UDISE+ Report 2023-24

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The **Unified District Information System for Education (UDISE) Plus report** shows a significant **decline in India's school enrolment**, linked to revised data collection methods.

- **Key Findings:**
  - **Decline in Enrolment**: Enrolment fell from **26.36 crore** (2018-2022 average) to **25.17 crore** in 2022-23 and **24.8 crore** in 2023-24, a drop of **1.55 crore students.**
    - **Government** school enrolment dropped by **5.59%,** and **private** school enrolment fell by **3.67%.**
  - **Gender-wise Trends**: Enrolment of **boys declined by 6.04%** and **girls by 5.76%**, compared to the 2018-19 to 2021-22 average.
  - **State-wise Declines**: Largest declines recorded in **Bihar (35.65 lakh)**, **Uttar Pradesh (28.26 lakh)**, and **Maharashtra (18.55 lakh)**.
  - **Level-wise Trends**: Decline observed across **primary, upper primary, and secondary levels**.
    - Enrolment in **pre-primary and higher secondary levels rose** in 2023-24 compared to the previous average.
- **Improved Data Accuracy**: **Aadhaar**-linked student records improved data accuracy by removing duplicates, including students enrolled in both government and private schools.
- **About UDISE+:** It is one of the largest **Management Information Systems** by the **Ministry of Education**, covering 14.72 lakh schools, 98.08 lakh teachers, and 24.8 crore children.

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