Empowerment through Education

Promoting school participation, attendance, health, social and gender equality and preventing classroom hunger through Mid Day Meal Scheme (MDMS)

- 10.68 crore children in 12.12 lakh schools provided safe, hygienic, hot cooked meals daily
- 11.86 lakh schools provided with kitchen devices
- 6.72 lakh kitchen-cum-stores constructed
- 25.48 lakh cooks-cum-helpers engaged

Renewed focus on quality in MDMS

- Improved quality of the meal
- Group hand washing with soap before mid day meals
- Promoting school health
- Monitoring of access, quality, safety and hygiene by the Empowered Committee
- Online Monitoring and Social Audit
- Capacity building of cooks-cum-helpers
- Community involvement in management and monitoring
- Use of solar cookers

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