

Use of AI for School Education in Chhattisgarh

Why in News?

According to the officials, **Chhattisgarh government's education department** is using <u>Artificial Intelligence (AI)</u> to improve school education and programmes like midday meals.

Key Points

- Al systems are being utilized to track student performance, oversee sanitation, monitor toilet cleanliness, and assess manpower status.
 - Additionally, a <u>geo-fenced attendance system</u> will be implemented to ensure teacher presence in schools, enhancing accountability and student safety.
 - Al-powered systems will be used in monitoring food by analysing vegetable freshness, rice texture, and oil content to objectively assess meal quality.
- The state government is collaborating with the <u>Indian Institute of Technology (IIT)</u> **Bhilai** to develop software and mobile apps for monitoring schools and students.
- Vidya Samiksha Kendra is set up in Raipur to implement the AI system. It will be used for online monitoring and data analysis of various beneficiary-oriented schemes operated by the school education department.
 - Information and facilities related to government schemes will be available to students, parents and teachers.
 - A toll-free phone number will be issued to solve problems related to students, parents, and teachers.

Vidya Samiksha Kendras (VSKs)

- VSK is aimed at **leveraging data and technology** to bring a big leap in learning outcomes.
- This will cover data of more than **15 Lakh schools**, 96 Lakh teachers and 26 Crore students and analyze them meaningfully using big data analysis, <u>Artificial Intelligence (AI)</u> and machine learning in order to enhance the overall monitoring of the education system and thereby improving learning outcomes.

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