



**SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

No.SS/07/2023-24

Dated: 11/10/2023

**നോട്ടീസ്**

**ഒന്നാം വർഷ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികളുടെ ശ്രദ്ധയ്ക്ക്...**

- സെൻട്രൽ സെക്ടർ (CENTRAL SECTOR SCHOLARSHIP-FRESH) സ്കോളർഷിപ്പിനുള്ള അപേക്ഷ ക്ഷണിച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു.
- പ്ലസ് ടുവിന് **80%** നു മുകളിൽ മാർക്കുള്ള എല്ലാ വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കും അപേക്ഷിക്കാവുന്നതാണ്.
- കുടുംബ വാർഷിക വരുമാനം **4.5** ലക്ഷം രൂപയിൽ കവിയരുത്.
- അപേക്ഷകൾ <https://scholarships.gov.in/> (National Scholarship Portal) എന്ന വെബ്സൈറ്റ് വഴി ഓൺലൈൻ ആയിട്ടാണ് സമർപ്പിക്കേണ്ടത്.
- തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കപ്പെടുന്ന വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്ക് ഡിഗ്രി പഠനത്തിന് പ്രതിവർഷം **12,000** രൂപ വീതവും പിജി തുടർ പഠനത്തിന് പ്രതിവർഷം 20,000 രൂപ വീതവും ലഭിക്കുന്നതാണ്.
- അപേക്ഷകർക്ക് IFSC കോഡ് ഉള്ള ഏതെങ്കിലും **Nationalised/Scheduled** ബാങ്കിൽ സ്വന്തം പേരിൽ സേവിങ്ങ് ബാങ്ക് അക്കൗണ്ട് ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കണം. ഈ അക്കൗണ്ട് ആധാറുമായി ലിങ്ക് ചെയ്തായിരിക്കണം.

**അപേക്ഷിക്കേണ്ട വിധം**

1. <https://scholarships.gov.in/> എന്ന വെബ്സൈറ്റിൽ ന്യൂ റെജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ എന്ന ലിങ്ക് ഉപയോഗിച്ച് അക്കൗണ്ട് ക്രിയേറ്റ് ചെയ്യുക. മൊബൈൽ ഫോണിൽ ലഭിക്കുന്ന യൂസർ ഐഡിയും പാസ് വേർഡും ഉപയോഗിച്ച് **Fresh 2023-24** എന്ന ലിങ്കിൽ ലോഗിൻ ചെയ്യുക.
2. റെജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ ഫോമിലെ എല്ലാ വിവരങ്ങളും തെറ്റുകൂടാതെ എൻറർ ചെയ്യുക. ഈ വർഷത്തെ ക്ലാസ് തുടങ്ങുന്ന തീയതി **01/08/2023** ആണ് രേഖപ്പെടുത്തുക. പ്ലസ് ടു





## SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

മാർക്കിന്റെ ശതമാനം കൃത്യമായി രേഖപ്പെടുത്തുക. (റൗണ്ട് ഓഫ് ചെയ്യുവാൻ പാടില്ല)

3. റെജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ ഫോമിലെ വിവരങ്ങൾ പൂരിപ്പിച്ചു കഴിയുമ്പോൾ **Bonafide Student of Institution Certificate** അക്കൗണ്ടിൽ ലഭിക്കും. നിലവിൽ പൂരിപ്പിച്ച വിവരങ്ങൾ ഡ്രാഫ്റ്റ് ആയി സേവ് ചെയ്യുക. **Bonafide Certificate** പ്രിൻ്റ് എടുത്തു ഫോട്ടോ പതിച്ച ശേഷം കോളേജ് പ്രിൻസിപ്പലിന്റെ സൈൻ വാങ്ങിക്കുക. ഈ ഡോക്യുമെന്റ് സ്കാൻ ചെയ്ത ശേഷം **ഓൺലൈൻ ആയി അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്യേണ്ടതാണ്.**
4. അപേക്ഷയിലെ മുഴുവൻ വിവരങ്ങളും ശരിയാണെന്നു ഉറപ്പുവരുത്തിയ ശേഷം അപേക്ഷ സബ്മിറ്റ് ചെയ്യുക. അപേക്ഷയുടെ പ്രിൻ്റൗട്ട് താഴെപ്പറയുന്ന രേഖകൾ സഹിതം ഡിപ്പാർട്ട്മെന്റിലെ അധ്യാപകരെ ഏല്പിക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

അപ്പ്ളിക്കേഷനുള്ള സൗകര്യം (College Informatics Centre) ഇൻഫോമാറ്റിക്സ് സെന്ററിൽ ലഭ്യമാണ്.

### അധ്യാപകരെ ഏല്പിക്കേണ്ട രേഖകൾ

1. Printout of Application Form duly signed by the Student
2. Self attested copy of 10<sup>th</sup> Mark List
3. Self attested copy of +2 Mark List
4. Self Attested Copy of Aadhar Card
5. Bonafide Student of Institution Certificate
6. Income Certificate (Issued after May 2023)
7. Self attested Copy of front page of Bank Pass Book
8. Copy of College Admission Ticket/ Identity Card (Bus Pass)
9. Copy of Community Certificate (For SC/ST and OBC Students)

### അവസാന തീയതി:

- ഓൺലൈൻ അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പിക്കേണ്ട അവസാന തീയതി : **15-12-2023.**





## SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

- പ്രിൻറുട്ടും അനുബന്ധ രേഖകളും ഡിപ്പാർട്ട്മെന്റിലെ അധ്യാപകരെ ഏല്പിക്കേണ്ട അവസാന തീയതി: **20-12-2023**.

### പ്രിൻറുട്ട് ഏൽപ്പിക്കേണ്ട അധ്യാപകരുടെ പേരും ഫോൺ നമ്പറും

- Dr. Rency Kurian (**Mathematics**: Contact number: 7907685040)
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# **PRADHAN MANTRI UCHCHATAR SHIKSHA PROTSAHAN (PM-USP) YOJANA**

## **GUIDELINES FOR THE COMPONENT SCHEME – CENTRAL SECTOR SCHEME OF SCHOLARSHIP FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY STUDENTS (PM-USP CSSS)**

**(Applicable for academic year 2022-23 onwards)**

### **1. Objective**

To provide financial assistance to meritorious students from poor families to meet a part of their day-to-day expenses while pursuing higher studies.

### **2. Scope**

The scholarships are awarded by Ministry of Education, Government of India on the basis of results of Higher Secondary / Class XII Board Examination. A maximum of 82,000 fresh scholarships per annum are provided for pursuing graduate / postgraduate degree in colleges and universities and for professional courses, such as Medical, Engineering etc.

### **3. Allocation of Scholarship**

The total number of scholarships are divided amongst the State Education Boards based on the State's population in the age group of 18-25 years, after segregating share of CBSE and ICSE on the basis of number of students passing out from various Boards in the country. 50% of the scholarships are earmarked for girls. Out of the total scholarship slots earmarked for UTs of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, 3% slots shall be earmarked for the students from the UT of Ladakh. The number of scholarships allotted to a State Education Board is distributed amongst pass outs of the Humanities, Science and Commerce streams in the ratio of 3:3:1. In case of shortfall in the number of applications, the scholarship slots shall be interoperable among categories (Gen, OBC, SC & ST), gender (Female, Male) and State Quota to maximize use of slots for fresh scholarships with effect from academic year 2022-23, subject to the condition that guidelines of Ministry of Finance and NITI Aayog regarding SC/ST fund allocation of the schemes are adhered to.

### **4. Eligibility for Scholarship**

- i. Students who are above 80<sup>th</sup> percentile of successful candidates in the relevant stream from the respective Board of Examination in Class XII of 10+2 pattern or equivalent;

- ii. Pursuing regular degree courses and **not** correspondence or distance mode or pursuing Diploma courses;
- iii. Pursuing courses at colleges/institutions recognized by All India Council for Technical Education and respective Regulatory Bodies concerned;
- iv. Not availing benefit of any other scholarship schemes including State run scholarship schemes/ fee waiver & reimbursement scheme;
- v. Students with gross parental/family income upto **Rs. 4.5 lakh per annum** are eligible for scholarship under the scheme. Income certificate will be required only for the fresh applicants;
- vi. Student changing his/ her college/institute of study will be allowed to continue/renew the scholarship provided the course of study and the institution is having valid AISHE Code; The AISHE code can be checked in the portal <https://aishe.gov.in/aishe/aisheCode>
- vii. Students who missed to apply for renewal of application online on NSP will be allowed to apply for renewal of scholarship for subsequent year on NSP, if he/she fulfils eligibility condition for renewal;
- viii. For renewal of scholarship in each year of study, besides getting at least 50% marks in the Annual Examination, maintenance of adequate attendance of at least 75%, will also be the criteria. Complaints against the student regarding any in disciplined or criminal behaviour including any complaints of having indulged in ragging, will lead to forfeiture of scholarship;
- ix. Beneficiaries/ Applicants under the scheme must apply online in the National Scholarships Portal ([www.scholarships.gov.in](http://www.scholarships.gov.in)) for the fresh/ renewal scholarships. Fresh/Renewal applications sent directly to the Ministry of Education shall not be accepted.

## **5. Reservation**

Students belonging to reserved categories/weaker sections /minorities etc. are eligible to get benefit of reservation on the basis of merit, subject to Central Reservation Policy [i.e. 15% seats are earmarked for SCs, 7.5% for STs and 27 % for OBCs and 5% horizontal reservation for Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) in all the categories]. The Central Reservation Policy will be applicable in filling the slots against each year's target. If slots under a specific group is not filled after considering all the States/UTs, the vacant slots will be allocated to other categories so that maximum number of eligible students can get the benefit, subject to overall ceiling of slots.

## **6. Procedure for Application**

- i. The applications are received online only. Verification of credentials of the students like caste, educational qualifications etc. are done through DIGILOCKER facility of the MeITY, Govt. of India.
- ii. National Scholarships Portal (NSP) ([www.scholarships.gov.in](http://www.scholarships.gov.in)) will provide the timelines for opening & closing of the portal.
- iii. The Guidelines for application, verification, selection and disbursement of scholarship will be as per the NSP.
- iv. Selection list would be generated/displayed on NSP.
- v. Online applications will be verified at two levels i.e by the Institute, where the student is studying and thereafter by the concerned State Higher Education Department or any other Agency/ Official nominated by the State as State Nodal Agency (both for fresh and renewal applicants).
- vi. Latest guideline on Timelines will be made available on NSP.
- vii. Students will not be permanently debarred for scholarships due to delay to renew or verification. However, students will have to submit renewal applications within a cut-off date. Renewal for that year will not be allowed if an applicant misses this deadline.

## **7. Rate and Duration of Scholarship (from financial year 2022-23)**

The rate of scholarship is Rs.12,000/-per annum at Graduation level for first three years of College and University courses and Rs.20,000/-per annum at Post-Graduation level. Students pursuing professional courses, in case, where the duration of course is five (5) years/Integrated course will get Rs. 20,000/-per annum in the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> year. However, students pursuing technical courses such as B.Tech, B.Engg. will get scholarship up to graduation level only i.e. Rs. 12,000 p.a. for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year and Rs. 20,000 in the 4<sup>th</sup> year.

**Note:** The rate of scholarship is Rs.10,000/-per annum for first three years of fresh/renewal scholarships with respect to academic year 2021-22, even if the actual release happens in FY 2022-23.

## **8. Payment of Scholarship**

Students are required to have the bank accounts opened, especially, in their name for availing the benefits under the scheme. The scholarship will be disbursed directly into the savings bank accounts of the beneficiaries through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT)

mode. The student can track their payment status from the template “Know Your Payment” in the Public Financial Management System (PFMS) portal [ <https://pfms.nic.in/Users/LoginDetails/Login.aspx>] either by indicating Aadhaar number or bank account number or NSP Application ID.

#### **9. For Colleges/Universities**

College and Universities will apprise the students about the “PM-USP CSSS” during admission. Aadhaar based authentication of Institute Nodal Officer (INO)/ State Nodal Officer (SNO) is mandatory for every Institution/State before verification of the applications. INO/SNO should be a regular employee.

#### **10. For State Government/State Boards**

Adequate publicity of the scheme may be initiated through the Schools/ Colleges/ Institutions to create awareness and to facilitate/ assist the applicants in rural area to apply for scholarship online on NSP.

#### **11. Grievance Redressal**

In case of any grievances/complaint regarding the above scheme, the same may be registered to the following link:

<http://pgportal.gov.in/grievancenew.aspx>

other than to the Nodal Officer whose email is available on NSP portal (Services Tab).

#### **Contact us:**

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West Block 1, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Wing 6, Room No. 6,  
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