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Pragati & Saksham Scholarship Scheme
Instructions for Filling Online Application for Pragati & Saksham Scholarship for Batch admitted in 2022-23

Candidates admitted in AICTE approved institutions for first year Degree/Diploma in the academic year **2022-23**, are eligible to apply for Pragati/Saksham Scholarship as per the provisions of the schemes. Details on eligibility criteria and other relevant information about the schemes will be available at www.aicte-india.org/schemes/students-development-schemes

How to fill Online Application for Pragati / Saksham Scholarship 2022-23:

1. Navigate to AICTE Portal at https://www.aicte-pragati-saksham-gov.in/ to register for Pragati or Saksham Scheme.
2. Click on "**Register Here**" to create new profile. Enter the details and click on "**Register**".
3. Confirmation *e-mail link* will be sent to the registered e-mail ID. Please click on the link to confirm your registration.
4. Login again at https://www.aicte-pragati-saksham-gov.in/ with the registered *e-mail Id/User name* and *Password* to fill online application form as detailed below:
   a. Enter personal details under the Tab "**Personal Details**".
   b. Enter details of family and income under the Tab "**Family & Income Details**"
   c. Enter the details of the Institute in which Admission is taken for first year Degree or Diploma course along with fee paid details under the Tab "**Institute Details**".
   d. Enter SSC/10th Standard and HSC/12th Standard details under the Tab "**Education Details**".
   e. Enter the details of the Aadhar seeded Savings Bank Account under the Tab "**Bank Details**".
   f. Attach the following Scanned documents under the Tab "**Attachments**";
      i. SSC/10th Standard Mark sheet.
      ii. HSC/12th Standard Mark sheet.
      iii. Annual Family Income Certificate for the financial year 2018-19 as per Annexure-I (or) in the prescribed format issued by Tehsildar or above competent Authority.
      iv. Admission letter issued by the Centralized Admission Authority to first year Degree/Diploma courses for the academic year **2022-23**.
      v. Tuition fee paid receipt for the academic year **2022-23**.
      vi. Scanned Copy of Aadhar Seeded Bank Pass Book showing name of the student, Account number, IFSC code and Photograph pasted at appropriate place duly signed by Manager with rubber stamp of Bank affixed.
      vii. Certificate Issued by the Director/Principal/HOD as per Annexure-II
      viii. Certificate Issued by Competent Authority in case of candidates applying for Saksham Scheme (Only for Physically Disabled Candidates having more than 40% disability) as per the State Government Format.
      ix. Attested Scanned copy of SC/ST/OBC Certificate, in case applying for SC/ST/OBC category.
      x. Declaration by parents duly signed stating that the information provided by their child is correct and will refund Scholarship amount, if found false at any stage a per Annexure – III
      xi. Aadhar Card
      xii. Candidate Photograph.
      xiii. Candidate Signature.

Note: 1. All the Scanned documents which are to be uploaded along with Online Application should be only in jpg./pdf./png. Formats.

2. File size of all the scanned documents should be less than the size mentioned in the online application under the respective headings.

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11) Query regarding non-payment of the scholarship due to invalid/wrong account number will be entertained only upto six months from the date of publishing of merit list on AICTE website.
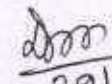
For more information login to
http://gpbalasore.org.in/ ,
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GUIDELINES FOR AICTE - SAKSHAM SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR SPECIALLY-ABLED STUDENT (DIPLOMA)

1.0 OBJECTIVE OF THE SCHEME:

Saksham is a MHRD Scheme being implemented by AICTE aimed at providing encouragement and support to specially-abled children to pursue technical education. This is an attempt to give every young student, who is otherwise specially-abled, the opportunity to study further and prepare for a successful future through technical education/ knowledge.

ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHOLARSHIP:

1) The candidate should be admitted to First year of Diploma level course OR Second year of Diploma level course through lateral entry in any of the AICTE approved Institution of respective year.
2) Specially-abled student, having disability of not less than 40%.
3) Family income from all sources should not be more than Rs. 8 lakh per annum during the current financial year. A valid income certificate issued by State/UT Government need to be enclosed.

3.0 NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS:

All eligible specially-abled student admitted to First year of Diploma level course **OR** Second year of Diploma level course through lateral entry in any of the AICTE approved Institution will get the scholarship.

AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP:

1) Rs. 50,000/- per annum for every year of study i.e. maximum 3 years for first year admitted students and maximum 2 years second year admitted students through lateral entry as lump sum amount towards payment of college fee, purchase of computer, stationeries, books, equipments, softwares etc. No other additional grant will be payable in lieu of hostel charges and medical charges etc.
2) No documentary proof need to be attached for the above while availing benefits.

5.0 MODE OF PAYMENT:

After selection, the awardee will be paid scholarship through DBT mode on annual basis.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLYING:

1) The candidate fulfilling the eligibility conditions is required to apply online on National Scholarship Portal (NSP) after initiation of application process and notice to be published on AICTE website.
2) The host institution where the candidate is studying, required to verify the online application.
3) Department of Technical Education (DTE) of respective State/ UT will verify these applications as second level of scrutiny.

7.0 RENEWALS:

1) The scholarship will be renewed for the next year of study on receipt of renewal through National Scholarship Portal by submitting passing certificate/ marksheet along with letter from the Head of the Institution on the online portal.
2) Student failing to get promoted to the next class/ level would forfeit the scholarship.

8.0 TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1) The gap period between the year of passing the qualifying examination and the session of admission in diploma course should not be more than two years.
2) Applications will be invited once in a year through National e-Scholarship Portal of the Government of India.
3) Incomplete applications will be summarily rejected. Only verified online applications will be considered for the award of scholarship.
4) If a candidate failed/ drop out in subsequent year, she/ he will not be eligible for further scholarship.
5) The grant of scholarship is subject to the condition that the student does not receive any financial assistance in shape of scholarship/any emoluments, salary, stipend etc. from any other source during her/ his course of study in the Institute. In case of receipt of any financial assistance from any other sources, the scholarship shall be discontinued and the entire amount of scholarship will have to be refunded to AICTE by D/Draft drawn in favour of "Member Secretary, AICTE" payable at New Delhi.
6) Scheme will be implemented and monitored by the AICTE.
7) For converting Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) to percentage, multiplying factor will be 9.5 i.e. to convert the CGPA into percentage; CGPA X 9.5 will give the percentage.
8) In case both CGPA & total marks are given in the mark sheet, total marks will be considered for determining percentage.
9) If grades are given like A1, A2, B1, B2 etc. in the mark sheet, first the grades will be converted into CGPA and then average CGPA will be calculated. This CGPA will be converted into percentage as given in point No. 7.
10) Provisional list of shortlisted candidates will be uploaded on the AICTE web portal. In case, candidate has any query about merit list of scholarship, they may raise their grievances within a month. No query regarding merit list will be entertained after one-month duration from the date of publishing of merit list on AICTE website.