

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4827**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON: 29.03.2023

**FUTURE SKILLS PRIME SCHEME**

**4827. SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB:**

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of candidates who have signed up on the Futureskills Prime scheme portal;
- (b) the number of candidates who have signed- up and completed the National Occupational Standards/National Skill Qualification Framework aligned Foundation/Deep Skilling courses; and
- (c) the number of trainers and Government officials who have been provided training by research centres under the blended training programme?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) to (c): Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) in collaboration with National Association of Software and Service Companies (NASSCOM) has initiated Future Skills PRIME (Programme for Re-skilling/Up-skilling of IT Manpower for Employability) scheme which is aimed at re-skilling/up-skilling of IT professionals in emerging technologies namely Artificial Intelligence, Robotic Process Automation, Augmented/Virtual Reality, Internet of Things, Big Data Analytics, Additive Manufacturing/3D Printing, Cloud Computing, Social & Mobile, Cyber Security and Blockchain. Under the FutureSkills PRIME, as on 23.03.2023, a total of 13,12,775 candidates have signed-up on the portal, 3,53,654 candidates have enrolled in various National Occupational Standards/National Skill Qualification Framework aligned Foundation/Bridge/Deep Skilling aligned courses, out of which 1,37,645 candidates have completed their course(s). Further, NIELIT/C-DAC Resource Centres have trained a total of 1065 Trainers and 9,051 Government Officials.

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