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Directorate of Hr. Education
Himachal Pradesh

शिक्षा निदेशालय उच्चतर शिक्षा

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To

1. All the Principals
Govt. Degree / Sanskrit Colleges
in Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Deputy Director, Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh

Subject:- Regarding Sanskrit Scholarship Scheme from Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan.

Memo,

It is to inform you that Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan implements various Central Government Schemes for the enrichment and dissemination of Sanskrit language and literature. The Govt. of India awards scholarships through Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan to meritorious students of Sanskrit related institutions throughout the country. The Sansthan also awards a merit scholarship on all India basis to regular students pursuing studies in Sanskrit including Pali/Prakrit in any recognized school/college/ university from 9th class to 12th standard and the levels of Graduation/Post Graduation/Ph.D.

The application for this scholarship will be invited by Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan New Dehli through advertisement in popular newspapers in all India every year in between July to August month. Online applications also be invited from the students for award of Sanskrit Scholarship by the Sansthan for which you may visit the website of the Sansthan(www.sanskrit.nic.in) and get your institution registered with the Sansthan. Guidelines for award of Sanskrit Scholarship i.e. eligibility criteria and terms and conditions is attached herewith for ready reference.

Therefore, all the Principal Govt. Degree / Sanskrit colleges and Principals of Govt. Sr. Sec. School in H.P. are directed to get their institution registered with Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan New Dehli and submit online applications of eligible students for award of Sanskrit Scholarship and all the Deputy Director of Higher Education also directed to issue instructions in this regards to all the Principals of Govt. Sr. Sec. Schools under their control and submit consolidated report to this Directorate before 25th August every year. This will be given top priority being scholarship matter.

(Dr. Amarjeet K. Sharma)
Director Hr. Education
Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No. even dated July, 2019

Copy for necessary action and information to:-

1. The Registrar, Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan Deemed university 56-57 Institutional Area Janakpuri New Dehli -110058.
2. ✓ The incharge IT Cell Directorate of Hr. Education H.P. to upload this on Departmental website.

Director Hr. Education
Himachal Pradesh.

Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan

Deemed University

(Established under the Auspices of the Ministry of H.R.D., Govt. of India)

56-57, Institutional Area,

Janakpuri, New Delhi:-110058.

Accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade

Guidelines for award of Scholarship to students of Sanskrit Pathshalas/Mahavidyalayas/ Secondary/Higher Secondary Schools/Colleges/Universities during the year-2018-19 under the scheme for Development of Sanskrit Education.

Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan (Deemed University), New Delhi established under the auspices of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, invites on-line application in the prescribed form for award of merit Scholarship to:-

- (i) The regular students who have passed the previous examination with Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a compulsory/optional subject during the academic session 2017-2018 and pursuing Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a main or optional subject in any recognized Sanskrit Pathshalas/Sanskrit Mahavidyalaya/ Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya in Traditional Stream or School/College/University in Modern Stream pursuing Purva-Madhyama(1st year)/9th standard, Purva-Madhyama(2nd year)/10th standard, Uttar-Madhyama/Prakshastri(1st year)/11th standard, Uttar-Madhyama/Prakshastri(2nd year)/12th standard, Shastri/ B.A (1st/2nd/3rd year), Acharya/M.A.(1st/2nd year) or Vidyawaridhi/Ph.D. or equivalent.

- (ii) Eligibility criteria for scholarship is as following :-

S. No.	Courses of study for which Scholarship is given	Eligibility Criteria	Scholarship amount
1.	Class 9 th and 10 th standard/Purva-Madhyama or equivalent courses with Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a paper of at-least 100 marks.	Must have passed the previous examination (i.e. 8 th class for eligibility to 9 th class and 9 th class for eligibility to 10 th class) of the respective class with a minimum of 60% marks or equal grade in overall and 60% marks or equal grade in Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit. The students should have opted Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit also in the current class.	Rs.250/- p.m. for 10 months
2.	Class 11 th and 12 th standard/Prakshastri/Uttarmadhyama or equivalent courses with Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a paper of at-least 100 marks.	Must have passed the previous examination (i.e. 10 th class for eligibility to 11 th class and 11 th class for eligibility to 12 th class) of the respective class with a minimum of 60% marks or equal grade in overall and 60% marks or equal grade in Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit. The students should have opted the Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit also in the current class.	Rs.300/- p.m. for 10 months
3.	Shastri/Graduaton/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or equivalent course of three years duration with Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a subject of atleast 100 marks.	Must have passed Intermediate/Higher Secondary (12 th class) level examination with minimum 60% marks or equal grade in overall subject and also 60% marks or equal grade in the Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit for B.A.-1 st year, for Graduation Second year & Third year, the candidate passed previous two semester/one year in each class and the students should have opted the Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit also in the current class.	Rs. 400/- p.m. for 10 months
4.	Acharya/M.A. Degree in Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit or equivalent Post-Graduation Degree.	Must have passed Graduation (B.A.-III) with at-least 60% marks or equal grade in the aggregate and also in concerned Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit, for Post Graduation second year, the candidate passed previous two semester/one year in each class with minimum 60% marks or equal grade in graduation and the students should also pursue the Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit in the current class.	Rs.500/- p.m. for 10 months
5.	Vidyawaridhi/Ph.D. or equivalent in Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit.	Must have passed Acharya or M.A. in Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit with at-least 60% marks in the aggregate. The registration of the candidate in Ph.D. course should be done before advertisement and not more than two years from the date of registration.	Rs.1500/- p.m. +Rs.2000/- per year as contingent for two years.

Relaxation :- Eligibility criteria for minimum percentage of marks for the candidates belonging to the categories mentioned below shall be as under :-

OBC	-	55%
SC/ST	-	50%

Terms & Conditions:-

- 1- Students must have opted for the subject i.e. Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit in the present class of Study for which he /she has applied for the Scholarship. However, the grants of Scholarship will depend on the marks secured in the previous class of study in the concerned above subject and overall percentage.
- 2- The Scholarship will of the concerned Academic year tenable for one Academic year i.e (10 months) starting from the 1st July and ending with 30th April. As Scholarship is awarded only for one academic year on the basis of marks obtained in the previous examination, students have to apply every year afresh. It will not be renewed automatically.
- 3- The Scholarship for the Ph.D/Vidyavaridhi will be tenable for two full years i.e. 24 months subject to satisfactory progress report. The scholar shall send Utilization Certificate and Progress Report on the work done by the scholar through the Guide and Head of the Department, to enable the Sansthan to consider the Scholarship for the second year.
- 4- As per guidelines of the Scheme, a list of the students provisionally eligible for the award of scholarship will be sent through E-mail or By post, to the Principal/H.O.D./Dean of the concerned institution for verification.
- 5- The details of the students, verified by the Principal/H.O.D./Dean of the concerned institution shall be countersigned by the following respective authority:-
 - (i) For Affiliated schools - Director of Education State/District Education Officer/ Block Education Officer.
 - (ii) For Govt. Schools -Principal of concerned School.
 - (iii) For Kendriya Vidyalaya - Principal of concerned School.
 - (iv) For Govt. Colleges -Principal of the concerned College.
 - (v) For affiliated Colleges -Registrar of the affiliating University.
 - (vi) For affiliated institutions of Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan - Principal of affiliated institution.

Scholarship will be released, subject to receipt of the hard copy of verified details of the student by the respective Principal/HOD/Dean and countersigned by the above respective authority within the prescribed time frame.

- 6- **The details of the student countersigned by any authorities other than the above will not be entertained.**
- 7- The following scanned documents need to be uploaded in the appropriate place while submitting the application :-
 - The relevant mark-sheet.
 - The bank pass-book details where the applicant has an account in his/her name (the first page of the passbook where details along with the photograph is available)
 - Aadhar card of the applicant.
 - Caste/Category certificate of reserved category (S.C/S.T/O.B.C/Divine Body(P.H.) from the appropriate authority in the name of the applicant.
- 8- Bank account should be linked with Aadhar number.
- 9- The Scholarship amount will be payable from the 1st July of every academic year. The amount will be released to the account of student(s) directly through E-transfer/NEFT and an intimation letter will be sent through E-mail or By post to the concerned Vidyalaya /institution/University for information.
- 10- If, a student is in receipt of any Scholarship / monetary benefit from any other institution during this academic year, will not be considered for award of any scholarship of the Sansthan under this Scheme. A student who accepts any remunerative job during the tenure of the Scholarship or undertakes to any other course of study which does not have component of Sanskrit will be disqualified from receiving this Scholarship.

- 11- Every student will be required to submit application form in the prescribed proforma indicating interalia :-
- (i) He/She is pursuing a course of study with Sanskrit/Pali/Prakrit as a regular student for which he/she has applied for the Scholarship.
 - (ii) He/She is not in receipt of any other Scholarship or Stipend from any other source.
 - (iii) He/She is not employed anywhere.
 - (iv) If the student is awarded Scholarship from any other source and/or is employed he/she will immediately inform the Sansthan through proper channel.
- 12- For awarding scholarship to the students, who have joined MA after completing B.Ed. the marks obtained by the applicant in BA class will be taken into account provided; there is no gap in the study. Likewise if a student joined Ph.D after completing B.Ed/M.Ed./M.Phil the marks obtained by his/her in M.A. will be taken into account for award of scholarship. It is also clarified that in case of Ph.D. scholars, the gap of not more than two years after M.A., can be allowed.
- 13- The student will be considered for scholarship, if he/she has undergone a course of not less than one year or two semesters in Sanskrit.
- 14- The marks obtained in Sanskrit as additional subject will also be considered for the purpose of scholarship.
- 15- The merit would be prepared by taking into account the overall grade/percentage plus grade/percentage obtained in Sanskrit. However for student of Sanskrit honours or traditional stream students, the overall grade/percentage obtained in Sanskrit Honours/Traditional streams will be taken for consideration.
- 16- In the column "State" as mentioned in the on-line application, the applicant is required to indicate the name of the State where he is studying .
- 17- Wherever, the Marks of the Modern Indian Language-1/2/3 is given in the mark sheets, Sanskrit language as a subject shall clearly be indicated
- 18- A student should apply for scholarship only once in the duration of every academic session.
- 19- The relaxation in the required percentage to the S.C., S.T. & OBC student will be given on furnishing of the caste certificate by his/her own name from the designated authorities. The caste certificate in the name of parents or any family members of the applicant will not be entertained.
- 20- The Applications received prior to the date of advertisement, submitted off line, incomplete, filled in old format, separately printed and received after due date will not be entertained
- 21- The total number of scholarships will depend on availability of the funds. The list of awardees will be prepared based on a cut off percentage of marks obtained by the students in their previous classes.
- 22- The Sansthan reserves the right to carry out any changes in these terms and conditions as it may consider necessary. The Sansthan also reserves the right to reject any application without assigning any reason. The decision of the Sansthan in this regard will be final and binding.

Registrar