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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AD	Anno Domini
ASER	Annual Survey of Education Report
BPL	Below Poverty Line
CABE	Central Advisory Board of Education
CBSE	Central Board of Secondary Education
CIE	Cambridge International Examinations
DEO	District Education Officer
DISE	District Information System of Education
DPEP	District Primary Education Programme
ECCE	Early Childhood Care and Education
EFA	Education for All
MHRD	Ministry of Human Resource Development
IBO	International Baccalaureate Organisation
ICDS	Integrated Child Development Services
ICSCE	Council of Indian School Certificate Examinations
LJP	Lok Jambush Project
MDG	Millennium Development Goal
MDM	Mid-Day Meal scheme
MS	Mahila Samakhya
MTA	Mother Teacher Association
NAC	Notified Area Council (Nagar Panchayat)
NCF	National curriculum Framework
NCPCR	The National Commission for Protection of Child Rights
NEP	National Policy on Education
NFE	Non Formal Education
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
NPE	National Policy on Education
OB	Operation Black Board
PROBE	Public Report On Basic Education

PTA	Parent Teacher Association
RTE	Right To Education
SCPCR	The State Commission for Protection of Child Rights
SDG	The Sustainable Development Goal
SKP	Shiksha Karmi Project
SMC	School Management Committee
SSA	Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
TE	Teacher Education
UEE	Universalisation of Elementary Education
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation
UNFPA	United Nations Fund For Population Activities
UNICEF	United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund
WB	World Bank