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Education



Scan for HSD Pipeline Projects 2026-2028



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Teacher professional development,
School building infrastructure development,
Monitoring and evaluation system



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Average = 20, Minimum = 3, Maximum = 44



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QUESTION #3:

**What are the most common objectives
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- Output delivery
- Creation of framework / manuals
- Increased student enrollment



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QUESTION #4:

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1. Bangladesh (USD 3.88 billion)
2. Philippines (USD 3.42 billion)
3. Indonesia (USD 2.97 million)



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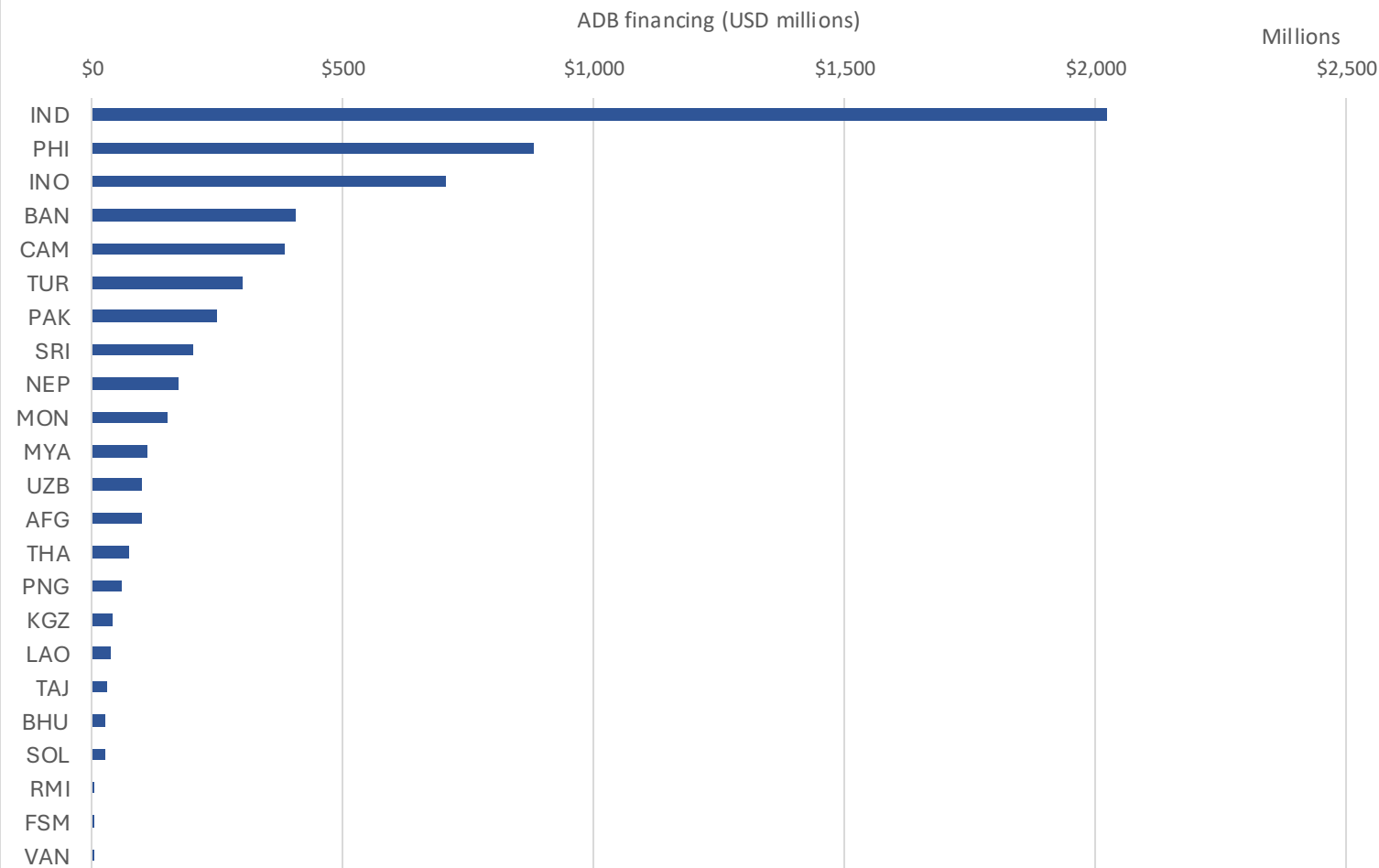


TOP 5 COUNTRIES

ADB financing, 2026-2028 pipeline

1. India (IND) — \$2,024M
2. Philippines (PHI) — \$880M
3. Indonesia (INO) — \$704M
4. Bangladesh (BAN) — \$405M
5. Cambodia (CAM) — \$385M

ADB Education Pipeline by Country (2026–2028)



A photograph of two young girls in school uniforms (yellow shirts and blue dresses) sitting on the floor in a library, reading books. Bookshelves filled with books are visible in the background.

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Pipeline 2026: List of Education Projects/Programs

Region	DMC	Project Title	Lending Modality	Amount (\$ in million)
CENTRAL AND WEST	Kyrgyzstan	Skills Development System Transformation Program	Results-Based Lending	39.50
	Uzbekistan	Modernization of Vocational Education for Green Economy Project	Project Lending	100.00
EAST ASIA	Mongolia	Preventing and Responding to Gender-Based Violence in Mongolia	Project Lending	1.00
	Mongolia	Sustaining Access to and Quality of Education During Economic Difficulties Sector Project (Second Additional Financing)	Sector Lending	130.00
SOUTH ASIA	Bangladesh	Supporting NextGen Education Program	Results-Based Lending	300.00
	India	Strengthening Karnataka Public Schools Program	Results-Based Lending	182.89
	India	Karnataka Higher Education Transformation Project	Project Lending	183.53
	Sri Lanka	Skills Development System Transformation Program	Results-Based Lending	100.00
SOUTHEAST ASIA	Cambodia	Skills for Future Economy Sector Development Program (subprogram 2 and additional financing)	Sector Development Program	85.00
		2026 TOTAL		1,121.92



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Pipeline 2027: List of Education Projects/Programs

Region	DMC	Project Title	Lending Modality	Amount (\$ in million)
CENTRAL AND WEST	Pakistan	Sindh Secondary Education Improvement Project (Second Additional Financing)	Project Lending	94.00
	Tajikistan	Modern Skills Development for Inclusive and Green Economy Sector Development Program	Project Lending	30.00
EAST ASIA	Mongolia	Developing Skilled Mongolian Workforce for Resilient Economic Growth	Project Lending	20.00
PACIFIC	Papua New Guinea	Education Access and Quality Improvement Project	Project Lending	60.00
	Republic of Marshall Islands	Lifting Educators and Advancing Results in Neighboring Islands (formerly Improving the Quality of Basic Education)	Project Lending	6.00
SOUTH ASIA	Bangladesh	Strengthening Agricultural Tertiary Education Project	Project Lending	105.00
	Bhutan	Skills Ecosystem Enhancement for Druk Project (SEED)	Project Lending	27.00
	India	Transforming Higher Education and Research for Industry Value Enhancement (THRIVE) Program	Results-Based Lending	450.00
	India	Tamil Nadu Manpower Investment for Livelihood Program (TAMIL)	Results-Based Lending	155.00
	India	Karnataka – Quality Upgradation for Employment and Skills Transformation (K-QUEST)	Results-Based Lending	113.20

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SOUTH ASIA	Nepal	Strengthening Stackable Technical and Vocational Pathways for Upskilling and Productivity (Previously: Enhancing Skills for Productive Employment Project)	Results-Based Lending	70.00
	Sri Lanka	Human Resource Development for Education Program (formerly Teacher Professional Development)	Results-Based Lending	100.00
SOUTHEAST ASIA	Indonesia	UBB Education Quality Improvement Project for the Center of Excellence of Minerals, Rare Earths, Green Energy, and Mining Health in Sumatra	Project Lending	34.16
	Indonesia	Capacity Enhancement for Research and Development on Advanced-manufacturing and Semiconductors (CERDAS)	Project Lending	20.00
	Myanmar	Social Protection and Resilience for Communities Project II	Project Lending	110.00
	Philippines	Advancing Climate-smart, Quality, Inclusive and Resilient Education (ACQUIRE)	Project Lending	600.00
	Thailand	Sustainable Agriculture Transformation through Innovation in Technical & Vocational Education and Training	Project Lending	75.00
		2027 TOTAL		2,075.36



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Pipeline 2028: List of Education Projects/Programs

Region	DMC	Project Title	Lending Modality	Amount (\$ in million)
CENTRAL AND WEST	Afghanistan	Sustaining Human Capital Project (Support for Afghan People) Phase 2	Project Lending	100.00
	Pakistan	KPK Inclusive and Resilient Education Project (KPIREP)	Results-Based Lending	150.00
	Turkiye	Twin Transition and Excellence Network in Vocational Education in Türkiye (METE-HUB)	Results-Based Lending	300.00
PACIFIC	Federated States of Micronesia	Improving Education Quality and Public Sector Management Project	Project Lending	5.00
	Solomon Islands	Senior Secondary Education Improvement Project Additional Financing	Project Lending	25.00
	Vanuatu	Supporting the Delivery of Skills Development Project (Additional Financing)	Project Lending	3.00
SOUTH ASIA	India	Odisha Skill Development Project Phase 2	Results-Based Lending	67.00
	India	Jharkhand Skills Development Project	Project Lending	91.00
	India	Supporting Young India Integrated Residential Schools (YIIRS) Program	Results-Based Lending	434.40
	India	Maharashtra Development and Reforms of Industrial Skills and Holistic Technical Education & Employment	Results-Based Lending	347.00



Pipeline 2028: List of Education Projects/Programs (cont.)

Region	DMC	Project Title	Lending Modality	Amount (\$ in million)
SOUTH ASIA	Nepal	Strengthening Tertiary Education, Research and Innovation for Vibrant Employment in Nepal	Project Lending	52.00
	Nepal	Building Readiness through Digital Education and next-Generation Employability skills [BRIDGE]	Project Lending	50.00
SOUTHEAST ASIA	Cambodia	Advancing Science Education in Secondary and Tertiary Education Project, Tranche 1	Multi-Tranche Financing Facility	100.00
	Cambodia	Advancing Science Education in Secondary and Tertiary Education Project	Multi-Tranche Financing Facility	200.00
	Indonesia	Strengthening Social Protection for Resilient and Inclusive Development (SPRINT) Program, Subprogram 1	Policy-Based Lending	650.00
	Lao PDR	STEM and Skills Training for Empowering Modern Youth (STEMY)	Project Lending	36.00
	Philippines	Advancing Skills, Competitiveness, and Enterprise Development	Project Lending	280.00
		2028 TOTAL		2,690.40