

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

School Education – Job Chart and the Work distribution between the posts of Mandal Educational Officer-I and Mandal Educational Officer-II - Orders - Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION (SER.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No:89

Dated:**30.10.2023**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.154, School Education (Ser.I) Department, Dated:16.9.2022.
2. Govt.Memo.No.1438516/Ser.I/A1/2021, Dated:14.06.2023.
3. From the Commissioner of School Education, Lr.Rc.No. 11022/18/2023-EST 1-CSE, Dt:14.10.2023.

ORDER:

In the G.O. 1st read above, the Government have issued orders creating (i) 13 MEO-I posts and (ii) 679 MEO- II posts for effective monitoring of the academic and non-academic activities, subject to issue of the detailed orders duly mentioning the work distribution between MEO-I and MEO-II posts and also modified the existing 666 MEO posts as MEO-I posts.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Government have accorded permission to fill up the posts of Mandal Educational Officers-II (i) with the existing MEOs of Z.P Management (by transfer) and (ii) with the Headmasters Grade-II in Z.P.Management Schools (by transfer based on seniority and willing), subject to the outcome of all the Writ Petition(AT)s/Writ Petitions/Contempt cases and SLP if any pending before the Hon'ble Courts.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Commissioner of School Education, has submitted proposals for distribution of the work between the posts of Mandal Educational Officer-I and Mandal Educational Officer-II and to issue Job charts to the posts of Mandal Educational Officer-I and Mandal Educational Officer-II.

4. Government, after careful examination and keeping in view the recent academic and administrative reforms in School Education Department, have decided to accept the proposal of the Commissioner of School Education and accordingly, hereby issue orders distributing the existing work/functions between the posts of Mandal Educational Officer-I and Mandal Educational Officer-II as detailed below. The detailed job chart of Mandal Educational Officer-I and Mandal Educational Officer-II are appended to this G.O as Annexure- I & II. :-

Functions of Mandal Educational Officer-I:

A. Academic Functions

1. Inspections and Visits
2. Training to teachers
3. Quality Initiatives
4. Assessments

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B. Administrative Functions

1. Establishment and Recognition of Schools
2. Strengthening of Schools
3. Teacher Service Matters

C. Other functions assigned by the authorities.

Functions of Mandal Educational Officer-II:

A. Academic Functions

1. School Readiness and Enrollment Drives
2. Mainstreaming of Out of School Children
3. Vocational Education & Children with Special Needs
4. Managing of Child Database and UDISE
5. Co-curricular and Extra Curricular activities (SGF, Science Exhibitions, NCC, NSS, BS & G)

B. Administrative Functions (Schemes)

1. School Transformation Programme (Nadu-Nedu), Digital Infrastructure, Learning Material to Students(JVK)
2. Mid-day Meal Program (Jagananna Gorumudda), Grants to Schools & School Sanitation (SMF & TMF)
3. Direct Benefit Transfers / Ammavodi
4. School Safety and Student Safety, Campaigning for Girl Child Safety

C. Other functions assigned by the authorities.

5. The Commissioner of School Education shall take further necessary action accordingly, in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PRAVEEN PRAKASH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam.

Copy to:

All the RJDSEs

All the DEOs

The Finance Department.

The P.S to Principal Secretary to Government (S.E)

The OSD to Hon'ble Minister for Education.

The GA (Ser.B) Dept.

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JOB CHART OF MANDAL EDUCATIONAL OFFICER-I
ANNEXURE-I

(to G.O.Ms.No.89, School Education (Ser.I) Dept, Dated:30.10.2023)

A. ACADEMIC FUNCTIONS:

1. **Inspections and Visits:** Academic Calendar, draw a program for the academic year for the inspection, surprise visits, follow-up visits and annual inspections, duly focusing on student learning outcomes, reviews on the observations made during the inspections and visits, etc.
2. **Training to teachers:** Identification of need-based training for the teachers and conduct of teacher training and organization of Seminars and Workshops to ensure that all teachers are professionally sound to impart the teaching-learning process in a better manner, School Complex meetings as per the schedule and to share the observations of the visits and inspections to the Headmasters/Teachers, capacity building programme, teacher training registry, teacher association meetings, etc.
3. **Quality Initiatives:** all programs defined for ensuring learning outcomes among students, impact study on the programs implemented, to share the best practices, conduct field visits/exposure visits to the schools of best practices, field visits to the students, TLM/Science exhibitions, to ensure that the digital infrastructure supplied to the schools is functioning and the teaching-learning practices are technologically enabled.
4. **Assessments:** formative and summative assessments and to ensure the marks are posted online and disseminated to the parents, remedial teaching for slow learners, National Assessment Survey (NAS), Student Learning Achievement Survey (SLAS) etc.,

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS:

1. **Establishment and Recognition of Schools:** Sponsoring proposals for opening/temporary recognition/permanent recognition of Schools and for the upgradation of Schools to District Educational Officer, Mapping of Schools as per guidelines issued by the Department, Scrutinizing applications for recognition and grant-in-aid in respect of Non-Government Schools and request for ad hoc grants wherever applicable, to identify unrecognized institutions in the jurisdiction and report to authorities.
2. **Strengthening of Schools:** Verifying the cadre strength of each School and estimating the vacancy position/requirements of posts, Sponsoring proposals for the sanction of additional posts to Schools to the District Educational Officer, Identification of surplus posts as per rules and sponsoring proposals for the transfer of posts to needy Schools with provision.
3. **Teacher Service Matters:** Drawing and Disbursing of salaries of teachers, service registers, annual grade increments, pay fixation, sanctioning of leaves, pension proposals, to propose disciplinary action against the teachers to the District Educational Officer, support the district authorities while conducting teacher transfers and promotions.

- C. Other functions:** teachers attendance and students on-line attendance issues, alternative arrangements in respect of single

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teacher schools (If any) where the teacher is on leave/training/on duty, to support the Mandal Educational Officer-II in performing his/her duties in the Mandal, to maintain the rapport with line departments viz, Village & Ward Secretariat department, Women and Child Welfare Department, Panchayat Raj Department, Health and Family Welfare Department etc., and to attend any other work as entrusted by the Higher authorities.

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT


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JOB CHART OF MANDAL EDUCATIONAL OFFICER-II

ANNEXURE-II

(to G.O.Ms.No.89, School Education (Ser.I) Dept, Dated:30.10.2023)

A. Academic Functions:

1. **SCHOOL READINESS AND ENROLLMENT DRIVE:** Creating School ambience for Children enrollment, monitoring Enrollment drives, conducting motivational programs with parents and organizing "Samoochika Aksharabhyasamu" programmes.
2. **MAINSTREAMING OF OUT OF SCHOOL CHILDREN:** school-age children database, tracking of never enrolled and dropout children and to enroll them into Special Training Centers, monitor the function of Non-Residential and Residential Special Training Centers and ensure that children enrolled in such centers are mainstreamed in their ages-specific class etc.
3. **VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS:** Convergence with the Women and Child Welfare Department, visit the Bhavitha Centers and ensure that all CwSN are enrolled, monitor the job chart of the IERTs etc.
4. **MANAGING OF CHILD DATA BASE AND UDISE& CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS:** UDISE+, Child Info, performance indications such as GER, NER, Transition Ratio, and dropout ratio etc.
5. **CO-CURRICULAR AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:** co-curricular and extra-curricular activities suggested in the academic calendar, to identify the skills among the students and to encourage them to be professional in such skills by coordinating with the Secretary, School Games Federation (SGF), NCC, NSS, Science Exhibition convergence with all line departments to promote the students as per their interest in co-curricular/extra-curricular activities.

B. Administrative Functions (Schemes):

1. **SCHOOL TRANSFORMATION PROGRAM (Nadu-Nedu), DIGITAL INFRASTRUCTURE, LEARNING MATERIAL TO STUDENTS(JVK)** identify the infrastructural needs, minor repairs of the schools and send proposals, monitor the civil works, distribution of textbooks, workbooks, notebooks, uniforms and other learning materials supplied by the government, to take necessary action on the low performing schools with regard to digital infrastructure utilization and e-content utilization etc.
2. **MID-DAY MEAL PROGRAM (Jagananna Gorumudda), GRANTS TO SCHOOLS & SCHOOL SANITATION (SMF & TMF):** menu, indent, cooking agencies, Bills, online reporting system, hygiene, ANM visits, utilization of SMF & TMF etc.
3. **DIRECT BENEFIT TRANSFERS/AMMAVODI:** financial assistance to the mother, transport allowance, reader allowance, escort allowance, stipend for CwSN etc., Scholarships, social audit for all the DBTs.
4. **SCHOOL SAFETY AND STUDENT SAFETY, CAMPAIGN FOR GIRL CHILD SAFETY:** safety pledge, evacuation plans, complaint box, Iron and Folic Acid tablets distribution, good touch and bad touch awareness to Girl Students, visits of Mahila Police, awareness on child abuse, child safety, POSCO Act etc.,

C. OTHER FUNCTIONS: Social Audit of School, School Leadership training and Capacity building for the School heads (Principals/Headmasters), maintain the rapport with line departments viz, Village & Ward Secretariat department, Women and Child Welfare Department, Panchayat Raj Department, Health and Family Welfare Department etc., to support the Mandal Educational Officer-I in performing his/her duties in the Mandal, to attend any other work as entrusted by the Higher authorities.

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT


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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
SCHOOL EDUCATION [VIG] DEPARTMENT

Memo No.2218888/Vig(1)/2023

Dated:27.09.2023

Sub:- Public Services - School Education - Academic Monitoring - visit of the Undersigned to Vizianagaram District - Certain lapses found on the part of the Regional Joint Director, Visakhapatnam and the District Educational Officer, Vizianagaram - Warning issued - Reg.

The Government of Andhra Pradesh have put in several dedicated efforts to bring a radical transformation in School Education. Attention of the Regional Joint Director of School Education, Visakhapatnam and District Educational Officer, Vizianagaram is invited and they are informed that Government have directed huge resources with the single objective of improving the learning outcome of students. In order to make this vision of the Government into reality, among other efforts, one crucial effort is directed through regular academic inspections by the Regional Joint Director(RJD)/District Educational Officers(DEO)/Deputy Educational Officers/Mandal Educational Officer(MEO) focusing and observing the quality of education being delivered as per the guidelines of the Government. For this, they need to –

- a. Highlight the good practices in schools to everyone relevant in the School Education Department.
- b. Moreover, if there is a gap in any of the areas of Education delivery, the same has to be brought to the notice of Higher officials through regular timely inspections.

2. However, during the visit to Vizianagaram, the undersigned was unfortunate to found that even though the schools were re-opened on 12th June, 2023 i.e, have been under operation for the past 100 days; still not a single Mandal Educational Officer has neither performed any Academic inspection, nor submitted any report to the District Education Officer. The same is the case with the Dy.Educational Officers, they also haven't performed inspections or submitted any report to the Regional Joint Director of Vizianagaram. This feigned approach and attitude in Vizianagaram District by the officials of the School Education department is a disgrace towards the Government's vision and for the future of the students of Andhra Pradesh.

3. Ideally the Mandal Educational Officer and Deputy Educational Officer should have done 5-6 inspections/month. This laxity in work speaks about the casual approach which was evident in both the schools visited by the undersigned in Vizianagaram District. The visited schools didn't even have 30% compliance of the Academic Requirements and the meeting of the deliverables required by the Government guidelines.

4. **The Regional Joint Director, Visakhapatnam and the District Educational Officer, Vizianagaram District is hereby warned and given last opportunity to improve their functioning and to perform their work sincerely to improve their attitude towards monitoring to submit the inspection reports by the Mandal Educational Officers/Deputy Educational Officers punctually. Any another such case comes in future inspection of the undersigned the action of 'Removal from Service' will be initiated under CCA Rules.**

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5. During all the future visits of the undersigned to the districts, it is informed that he will dedicate 45 minutes of time for investigating only the reports of the Mandal Educational Officers, Deputy District Education Officers, District Education Officers and Regional Joint Directors, etc.

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Regional Joint Director of School Education, Visakhapatnam and the District Educational Officer, Vizianagaram District.

Copy to:-

The Commissioner of School Education, AP.

All the RJDs/DEOs/MEOs through Commissioner of School Education for information and necessary action.

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