

Shreshtha Yojna

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- **Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment** has launched 'Shreshtha Yojna' on the occasion of 66th death anniversary of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar.
- This scheme is aimed at providing socio-economic upliftment and holistic development of students belonging to scheduled castes by providing quality residential education in reputed private schools.
- In the next 5 years, 24800 meritorious students of scheduled castes will be given education from class 9th to 12th in aspirational districts identified by NITI Aayog under this scheme.