

No.EDN-H(EE)(6)4-8/2023-24 Allocation of Rice
Directorate of Elementary Education.
Himachal Pradesh

Dated : Shimla - 171001, the

October, 2023

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To

All Deputy Directors (Elementary Education)
Himachal Pradesh

Subject:-

Allocation of foodgrains (rice) for the 3rd Quarter (01-10-2023 to 31-12-2023) under Pradhan Mantri Poshan Shakti Nirman (PM Poshan) Scheme, for Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary 807.80 quintals, Primary 19238.10 quintals & Upper Primary 15784.30 quintals for the year 2023-24.

Sir,

The Government of India, Ministry of Education, Department of School Education & Literacy, Shastri Bhawan New Delhi-110115, vide letter No. 5-1 / 2023- Desk (PMP) dated 06.10.2023 has issued allocation of foodgrains (rice) for Bal Vatika / Pre Primary classes, Primary Stage (classes I-V) and Upper Primary Stage (classes VI -VIII) for 3rd Quarter (01-10-2023 to 31-12-2023) for the year 2023-24. Accordingly, **807.80 quintals foodgrains (rice) for Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary, 19238.10 quintals for Primary stage and 15784.30 quintals for Upper Primary stage** are being allocated (District wise) on the basis of average beneficiaries of 4th quarter of the year 2022-23 as per Annexure-1. While lifting the food grains (rice), it may be ensured that the best quality food grains (rice), which in any case will not be inferior to Fair Average Quality FAQ, is lifted from the PDS Depot. The process followed at the time of receipt of foodgrains (rice) from FCI Depots may also be repeated at each level till the foodgrains (rice) reach the end user to ensure that only good quality foodgrains (rice) is delivered for consumption by students. However, all relevant records /samples regarding quality assurance should be maintained at all levels.

In view of the above, you are therefore requested to distribute foodgrains (rice) to the Blocks as per prescribed norms i.e. 100 gms. per child per day in respect of Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary classes & Primary classes and 150 gms. per child per day for Upper Primary classes. In this context, it is further added that the balance of foodgrains (rice) from previous month/quarter/ year may be kept in view while allocating foodgrains (rice) to the Blocks for providing Mid Day Meal to the students under Pradhan Mantri Poshan Shakti Nirman (PM Poshan) Scheme. Before making further allocation to the Blocks following things may also be kept in view at school level and monitor the same on priority on time to time.

- **Enrollment / Beneficiary of Block / Institution**
- **Number of School Days**
- **Approved norms is 100 gms. for Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary classes & Primary classes and 150 gms. for Upper Primary classes per child per day.**
- **Unutilized foodgrains (rice) lying with the School/ Block.**
- **(Enrollment/ Beneficiary of Block/ School * No. of Schools Days in the Quarter/ Month * approved food norms) - Unutilized foodgrains (rice) lying with the Block/ Schools= Quantity of foodgrains (rice) to be allocated to the Block).**
- **The consumption of foodgrains (rice) as well as utilization of Material cost funds may be ensured strictly as per prescribed norms for Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary & Primary and Upper Primary classes on actual number of beneficiary students on day to day basis.**

- To ensure timely supply of foodgrains (rice), allocation of rice to Blocks/ Schools should be made on Quarterly basis instead of monthly basis.
- At school level, appropriate record should be maintained and proper receipt should be obtained from the FPS/ PDS holder, indicating the quantity of foodgrains received in respect of their schools and make entries in the MDM registers accordingly.
- The information in respect of allocation, lifting, utilization and balance of foodgrains (rice) may be furnished immediately after the closure of the Quarter i.e 31-12-2023, so that further necessary action in this regard could be taken accordingly.

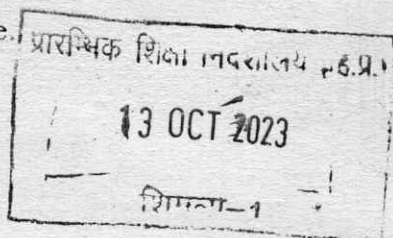
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Director Elementary Education
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-171001
the **October, 2023**

Endst: No. Even, Dated: Shimla- 171001,
Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002.
2. The Managing Director HPSCSC, SDA Complex, Shimla-171009.
3. The Director, Food and Civil Supplies, SDA Complex, Himachal Pradesh Shimla-171009.
4. The Director, PM Poshan Scheme, Government of India, Ministry of Education Department of School Education & Literacy, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115.
5. All the Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh.
6. The Senior Regional Manager, Food Corporation of India, Opposite Community Centre, Sector-2, New Shimla - 171009.
7. The Area Manager, Food Corporation of India, Shimla, Opposite Community Centre, Sector-2, New Shimla-171009 / Area Manager, Food Corporation of India, Mandi / Area Manager, Food Corporation of India, Kangra at Dharamshala in Himachal Pradesh.
8. (i) The Divisional Manager HPSCSC, Dharmshala, Distt Kangra.
(ii) The Divisional Manager HPSCSC, Phase -II, Near Housing Board Colony, Near LIC, Sapon, Solan
(iii) Area Manager HPSCSC, Plot No-31, Phase-II, Near Housing Board Colony, Near LIC, Sapon, Solan
(iv) The Area Manager, HPSCSC, Shimla-171006, Himachal Pradesh.
(v) The Area Manager HPSCSC, Gunnu Ghat, Nahan, District Sirmour, H.P.
(vi) The Area Manager, HPSCSC Kangra at Dharamshala, Himachal Pradesh.
(vii) The Area Manager HPSCSC, Ward No.7, Partap Nagar, Near DC office, District Hamirpur, H.P.
(viii) The Area Manager HPSCSC, Sanyukat Bhawan, Ram Nagar, District Mandi, H.P.
(ix) The Area Manager HPSCSC, Hardaspura District Chamba, H.P.
9. All the Block Elementary Education Officers in HP with the direction that Foodgrains (rice) allocated by the Districts may be distributed further to the schools and copy of the same be provided to all CHT/ schools, so that school should lift the allocated quantity of Foodgrains (rice) from PDS Depot. The Block should maintain monthly record of the schools in this regard, so as to facilitate the demand of Foodgrains (rice) to DDEE's for the next month. The month wise Lifting and Utilization Certificate in respect of the Foodgrains (rice) may be obtained from the schools as per specimen certificate attached at (Annexure-II)
10. In Charge, IT Cell (Internal) with the direction to upload the same on the Department website.
11. Guard File.




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20/8/23

Allocation of Foodgrains (Rice) for 3rd Quarter (01.10.2023 to 31.12.2023) for Bal Vatika/ Pre Primary & Primary Classes. Qty @100g per child per day and Upper Primary Classes Qty.@150g per child per day under PM Poshan Scheme for the year 2023-24

Sr. No.	Name of District	Bal Vatika / Pre Primary			Primary			Upper Primary			Total Rice (Bal Vatika / Pre Pry+Pry+Up Pry) (in Quintals)
		Average Beneficiaries of 4th quarter 2022-23	Working Days 3rd Qtr.	Rice Allocation for 3rd Quarter (in Quintals)	Average Beneficiaries of 4th quarter 2022-23	Working Days 3rd Qtr.	Rice Allocation for 3rd Quarter (in Quintals)	Average Beneficiaries of 4th quarter 2022-23	Working Days 3rd Qtr.	Rice Allocation for 3rd Quarter (in Quintals)	
1	Bilaspur	3485	70	63.34	16319	70	1163.69	11798	70	1025.45	2252.48
2	Chamba	8721	69	156.25	36099	69	2537.40	22020	69	1886.58	4580.23
3	Hamirpur	2937	70	53.38	15440	70	1101.00	10866	70	944.44	2098.82
4	Kangra	6015	70	109.33	39850	70	2841.66	30687	70	2667.24	5618.23
5	Kinnaur	917	72	17.14	2417	72	177.27	1457	72	130.25	324.66
6	Kullu	2754	61	43.62	18362	61	1141.02	12937	61	979.88	2164.52
7 (a)	Keylong	137	65	2.31	687	65	45.49	344	65	27.76	75.56
7(b)	Kaza	158	73	2.99	400	73	29.74	187	73	16.95	49.68
8	Mandi	6167	70	112.09	38215	70	2725.07	28102	70	2442.56	5279.72
9	Shimla	4640	66	79.58	28730	66	1931.63	18303	66	1499.95	3511.16
10	Sirmour	2749	69	49.25	31199	69	2192.98	19619	69	1680.87	3923.10
11	Solan	3098	70	56.31	26575	70	1895.03	15473	70	1344.87	3296.21
12	Una	3474	69	62.21	20715	69	1456.12	13276	69	1137.50	2655.83
G.Total		45252	69	807.80	275008	69	19238.10	185069	69	15784.30	35830.20


 Director
 (Elementary Education)
 Himachal Pradesh,
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ANNEXURE-II

UTILIZATION CERTIFICATE

Certified that out of _____Kg allocated foodgrain (Rice) _____ Kg good quality/ condition foodgrain (rice) have been lifted by the school from PDS/ FPS and _____Kg foodgrain (rice) have been utilized for benefitting _____No. of students during previous month under P M Poshan Scheme.

Date_____

Signature of the School In Charge
(with Seal)