

APPENDICES

APPENDIX I

Ranking of Districts in Tamil Nadu on the basis of total literacy in all areas in 1981.

Rank	District	Literacy Rate
1.	Madras	68.40
2.	Kanyakumari	63.85
3.	The Nilgiris	56.52
4.	Coimbatore	53.10
5.	Tirunelveli	52.44
6.	Thanjavur	50.36
7.	Chengalpattu	48.00
8.	Madurai	47.36
	Tamil Nadu	46.76
9.	Tiruchirapalli	45.62
10.	Ramanathapuram	45.32
11.	North Arcot	40.89
12.	Periyar	39.81
13.	Salem	39.29
14.	Pudukkottai	38.69
15.	South Arcot	36.78
16.	Dharmapuri	29.00

Source : Census of India, 1981.