

Akole Taluka Education Society's

Agasti Arts, Commerce and Dadasaheb Rupwate Science College, Akole

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Assessment and Accreditation

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DIST. AHMEDNAGAR

5.1.2. POLICY DOCUMENT

FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

AND

FREESHIPS

1. GOALS OF AWARDING SCHOLARSHIPS TO STUDENTS

- 1.1 In order to financially assist
 - (a) Meritorious students coming from weaker economic background,
 - (b) girl students and
 - (c) Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Nomadic Tribes (NT), Special Backward Class (SBC) and Other Backward Caste (OBC) students, the Institute provides with the help of state government and central government
 - (i) Scholarships,
 - (ii) Tuition Fee Waivers (Free ship),

and any other facilities from its own funds as per government policies and guidelines applicable at the time of the award.

- 1.2 In order to promote the study at the post graduate level, the Institute may award various scholarships from funds obtained from other governmental or non-governmental sources.
- 1.3 In order to promote research and development in a specified field, the Institute may award various scholarships, prizes and medals to its undergraduate as well as post graduate students either from its own funds or from funds obtained from other governmental or non-governmental sources.

Details of the various schemes:

Department Name

1. Social Justice and Special Assistance

Overview

- 1) Providing financial assistance for education.
- 2) Providing financial assistance for education.
- 3) To reduce the drop in education leakage.
- 4) Creating a passion for higher education.
- 5) Providing students the opportunity to go to the mainstream of education through education.
- 6) Scholarship scheme to avoid transparency, co-ordination and delay.
- 7) Benefits of Tuition Fees, Exam Fees and Maintenance Allowance are paid to only SC category students.
- 8) Candidate family income should be less than or equal to 2, 50,000/-

Benefits

Under this Scheme the eligible SC/ Neo Buddhist students are paid benefits as bellow.

1) Maintenance Allowance is provided as per Group I, Group II, Group IV per month from date of admission to date of exam (max 10 months)

Day Scholar: (Amount in Rupees per month)

- Group I 550
- Group II 530
- Group III 300
- Group IV 230

Hosteller (Amount in Rupees per month)

- Group I 1200
- Group II 820
- Group III 570
- Group IV 380
- 2) Additional allowances for SC students with disabilities(Type wise disabilities) as mentioned in GR are as follows,

Type of Disability Allowances(Rs per month) Remark

Blindness/Low vision Gr. I & II – 150/-

Gr. III -125/-

Gr. IV -100/- As per GR (A) of additional allowances

Leprosy cured All Groups:

- i) Transportation Allowance up to 100/-(Students residing outside hostel campus)
- ii) Escort Allowance 100/-
- iii) Special Pay allowance for hostel employee as care taker. 100/- As per GR (B, C, D) of additional allowances

Hearing Impaired All Groups:

i) Transportation Allowance up to 100/-(Students residing outside hostel campus)

As per GR (B) of additional allowances

Locomotors Disability All Groups:

i) Transportation Allowance up to 100/-(Students residing outside hostel campus)

As per GR (B) of additional allowances

Mental Retardation/ Mental Illness All Groups:

- i) Transportation Allowance up to 100/-(Students residing outside hostel campus)
- ii) Escort Allowance 100/-
- iii) Special Pay allowance for hostel employee as care taker. 100/-
- iv) Extra Coaching allowance 150/- As per GR (B, C, D, E) of additional allowances Orthopedic Disability All Groups:
- i) Transportation Allowance up to 100/-(Students residing outside hostel campus)
- ii) Escort Allowance 100/-
- iii) Special Pay allowance for hostel employee as care taker. 100/- As per GR (B, C, D) of additional allowances
- 3) In addition to the maintenance allowance all mandatory fees/ compulsory payable fees i.e. (Tuition Fees, Exam Fees & other Fees) by the student to the institutes are covered under this scheme.

Eligibility

- 1) The parents/Guardian annual income shall be less than or equal to Rs. 2, 50,000.
- 2) Student category shall belong to Scheduled caste or Neo Buddhist
- 3) Students shall belong to resident of Maharashtra
- 4) Students should be passes SSC/equivalent Matriculation.
- 5) Failure: if student fail first time then should avail Exam fees & maintenance allowance. If fails second time in same class then he/she will not get any allowance and after two drops he will pass and go to next class then he will be eligible.
- 6) In case of student studying out of Maharashtra then same rules are applicable as per GOI.
- 7) Only 2 professional Courses are allowed.

Renewal Policy

- Income Certificate (Provided by Tehsildar)
- Cast Certificate.
- Mark sheet for last appeared examination
- Mark sheet for SSC or HSC
- Father date Certificate (if required)
- Gap & Self Declaration (if required)
- Hostel Certificate (if required)
- Husband Income Certificate (if girl is married)

2. Social Justice and Special Assistance

Overview

- 1) Create interest in education among students.
- 2) Making financial assistance available for higher education.
- 3) To reduce the drop in education leakage.
- 4) Creating opportunities for financial growth through higher education.
- 5) Scholarship scheme to avoid transparency, unity and delay.
- 6) All types of compulsory fees such as Tuition fees, Exam Fees and other admissible fees are reimbursed to the concern SC category student.

Benefits

• Tuition Fees, Exam Fees & other fees which are mandatory or compulsorily payable by the student to the institution are covered under the scheme.

Eligibility

- The parents / Guardian annual income above Rs. 250000.to unlimited.
- Student category should be Scheduled caste or Neo Buddhist
- Student should be resident of Maharashtra
- Student should be passes SSC/equivalent Matriculation.
- Institute should be located in Maharashtra & shall be government recognized.
- For Professional Courses student should admit through CAP round only
- Only 1 Failure is allowed in whole curriculum.

Renewal Policy

- Income Certificate (Provided by Tehsildar).
- Cast Certificate.
- Cast Validity Certificate
- Mark sheet for last appeared examination
- Mark sheet for SSC or HSC
- Father date Certificate (if required)
- Hostel Certificate (if required)
- CAP round allotment letter

3. Tribal Development Department

Overview

Scheme of Post Matriculation Scholarships to the students belonging to Scheduled Tribes for Studies in India

Benefits

[Hostellers/ Day Scholars] per Month-

Group 1: 1200/550Rs, Group 2:820/530Rs, Group 3:570/300 Rs, Group 4:380/230 Rs

- * Additional to this Reader Allowance :Group1-2 : 240 Rs, Group 3 :200 Rs, Group
- 4:160Rs
- * Escort Allowance: 160 Rs/month
- * Special Pay:160 Rs/Month. For Mentally retired, extra coaching: 240 Rs/Month
- * Study Tours :1600 Rs/ Annum
- * Thesis Typing/Printing :1600/Annum
- * Book Grant 1200 Rs/Annum

Eligibility

Applicable for ST only

- * If Family Income <= 2, 50,000, he will get the scholarship
- * Minimum 10th Pass
- * Back to back drop for 2 years he/she will not be allowed to fill form.

Renewal Policy

- The student have to pass the previous year examination
- If student fails in any year then he is not paid the scholarship for that particular year
- The student has to apply for renewal of the scholarship

- 1. Caste Certificate
- 2.Income Certificate
- 3. Previous year's mark sheet
- 4. Professional Course selected than caste validity certificate mandatory

4. Tribal Development Department

Overview

This is state sponsored scheme. Applicant whose parent income limit is more than 2.5 lacs can apply of the scheme. Only applicant tuition fee and exam fee is reimbursed

Benefits

Tuition Fee and Exam Fees As per approved college fee structure

Eligibility

Applicable for ST only

- * Family annual income limit is RS. > 2, 50,000 Renewal Policy: The student has to pass the previous year examination
- * If student fails in any year then he is not paid the scholarship for that particular year

Renewal Policy

The student has to pass the previous year examination

• If student fails in any year then he is not paid the scholarship for that particular year

- 1. Caste Certificate
- 2. Previous year's mark sheet
- 3. Caste Validity

5. <u>Directorate of Higher Education (DHE)</u>

Overview

Under this scheme of Directorate of Higher Education, scholarship is applicable for the economically weaker sections. The students family annual income limit is up to Rs. 8.00 lac, those who have taken an admission for Professional and non- professional courses which come Under Directorate of Higher Education Government / Non-government aided/ Partially Aided — Unaided/Permanent Unaided College and Non-Agricultural Universities and Sub-Centers (Excluding Private Universities / Self-financed Private Universities).

Benefits

A. Tuition Fees:-

Income Limit	Courses				
	Government	Non government Aided	Partially aided /unaided	Permanent Unaided	
Professional Courses					
Up to RS. 2.50 Lac	100%	100%	50%	50%	
2.50 UP TO 8 Lac.	50%	50%	50%	50%	
Non Professional Course					
Up to Rs. 8 Lac	100%	100%	100%	100%	

B) Exam Fees:-

Professional Course	50 % of Exam Fees	
Non Professional Course	100 % Of Exam Fees	

Eligibility

(As Per GR Dated 7.10.2017, 31.3.2018 & 07.08.2018, 11.07.2019)

- Applicant should be Domicile of Maharashtra and applicant belongs to Maharashtra State and Karnataka state border can apply for scheme.
- Family annual income limit is up to Rs. 8.00 lac.

- As per Government Resolution first two children are eligible for scheme.
- Candidate those who take admission under general category is eligible.
- Courses from GR 07/10/17 (DHE courses) can apply.
- Candidates are eligible those who have taken an admission under general category and SEBC Category.
- Courses by GR 07/10/17 (DHE courses) can apply.
- Applicant should not avail any other scholarship or stipend.
- Students are not eligible who has taken an admission in Distance Education, virtual learning and part time courses.
- The Courses approved by (Government /University/AICTE, PCI/COA/MCI/NCTE/etc) are eligible.
- During course, candidate should not have a gap of 2 years.
- Applicant should attempt every semester or annual exam.

Renewal Policy

- 1. Last year, students availed of scholarship can apply for the Renewal scholarship.
- 2. To renew the application, student should use an application ID from the list published on website of www.dhepune.gov.in, Higher Education Directorate.

- Students should submit domicile certificate issued by Authorized official.
- Students should submit previous year Annual income certificate issued by Authorized official.
- CAP Related document. (only for B. Ed, Law, B.P Ed, M P. Ed).
- Gap Related Document(if Gap is there)
- Family Declaration Certificate about two children's.
- Attendance Certificate.
- Previous year Mark sheet.

6. VJNT,OBC and SBC Welfare Department

Overview

- Providing financial assistance for education.
- Creating a passion for higher education.
- Providing students the opportunity to go to the mainstream of education through education.
- Scholarship scheme to avoid transparency, co-ordination and delay.
- Benefits of Tuition Fees, Exam Fees and Maintenance Allowance are paid to only VJNT category students.

Benefits

Eligible V.J.N.T. Applicants are paid maintenance allowance:

- 1) If Applicant select Course Group A for hostlers Rs.425/p.m. & Day Scholars(Non Hostlers) Rs.190/p.m. (Duration Admission date to till exam completion date)
- **2) If Applicant select Course Group B -** for hostlers Rs.290/p.m. & Day Scholars(Non Hostlers) Rs.190/p.m.(Duration Admission date to till exam completion date)
- **3) If Applicant select Course Group C -** for hostlers Rs.290/p.m. & Day Scholars(Non Hostlers) Rs.190/p.m.(Duration Admission date to till exam completion date)
- **4) If Applicant select Course Group D -** for hostlers Rs.230/p.m. & Day Scholars(Non Hostlers) Rs.120/p.m. (Duration Admission date to till exam completion date)
- **5) If Applicant select Course Group E -** for hostlers Rs.150/p.m. & Day Scholars (Non Hostlers) Rs.90/p.m. (Duration Admission date to till exam completion date)
- 6) Tuition Fee, Exam Fee and Maintenance allowance are paid 100% to applicants who's studying in government/aided/non aided institutions in professional courses and non-professional courses.
- 7) If Applicant get admission in government hostel then he will eligible only 1/3rd amount of hostlers.
- 8) For B. Ed and D. Ed courses: 100 % benefit (Tuition Fees, Exam Fees and Maintenance Allowance) is applicable for D. Ed, B. Ed courses. For students studying in Aided, Un Aided for D. Ed, B. Ed courses then Fee structure is applicable as per Government rates for same course
- 9) Note: If applicant takes an admission on or before 20th of any month should entitle date maintenance allowance will be issued for that current month. Otherwise maintenance allowance will be entitle from next month.

Eligibility

- 1) The parents/Guardians annual Income should be less than or equal to Rs.1.50 Lac.
- 2) Applicant should be belongs to VJNT category.
- 3) Applicants must be residents of Maharashtra.
- 4) Applicants must be pursuing the education course approved by the government from class Post-Matriculation.
- 5) Maintenance allowance & Exam Fees are paid to Applicant if Applicant get promoted

to next higher class.

- 6) If Applicant fails in particular year then he will get the Tuition Fees, Exam Fees and Maintenance allowance of that particular academic year but he/she will not get the benefit until he/she gets promoted to next higher class.
- 7) Applicant should be come through CAP round for only professional courses.
- 8) Only two children (i) any number of girls applicants allowed. ii) boys applicants maximum 2 of the same parent) of the same parents will be eligible for the Scholarship.
- 9) No scholarship will be paid to the Applicants under this scheme from the date he /she accepts another Scholarship / stipend.
- 10) 75 % attendance is mandatory for current year.
- 11) Applicant will be eligible for scholarship if he / she changes the course Non Professional to Professional but he will not be eligible if he / she changes the course from Professional to Non Professional.
- 12) Scholarships/freeship will continue until Applicant completes one course. Ex. 11th, 12th Arts B.A., M.A., M. Phil., P.H.D. If, Applicant completed B.A and B.Ed. course and later after taking admission for M.A., for M.A. course He/she will not be allowed for scholarship/freeship. But after admission to M.B.A. after B.Ed, it can be eligible for scholarship/freeship as it is a professional post graduate course.
- 13) Applicant studying in particular professional/Non-Professional course, and availing benefits of scholarship/freeship for that academic course and if he/she wants to change his existing Professional/Non-Professional course in between academic years he/she will not be eligible for freeship/scholarship for further course.

Renewal Policy

- 1) Applicant has to pass the previous year examination.
- 2) In case of VJNT if Applicant fails for a year then the Applicant is not paid any reimbursement for that particular year.
- 3) For Group A If an applicant pursuing Group A course fails in the examination for the 1st time the award may be renewed. For second & sub sequent failure in any class the Applicant shall bear his / her own expenses until he / she secure promotion to the next higher class.
- 4) For Group B, C, D, E he/she has to secure promotion to higher class (For second & sub sequent failure in any class the Applicant shall bear his / her own expenses until he / she secure promotion to the next higher class.)
- 5) If due to any medical condition or due to any unforeseeable event the Applicant cannot appear in the annual examination, the head master of the college can approve or certify that if the Applicant would have appeared in the annual examination, he would have been able to pass the examination. This will be only allowed if the head of the institution is satisfied by the submission of medical proof or any other required sufficient proof that the Applicant presents to the college.

- **1. Caste certificate -** should be issued by competent authority(Issued by Govt. of Maharashtra) This certificate considered as Proof of Resident.
- 2. **Income certificate / Income Declaration -** should be issued by competent authority
- 3. **Caste Validity Certificate** (Mandatory for Professional Degree courses, Professional Post Graduate. For Non Professional courses caste validity is not mandatory)
- 4. HSC or SSC mark sheet or last examination mark sheet.
- 5. **Gap certificate** Not mandatory but in case of gap it is mandatory.
- 6. If applicable father/Guardians death certificate.
- 7. **Ration Card** for identify number of children in family.
- 8. Leaving Certificate
- 9. **Declaration certificate of parents/guardians** about number of children beneficiaries.

7. VJNT, OBC and SBC Welfare Department

Overview

- Create interest in education among students.
- Making financial assistance available for higher education.
- Creating opportunities for financial growth through higher education.
- Scholarship scheme to avoid transparency, unity and delay.
- All types of compulsory fees such as Tuition fees, Exam Fees and other admissible fees are reimbursed to the concern VJNT category student.

Benefits

- 1) Tuition fees and Exam Fees reimbursed to the concern Applicant vide Govt. Resolution dated 12/3/2007, since 2006-07 the Applicants who are admitted in professional courses through CAP round in the Govt., Govt. approved private non aided and permanently non granted colleges are applicable to pay 100 % Tuition Fees & Exam Fees approved by Education Fee Committee..
- 2) Also those applicants are taken admission in Deemed University for professional courses won't get benefit of scholarship / freeship.
- 3) Start date of application is depending upon the applicant takes admission in college/Institute and End date of application is depend upon the last date of examination. (For 10 months it will vary every academic year on admission date)

Eligibility

- 1) Applicant must be taking post matriculation education.
- 2) Applicant should be belongs to VJNT category.
- 3) Parent's annual income should be less than or equal to 8.00 Lacs.
- 4) Applicants must be residents of Maharashtra.
- 5) Applicants should be pursuing the education course approved by the government for Post Matriculation courses.
- 6) Applicant must be taken admission in government aided / Private Non-Aided / private permanently non aided for professional courses
- 7) Degree Courses in Health Science (Medical, Dental, Homeopathy, Unani, Ayurveda, Physiotherapy, Business Aid, Nursing):
- If Applicant is admitted through Association of Managements of Unaided Private Medical and Dental Colleges entrance examination or admitted through government common entrance examination then he/she will be eligible the for the freeship.
- 8) Higher and Technical Education Department:

Freeship will be applicable to unaided colleges / government and aided colleges with technical education / Polytechnic and government unaided professional courses.

- Following are the applicable courses for this scheme:
 Diploma Engineering, Pharmacology, HMCT
- Degree Engineering, Pharmacology, HMCT
- Post Graduate -MBA/MMS, MCA

- 9) Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Dairy Development and Fisheries Department: The scholarship fees will be applicable to the Applicants who have been admitted through government quota in private un aided/permanently un aided institute.
- Agricultural colleges (diploma)
- Dairy Business Department (Diploma)
- Colleges for Agricultural and Allied subjects (Degree and Post Graduate)
- Agriculture and Bio-Technology Colleges (Degree and Post Graduate)
- Agriculture and Food Technology Colleges (Graduate and Post Graduate)
- 10) For B. Ed and D. Ed courses: 100 % benefit (Tuition Fees, Exam Fees) is applicable for D. Ed, B. Ed courses. For students studying in Aided, Un Aided for D. Ed, B. Ed courses then Fee structure is applicable as per Government rates for same course.
- 11) For professional courses Applicant should admitted through CAP round is must.
- 12) If Applicant fails in particular year then he will get the Tuition Fees and Exam Fees of that particular academic year but he/she will not get the benefit until he/she gets promoted to next higher class..
- 13) Applicant will be eligible for scholarship if he / she change the course Non Professional to Professional but he will not be eligible if he / she change the course from Professional to Non Professional.
- 14) If an applicant pursuing professional course admitted in private un aided/permanently un aided institute for year 2015-16 onwards fails in the examination two or more times in particular academic course duration then he / she not eligible for the freeship.
- 15) Scholarships/freeship will continue until Applicant completes one course. Ex. 11th, 12th Arts B.A., M.A., M. Phil., Ph D. If, Applicant completed B.A and B.Ed. course and later after taking admission for M.A., for M.A. course He/she will not be allowed for scholarship/freeship. But after admission to M.B.A. after B. Ed, it can be eligible for scholarship/freeship as it is a professional postgraduate course.
- 16) Applicant studying in particular professional/Non-Professional course, and availing benefits of scholarship/freeship for that academic course and if he/she wants to change his existing Professional/Non-Professional course in between academic years he/she will not be eligible for freeship/scholarship for further course.

Renewal Policy

- 1) Applicant needs to provide previous years mark sheet.
- 2) At a time Applicant can apply freeship for only one educational course and it will be applicable till he/she completes that educational course in specified time.
- 3) Applicant cannot take freeship for more than 2 professional courses.
- 4) If due to any medical condition or due to any unforeseeable event the Applicant cannot appear in the annual examination, the head master of the college can approve or certify that if the Applicant would have appeared in the annual examination, he would have been able to pass the examination. This will be only allowed if the head of the institution is satisfied by the submission of medical proof or any other required sufficient proof that the Applicant presents to the college.

Documents Required

- 1. Caste certificate should be issued by competent authority
- 2. Income certificate- should be issued by competent authority
- 3. HSC or SSC mark sheet or last examination mark sheet.
- 4. Gap certificate Not mandatory but in case of gap it is mandatory.
- 5. Declaration certificate of parents/guardians about number of children beneficiaries.
- 6. If applicable father death certificate.
- 7. CAP Allotment Letter (For Professional Courses)
- 8. Caste Validity Certificate (For Professional Courses as Per GR Dated 31st July 2008) Exempted Professional courses to be identified
- 9. Leaving Certificate
- 10. Ration card for identify number of children's in family

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