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D.O.No. 23-5/2025-Stats
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Respected Madam/Sir.

The Department of School Education & Literacy (DoSE&L) has developed and launched the **"UDISE Plus – GIS Capture Mobile App"** on 2nd December, 2025 for all schools. The application enables the capture of photographic evidence of school locations along with accurate latitude and longitude coordinates.

2. It has been observed from the data previously submitted by schools that discrepancies have occurred in the geographical coordinates reported. Due to the earlier absence of device-based location capture, several mapped points either closely resemble yet deviate from, or significantly differ from, the actual physical locations of the schools.

3. It is pertinent to note that, in addition to schools, the data generated under UDISE+ is extensively used by multiple stakeholders such as parents, teachers, and other education functionaries. Accurate GIS mapping will greatly support effective planning, monitoring, resource allocation, and decision-making by enabling visualization and analysis of geographic information.

4. The Android and iOS versions of the **UDISE Plus – GIS Capture Mobile App** were released by Secretary, DoSE&L on 2nd December, 2025. The applications can be downloaded from the respective app stores using the links below:

Android (Google Play Store): https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=in.gov.udiseplus.gis
iOS (Apple App Store): https://apps.apple.com/app/udise-plus-gis-capture/id6752555474

5. All States and UTs are requested to ensure that the concerned officials at the State, District, and Block levels are duly apprised of this launch. They may be encouraged to make regular use of the GIS App and upload the required details through the application. Data uploaded through the app will be directly linked to the respective school's UDISE+ portal. The login credentials for the mobile application will remain the same as those used for UDISE+. States/UTs are also requested to conduct necessary training and capacity-building sessions to familiarize users with the features and functionalities of the application.

6. Detailed user manual and responsibilities of various users for the GIS App are enclosed for ready reference. For any technical assistance or clarifications, State/UT officials may contact:

a. **Sh. Saba Akhtar**, Senior Director (IT) & HoD, NIC – *saba@nic.in*
b. **Sh. Abhishek Kundu**, Scientist D, NIC – *abhishek.kundu@nic.in*

7. This may kindly be accorded **due priority**.

With profuse regards

Yours sincerely,

Enclosure: As above

2nd Dec 2025

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Pr. Secretary/ Secretary/ State Project Director, Department of School Education, State and UTs
Commissioner KVS, Commissioner NVS, Commodore Navy Education Society

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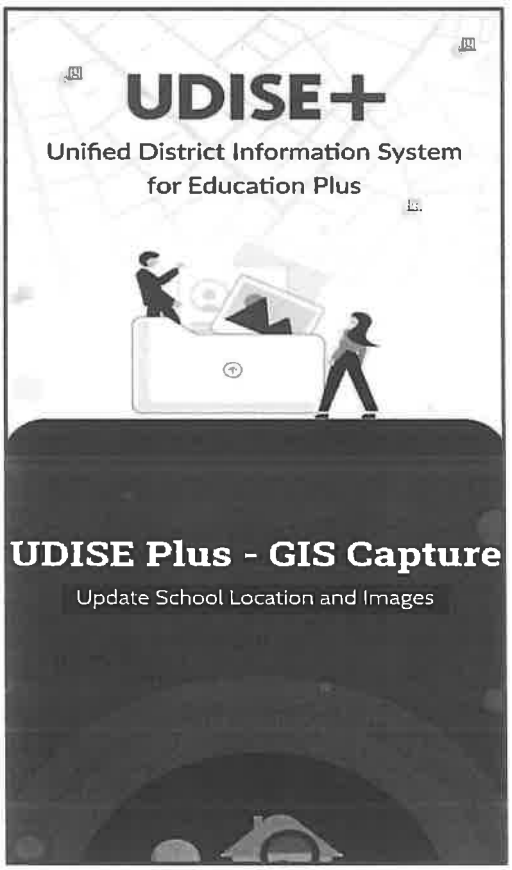
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USER MANUAL

UDISE+ GIS CAPTURE MOBILE APP

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1. Introduction

The Unified District Information System for Education Plus (UDISE+) is India's national platform for the collection, management, and analysis of school education data. It consolidates information from more than 14 lakh schools across all states and union territories, providing a unified source of truth for administrators, planners, and policymakers. The platform captures details on enrolment, teachers, infrastructure, facilities, and academic performance, and ensures that this information is available in a structured format to support effective decision-making.

Over the years, UDISE+ has become the backbone of educational planning in India by helping authorities identify gaps, monitor progress, and assess the outcomes of various schemes. However, traditional data formats have largely been textual and numeric, leaving out the important aspect of geographical accuracy, which is vital for transparent reporting, accessibility analysis, and spatial planning.

2. Overview of the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App

The Ministry of Education introduced the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App to strengthen the accuracy and reliability of UDISE+ data by capturing school geo-coordinates and uploading photographic evidence of infrastructure. The app extends the existing UDISE+ ecosystem and bridges the gap between statistical reporting and on-ground verification. Schools log in with their UDISE+ credentials, capture latitude and longitude through GPS-enabled devices, upload four mandatory images of the school premises, and submit the data for verification. The information moves through a structured workflow where the district verifies submissions, the state monitors them through view-only access, and the national administrator gives the final approval. Once approved, the data is published into the UDISE+ system and becomes part of the official school directory.

3. Existing Problems & Purpose

(a) Existing Problems

Despite being a comprehensive data management system, UDISE+ faced several limitations in its earlier form that affected the accuracy, reliability, and transparency of school records. These problems highlighted the need for a new mechanism to capture and verify school information:

(a) Many schools had missing or incorrect latitude and longitude details in the system.
(b) Some schools appeared more than once because they were assigned duplicate UDISE codes.
(c) Schools that had merged were still shown separately in the database.
(d) Schools that had closed were still marked as active in the system.
(e) There was no photo evidence to confirm whether a school actually existed or whether its infrastructure was correctly reported.

(b) Purpose: Why the Mobile App is Needed

The UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App was developed to directly address these problems and strengthen the education database with accurate, verifiable, and transparent information. The app serves as a vital tool to enhance the overall credibility of UDISE+ through the following objectives:

(a) The app captures each school's exact GPS location for accurate mapping.
(b) It ensures schools are correctly shown on digital platforms for planning and analysis.
(c) It makes photo uploads mandatory to verify school existence and infrastructure.
(d) It allows authorities to cross-check data with real on-ground conditions.
(e) It integrates GPS and photo data with UDISE+ records to improve database reliability.

4. App Download Instructions

To install the GIS, Capture Mobile App, users can scan the QR codes provided below based on their device type:

Android Users

Scan the QR code to download the GIS Capture Mobile App from the Google Play Store

iOS Users

Scan the QR code to download the GIS Capture Mobile App from the Apple App Store

Or To download and install the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App, click the links below:

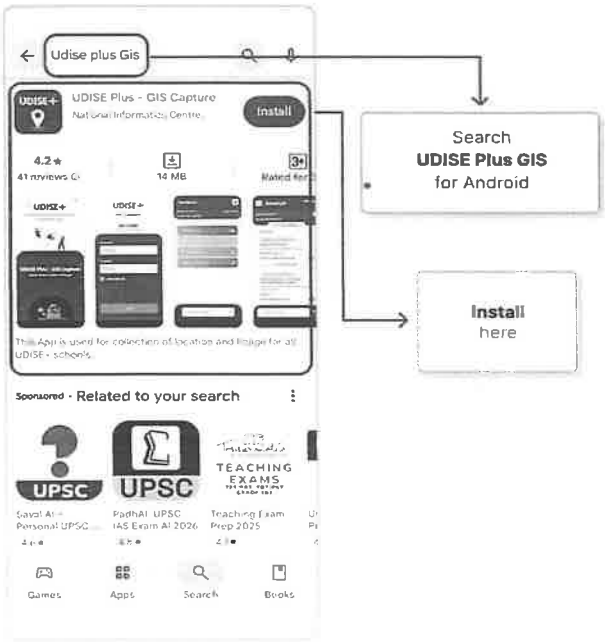
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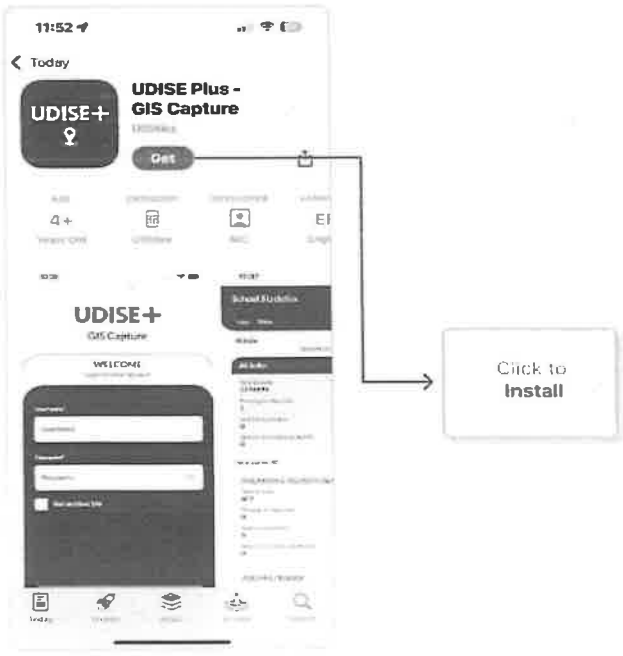
(b) iOS (Apple App Store):

https://apps.apple.com/in/app/udise-plus-gis-capture/id6752555474

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Search on Play Store



iOS User



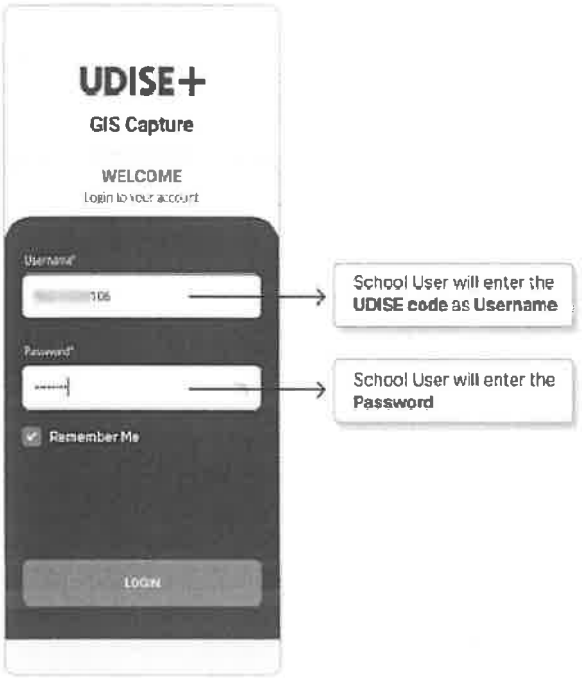
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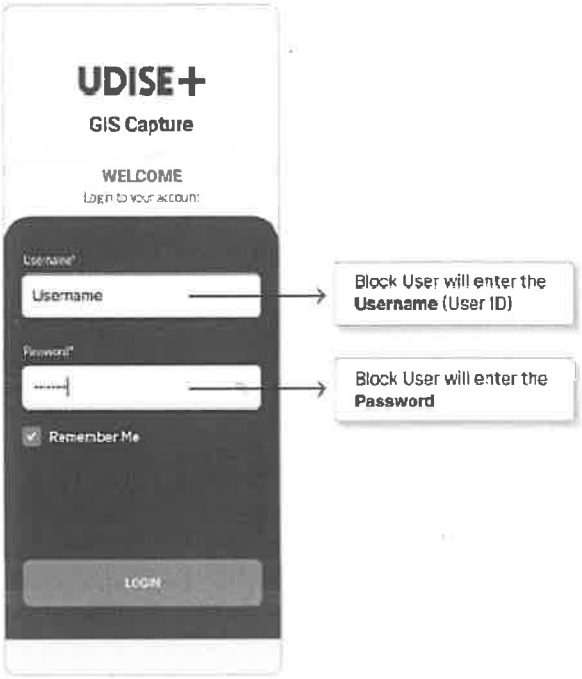
Step 1: Login with Credentials

The school user opens the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App and Login using valid UDISE+ credentials **(User ID – UDISE Code and Password).** The Block users can also Login whenever required with their assigned credentials and complete the location and photograph upload on behalf of the school.

School User Login



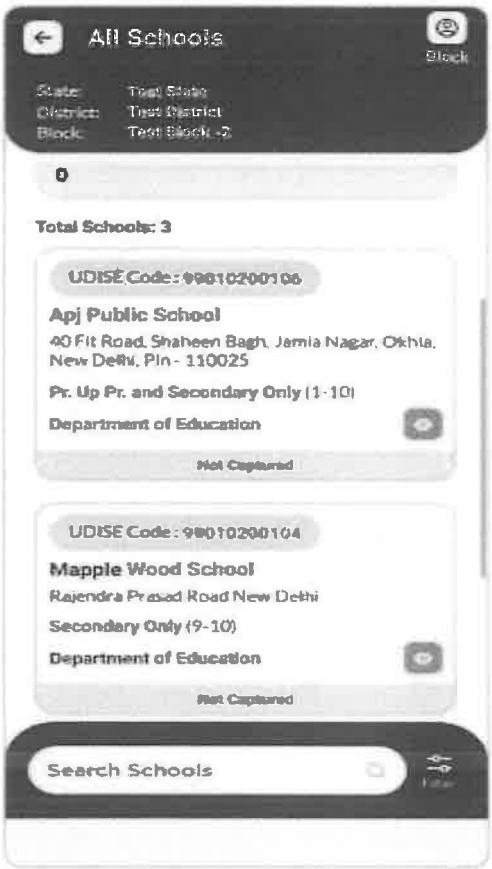
Block User Login



Step 2: Select School

If the Block user Login, the app displays a list of schools in the block for selection. If the School user Login, the app automatically opens the respective school's page and moves to the next step.

Block User's Screen

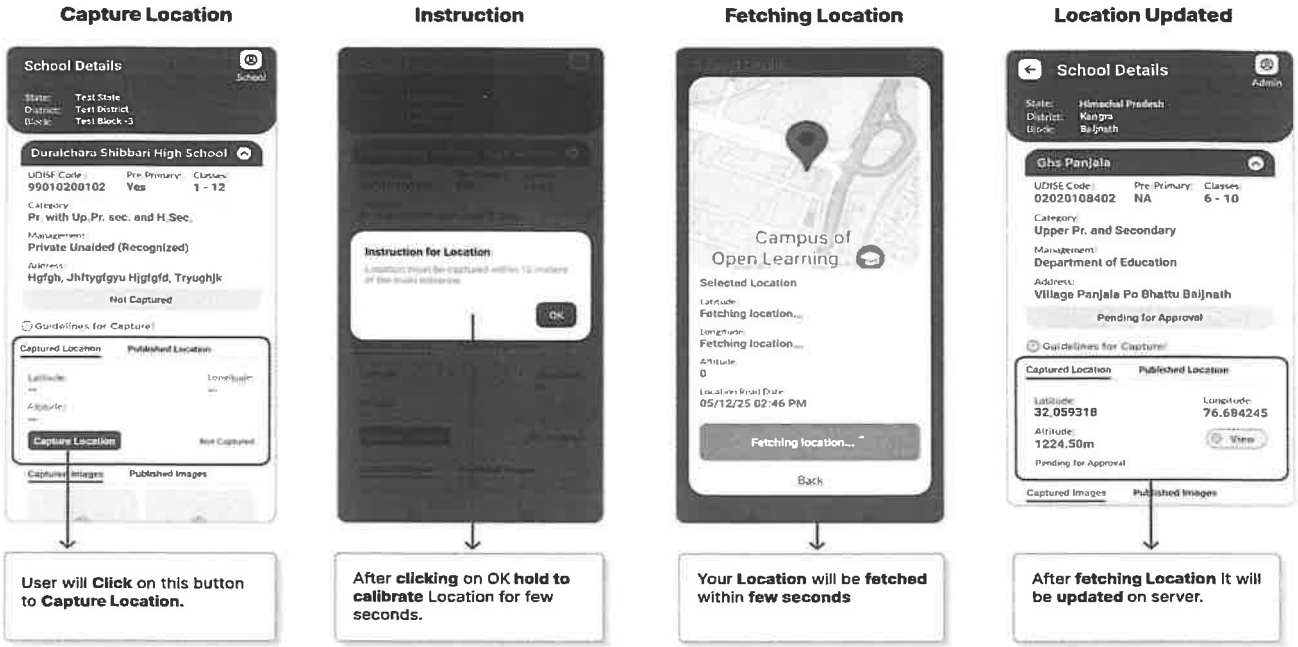


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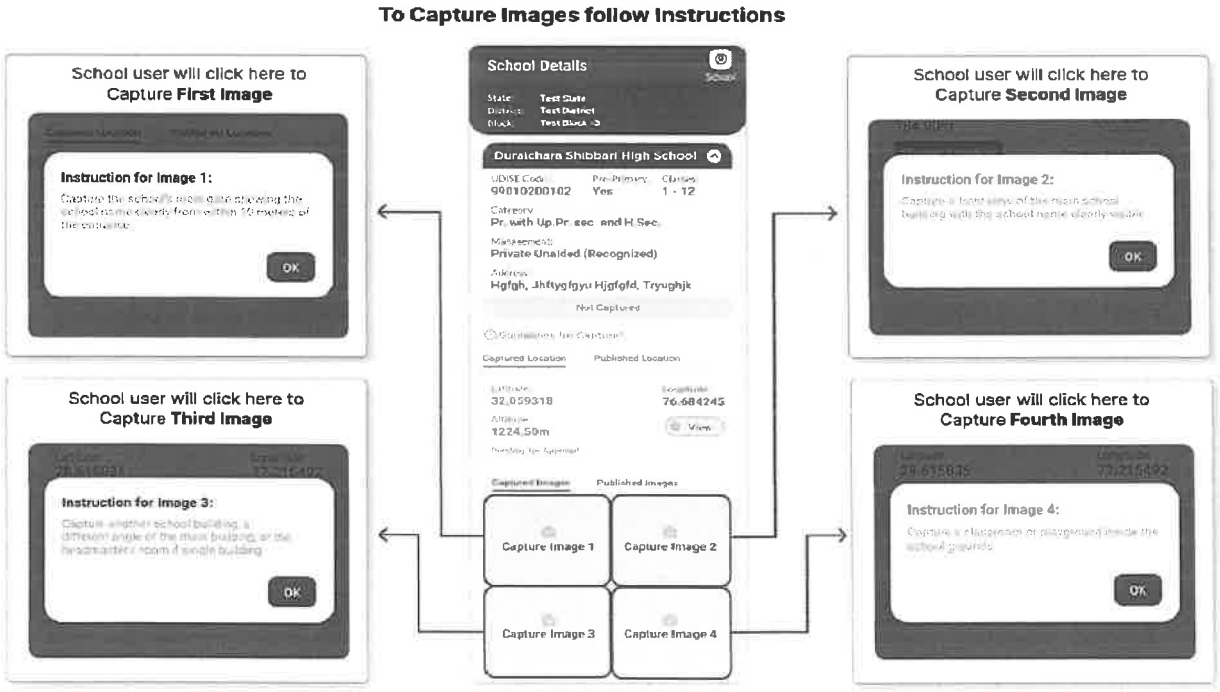


Step 3: Capture Geographical Location

In this step, the School or Block user enables the GPS on the mobile device and captures the latitude and longitude of the school premises. The coordinates should be recorded at the school's main gate or entrance for accuracy. The system displays the accuracy range, and the user must ensure it falls within the acceptable limit before saving.



Step 4: Upload School Photographs



The School / Block user uploads four photographs of the school premises. These include the main gate, the school building, a classroom, and other significant infrastructure. The photographs should be clear and properly represent the school facilities.

Images Captured



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View Full Screen of Image 1



① **Ensure** that the uploaded **image clearly shows** the main gate with the **School Name visible.**

Images Captured



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View Full Screen of Image 2



② **Ensure** that the uploaded **image clearly shows** the front view of the main school **building** with the **School Name visible**.

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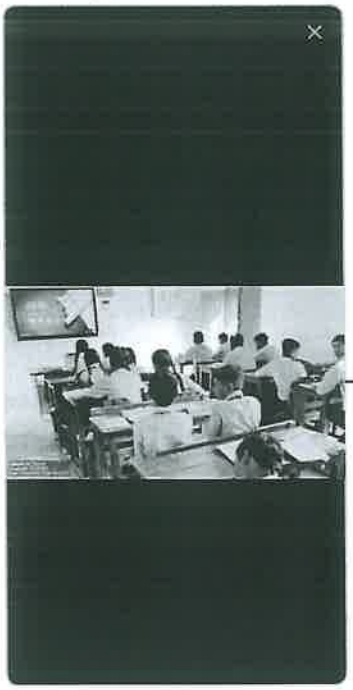
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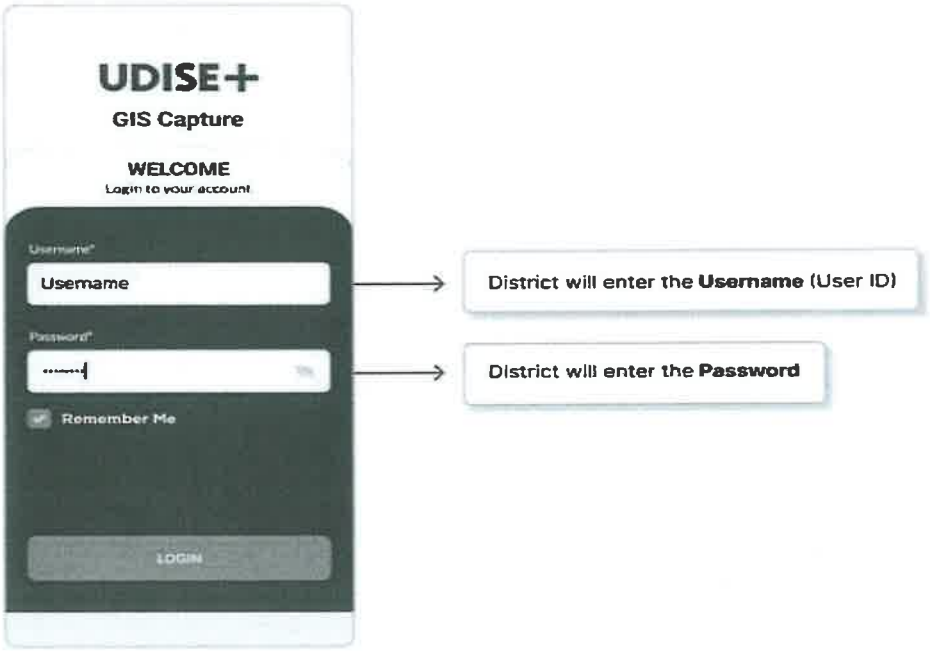
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Ensure that the **uploaded image clearly shows** a **classroom** or **playground** located inside the school premises.

(b) SOP for District

Step 1: Login with Credentials

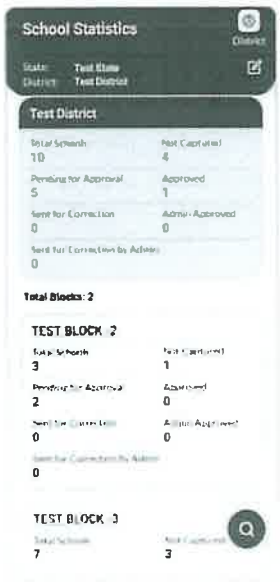
The district user opens the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App and Login using valid district-level credentials.



Step 2: Select Block and then Select School

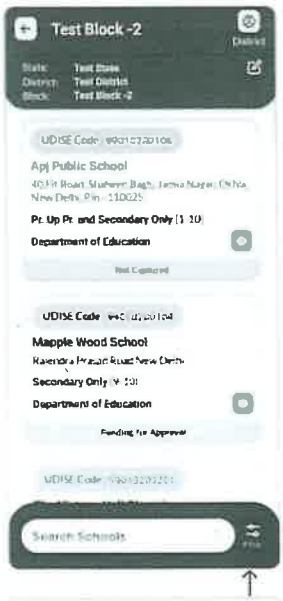
After login, the district user selects the Block from the list.

Select **Block**



After login, the **District User** selects the **Block** from the list.

Select **School**



Click on Filter

Select **Filter**



Select
Pending for Approval

Select **School**



The **District User** selects the **School** from the list of pending verification

Step 3: Verify and Accept/Reject Location

The district user reviews the geographical coordinates submitted for the school. If the location is accurate, it is accepted. If it is found incorrect or inconsistent, the location is rejected with a clearly stated reason so that the school or block can correct and re-submit.



Click on "Verify"



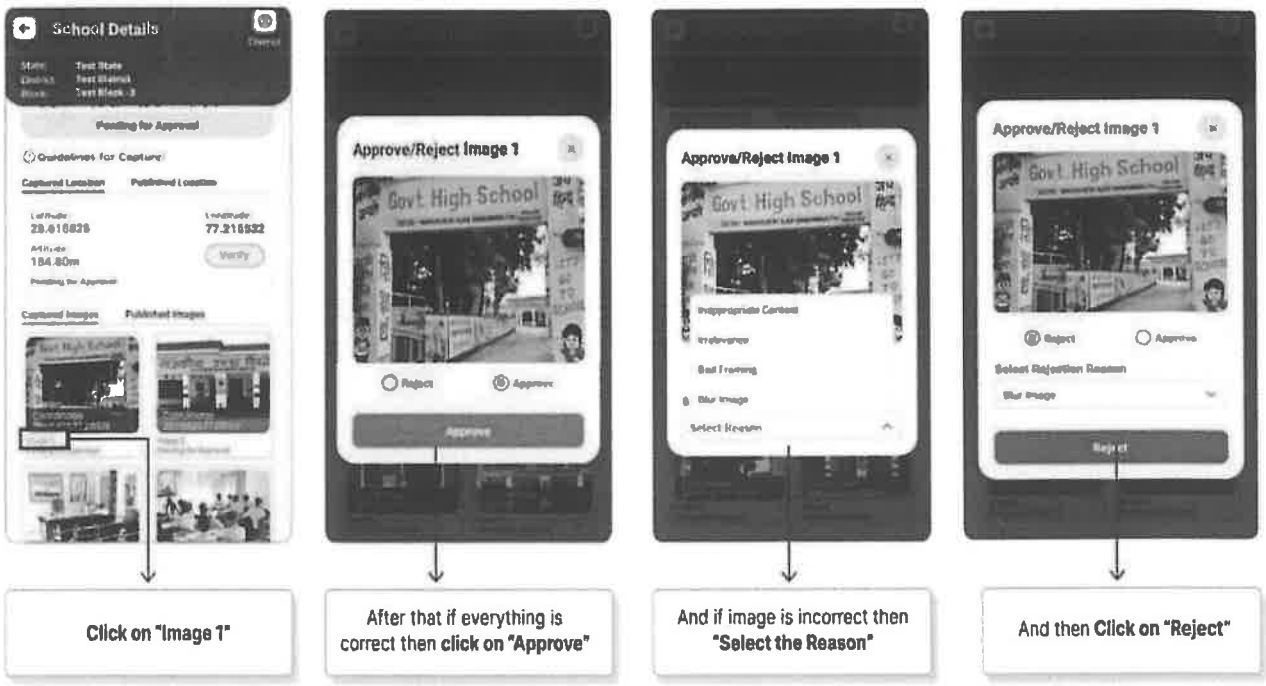
After that if everything is correct then **click on "Approve"**



And if location is incorrect then Select the Reason and then **Click on "Reject"**

Step 4: Verify and Accept/Reject Photographs

The district user examines the photographs uploaded by the school or block. If the photographs are clear, relevant, and match the school premises, they are accepted. If they are unclear, irrelevant, or insufficient, the photographs are rejected with a stated reason for correction and re-submission.



Similarly, the same process will be followed for the remaining three images - Image 2, Image 3, and Image 4, to verify that all uploaded images meet the required guidelines.

6. FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions)

i. **What is the UDISE+ GIS Mobile App?**
The UDISE+ GIS Mobile App is a mobile-based platform used to capture and verify school details through geo-tagging and photographs.

ii. **What is the main benefit of the GIS feature?**
The main benefit is transparency by capturing the location of each school.

iii. **What type of photo should I upload for verification?**
Upload a clear, front-facing photograph of the school building or entrance. Blurred or unrelated photos may lead to rejection.

iv. **Does the Mobile app require GPS to work?**
Yes, GPS must be enabled to capture accurate school location data. Without GPS, geo-tagging cannot be completed.

v. **Can submitted data be edited later?**
Yes, corrections can be made and updated at any time.

vi. **Is the data captured secure in the Mobile app?**
Yes, the Mobile app follows strict data security protocols, and all information is stored safely and securely.

vii. **How often should schools be geo-tagged?**
Usually once, but re-verification is needed if the school relocates or undergoes major changes.

viii. **What should I do if the Mobile app does not capture my location?**
Ensure GPS is enabled and move to an open area. If the issue continues, restart the Mobile app.

ix. **What happens if I accidentally upload the wrong photo or location?**
You can update both photos and location at any time.

x. **Where can I get support if I face issues?**
You can contact the support team at **udiseplus-mhrd[at]gov[dot]in**.

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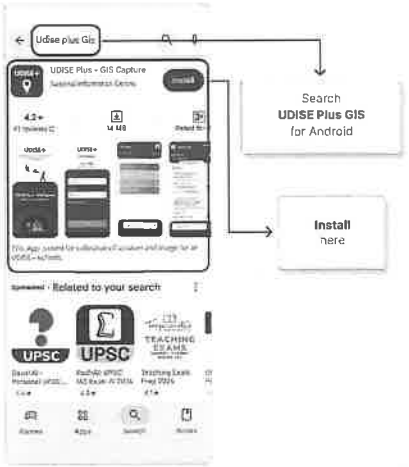
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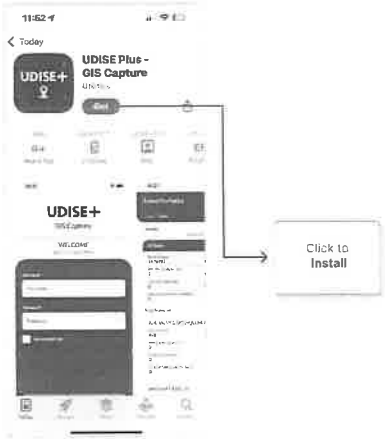
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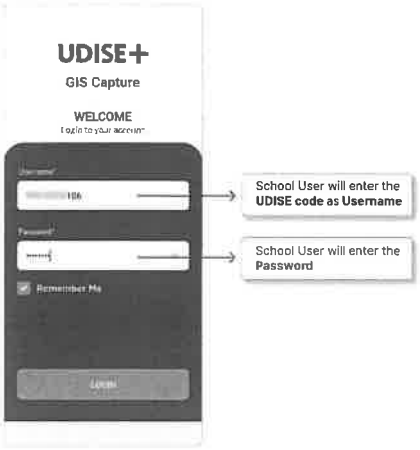
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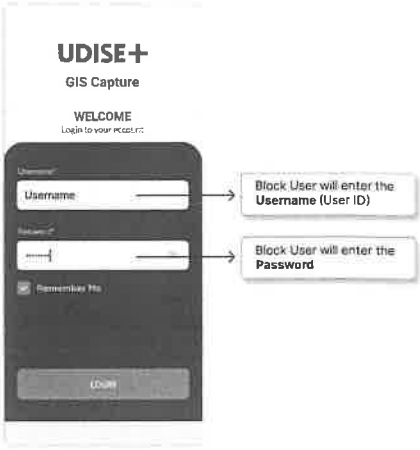
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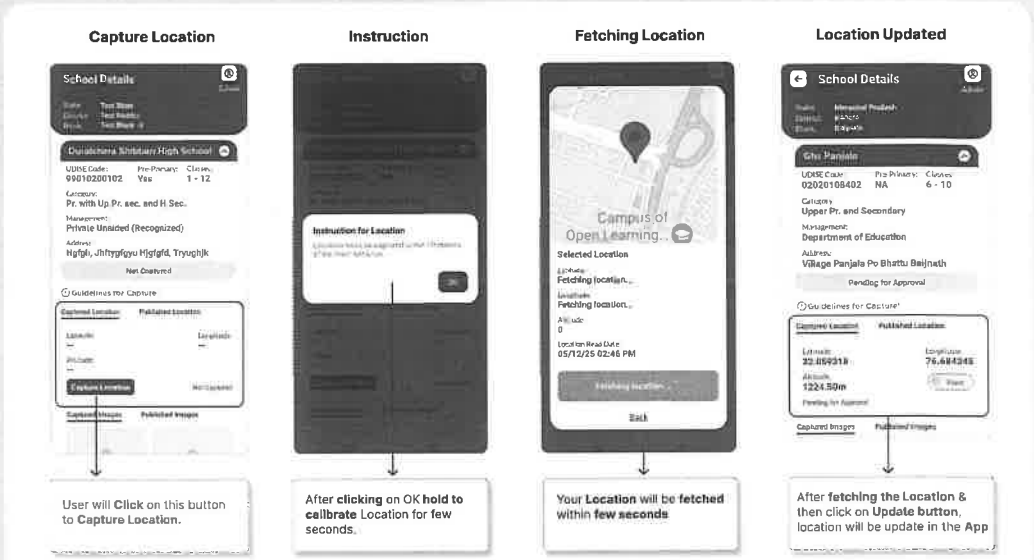
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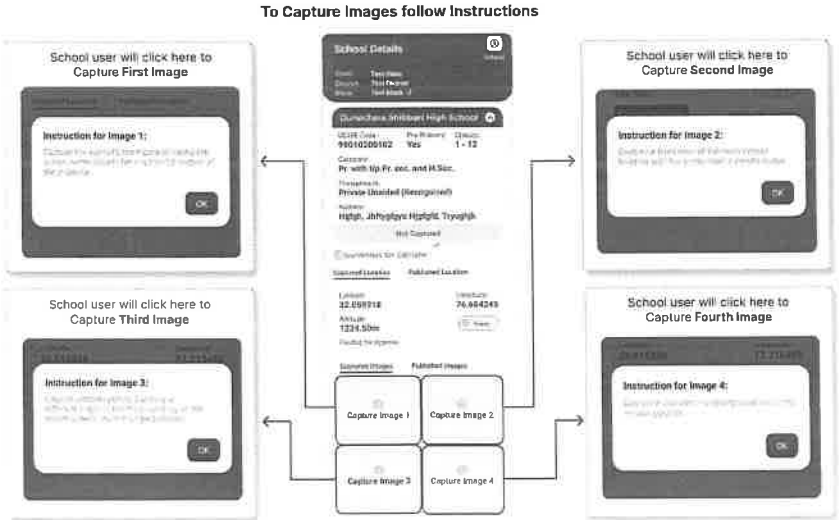
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District **Login**

The district user opens the UDISE+ GIS Capture Mobile App and Login using **valid district level credentials**.



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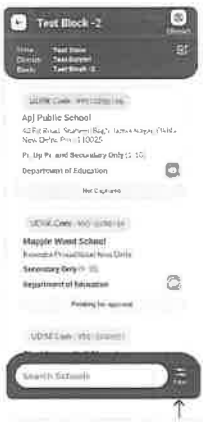
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Select **Block**



After login, the **District User** selects the **Block** from the list.

Select **School**



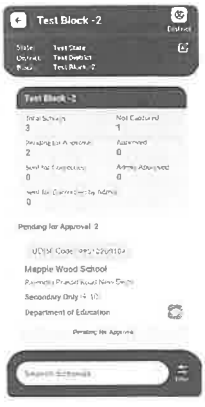
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Click on "Verify"



After that if everything is correct then **click on "Approve"**



And if location is incorrect then Select the Reason and then **Click on "Reject"**

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Verify and Accept/Reject Photographs



Click on "Image 1"



After that if everything is correct then **click on "Approve"**



And if image is incorrect then **"Select the Reason"**



And then **Click on "Reject"**

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