

<b>MAJOR COMPONENT</b>	- Quality Interventions
<b>SUB-COMPONENT</b>	- Funds for Quality (LEP, Innovation, Guidance etc)
<b>ACTIVITY MASTER</b>	- Project Innovation (Elementary)
<b>ACTIVITY</b>	- Language Festival

## **1. Proposal for Celebration of Language Festival in AWP& B-2019-20**

### **a) Celebrating Language Festival (Bhasha-Sangam)**

To celebrate the spirit of National Integration, Bhasha Sangam marks unique symphony of languages of our country and is in expression of our shared dreams, hopes and aspirations for one India. Under Bhasha Sangam initiative it was planned to provide multilingual exposure to students in Indian Language listed in the VIII schedule of the constitution of India. Delhi is the perfect example of Unity in diversity, both, culturally and linguistically. The children in schools are from different backgrounds speaking different languages at home. The commonly spoken languages in schools of Delhi are:-

- Hindi
- Punjabi
- English
- Urdu
- Bengali and others

Besides these, the languages taught formally in schools are English and Hindi at Primary level. At Upper Primary, a third language is also taught which is commonly Sanskrit. Some Aided and Private schools also give option of learning Punjabi, Urdu or a foreign language at Secondary level.

Keeping in mind the multiplicity in use of Language by children at home, the language festival is being proposed.

**Objectives:** - The celebration of language festival will aim at :-

- Familiarising every child with simple dialogue in all the 22 languages.
- Enhancing linguistic tolerance and promoting national integration.

- Providing opportunity of enjoyment through multilingual experience.
- Bringing together students in exploration of a multilingual society.
- Providing information about culture of other people through language.
- Building up a momentum behind language learning.
- Recognising the state's diverse community.

**Activities proposed:** - Celebrating of Language Festival week through activities in all 2768 Govt. & Govt. Aided schools such as :-

**i) Morning Assembly Activities** – News Reading and morning prayers in different languages, short dialogue delivery of 05 simple sentences in any language per day.

**ii) Children's Competitions such as :-**

- Calligraphy
- Story-telling
- Slogan writing
- Poem Recitation
- Sanskrit Shloka recitation,
- Gurubani (Shabad recital)
- Creative writing
- Talk Show

**Note:-**

The schools may also plan and organize language activities other than the list of activities for different classes mentioned above. The schools may opt for maximum no. of languages for various activities.

The school may make expenditure on prizes, certificates, purchase of stationary and other material, honorarium to experts and other contingent expenses.

**Budget Proposed**

Type of school	No. of Schools	Unit Cost	Amount ( In Rs.)
Primary (I –V)	2186	6500	14209000
Upper Primary (VI- VIII)	1282	4500	5769000
Secondary (IX- X)	1282	4500	5769000
Sr. Secondary (XI- XII)	1282	4500	5769000
<b>Total</b>			<b>31516000</b>

**Total Budget Required: 3,15,16,000 (Rs. Three Crore Fifteen Lac Sixteen Thousand only)**

## 2. Recommendation of Technical Support Group (TSG) -2019-20

In Lakhs Rs.

66	Activity		Proposal			Recommendation			Remarks
			Phy	Unit Cost	Fin	Phy	Unit Cost	Fin	
	<b>Project - Innovative Activities (Secondary &amp; Sr. Secondary)</b>								
66.	Celebration of Language Festival		2564	0.045	115.38	2564	0.01	25.64	Considered @ Rs. 1000/school

### Project Innovation (Elementary)

In Lakhs Rs.

Activity	Proposal			Recommendation			Remarks
	Phy	Unit Cost	Fin	Phy	Unit Cost	Fin	
Language Festival	3468	0.05761	199.791	3468	0.01	34.68	Considered @ Rs. 1000/school

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### 3. Approval of Plan Approval Board 2019-20

- c) **Project Innovation (Secondary):** An amount of Rs.5711.365 lakh has been estimated under Project Innovation (Secondary) for various activities such as Celebration of Language festival, Open Gym, Sports Day, Coonnected classroom and smart classroom/ Digital Boards. In the connected classroom it is recommended one lab per school with 20 systems in each lab for 1019 schools with total estimated value of Rs. 5186.424 lac and smart board is recommended only for 75 schools, previously not covered with total estimated value of Rs. 82.50 lac. Details list of Schools approved for connected classroom is attached in **Annexure- IV**. List of Schools approved for Smart Classroom/Digital Boards is attached in **Annexure-V**.

(Rs. in lakh)

Activity Master	Physical	Unit Cost	Financial
<b>Project Innovation(Secondary)</b>			
Celebration of Language festival	2564	0.01	25.64

### 4. Costing Sheet of Plan Approval Board

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