

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS, ASSAM, RUKMINI NAGAR, GUWAHATI-6

ECF No: 396599/259-60 Dated: The Approved Date

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ST STUDENTS OF ASSAM FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-25

It is for information of all concerned that Fresh / Renewal applications for Pre-Matric (Class IX & X) and Post-Matric scholarships for students of Assam belonging to Scheduled Tribes (ST) are invited for the academic year 2024-25 through **National Scholarship Portal (NSP)** at www.scholarships.gov.in. Applications will be entertained through online portal only for students studying in Govt. / Govt. aided / Govt. recognized School / Higher Secondary / Colleges / University including Medical / Technical Institutions having valid U-DISE / AISHE / NCVT code only. The timelines for submission of applications are given below:

Sl No	Name of Scheme	Eligibility (Annual Family income)	Last date for submission of online applications by student
1	Pre Matric Scholarship to ST students studying in Class IX - X	Rs. 2.50 lakh	31/08/2024
2	Post Matric Scholarship to ST students	Rs. 2.50 lakh	31/10/2024

Note:

- 1. Students while applying for scholarships for the above two schemes are hereby requested to register themselves in NSP through the app "NSP OTR" available in Google play store and perform Face-authentication for generating One Time Registration (OTR) number which has been made mandatory for applying for scholarship from the Academic year 2024-25 onwards.
- **2.** Aadhaar and mobile number registered with Aadhaar are mandatory for generating OTR. (Details available at scholarships.gov.in).
- **3.** Students while filling up the online application form should upload income certificate of their parents/ guardians which has been issued by the concerned Circle/Revenue Officer.
- **4.** Students should also upload Caste certificate issued by office of the District Commissioner of their respective Districts. If the applicant name/surname in the application form differs in the Caste certificate, he should submit an affidavit duly notarized justifying the differences.

5. Students should have a valid Bank account which should be seeded with their respective Aadhaar as scholarships will be credited into Aadhaar Seeded Bank Account of the students only.

Director, <u>Tribal Affairs (Plain),</u> <u>Assam</u>

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Copy to:

- 1) The Additional Secretary to the Govt. of India (Scholarship Division), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi for kind information.
- 2) The Director, Secondary Education / Higher Education / Technical Education / Medical Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati for information and wide publicity.
- 3) All PD, ITDP/SDWO, for information and wide publicity.
- 4) P.S to the Minister, Tribal Affairs (P) Deptt. Dispur, Guwahati for apprisal of the Hon'ble Minister.
- 5) P.S to the Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Tribal Affairs (P) Deptt. Dispur, Guwahati for apprisal of the Principal Secretary.
- 6) Notice Board of this Directorate.

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Director,
Tribal Affairs (Plain),
Assam