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PREFACE

This publication presents the statistics relating to education in Punjab during the three years, 1947-48 to 1949-50. In the first few pages the relative position of Punjab among the more important States in the Indian Union has been shown, based on the information given in the Educational Statastics, 1947-48', published by the Government of India in the Ministry of Education. Subsequent pages give detailed information for each district in the Punjab, showing the exact extent of leeway which some of them have to make up in different sectors to come up to the general level of education in the State. This information has a practical value in planning the educational activities of the State, and allocation of funds earmarked for education.

Information was collected, for the most part from the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Punjab, and the Divisional Inspectors and Inspectresses of Schools. The figures for 1949-50 are provisional. The information relating to Industrial Schools was supplied by the Inspector and Inspectress of Industrial Schools, and the figures for expenditure by local bodies were obtained from the Local Self-Government Department.

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