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In order to encourage enrolment, the Government policy in Bangladesh is to provide free text-books to all enrolled pri-

Some educational materials are distributed to the schools by the government through the Regional Directorates. It includes science and sports materials. The primary schools receive only a small portion of the total materials. Some educational materials are made available to the primary schools through the integrated Rural Development project. Seven such projects are in operation in various parts of the country.

In Nepal inadequate physical facilities remain the major problem in the primary schools. The local people have constructed primary school buildings throughout the country. But the quality of these buildings has been poor. One of the major constraints in the provision of school buildings is the lack of roofing materials. Some roofing materials were supplied by UNICEF at the request of the panchayats. The