

EDUCATION

TABLE 1.13 : DROP-OUT RATES OF SCHEDULED TRIBES STUDENTS

(In Percentage)

Year	Primary (I-V)			Elementary (I-VIII)			Secondary (I-X)		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1990-91	60.3	66.1	62.5	75.7	82.2	78.6	83.3	87.7	85.0
1994-95	56.9	61.3	58.6	74.5	80.0	76.7
1995-96	55.0	58.9	56.6	62.3	71.2	66.0
1996-97	54.4	60.0	56.5	73.0	78.3	75.2	82.5	86.8	84.2
1997-98	52.9	58.1	55.1	71.3	75.5	73.0	72.5	80.4	75.8
1998-99	54.8	56.8	55.7	70.1	75.7	72.4	79.8	85.1	82.2
1999-2000	51.0	54.2	52.4	69.5	75.3	71.9	79.7	84.3	81.5
2001-02	51.0	54.1	52.3	67.3	72.7	69.5	79.9	82.9	81.2
2002-03	50.8	52.1	51.4	66.9	71.2	68.7	78.4	83.0	80.3
2003-04	49.1	48.7	48.9	69.0	71.4	70.1	77.9	81.2	79.3
2004-05	42.6	42.0	42.3	65.0	67.1	65.9	77.8	80.7	79.0
2005-06	40.2	39.3	39.8	62.9	62.9	62.9	78.0	79.2	78.5
2006-07	30.6	35.9	33.2	62.8	62.2	62.5	77.8	79.8	78.7

Source: Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development