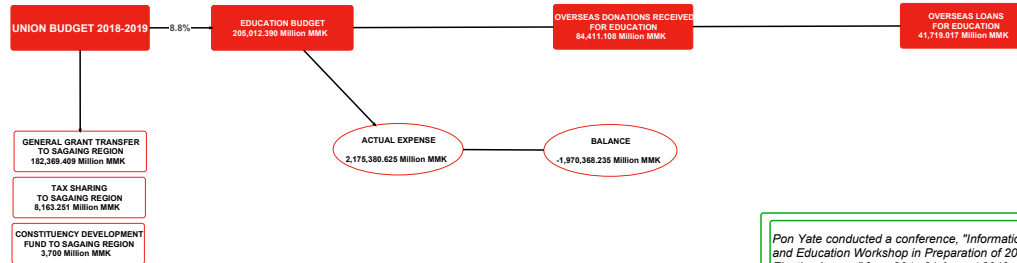
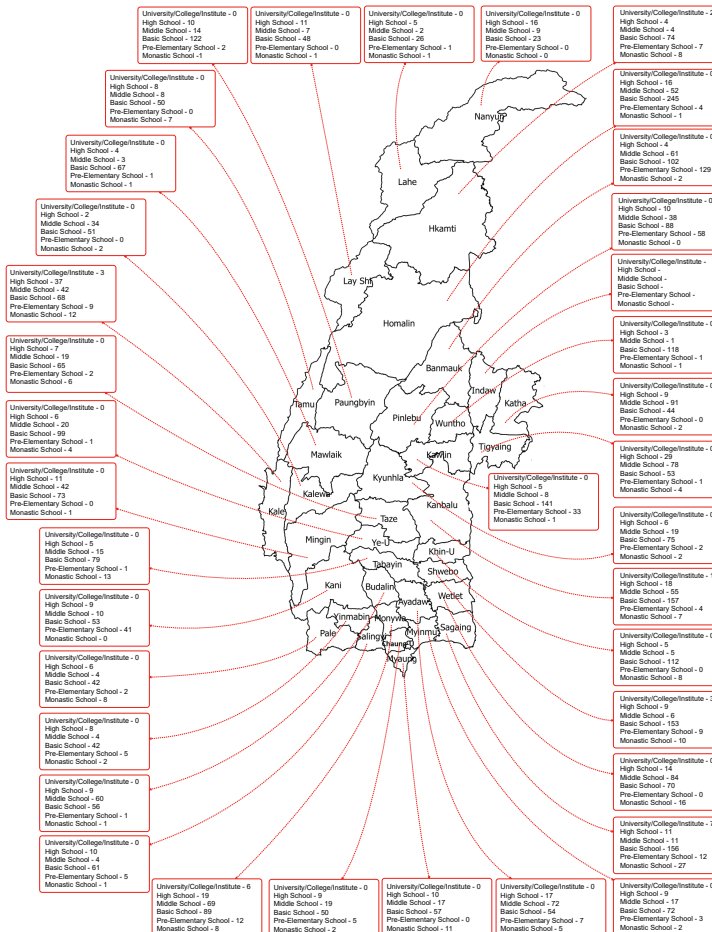




EDUCATION INFORMATION IN SAGAING REGION



GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS IN SAGAING REGION



Pon Yate conducted a conference, "Information and Education Workshop in Preparation of 2020 Election Issues," from 20 to 31 August 2019. Over seventy people including members of parliament and the civil society leaders from 14 States and Regions participated in that workshop. Fifteen topics, including "Education," were discussed based on the facilitation questions.

Findings and Recommendations from the Workshop

- Need to support more quality education and reform the system to include vocational subjects relevant to the region.
- The Government should recognize community schools through law and policy.
- Need to improve government schools, teacher quality, teaching methods, and implement more student-centered education.
- Need to increase libraries, teaching aids, and total budget.
- Need sufficient teachers and salaries in government schools, which will lead to the removal of the tuition system.
- The Government should make parents and the community aware of education rights.
- Entrance for higher education should not be decided by scores, but by the students' interests.