

**Brief Note on Mid Day Meal Scheme
(Telangana)
(09-05-2017)**

1. **Approved outlay** by the Programme Approval Board – Mid Day Meal Scheme (PAB-MDM) for the year 2017-18 is Rs 189.72 crore. The Central Govt. has released Rs 45.25 crore as ad-hoc grant to the State on 1st May, 2017.

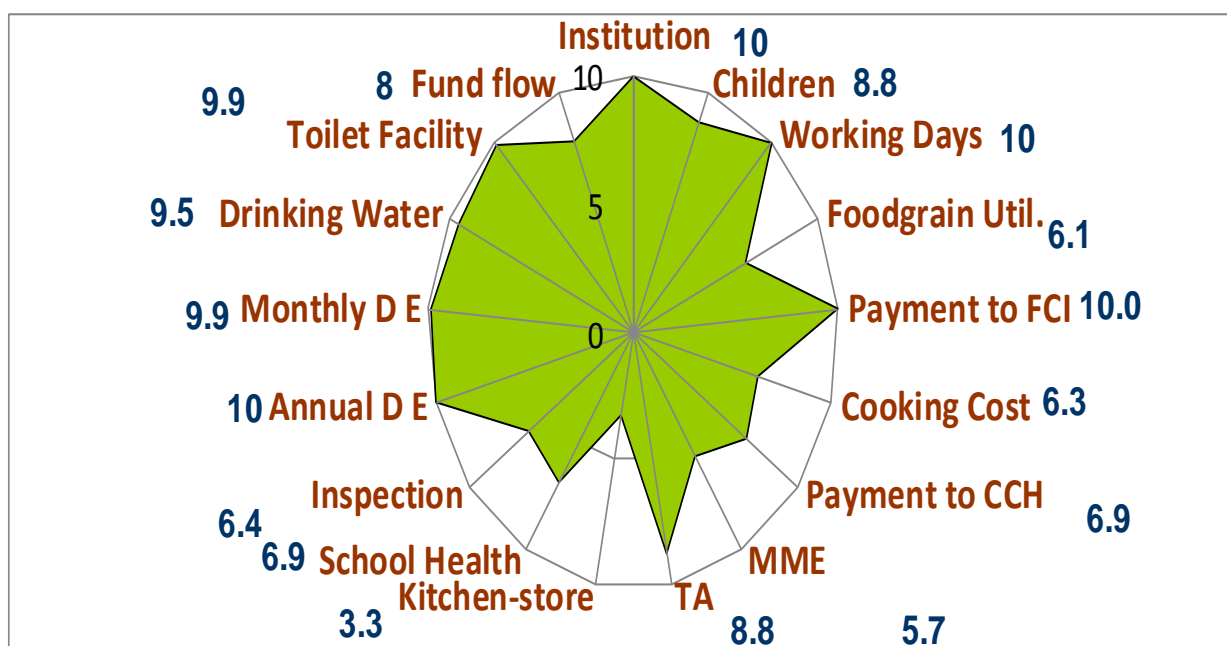
2. **Allocation and releases of Central share under MDMS during last 5 years**

(Rs in lakh)

Year	Funds Allocated	Release	% Release
2012-13	61232.52	53780.14	88%
2013-14	44374.15	53754.42	121%
2014-15	23758.21	20114.42	85%
2015-16	19626.76	23270.56	118%
2016-17	18359.03	16120.79*	88%
2016-17 (Drought)	1965.08	1965.08	100%
2017-18	18972.57	4525.47	25%

*Unspent balance of Rs. 1010.46 lakh lying with the State as on 31st March, 2016, has been revalidated for utilization during 2016-17. Unspent balance of Rs 1227.78 from the central assistance released for drought affected areas also adjusted while releasing the 2nd installment.

3. **Performance Score card Component wise during 2016-17**



4. Coverage of children against Enrolment – Year wise

Year	Enrolment			Coverage			% Coverage		
	Pry	U Pry	Total	Pry	U Pry	Total	Pry	U Pry	Total
2011-12	4227205	2149089	6376294	3700179	1961430	5661609	88	91	89
2012-13	4123057	2030011	6153068	3469144	1526575	4995719	84	75	81
2013-14	3968827	2325022	6293849	3809696	2023638	5833334	96	87	93
2014-15 #	1544008	876744	2420752	1249038	763291	2012329	81	87	83
2015-16	1360103	790194	2150297	1238250	721422	1959672	91	91	91
2016-17	1307263	770335	2077598	1063418	643744	1707162	82	83	82

figures for Telangana after bifurcation of States. Prior to 2014-15 all figures for undivided Andhra Pradesh.

5. Challenges in implementation of MDMS

- i) Poor rate of construction of kitchen-cum-stores, Construction is yet to start for 15348 Kitchen-cum-stores (50%).
- ii) LPG as fuel is used in only 5044 schools (18%).
- iii) No meeting of District level committee under chairpersonship of the senior most MP of the Lok Sabha in 27 districts.
- iv) Egg is not being served in the schools covered by Akshayapatra.
- v) The farthest school served by the centralized kitchen of Akshayapatra in Medak district is about 110 km.
- vi) Mismatch in AWP&B data and MIS data.

6. Best Practices being followed in the State for effective implementation of the scheme:-

- i) The State Government is providing MDM to IX and X class students also from State's own resources.
- ii) State is providing egg/banana thrice a week from its own resources.
- iii) State is providing super fine quality rice.
- iv) All payment to implementing agencies and Cook-cum-helpers are made through e-transfer.
- v) Creation of monitoring cell for regular review of scheme.
