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## CM Yogi Adityanath promises jobs for 2 crore UP youths in 3-4 years

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LUCKNOW: Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on Sunday said that the state government will be able to connect over two crore youth of the state with jobs and employment in different sectors in the coming 3-4 four years. Addressing the closing ceremony of the two-day 'Lucknow Kaushal Mahotsav', Yogi said that the state government's CM apprenticeship training will cover seven and a half lakh youth.

Under the scheme, the government will give half the honorarium while the rest half would be given by an industry to the youth studying in the university and college. The Mahotsav was organised by the state government in collaboration with the National Skill Development Mission He said that the state government was carrying out a campaign under Mission Rozgar. "Connecting thousands of youth with jobs and

employment is a campaign to link Uttar Pradesh's scale with skill," he said, noting that when Prime Minister Narendra Modi announced the National Skill Development Mission, people used to wonder what this mission would be able to do. "Today, this mission has given a new flight, identity and platform to the feelings of crores of youth. In the last 6 years, the state government has provided skill development training to 16 lakh youth through PM Kaushal Vikas Mission, Uttar Pradesh Skill Development Mission and Shram and Seva Yojana," the Chief Minister said.

Yogi said that it was only recently that his government entered into an agreement with Tata Technology to connect the youth of Uttar Pradesh with skill development.

Through this, 35,000 youth will be given on-job and apprenticeship training. "We have told every industry coming to the state

to associate one or the other institution with them," he said, adding that the youth "will not have to migrate" and will get employment in his village and his district.

Yogi invoked former PM Atal Bihari Vajpayee saying that the stalwart leader had given a vision to India. The CM said that the idea of the Golden Quadrilateral was given to the country by Vajpayee. "Better connectivity was given to the villages through the Pradhan Mantri Gramin Sadak Yojana," he said.

The CM said that due to good infrastructure and a robust law and order, the possibility of employment for more than one crore youth in Uttar Pradesh in the next three to four years is being created by the investment in UP. He said that the state government is going to start `one family one ID card'. Through this, the state would be able to map every family in the state.

BJP leader Neeraj Singh, who played an important role in organizing the event, said, "As many as 112 renowned companies of the country have come to interview the candidates. This Kaushal Mahotsav will be written in golden letters in the history of Lucknow." He also thanked CM Yogi for his leadership.

Former deputy CM Dinesh Sharma, UP minister Anil Rajbhar, MLC Mukesh Sharma, former ministers Ashutosh Tandon, Dr Mahendra Singh, MLA Dr Neeraj Bora, Rajeshwar Singh, Yogesh Shukla, MLC Pawan Singh Chauhan, Ramchandra Pradhan, Diwakar were mainly present in the programme.

Raghavendra Shukla, Trilok Singh Adhikari, Anand Dwivedi and Praveen Garg were also present.