

SURVEY OF EDUCATION 2023

Most rural kids aged 14-18 can't do Class 3 math, 25% can't read

R RADHIKA New Delhi, January 17

MORE THAN HALF OF 14- to 18-year-old youths in rural India cannot solve a simple three-digit division problem...

The findings point to a huge skill deficit among adolescents, many of them only a few years away from entering the job market.

The 2023 report reveals that children in India continue to struggle with basic reading and arithmetic skills well into their teenage years...

Overall, of all youth aged 14-18, a quarter (26.5%) could not read Class 2-level textbook in their regional language...

Of those who could read, over a quarter (26.5%) did not understand the meaning of what they were reading.

Basic mathematics remains the biggest challenge. More than half of the surveyed students (56.7%) could not solve simple 3-digit by 1-digit division problems.

Further, ASER 2023 assessed the ability of youngsters to apply basic arithmetic and reading skills to everyday calculations, reading, understanding written instructions...

A REPORT CARD FROM THE CLASSROOM

% of children who can do everyday calculations

Table with 5 columns: Time, Weights, Length (easy), Length (hard), Unitary method. Rows for Male, Female, All youth.

% of children at different arithmetic levels on the ASER test

Table with 4 columns: Arithmetic level, Male, Female, All. Rows for Division, Subtraction, Number recognition.

measuring an object with a ruler, 85% of those surveyed could correctly identify it was placed at the 0 mark on the ruler...

national institution, being a major worry during the pandemic—that with livelihoods threatened, older children would drop out of school...

3 tactics India needs to pass German test

MHIR VASADVA New Delhi, January 17

TO REACH PARIS, India will have to do something they haven't done in a decade: conquer Germany.

When they last did this in regulation time, back in February 2015, India were nobody in women's hockey.

They barely played big teams, seldom won against them and the Olympics was something they'd only dreamt of and seen but never experienced.

It was, it was also a period of hope. A golden generation of players was expected to take the women's team to previously unforeseen heights...

Rising first to become an Asian force, making it to consecutive Olympics after not gracing on the grandest stage for more than three decades and once there, coming within sniffling distance of a medal.

They did all that and more. But Germany remained a team out of India's reach. The win in Valencia that February afternoon was the only time India have beaten them in regulation time in the last 20 years...

When they met most recently, a month ago on December 19, 2023, Germany won comfortably, 3-1 the scoreline read.

This puts into perspective the enormous challenge Savita Nuni—one of the two players in the current side who knows what it takes to beat Germany, Monika being the second—has to deliver in the semifinals of the Olympic Qualifier.

What makes Germany so good? Sjoerd Marjine, the Dutch coach who guided India to a fourth-place finish at the Tokyo Olympics, explains to The Indian Express: "They are very good at ball possession and protect



Play 'give-and-go' hockey, retain possession, and curb Germany's flanks-switching style, say former captain Rani Rampal and former coach Sjoerd Marjine

with their body. They call it ballsichern, something that's taught from the youth level. "When they control the ball, it's very difficult to snatch it from them..."

Germany, they both add, are solid while defending. "But they aren't defensive," Rani says. "Their forwards also defend well. This style gives them a solid base to launch attacks."

What makes Germany different—and hence difficult—is that they prefer playing horizontally rather than going vertically like India do.

in the front, always on the lookout to swiftly switch the flanks and take advantage of open spaces to attack.

"Because of their strong skills, they do that really well," Marjine, who is a performance coach with a football club in Belgium's top division, says.

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their toughest test yet in the tournament. The bumpy turf in Ranchi might make it difficult for Germany to play their usual style to quickly switch flanks and overload.

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Germany's horizontal structure means that if a player loses the ball, there's always someone to back her up.

Marjine adds that the mid-fielders and forwards will have to be careful to not go one-on-one with German defenders because of their strong tackling abilities.

Marjine and Rani say the team nearly ticked all the boxes during the match against Germany in Tokyo.

The team, under Schopman, raised their game even in the Pro League matches post-Tokyo. Yet, they could not beat them largely because they were unable to seize the moment.

"Germany have really experienced players who thrive under pressure. They have great individuals in the team," Rani says.

India haven't beaten Germany in almost a decade. There's an Olympic size carrot dangling in front of them to end the dubious run.

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NOTICE FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF KAMDHENU LIMITED REGARDING THE 01/2023-24 EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING TO BE HELD THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCEING (VC) (OTHER AUDIO VISUAL MEANS (OAVM) AND VOTING INSTRUMENTS

NOTICE is hereby given that the 01/2023-24 Extra-Ordinary General Meeting (EGM) of members of Kamdhenu Limited ("Company") will be held on Wednesday, the 30th day of February, 2024 at 10:00 AM (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC) (Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM")) in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") and Rules made thereunder and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") read with General Circular Notifications issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") and Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") (collectively referred to as "Relevant Circulars"), to transact the business set out in the enclosed Annexure.

Members will be able to attend the EGM through VC / OAVM. Members participating in the EGM through VC / OAVM facility shall be deemed to be present at EGM and their presence shall be reckoned for the purpose of quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.

In compliance with the Relevant Circulars, the electronic copies of Notice of the EGM along with explanatory statement and other documents required to be attached thereto, have been sent only by email on Wednesday, 17th January, 2024 to all the Members of the Company whose addresses are registered with the Company's Depository Participant as on the cut-off date, i.e. Friday, 12th January, 2024.

The Notice and other documents are also made available on the Company's website at www.kamdhenulimited.com and on the website of the Stock Exchanges, i.e., BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively and the e-voting website of National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) at www.evoting.nsdl.com.

M/S Mass Services Limited, a SEBI registered Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA) is appointed to provide a platform for convening the meeting through Video Conferencing, to handle and supervise the entire process of holding the meeting through Video Conferencing, e-voting, and processing of data relating to the meeting and voting. Further, Members can join and participate in the EGM through VC/OAVM facility only. The instructions for joining and manner of participation in the EGM are provided in the Notice.

Manner of registering / updating email addresses: AND Manner of registering / updating email addresses: a) Members holding shares in physical form who have not registered their email addresses can register their email address by sending request to the RTA as prescribed from ISK-1 and other relevant forms by mail to rick@kamdhenulimited.com or RTA at etwardr_ris@kintech.com. (Form ISK-1 is available at the website of the Company at www.kamdhenulimited.com).

b) Members holding shares in demat form are requested to register/update their email address with their respective DP's for receiving all communications from the Company electronically. Any person who becomes a shareholder of the Company is requested to register/update their email address with the Company as on the cut-off date for e-voting. i.e., Thursday, 18th January, 2024, may obtain the User ID and password in the manner as provided in the Notice of the EGM, which is available on the Company's website www.kamdhenulimited.com and e-voting website of National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) at www.evoting.nsdl.com. Such members may cast their votes using the e-voting instructions, in the manner specified by the Company in the Notice of EGM.

Instruction for remote e-voting and e-voting during EGM: a) In compliance with Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, Secretarial Standards - 2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, the Company is providing an e-voting facility to its members to cast their votes remotely, using the electronic voting system of National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) on 31st January, 2024.

Table with 2 columns: Commencement of remote e-voting, End of remote e-voting. Rows for Monday, 5th February, 2024 at 9:00 AM IST and Wednesday, 7th February, 2024 at 5:00 PM IST.

The remote e-voting will not be allowed beyond the aforesaid date and time and the remote e-voting mode shall be forthwith disabled by NSDL upon expiry of the aforesaid period.

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NOTICE INVITING TENDER UCO Bank invites bid for following through GeM Portal: 1. Provision of Hardware for implementation of Audio & Video Solution at Executive Training Centre, Kolkata & Central Staff Training College, Kolkata.

FORM NO. CAA 2 (PURSUANT TO SECTION 230 (3) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 AND RULE 6 & 8 AND 7) BEFORE THE HON'BLE NATIONAL COMPANY LAW TRIBUNAL CHENNAI BENCH AT CHENNAI CP(CAA)/58(CHE)/2023

IN THE MATTER OF SCHEME OF AMALGAMATION BETWEEN AMAY KNITWEAR AND FASHION MARKETING PRIVATE LIMITED (TRANSFEROR COMPANY) WITH GOODWILL VANUJA PRIVATE LIMITED (TRANSFeree COMPANY) THEIR RESPECTIVE MEMBERS

NOTICE FOR SANCTION OF THE SCHEME All the concerned authorities NOTICE is hereby given that by an Order dated 20.12.2023, the National Company Law Tribunal, Chennai Bench ("NCLT") has ordered to issue notices regarding the sanction of Scheme of M/s. Amay Knitwear and Fashion Marketing Private Limited ("Transferor Co.") with M/s. Goodwill Vanuja Private Limited. ("Transferee Co.") to the authorities concerned to receive observations, if any within 30 days from the date of the receipt of the notice.

In pursuance of the said Orders and as directed therein notice is hereby given to the authorities concerned: Registrar of Companies, Coimbatore, Regional Director, Southern Region, Official Liquidator, and the Income Tax Department, Circle 1 and Ward 1(2), Tirupur.

1. Copies of the aforesaid Scheme, and of the statement under Section 230 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 6 of the Companies (Compromises, Arrangements and Amalgamations) Rules, 2016 can be obtained free of charge at the Registered Office of the respective companies or from their Counsel Mr.A.G. Sathyanarayana, Advocate having office at No.-F-13, Moonbamba Complex, No.74, Lady Desika Road, Mylapore, Chennai-600004.

Any representations to the Scheme to be made within 30 days from the date of the receipt of the notice. Dated at Chennai on this 02nd day of January, 2024.

Sd// Vivek Vijay Sultana DIRECTOR DIN: 07043339

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Table with 7 columns: Particulars, Quarter ended 31.12.2023 (Un-audited), Quarter ended 30.09.2023 (Un-audited), Quarter ended 31.12.2022 (Un-audited), Half Year ended 31.12.2023 (Un-audited), Half Year ended 31.03.2023 (Un-audited), Year ended 31.03.2023 (Audited).

Table with 7 columns: Particulars, Quarter ended 31.12.2023 (Un-audited), Quarter ended 30.09.2023 (Un-audited), Quarter ended 31.12.2022 (Un-audited), Half Year ended 31.12.2023 (Un-audited), Half Year ended 31.03.2023 (Un-audited), Year ended 31.03.2023 (Audited).

For Osiajee Textfab Limited Sd// Rama Surya Managing Director DIN: 08292397

