
Background on the importance of Youth for Viksit Bharat@2047

Viksit Bharat@2047 is the vision of the Government of India to make India a developed nation by 2047, the 100th year of its independence. The vision encompasses various aspects of development, including economic growth, social progress, environmental sustainability, and good governance.

As India stands at this crucial juncture, poised to take off on its growth trajectory, it is important to realize that tremendous dedication and belief in India's destiny, immense desire, potential, talent and capabilities of the Indians, especially the youth, coupled with steadfast leadership, is necessary to realize this potential. There is enormous work that needs to be undertaken in a mission mode to make India Viksit Bharat by 2047. Youth, who constitute the largest population group, has a huge role as they will be the vanguard to lead India to Viksit Bharat by 2047.

The Prime Minister has invited youth of the country to participate in India's bold, ambitious and transformative agenda Viksit Bharat @2047 by participating in a youth movement of "**Ideas from Youth for Viksit Bharat@2047**".

A webpage "**Ideas for the Vision of Viksit Bharat@2047**" has also been developed on mygov.in to enable youth to share suggestions on their vision of Viksit Bharat by 2047. On the portal, participants will be actively encouraged to contribute their suggestions on following three:

- i) How should a Viksit Bharat look like in 2047 in different aspects?**
- ii) What do we need to do to reach this goal?**
- iii) What can you do to make Viksit Bharat@2047 possible?**

Prizes will be awarded to 10 best suggestions received, 2 each in five themes (i) Empowered Indians, (ii) Thriving and Sustainable Economy, (iii) Innovation, Science & Technology, (iv) Good Governance & Security, and (v) India in the World.

India accounts for 20% of the world's total young population. Viksit Bharat is an enormous opportunity for them. Therefore, it is important that college and university students participate in **Ideas from Youth for Viksit Bharat@2047** enthusiastically and in large numbers.