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Govt. degree colleges regaining their glory

DOST figures reveal student share rose to 27% from 23%

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Government degree colleges in Telangana seem to be regaining their glory what with their share increasing by an impressive 4% in the recently released Degree Online Services Telangana (DOST) figures that reveal the student share increased to 27% of the total admitted students from 23% last year.

DOST first list, released three days ago, revealed that out of the 69,300 seats in government colleges, 37,938 were filled up (54.75%) while in private colleges 1,41,340 seats were filled up out of 4,07,390 available seats, according to general secretary, Telangana Government Colleges Gazetted Teachers' Association (TGCGTA) Kadaru Surender Reddy.

This is in the first phase of admissions and teachers are confident that by the closure of admissions, the numbers would further improve.

Some government colleges that saw 100% seats being filled up in the first phase itself include City College, Hyderabad; Nagarjuna Government Degree College, Nalgonda; Kakatiya Government Degree College, Warangal; Nizamabad Government Degree College; SRR Government Degree College, Karimnagar; Siddipet Government Degree College, and BJR Government Degree College Hyderabad, among others.

According to State president, TGCGTA, Sanjeevayya,

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Teachers confident that numbers would go up in the remaining phases

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several students who opted for seats in government colleges could not get allotment due to heavy competition. Interestingly, competition was high for women's colleges and many of them saw seats filled up in all the courses. Some of these are NTR Government Women's Degree College, Mahabubnagar; Government Women's Degree Colleges in Nalgonda, Karimnagar, Begumpet, Gajwel, Khammam, Nampally and Warangal.

Many reasons could be attributed to this spurt such as free education, adoption of Information Communication Technology (ICT) methods and facilities for all round development of stu-

dents. "Opportunity to join NCC and NSS as well as spacious playgrounds, libraries and laboratories and youth talent programmes like Jignasa are attracting students," Mr. Surender Reddy said appreciating the role of Commissioner of Collegiate Education Navin Mittal in motivating teachers.

"Mr. Mittal played a key role in creating the ICT facilities including digital classrooms. He ensured that teachers reached out to students and classes were conducted to complete syllabus using technology," he said. "Online classes for 3rd and 5th semester students are continuing," said office-bearer of TGCGTA Pavani.

DOST-2020 Phase-I Allotments in Government Degree College (Sorted on Allotment %)

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**DOST-2020 Phase-I Allotments in Government Degree College (Sorted on Allotment %)
(2019 figure in bracket)(21.09.2020)**

Sl. No	Uni	Mngt	College Name	Intake	Allot.	Vacanc.s	Allot. %	% Share/ GDCs
1	OU	Govt.(A)	Government City College (Autonomous), Hyderabad	1500	1499	1	99.93%	3.95%
2	TU	Govt.(A)	Girraj Govt. College (Autonomous), Nizamabad	1500	1466	34	97.73%	3.86%
3	MU	Govt.(A)	Nagarjuna Govt. Degree College (Autonomous), Nalgonda	1500	1421	79	94.73%	3.75%
4	OU	Govt.(A)	Government Degree College (Autonomous),	1500	1407	93	93.80%	3.71%
5	OU	Govt.	Babu Jagjeevan Ram Govt. Degree College, Narayanaguda	1200	1117	83	93.08%	2.94%
6	PU	Govt.(A)	M.V.S Govt. Arts And Science College	1500	1372	128	91.47%	3.62%
7	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College, Khairatabad	1380	1251	129	90.65%	3.30%
8	KU	Govt.	Kakatiya Government College (KDC), Hanamkonda	1500	1353	147	90.20%	3.57%
9	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College, Kukatpally	660	586	74	88.79%	1.54%
10	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College-Co-Ed, Medak	780	687	93	88.08%	1.81%
			Top 10 GDCs	13020 (14880)	12159 (13763)	861 (1117)	93.39% (92.49%)	32.05%
11	OU	Govt.(A)	Government Degree College for Women (Autonomous), Begumpet	1500	1315	185	87.67%	3.47%
12	OU	Govt.	Vivekananda Govt. Degree College, Vidhyanagar	960	840	120	87.50%	2.21%
13	MU	Govt.	Government Degree College for Women, Nalgonda	1080	924	156	85.56%	2.44%
14	KU	Govt.(A)	SR & Bgnr Govt. Arts & Science College (Autonomous), Khammam	1500	1216	284	81.07%	3.21%
15	SU	Govt.	SRR Govt, Arts And Science College	1500	1214	286	80.93%	3.20%
16	PU	Govt.	NTR Govt. Degree College for Women, Mahabubnagar	1260	1018	242	80.79%	2.68%
17	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College, Hayathnagar	780	620	160	79.49%	1.63%
18	OU	Govt.(A)	Tara Government Degree & P.G. College (Autonomous), Sangareddy	1320	1045	275	79.17%	2.75%
19	SU	Govt.	Government Degree College for Women,	1020	779	241	76.37%	2.05%
20	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College, Seethapalmandi	300	225	75	75.00%	0.59%
21	OU	Govt.	Government Degree College for Women, Gajwel	600	444	156	74.00%	1.17%
22	PU	Govt.	Government Degree College for Women,	480	336	144	70.00%	0.89%

**Honourable Commissioner, Sri Navin Mittal, IAS, handing over the ISO 9001:2015
Certificate to the Principal, Dr. P. Balabhaskar**

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