

Scholarship

Step-1 Signup

Sign up or Register for CUCET with basic details (Name, Email ID, Mobile No., State, Gender and Password). Your Email ID will act as your Username for the portal while the password will be set by you upon registration.

On successful registration, you will receive the confirmation message on your registered contact number and Email. Use the Username and Password to Login to your CUCET Account.

Step 2 - Apply

After successfully creating your candidate profile for CUCET, you can proceed with choosing the Date for your examination. Complete your profile by logging into your CUCET account and choose an examination date as per your convenience and preference.

Step 3 - Submit

You become eligible for admission into Chandigarh University after clearing the CUCET examination. Following your attempt at CUCET, the result will shortly be intimated, based on which you can submit your application for admission and avail merit-based scholarship.

CUCET- Chandigarh University Common Entrance Test

PHASE-1

October 2024-June 2025

90.01-100 Marks: 100% scholarship

80-90 Marks: 50% scholarship

70-79.99 Marks: 40% scholarship

60-69.99 Marks: 30% scholarship

50-59.99 Marks: 25% scholarship

40-49.99Marks: 15% scholarship

30-39.99 Marks: Eligible

CUCET- Chandigarh University Common Entrance Test

PHASE-2

October 2024-June 2025

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80-90 Marks:40% scholarship

70-79.99 Marks: 30% scholarship

60-69.99 Marks: 20% scholarship

50-59.99 Marks: 15% scholarship

40-49.99Marks: 10% scholarship

30-39.99 Marks: Eligible

Scholarships Renewal Criteria & Renewal Process:

Scholarships once given will be for the entire duration of the program but subject to mandatory meeting of set norms which will be reviewed every year. Once the set norms are met, the scholarship shall be renewed.

Current Renewal Criteria

- CUCET Scholarship Recipients should apply for renewal every year.
- Performance: 7.5 CGPA at the end of each year.
- Student should not indulge in any activity of indiscipline.
- Student should not have E, F or I in any of the subject each year.

Note: Scholarship shall be discontinued if there is any case of indiscipline against the student at any point of time.

If the scholarship gets discontinued in one year due to not maintaining the mandatory requirements and in the coming year if the student maintains the minimum mandatory criteria. the student can apply for the scholarship again, however, in that case, the student would be eligible for only 50 percent of the earlier sanctioned scholarship in the consequent year of study.

- Last date for recontinuation of scholarship will be 30th September 2025.
- Scholarship scheme swapping is not allowed in upcoming years.
- The student can't avail multiple scholarships.
- In case of query regarding student's marks percentage, Admission team members may contact the scholarship department.
- Student scholarship documents should be verified by the admission counselor with signature and E-code before applying for scholarship on CUIMS.
- Please note that no scholarship scheme is applicable for the Ph.D. program, except for the Old Student Policy.
- In case of any query. Please write us on **scholarships@cumail.in** or visit the department Block – B1, Room No: 204.

Merit Scholarship Schemes for the Academic Session 2025-2026

A) JEE-Mains Performance Based Scholarship - Maximum 5% of total intake seats in each Course shall be offered under the scheme.

S. No.	All India Rank (AIR)	Quantum of Scholarship
1	Upto 25000	100% Semester fee
2	25001 to 50000	75% Semester fee
3	50001 to 75000	50% Semester fee
4	75001 to 100000	20% Semester fee
5	100001 to 125000	10% Semester fee

B) Scholarship Scheme for MBA Students (Based on National Level Entrance Exam) - Maximum 10% of total intake seats in each Course shall be offered under the scheme.

Category of Student	Ranks & % marks	Quantum of Scholarship
CAT Topper Scholarship	= >80%	50% of Semester fee
	75-79.99%	25% of Semester fee
	70-74.99%	10% of Semester fee
MAT/CMAT/ATMA/XAT Topper Scholarship	= >90%	25% of Semester fee
	85-89.99%	20% of Semester fee

Note:- Industry Collaborated programs referred at PG level are not applicable for the above said scheme.

C) UG Program Scholarship - Maximum 10% of total intake seats in each Course shall be offered under the scheme.

Category of Student	% marks	Quantum of Scholarship
12th Standard	= >90%	50% of Semester fee
	85-89.99%	20% of Semester fee
	80-84.99%	10% of Semester fee

Note:- Marks percentage will be calculated from all appearing subjects (including additional subjects) in Detail Marks Card.

D) LEET Meritorious Scholarship - Maximum 10% of total intake seats in each Course shall be offered under the scheme.

S. No.	%age of Marks in diploma	Quantum of Scholarship
1	= >90%	50% Semester fee
2	85-89.99%	20% Semester fee
3	80-84.99%	10% Semester fee

E) PG Scholarship (Graduation marks based) - Maximum 10% of total intake seats in each Course shall be offered under the scheme.

Category of Student	% Marks	Quantum of Scholarship
Graduate	= >90%	50% of semester fee
	80-89.99%	30% of Semester fee
	75-79.99%	20% of Semester fee
	70-74.99%	10% of Semester fee

Note:- The Industry Collaborated Programs referred at PG Level are not applicable for the above said scheme excluding the following programs for which both Merit Based scholarship and other concessions will be applicable.

- MBA (Business Analytics)
- MBA (Logistics and Supply Chain Management)
- MBA (Digital Marketing)
- MBA (Applied finance)

F.) Teaching Assistant Scholarship for M.Sc. and ME Students with Stipend of Rs.5000 to Rs.8000/- per month subject to maximum 10 months in a year.

G.) Scholarship for Students Who Have Participated in National Children Science Congress:

- Top 10 award winners of NCSC every year will be given 100% fee waiver if they take admission in any UG course in Chandigarh University.
- All Students who have participated in NCSC will be given 10% fee waiver if they take admission in any UG course in Chandigarh University.

H.) NATA RANK Scholarships:

In order to encourage meritorious students to get admission in B.Arch. program, the University has introduced a new scholarship scheme i.e. "Architecture Scholarship on the basis of NATA/ JEE (Main) Score" for the students admitted during the Academic Session 2025-26. In this scheme, the University will provide following scholarship on the Academic Fees on the following terms and conditions:

NATA Score	Scholarship
NATA Score More than 150	40% of Academic Fee
JEE (Main) Paper II percentile equal to more than 90	
NATA Score from 120.1 - 150	30% of Academic Fee
JEE (Main) percentile equal to or more than 85 but less than 90	
NATA Score from 100 - 120	20% of Academic Fee
JEE (Main) percentile equal to more than 80 but less than 85	
NATA Score from 90-99.99	10% of Academic Fee

I.) CGPA Based Scholarship:

10% of scholarship will be given to the students with **9.0 or above CGPA score** if the student is not availing any other scholarship.

J.) Scholarship for Meritorious Students of Ladakh:

Students from Ladakh who have passed Senior-Secondary and have scored more than 80 % marks from any CBSE affiliated Board or College would be eligible for this scholarship for their higher education at Chandigarh University, Gharuan. Scholarship worth Rs. 1.5 Crore will be covered under this Scheme.

The Criteria for this Scholarship will be as under:

- Students who have scored in between 80-85% will be eligible for 25% scholarship in their admission to higher studies at Chandigarh University.

- Students who have scored in between 85.1-90% will be eligible for 35% scholarship in their admission to higher studies at Chandigarh University.
- Students who have scored more than 90% will be eligible for 50% scholarship in their admission to their higher studies at Chandigarh University.
- Maximum Seats would be 25 per Year.

Post Graduate Scholarship for Professional Courses for SC/ST

Introduction

The scheme has been initiated keeping in view the social background of the candidates from the deprived section of the society and to provide them opportunity to undertake postgraduate level studies in Professional subjects like Engineering & Technology, Management, Pharmacy etc. in Indian Universities/Institutions/ Colleges.

Objective

The objective of the scheme is to provide financial assistance to 1000 SC/ST candidates to pursue postgraduate level studies in Professional subjects in the eligible institutions as given below.

Eligibility

For the purpose of award of the scholarship students who are pursuing professional courses in the following Institutions/ Colleges/Universities:

- Universities/Institutions/Colleges included under section 2(f) & and 12(B) of UGC Act.
- Deemed to be Universities included under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956 and eligible to receive grants-in-aid from UGC
- Universities/Institutions/College funded by Central/State Government.
- Institutes of National Importance.

Courses which require approval from Regulatory Council i.e. Medical Council of India (MCI), Dental Council of India (DCI), Pharmacy Council of India (PCI), Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), NCTIS, NCTE Bar council of India (BCI), All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), INC, FORENSIC REGULATORY & DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF INDIA are considered professional courses.

Note 1: M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., MSW and Mass Communication and Journalism degree are accepted as “Non-professional courses”:

Note 2: Candidates pursuing post graduate course in professional subjects through correspondence or in Distance Education mode are not eligible to receive financial assistance under this scheme.

Procedure for applying for the Scheme

- The candidates fulfilling the eligibility conditions are required to apply online on National Scholarship Portal after issue of advertisement to be published by the UGC once in a year through leading newspaper and Employment News and also on UGC website.
- The host institution where the candidate is studying is required to verify the online application.

Aadhaar Seeding

The Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India vide its letter D.O. No. 18-7/2013-U1A dated 10th June, 2016 has instructed the University Grants Commission that from the financial year 2016-17 onwards the Aadhaar will be used as an identifier for disbursement of all Government subsidies/ Scholarships/Fellowships which are to be disbursed directly into the beneficiary's account.

The Aadhaar details would be updated by the student through the host University/ Institute/ College after seeking a consent from the awardee as per provisions of the Aadhaar Act, 2016.

Nature of Assistance available under the Scheme

- The tenure of award is for two/three years depending upon tenure of the postgraduate course and not for extended period of study, if any.
- Candidates selected for the award of PG scholarships (under ME/MTech.) shall be provided Scholarship @ Rs.7800/-per month for the duration of the PG Scholarship. For other courses, the amount of scholarship will be paid @Rs.4500/- per month.
- No contingency is payable to the students selected under the scheme with effect from selection year 2017-18.
- The scholarship shall be payable to the awardee from the date of joining the Post Graduate I year course during the selection year.
- The University/ Institute/ College should verify the application of the candidates with regard to the professional courses as provided in the guidelines.

Procedure for release of grant by the UGC

- After selection, the awardees will be paid scholarship on DBT mode
- The list of awardees will be pushed to Public Financial Management System (PFMS) by the NIC.
- PFMS will generate payment files of the awardees and scholarship would be paid for the complete duration of the post graduate course.

Renewals

- Scholarship granted under the scheme will be kept renewed during the period of first year post graduate course subject to good conduct and maintenance of prescribed attendance.
- The scholarship will be renewed for the next year of study on receipt of an annual progress report to be granted by the administrative head of the University/ Institution/ College.(E.g. Registrar of a University/ Director of the Institution/ Principal of the College or any other officer designated by them).
- Students failing to get promoted to the next class/ level would forfeit the scholarship.
- Change in course of study will not be permitted.
- Scheme will be implemented and monitored by the UGC.
- The awardees of previous years will continue to follow the UGC pattern of assistance through the designated bank branches of Canara Bank.

Cancellation of Award

Scholarship of a student may be cancelled in any of the following cases :-

- Failure of the awardee to pass the first year of Post Graduate course in first division or equivalent CGPA score.
- Discontinuation of studies due to personal reasons.
- Candidate is later found ineligible on account of false information provided in the online application or incorrect bank details

Other Concessions Schemes for the Academic Year 2025-2026

A.) Old Student Concession:-

The students of entire CGC group, who seek admission in Chandigarh University after qualifying degree /diploma will be provided scholarship equivalent to 10% of yearly fee for entire duration of the course.

B) Single Girl Child Concession:-

Chandigarh University provides 10% concession on yearly fee to single girl child for entire duration of the course.

C) Teacher's Ward Concession:-

Chandigarh University provides 10% concession on yearly fee to the wards of teachers for entire duration of the course (Teachers of Govt. / Govt. recognized schools/ colleges/ universities) provided a teacher should have at least one-year regular service. Maximum 5% of total seats in each course shall be offered under this scheme.

D) Sibling Concession:-

The University offers 10% concession on yearly fee to one of the siblings studying in any institute of Chandigarh University, till the time both the siblings are studying in the university. The concession will be allowed to continue even after the passing out of one sibling.

E) Girl Sibling Concession:-

The Chandigarh University provides 10% concession on yearly fee to both female siblings for entire duration of the course. The concession will be allowed to continue even after the passing out of one sibling.

F) Concession under Armed Forces Educational Welfare Scheme (AFEWS) for Wards/Spouse of Defence Personnel's.

As a gesture of appreciation and salutation to our Defence Forces who are always there to protect our borders and our lives, Chandigarh University has devised a Reservation cum Fee Waiver Scheme for Defence Personnel, wards and their spouse. This scheme is also a part of our social responsibility towards special sections of our society.

AFEWS is a unique scheme for reserving seats in all courses for the wards and spouse of Indian Defence Personnel of different categories. Wards and spouse of different categories of Defence personnel admitted under the above scheme will also be given benefit of freeship in prescribed semester fee.

5% seats in all courses of Chandigarh University shall be reserved for the wards and spouses of Defence Martyrs and their immediate dependent members.

All Defence Personnel serving and retired, their spouse and wards in the following manner.

PRIORITY IN RESERVATION

Order of priority under the scheme: -

- War widows and wards of war casualties.
- War injured and released defence personnel, spouses and their wards.
- War disabled defence personnel, getting super-annuated, spouses and their wards.
- Wards of serving defence personnel.
- Wards of retired defence personnel.

DETAILS OF CONCESSION

Concession shall be as follows: -

- Concession equivalent to 15% of yearly fee for the war widows and wards of war casualties, war injured and released defence personnel, spouse and their wards, war disabled defence personnel, getting super-annuated, spouse and their wards.
- Concession equivalent to 10% of yearly fee for the wards/Spouse of serving and retired defence personnel.

- Concession equivalent to 10% of yearly fee for the wards/Spouse of paramilitary forces personnel.

Officers on Study Leave

Defence officers in service who want to take up the courses during their study leave will be separately offered 1% seats subject to minimum of 1 seat in each course. Concession will be given equivalent to 20% Semester fee.

G) Chandigarh University Staff Family Concession

The Wards/Spouse and real brother/sisters of Only Chandigarh University staff's having at least one-year regular service will be offered 50% concession in academic fees. It will continue till the staff member is working with Chandigarh University.

H) Orphan Concession: -

- 20% of concession will be given in case of **Orphan Candidate**
- 10% of concession will be given in case of **Single Parent**.

I) Early bird scholarship:-

Early bird scholarship to the **Master of Engineering Programs** as per following conditions:

- **15 (Fifteen) percent scholarship** to be given to the students who have completed Bachelor of Engineering from Chandigarh University, provided they pay full semester fee at the time of admission
- **10 (Ten) percent scholarship** to be given to the students who have completed Bachelor of Engineering/Technology from other recognized Universities/Institutes.

J) Alumni Scholarship:-

10% concession will also be allowed to the real brother/ sister/spouse/Wards of the alumni student of CGC Group.

K) Gyan Kashi Scholarship policy for Varanasi Students:-

Concession proposed for Sikh Community students in Varanasi for 5 years' worth Rs. 64.56 Crores for first 250 students' intake (2023-2027).

Eligibility for Scholarship:-

- The Sikh community students of Varanasi who have passed Senior-Secondary from any state or central recognized board will be eligible to avail this scholarship for encouraging them for higher education at Chandigarh University, Gharuan Distt S.A.S Nagar (Pb).
- All Sikh community students who have passed Graduation from any state or central recognized University will be eligible to avail this scholarship for their higher education at Chandigarh University, Mohali.

Criteria for availing the Concession for availing scholarship mentioned in Point

- Family income shall not exceed Rs. 5,00,000 per annum and a valid income certificate from competent authority of the area to be annexed with application for admission.
- Concession of 50% will be allowed for up to 250 students on first come first served basis
- For the continuation of scholarship in next year, the policies of Chandigarh University shall be adhered to.
- Students must have valid address and ID proof of Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh.
- Concessions will be applicable on academic fees only.
- Concession for student taking admission in 2027 will be continued up to completion of the course.

L) Kalpana Chawla Concession for Girls (Belonging to Economical Weaker Section of Chandigarh).

Kalpana Chawla Concession will be provided to only ten girls students belonging to economical weaker section of Chandigarh and who have completed 10+2 from Chandigarh and are willing for studying the course of their choice at Chandigarh University on first come first serve basis. 10% scholarship on the total fee will be offered to the students every year. The total amount of Concession under this scheme would amounts to total Rs. 10 Lakh per year.

Income Criteria: - Family Income less than Rs. 3 Lac per annum

Total Number of Scholarships: - 10 per Year (First Come First Serve)

Quantum of Concession: - 10% of the Academic fee in any course of choice. Valid for the entire duration of the course.

M) Shaheed Captain Vikram Batra Concession for the wards of Kargil War Hero's.

Shaheed Captain Vikram Batra Concession will be provided to the wards of Kargil War Hero's. The following conditions will be applicable:

- 20 Seats would be reserved for Kargil Martyrs for 3 Years in Chandigarh University
- 15% Academic Fee Waiver for the Wards of Kargil Martyrs.
- 10% Academic Fee Waiver for the Wards of Defense Personals who were injured in Kargil.
- The Fee Waiver would be applicable for the entire Course Duration.
- The Total Amount of Concession under this scheme would be Rs. 25 Lakh

Condition for continuation of all the above Other Concession Schemes:

For renewal of Concession, it is mandatory that the students admitted under all the above schemes shall not have any Semester/Year drop (In case of Pharma. D. Program) and **NO “E”, “F”, “I” or “Not Qualified” grades** in regular semester/Year exam in first chance failing which the concession shall be discontinued.

Scholarship Policy (Cultural Achievers)

The Scholarship Policy for cultural activities is for those budding artists and student achievers who have achieved laurels at National, International, State competitions or other levels in the categories of Music, Dance, Theatre, Literary and Fine Arts. The aim of the scholarship is to maximize the participation of students in cultural activities and to encourage them to promote art & culture at various levels.

The Scholarships will be awarded as per the following categories:

Category	Eligibility	Concession/ Facility for One Year		
		Free Accommodation	Free Food	Total Fees Concession
1.	<p>(1.1) 1st Position holder in National Inter-University competition (organized by AIU)/ International competition approved by foreign government/ Competition organized by registered international organization/ 1st position holder in Inter-State Competition.</p> <p>(1.2) National or State Government Award holders in the Cultural category.</p> <p>(1.3) Consistent achievements at National or Zonal Inter-University level competitions for at least 3 years.</p> <p>(1.4) 1st, 2nd or 3rd Position holder in Folk/Tribal group dance competition at National</p>	✓	✓	100%

	<p>Inter-University / Zonal Inter-University / Inter-State Level.</p> <p>(1.5) Students with extraordinary talent in Music, Dance, Theatre, Literary and Fine Arts</p> <p>(*If recommended by Cultural Division)</p>			
2.	<p>If any of the professionals from the field of entertainment like to pursue their education (Graduation/Post-Graduation) through the Distance Learning Program of Chandigarh University.</p>	NA	NA	100%
3.	<p>(3.1) 2nd or 3rd Position holder in National Inter-University Competition (organized by AIU) / Inter-State Competition.</p> <p>(3.2) Consistent participation at National / Zonal Inter-University / State Level Youth Festivals.</p> <p>(3.3) 1st, 2nd or 3rd Position holder in Folk / Tribal group</p>	✓	✓	75%

	dance competitions at Zonal Inter-University / State / Inter-University Level.			
4.	<p>(4.1) 1st Position in Inter-Zone Competition / State level competition.</p> <p>(4.2) Consistent achievement at Inter-Zone University competition for at least 3 years.</p>	NA	NA	50%
5.	<p>(5.1) 2nd or 3rd Position in Inter-Zone Competition / State level competition.</p> <p>(5.2) Consistent participation at Inter-Zone Competition / State level competition for at least 3 years.</p>	NA	NA	35%
6.	Consistent participation in State and National Level Youth Festivals / Position holder in Intra-University Youth Festivals (Other than AIU Youth Festivals) for at least 3 years.	NA	NA	30%
7.	1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd Position holder at National / State level school competitions.	NA	NA	25%
8.	Consistent participant in National / State level school competitions.	NA	NA	20%

9.	Consistent participation in Intra-School competitions.	NA	NA	15%
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Terms & Conditions:

- The above-given scholarships are for the Dance, Music, Theatre, Fine Arts and Literary categories.
- These Rules shall come into force with immediate effect after the approval by Hon'ble management.
- For the students who were not admitted under the Cultural Scholarship Policy during admission but, have represented the university at State / North or National level competitions and have achievements (1st, 2nd or 3rd Position in State / North or National level) are eligible for the scholarship and the same will be applicable in next year onwards in the present course.
- After one year the scholarship will be revised on the basis of a student's participation and achievements in the previous year. The institution reserves the right to cancel the scholarship at any moment if the students' engagement and performance are subpar, any illegal behaviour or action that violates the university's policies.

Category 1.4 and 3.3 are applicable only on the condition that a team (8-12 members) of folk dance will take admission. Or, if the number of students is 1 or less than 8 which will be recommended by the Cultural Division of Chandigarh University.