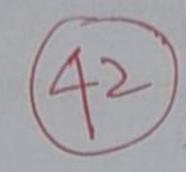


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## Status of In-service Elementary Teacher Education Programme Operated through ODL Mode: A Study with Special Reference to Chhattisgarh

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## **Abstract**

In Chhattisgarh Teacher training through open and distance learning (ODL) mode started from 07.05.2012 with the permission of NCTE and this is operated through SCERT. The present study deals with the present status of in-service elementary teacher education programme operated through distance and open mode for untrained elementary school teachers, with respect to, District wise study centre and enrolment, Untrained teacher population, Year wise teacher enrolment in study centres.

The present study reveals that, at the commencement of this programme total 45,223 elementary teachers were untrained in Chhattisgarh. As per present statistics, 40,095 teachers will be trained at the end of the second phage which is 88.66% of total untrained teacher's population. In 2012, Total 9473 teachers enrolled in this programme. Highest no. of enrolment was in Bilaspur district that was 669, 7.06% of total enrolled population. In 2013, a highest hike showed in the teacher's enrolment which was 30609. Due to increase the no. of study centres a huge numbers of teachers could enrol in training programme. Highest number of enrolment has been seen in Kanker district which is 1992, 6.51% of total enrolled population. As per the present statistics, there are 149 study centres are functioning for this purpose. Maximum no. of study centres i.e. 41 are situated in Baster cluster and minimum no. of study centres i.e.22 are situated in Raipur cluster.

Study also reveals that there are still 11.34% teachers which have not seen yet trained in the 1st and 2nd phase. So efforts should be made to incorporate these 11.34% also into

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