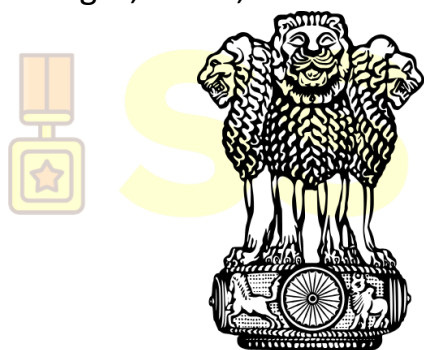


# All India Survey Of Higher Education (AISHE) Released

## Why In The News?

- The Report Of The **All-India Survey Of Higher Education (AISHE) 2021–22**, Made Public On January 25, Found That 4.33 Crore Students Are Currently Enrolled In A Higher Educational Institute Up From 4.14 Crore In 2020-21, And 3.42 Crore In 2014-15.
- The Survey Captures Total Student Enrolment In **Eight Different Levels**: Undergraduate, Postgraduate, PhD, MPhil, Diploma, PG Diploma, Certificate, And Integrated Programmes. In All, 10,576 Standalone Institutions, 42,825 Colleges, And 1,162 Universities Responded To The Survey.



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## Key Takeaways

- The **Number Of Women Enrolled** In Higher Educational Institutes Has **Steadily Increased**. From 1.5 Crore Women Enrolled In 2014-15, There Has Been A Jump Of 32% To 2.07 Crores Enrolled In 2021-22. In The Last Five Years, The Number Of Women Enrolled Increased By 18.7%, From 1.74 Crore In 2017–18.
- Gross Enrollment Ratio Indicates How Many Students Are Part Of The Higher Education System In A Given Population. **The Estimated GER For The Age Group 18-23 Years In India Is 28.4**, The AISHE 2021-22 Report Said (Based On Population Data From The 2011 Census).
- The Survey Showed That **The Bachelor Of Arts (BA) Programme Has The Highest Enrolment**, With 1.13 Crore Students 34.2% Of Total Undergraduate Enrolment Across India. In All, 3.41 Crore Students Are Enrolled In UG Programmes.

- **At PhD Level**, However, Social Sciences Stood At Third Spot After **Engineering And Science**. While 52,748 Are Pursuing A PhD In Engineering, And 45,324 In Science, 26,057 Students Are Pursuing PhD In The Social Sciences.



- **73.7% Of All Students Attend Government Universities**, Which Make Up Only 58.6% Of All Universities. Even Though There Are More Private Universities, Students Prefer Government Educational Institutions.
- During The 2021-22 Academic Year, 1.07 Crore Students Were Estimated To Have Graduated From Undergraduate, Graduate, Doctorate, Master's, And Other Diploma/Certificate Programmes. **Among These 1.07 Crore Students, 54.6 Lakh Or Roughly 50.8% Are Women.**
- Category-wise, In 2021-22, Around **35%** Of The Students Belong To **Other Backward Classes (OBC)**, **13%** Are From **Scheduled Caste (SC)** Community And **5.7%** Of The Graduates Are From **Scheduled Tribe (ST)** Community.