4 Days training imparted on Handpump repairs, Single phase/ three phase motor repairs, pipeline & household tap connection leakage repairs and Awareness on Water quality surveillane.
- These trainings equipped the waterman / local persons with comprehensive set of skills and these Grama Manchineeti Sahayakudu will be able to carryout minor repairs and maintenance including preventive maintenance of the schemes in their villages.



Mahabubnagar(M) of Mahabubnagar (D)

- **New Works sanctioned: The following works are sanctioned to a tune of Rs 298.92 crores**
 - Rs.25.52 Crores sanctioned for revival of (8) old CPWS schemes in Jagitial & Madhira constituencies.
 - Rs.60.00 Crores sanctioned for Adilabad district to augment for continuous supply of drinking water to 975 habitations in Tribal areas of Utnoor.
 - Rs.210.00 Crores sanctioned to complete the Balance work for Jangoan, Gajwel, Medchal, Alair & Bhongir Segments.
 - Rs.3.40 Crores sanctioned for drinking water supply for rehabilitation colonies of Husnabad & Akkannapet Mandals of Siddipet district.

SOCIETY FOR ELIMINATION OF RURAL POVERTY (SERP) ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE PAST ONE YEAR

The Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty (SERP) is an autonomous society of the Department of Rural Development, Government of Telangana and registered under Public Societies Act in the year 2000 to extend its services to Rural areas in the State of Telangana. The disadvantaged communities shall be empowered to overcome all social, economic, cultural and psychological barriers through self-managed organizations. They will attain higher productivity with improved skills and asset base and utilize resources to full potential and gainful access to services. Mission of SERP is to enable the disadvantaged communities to perceive possibilities for change and bring about desired change by exercising informed choices through collective action.

SERP has a sensitive supportive structure to facilitate social mobilization of rural poor women in 32 rural districts. It works by building and nurturing Self-Help Groups (SHGs) of women and their federations. SERP works on a comprehensive multi-dimensional poverty alleviation strategy by focusing on Building strong / sustainable institutions for the poor, Financial Access - Leveraging resources through commercial banks, Livelihood value chain - sustainable and diversified livelihoods, Human Development value chain, and accessing social safety nets and entitlements.

At present, there are 46.61 lakh SHG members in the state in 4.37 lakh SHGs organized into 18,000 Village Organizations, 553 Mandal Samakhyas (MSs) and 32 ZillaSamakhyas (ZSs). This network of Community Based Organizations (CBOs) helped leverage and promote financial inclusion, which was then expanded to include land-based livelihoods, skills training, livelihoods support, access to Government Programs, and initiatives to improve health and education outcomes.

Below is a list of achievements by SERP in the last one year.

A) INDIRA MAHILA SHAKTI BHAVANS

As part of the Mahila Shakti Programme, Government of Telangana has decided to construct 22 Indira Mahila Shakti Bhavans for 22 Zilla Samakhyas with an outlay of Rs. 110 Crore. The building will be having 2 floors across an area of 15,000 Sq. ft. under SPEED Initiative. The building will be utilized for ZS meetings, marketing of SHG products, as training centre, common work shed, conduct of exhibitions, SARAS Melas and other livelihood /economic activities. In this regard, Government of Telangana has issued G.O.Rt.No.734 on 16th November 2024. District Collectors have allocated 1 acre each for the Zilla Samakhyas from their respective districts.

Total funds proposed for each building is Rs.5.00 Cr. The foundation for the buildings has been laid down on Nov19th 2024.



B) UNIFORM STITCHING ACTIVITY BY SHG WOMEN TAILORS

The Government of Telangana has entrusted the school uniform stitching activity to SHG women tailors. This program empowers members of women Self-Help Groups (SHGs) by providing them with skill development, equipment, and market linkages to generate sustainable income.

The "Hub & Spoke" model was introduced to ensure efficiency and sustainability. At the district level, Zilla Samakhya centers served as hubs, cutting bulk fabric received from the School Education Department into mandal-specific pieces. These pre-cut fabrics were sent to mandal hubs, which were equipped with cutting tables, stitching machines, and ironing facilities to prepare school-specific uniform kits. SHG women tailors, working either at Mahila Shakti Stitching Centers or from their homes,



stitched the uniforms. The completed uniforms were then returned to the hubs for final processes, such as button stitching and ironing, before being delivered to the Mandal Education Officers.

For the first time in history, around 29 lakhs of uniforms were stitched and delivered to students of government schools and other welfare department run educational institutions. Government enhanced the stitching charges to Rs.75 from Rs,50 of previous year.



C) INDIRA MAHILA SHAKTI BAZAR INITIATIVE

The Telangana Government has allocated a 106-shop shopping complex at Shilparamam, Madhapur, Hyderabad, under the Mahila Shakti Policy to support and promote women SHG entrepreneurs. Strategically located near the IT hub, the complex offers excellent marketing opportunities by connecting rural producers with urban and international customers.

These shops at the Night Bazaar in Shilparamam are being renovated at a cost of Rs. 9 crore and will be inaugurated on December 5, 2024.

Shops will be allocated on a rotational basis to ensure equitable access for all women SHGs, providing a platform to showcase products and gain exposure to urban consumer preferences. The complex will also feature a food court and stalls for government agencies and organizations promoting handicrafts and handlooms. Regular events like festivals and melas will enhance visibility and attract diverse audiences. The initiative bridges the gap between rural producers and urban consumers, enabling SHG women to secure fair prices for their products. Beyond

enhancing household incomes, it enhances confidence, entrepreneurial skills, and active participation of women in the economic ecosystem. Additionally, it aids in preserving local crafts and traditions, creating a positive ripple effect across rural communities.



D) BANK LINKAGE

The objective of SHG Bank Linkage is to facilitate the poor including disadvantaged groups and communities to access institutional credit facility, seamlessly, from the banks to improve their Livelihoods.

- FY 2023-24: SHG Bank linkage has reached its peak during 2023-24. Banks have disbursed loans to the tune of 15,453.19 crore to 2,65,213 SHGs.
- FY 2024-25: As against target of 20,000.39, Banks in the state have disbursed 12,070.89 crore to 1,75,820 SHGs (forming 60% of the annual target).
- After formation of the present Government in December'2023, 21,466.00 crore Bank Loans have been arranged to SHGs till date.



E) MICRO ENTERPRISE FINANCING

2,01,857 Micro enterprises are supported with financing with an amount of Rs. 3,644 Crores in the last one year.



F) INDIRA MAHILA SHAKTI CANTEENS

This initiative of Telangana Government to setup community-based canteens to empower SHG women in rural and urban areas. These canteens will be entirely women-owned and operated, where quality, hygienic, and delicious home-style meals are served to citizens visiting various institutions like Secretariat, Collectorates (IDOC), Registration Offices, Municipal Offices, Courts, Colleges, Hospitals, Temples & Tourism Spots, Industrial Parks, etc. SHG members are typically from the community they serve and this gives them a deep understanding of local tastes, dietary needs, and preferences.

36 Indira Mahila Shakti Canteens are being run by SHG groups at Integrated Collectorate Complexes and tourist hotspots. A total of 150 canteens will be inaugurated by the end of the year.





G) SOLAR POWER PLANTS

Under Indira Mahila Shakti Scheme, Our SHG women will be venturing into Solar power plants which will be set up in all Districts. An MOU was entered between SERP, TGREDCO, TGSPDCL and TGNPDCL on 19th November, 2024 for establishment of solar power plants across the State through SHGs or their Federations.

The integration of SHGs and VOs in setting up solar plants will foster economic empowerment for women, creating long term financial stability while also supporting the State's energy and environmental goals. Through this project, Telangana intends to generate 4,000 MW of solar power, improving energy security, livelihoods, and contributing to India's non-fossil fuel targets by 2030.



H) RTC buses for SHG women

Our SHG women will be owning RTC buses soon under Indira Mahila Shakti scheme. SERP is introducing a new scheme to enable Mandal Mahila Samakhyas to purchase buses for rental to TGSRTC. Objective of the scheme is to improve rural transportation and create income opportunities for SHG members. An MoU has been executed between SERP and TGSRTC on 19th November, 2024.

STREENIDHI

Stree Nidhi - Progress in implementation of activities from 09th December 2023 to 28th November 2024.

Stree Nidhi an Apex Society established by the State Government jointly with the Federations of SHGs in rural and urban areas, with an objective to provide affordable credit and other financial services to the members of the SHGs in the State. The progress achieved from 9th Dec 2023 to 28th Nov 2024 is as follows:

1. **Credit disbursement:** During the period from 9th Dec 2023 to 28th Nov 2024, Stree Nidhi extended credit to 2,22,429 members of 64,339 SHGs to the tune of Rs.2022 cr.
2. **Financing under Mahila Shakthi:** The following schemes are being financed under Mahila Shakthi.

- i. **Financing for Dairy Animals:** Till now 1012 SHG members have been financed to the tune of Rs.9.44 cr.



- ii. **Backyard poultry:** So far 1398 SHG members are financed Rs.3.04 cr. for Backyard poultry units.



- iii. **Mother Units:** 63 members were financed Rs.1.89 cr. for establishment of Mother birds units.

- iv. **Financing for Solar roof tops:**

64 SHG member were financed for installation of solar roof tops to the tune of Rs.1.00 cr. under Net Metering System.



- v. **Financial support to income generating**

livelihood activities: Stree Nidhi has extended credit to the tune of Rs.1993 cr. to 2,15,446 members of SHGs for taking up various livelihood activities during the period for different activities in erstwhile Warangal district.

Implementation of Loan Bheema and Pramada Bheema:



Stree Nidhi is implementing two schemes namely Loan Bheema and Pramada Bheema for the members of SHGs in the State. Till now, 2276 claims under loan Bheema and 192 under Pramada Bheema received and will be settled by paying an amount of Rs.20.24 cr. and Rs.19.15 cr. respectively.

- 3. Financial Assistance to the members rehabilitated under Musi River Front Development:** Till now, 150 members are identified to extend financial assistance to the tune of Rs.3.00 Crs and of which Rs.2.10 Crs was from Government.

TELANGANA INSTITUTE OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (TGIRD)

Telangana Institute of Rural Development caters the training needs of Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Elected Representatives and Functionaries. The organization was established in April 1954. This Institute conducts the trainings through 12 Centres.



During the past one year i.e. December 2023 to November 2023, this Institute conducted trainings to CEO,ZPPs, DPOs, MPDOs, MPOs, Panchayat Secretaries, Ayush Doctors, Assistant Engineers (MB), SHG Members. During last year 13275 Participants undergone training.

TGIRD has organized Exposure Visits to Representatives of Maharashtra, Odisha Elected Representatives and Functionaries on different development activities and implementation of Government Schemes.



SRTRI-STATE LEVEL SKILL DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE:

THE GENESIS: Swamy Ramananda Tirtha Rural Institute (SRTRI) was set by the erstwhile Government of Andhra Pradesh in 1995 vide G.O.Ms.No.28/Edn. (UE II-I) Department,



dated 06.01.1996. It was inaugurated by the former Prime Minister of India Late **Sri P V Narasimha Rao** in the presence of **Sri Krishan Kant**, then Governor of the State, and **Sri N. Chandra Babu Naidu** then Chief Minister of the State, for proactive rural development initiatives in the state, based

on the ideology envisaged in the National Policy on Education (NPE). Subsequently, the Institute was transferred from the Educational Department to the Rural Development wing of Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Govt. of A.P. vide G.O.Ms.No. 313/Gen. Admin. (AR&T.1) Dept., dated 04.08.1998 and presently working under Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department, Government of Telangana.



The Institute's Campus is spread across a sprawling 100 acres with state-of-the-art infrastructure, buildings spread over 1,75,000 sq ft., well-equipped laboratories, workshops, classrooms, and computer facilities, and the latest teaching aids, along with furnished hostels separately for both boys and girls. The Institute carved a niche to provide market-friendly, employment-oriented, short-term skill development training programs to the unemployed rural youth in the state. Several short-duration skill training programs (presently 17 nos.) in **various sectors like Apparel, Automotive,**



Electrical (Power), Electronics, Banking, Finance services and Insurance (BFSI), Information technology (IT & ITES), Green energy, entrepreneurship development, etc.

The following training programs are being offered on campus Under DDU-GKY.

S No	Sector	Course Code	Course Name (as per Sector Skill Council)	Duration (hours)
1.	BFSI	BSC/Q8103	Accounts Assistant	624
2.	IT-ITES	SSC/Q2212	Domestic Data Entry Operator	667
3.	Electronics	ELE/Q4601	Field Technician Computing And Peripherals	624
4.	Electronics	ELE/Q5901	Solar Panel Installation Technician	748
5.	Automotive	ASC/Q1411	Two Wheeler Service Technician	632
6.	Power	PSS/Q6001	Electrician Domestic Solutions	957
7.	Electronics	ELE/Q8104	Mobile Phone Hardware Repair Technician	791



SKILL TRAINING THROUGH EXTENSION:

Some of these programs are also offered on extension mode at various parts of the state in partnership with a local organization viz. NGOs, government organizations, CBOs, philanthropists, etc. The Institute conducts skill training programs for local unemployed youth and women in locally sustainable trades. The primary focus of these trainings is on promoting self-employment. About 35 such extension programs are running at present in the

state. Every year, about 2000 candidates are skilfully empowered for gainful self-employment.

List of the courses at Extension Centers

S No	Course Name	Duration	Min. Qualification
1.	MS Office & Internet	2 months	Inter Pass/Fail
2	Electrician Trade	3 months	SSC Pass/Fail
3	Mobile Phone Repairing	2 months	SSC Pass/Fail
4	Garment Making & Embroidery	3 months	7th Class
5	Zardozi&Aari Works	2 months	7th Class
6	Quilt Bags & Designer Accessories	2 months	7th Class



Achievements from 7th Dec'23 to 11th Nov'2024

Swamy Ramananda Tirtha Rural Institute has been serving the rural community for several years, providing quality education and skill development programs to students from economically weaker sections. The institute has a strong foundation in vocational training and has been instrumental in empowering the youth with the skills necessary for gainful employment.

S.No	Trained at Campus	Trained at Extension	Total Trained	Wage / Self-employment	Success %
1	918	1930	2848	2086	73.25

Few Success Stories

These Success Stories are proud examples of how government-backed skill development initiatives can create sustainable livelihood opportunities for those who need it the most, empowering them to break the cycle of poverty and achieve self-reliance.

Success Story of Mr. Bhukya Sandeep

Mr. Bhukya Sandeep, son of Mr. Gundya, hails from Banjepally Thanda in Machareddy Mandal, Kamareddy District, and belongs to the Scheduled Tribe community. With a background of limited financial means—his father is a small farmer, and his mother works as an agricultural laborer—Sandeep pursued his B.Com degree with hopes of improving his family’s livelihood. To gain practical skills, he enrolled in a **specialized Accounts Executive and Tally software** at **Swamy Ramananda Tirtha Rural Institute (SRTRI)**, a government-supported initiative that provides skill-based training to rural youth from underprivileged backgrounds.

After successfully completing his course, Sandeep secured a placement at **M/s NSPIRA Management Services Pvt. Ltd.** as an accountant, with a monthly salary of **Rs. 21,000**. This achievement has brought financial stability to his family and serves as an inspiring example of how skill development programs like SRTRI can empower rural youth to overcome economic challenges and build sustainable careers.



Success Story of Miss. Chinthakindi Kalyani

Miss Chinthakindi Kalyani, daughter of Mr. Yadaiah, comes from Chada village in Bhuvanagiri District and belongs to the Scheduled Caste community. Her family faces economic challenges, with her father working as a small farmer and her mother as an agricultural laborer. Driven to improve her family’s situation, Kalyani completed her B.Com degree and then enrolled in a **specialized Accounts and Tally course** at **Swamy Ramananda Tirtha Rural Institute (SRTRI)**. This government-supported program offers vocational training to rural youth, equipping them with employable skills in high-demand fields.



Upon completing her course at SRTRI, Kalyani secured a position as an accountant with **M/s NSPIRA Management Services Pvt. Ltd.**, earning a monthly salary of **Rs. 21,000**. This opportunity has brought financial stability to her household, and Kalyani's success story exemplifies how skill development programs like SRTRI can empower young women from rural, underprivileged backgrounds to achieve economic independence and uplift their families.

SSAAT -RD, TELANGANA

Overview of Social Audit Implementation:

Social Audit is a democratic process that ensures government accountability by allowing communities to evaluate public programs in their area. Beyond reviewing expenses, it assesses equity and quality, empowering communities to participate in planning and implementing local schemes. This approach strengthens transparency and public involvement, holding agencies accountable to the people.

As mandated by Section 17 of the MGNREGA Act of 2005, Social Audits are required for all MGNREGS projects. The SSAAT (Society for Social Audit, Accountability, and Transparency) achieved 100% Social Audit completion across all Gram Panchayats in Telangana, demonstrating a strong commitment to transparency and accountability in the state.



Status of Social Audits:

100% of Social Audits in all (12769) Gram Panchayats in (540) Mandals completed during 2023-24

Social Audits in (6267) Gram Panchayats in (283 Mandals) completed so far during 2024-25 with 52% achievement.

Innovative Practices to Enhance Transparency and Accountability:

YouTube Channel: SSAAT launched a dedicated YouTube channel to increase public engagement. Videos from public hearings conducted at the mandal level are uploaded, enhancing transparency, and fostering accountability in decision making.

WhatsApp Channel: Information regarding daily Social Audit activities is disseminated across the state via a WhatsApp channel, facilitating real-time updates and promoting community involvement.

Daily Reporting Mechanism: A daily reporting system has been established to monitor and track Social Audit activities in alignment with the action plan. This mechanism allows for real-time addressing of any identified gaps, ensuring the audits progress efficiently and effectively.

This comprehensive approach underscores SSAAT's commitment to transparency, accountability, and community empowerment in Telangana. Through rigorous Social Audits and the implementation of innovative practices, SSAAT continues to uphold the principles of participatory governance and public accountability across the state