

## UDISE+ Report 2023-24

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The **Unified District Information System for Education (UDISE) Plus report** shows a significant **decline in India's <u>school enrolment</u>**, linked to revised data collection methods.

- Key Findings:
  - Decline in Enrolment: Enrolment fell from 26.36 crore (2018-2022 average) to 25.17 crore in 2022-23 and 24.8 crore in 2023-24, a drop of 1.55 crore students.
    - Government school enrolment dropped by 5.59%, and private school enrolment fell by 3.67%.
  - Gender-wise Trends: Enrolment of boys declined by 6.04% and girls by 5.76%, compared to the 2018-19 to 2021-22 average.
  - State-wise Declines: Largest declines recorded in Bihar (35.65 lakh), Uttar Pradesh (28.26 lakh), and Maharashtra (18.55 lakh).
  - Level-wise Trends: Decline observed across primary, upper primary, and secondary levels.
    - Enrolment in **pre-primary and higher secondary levels rose** in 2023-24 compared to the previous average.
- Improved Data Accuracy: <u>Aadhaar</u>-linked student records improved data accuracy by removing duplicates, including students enrolled in both government and private schools.
- About UDISE+: It is one of the largest Management Information Systems by the Ministry of Education, covering 14.72 lakh schools, 98.08 lakh teachers, and 24.8 crore children.

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