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Scheme	Objectives	Eligibility Criteria	Benefits	Entitlements	Contact Information (including links)
Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao (BBBP)	<p>1. Tackle societal discrimination aimed at girls by changing citizen mindsets</p> <p>2. Increase education and societal participation for girls</p> <p>3. Address various issues like reducing the child sex ratio, increasing safeguards, and eliminating gender-based inequalities</p>	<p>1. The family must have a girl child below the age of 10</p> <p>2. A Sukanya Samriddhi Account (SSA) must be opened in any Indian bank under the girl child's name in the family</p> <p>3. The girl child should be a resident Indian</p>	<p>1. Improves child-sex ratio</p> <p>2. Ensures gender equality and women empowerment</p> <p>3. Prevents gender bias and sex-selective elimination</p> <p>4. Guarantees survival and protection of the girl child</p> <p>5. Provides quality education and better employment opportunities</p>	<p>1. Digital Guddi-Gudda Board: An online platform that shows gender disparity in birth rates and provides information on existing schemes/programmes that safeguard the girl child</p> <p>2. Udaan - Sapne Di Duniya De Rubaru: An opportunity offering girls to shadow professionals in fields of their choice</p> <p>3. My Aim My Target Campaign: A recognition program to facilitate the top academic performances of girls in higher secondary schools</p> <p>4. Lakshya Se Rubaru: Internship program for female students in colleges</p> <p>5. Noor Jeevan Ka Betiyan: A week-long campaign to celebrate gender empowerment via interactive activities organized in Panchayats, schools, and colleges</p> <p>6. Bitiya and Birba: Awareness campaign on the BBBP initiative, along with environmental protection under which every mother of a new-born girl child is celebrated with a plant</p> <p>7. Aao School Chalein: A door-to-door advocacy campaign to ensure 100% enrolment of girls in schools</p> <p>8. Collector Ki Class: Underprivileged girls studying in public schools shall also be able to avail free coaching classes and career counseling</p>	<p>1. Application process</p> <p>2. MWCD Contact Support</p> <p>3. MWCD Additional Contacts</p> <p>4. Scheme Specific Contact:</p> <p>(i) Shri D. Vijaya Gopal (Section Officer, BBBP, Nari Adalat)</p> <p>Email: dv.gopal67@gov.in</p>

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<p>Sukanya Samridhi Yojana (SSY) <i>Saving System introduced as part of BBBP</i></p>	<p>1. Encourage the practice of future savings</p> <p>2. Provide long-term and flexible investment options with tax benefits</p> <p>3. Support education and empowerment</p>	<p>Same as BBBP</p> <p>Additionally,</p> <p>1. Only two SSY can be opened by a family; one for each girl child</p>	<p>1. Provides financial security for girls where parents can open an account under their daughter's name and save money for their future</p> <p>2. Offers a tax-free interest rate on deposits</p> <p>3. Girls can withdraw 50% of the balance amount once they turn 18</p>	<p>1. The scheme is backed by the Government of India securing investment and returns</p> <p>2. A minimum deposit of only 250 INR is needed to open the account. Deposits are all flexible</p> <p>2. Deposits in SSY accounts of up to 1.5 lakhs are eligible for tax deductions under Section 80C of the Income Tax Act, 1961</p> <p>3. The interest earned (8.2% annually) and the maturity amount is exempt from tax under Section 10 (11A).</p> <p>4. Maturation is 21 years post-opening, and deposits need not be made after 15 years of opening. One will continue to earn interest on the deposit</p> <p>5. 50% of the account balance from the previous financial year is permitted to be withdrawn to meet the educational expenses of the girl child by submitting proof of admission, pass certificate of 10th grade, or post 18 years of age</p>	<p>1. Application process</p> <p>2. Contact information (India Post)</p> <p>3. Information/Helpline Number: 18002666868</p>
<p>Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Rural</p>	<p>1. Build grassroots institutions that support the poor, especially women</p>	<p>1. Primarily targets women who are part of SHGs (Self-Help Groups).</p>	<p>1. Bring women to SHG networks, and create bank linkages for</p>	<p>1. 1 woman from each poor household can join an SGH group.</p> <p>2. All households are eligible for social assessment and</p>	<p>1. Aajeevika website</p> <p>(Sub-scheme under NRLM launched in</p>

Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM)	<p>2. Through these institutions, provide access to self-employment and wage-based jobs</p> <p>3. Improve the livelihood of poor households on a sustainable basis</p>	<p>2. SHGs should have actively existed in the last 6 months based on their financial records and not just from the date of opening the savings bank account</p> <p>3. SHGs should be practicing ‘panchasutras’ or regular meetings, savings, inter-lending, and timely repayment</p> <p>4. Account books must be kept up-to-date</p> <p>5. SHGs need to meet certain standards set by NABARD (National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development) to ensure bank support</p> <p>6. If an SHG that was inactive (defunct) becomes active again and remains so for at least 3 months, it will become eligible for receiving credit from banks</p>	<p>financial support</p> <p>2. Capacity building for the economically vulnerable, in terms of building creditworthiness, and managing livelihoods.</p> <p>3. The structure of the SHGs is a federal one at the village levels and higher levels to provide space to all voices and reduce dependency on external agencies.</p> <p>4. Decentralized planning is initiated to provide states with liberty in planning their own action plans.</p>	<p>ranking based on vulnerability, with factors like poverty, single-woman households, disabled, landless, and migrant workers receiving special focus</p> <p>3. Special support provided to skill-building and placement of rural youth through rural self-employment institutes (RSETIs)</p> <p>4. Revolving and fund and Community Support Investment fund (CIF) are provided to strengthen SGHs credit and advance loans.</p> <p>5. Provides interest subvention on loans availed by SHGs to cover the difference between the lending rate of the banks and 7%</p> <p>4. Provides financial inclusion (loans and coverage from loss of life)</p> <p>7. The scheme is mandated to have linkages with district rural development agencies (DRDA) and Panchayat Raj Institutions (PRIs)</p>	<p><i>2017 to provide alternative sources of livelihood to members of SHGs under NRLM via offering public transport services in backward rural areas.)</i></p> <p>Telephone: 011 - 23461708</p> <p>2. NRLM Government Website</p> <p>Telephone: 011 - 23461748</p>
National Scheme of Incentive to Girls for Secondary	<p>1. Promote enrollment of girl children at the secondary schooling stage</p>	<p>1. The applicant should be a girl child, and should have cleared her grade 8 examinations</p> <p>2. The applicant should be from</p>	<p>1. ₹3000/- is contributed to a fixed deposit in a public sector bank or post office in</p>	<p>1. Accounts can be opened in the nearest public sector bank or in a post office by the implementing agency (State/ UT Governments or the autonomous organizations, as the case may be), and the amount deposited in a Fixed Term Deposit</p>	<p>1. Application process</p> <p>2. Details related to the scheme (complaint redressal, list and</p>

Education (NSIGSE)	<p>2. Support continued education for girls up to 12th grade</p> <p>3. Reduce drop-out rates for girl students belonging to SC/ST communities and enhance retention</p>	<p>Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe</p> <p>3. The applicant should have passed class VIII from Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (regardless of whether they belong to Scheduled Castes or Tribes)</p> <p>4. The applicant should have applied for class IX in State/UT government, government-aided, or local body schools in the academic year 2008-09 onwards</p> <p>Exclusions:</p> <p>1. Married girls.</p> <p>2. Girl children studying in private, unaided schools.</p> <p>3. Students enrolled in schools run by the central government.</p>	<p>the name of every eligible girl child</p> <p>2. The fixed deposit matures on the date on which the girl turns 18</p> <p><i>(Premature withdrawal are forbidden)</i></p>	<p>2. A passbook or a certificate is provided to the student which also identifies her as a beneficiary of the scheme.</p> <p>3. The scheme also mandates the beneficiary to continue education for two years in secondary school after enrollment in class IX to avail of benefits</p> <p>4. This is solidified with a compulsory certificate provided by the principal/ head of the school</p> <p>5. Once the student is 18 years old and has successfully passed class X, the amount can be withdrawn with interest</p> <p>6. 1% of the scheme's incentive amount will be expended on administration, evaluation, and monitoring of the students every year</p> <p>7. There is no standard on income parameters applicants must meet to avail the benefits of this plan</p>	<p>contacts of specific nodal officers, and more)</p> <p>3. Contact Information [Ministry of Education (MoE)]</p>
Swadhar Greh Scheme	<p>1. Provide food, clothes, shelter, and health care to women who are distressed, deserted, and without any financial/social support.</p> <p>2. Supporting women in finding emotional strength and resilience after any tragic</p>	<p>1. Women who are abandoned without any economic/social support.</p> <p>2. Women survivors of natural disasters are homeless because of the same</p> <p>3. Women prisoners released from jail without any family and/or economic/social support.</p>	<p>1. Women affected by domestic violence could stay in a Swadhar Greh facility for up to one year</p> <p>2. Women from other categories can stay for a maximum of 3 years</p>	<p>1. Construction grants will be provided to state government agencies, women's development corporations, and other related bodies for the development of these facilities with necessary rooms, kitchens, bathrooms, etc</p> <p>2. Help with rent will also be provided in case the facility is made within a rented building</p> <p>3. The scheme provides financial aid for expenses related to the management of facilities.</p> <p>4. The scheme provides food, shelter, clothing, health care,</p>	<p>1. Application process</p> <p>2. Swadhar Greh Centers (With No.s)</p> <p>3. MWCD Contact Support</p> <p>4. MWCD Additional Contacts</p>

	<p>experiences</p> <p>3. Help with legal advice and tools so women can readjust in family and society</p> <p>4. Provide overall support and rehabilitation, along with socioeconomic security, so women can restart their lives with skill and dignity</p>	<p>4. Women victims of domestic violence, family tension, or discord, who are made to leave their homes without any means or protection</p> <p>5. Women who due to the above lack of protection face exploitation or legal action due to marriage-related disputes</p> <p>5. Women survivors of trafficking, who have been rescued or run away from brothels or other places where they face exploitation</p> <p>6. Women affected by HIV/AIDS who do not have any economic/social support</p> <p>Note: Such women/ girls (points 5. And 6.) should first seek assistance under UJJAWALA Scheme in areas where it is in operation (<i>See here</i>)</p>	<p>3. Women who are older than 55 years can reside at the facilities for 5 years, following which they shall be relocated to an old age home</p> <p>4. Facilities are also open to children accompanying women: girls can stay up to 18 years and boys up to 8 years</p>	<p>and even small expenses for residents and children.</p> <p>5. The scheme also helps with legal aid, awareness generation, and telephonic counselling</p> <p>6. Women shall also receive vocational and skill training to help with their economic rehabilitation</p>	
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