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# MERIT – DESERVES – OPPORTUNITY

# SCHOLARSHIP

Report AY 2024 - 2025



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# VICE-CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE

**Dr.S.Vaidhyasubramaniam Ph.D. GMP (Harvard)**  
Vice-Chancellor & TATA Sons Chair Professor of Management  
SASTRA University



“SASTRA 2035 document presents a roadmap towards future successes and also offers a brief reflection of where we have come.”

As we complete 40 years of SASTRA, the progress and achievements of SASTRA in the past is not only a voyage of memories but also a roadmap for future growth. The transition from Shanmugha College of Engineering (as it was known in 1984) with just three UG engineering degree programmes and a modest enrolment of 90 learners in 1984, to SASTRA, which currently offers about 75 degree programmes in three campuses catering to a student population of approximately 14,000 has been remarkable and inspiring. Our progressive rise towards excellence in a short span of time is a testament to the unwavering dedication of our faculty & staff, as well as the outstanding performance of our learners across all academic, co curricular and extracurricular domains. The trust and support of parents, recruiters, funding agencies and other stakeholders have further bolstered our journey giving us the confidence to achieve more as we move forward.

As we celebrate our achievements, it is imperative to reflect on our performance and set new benchmarks for the future. Thus, 'SASTRA 2035' has been initiated, with the Internal Quality Enhancement Cell (IQEC) of the University collaborating closely with faculty, staff, learners, researchers, recruiters, parents and alumni. While some ideas may appear conventional, many have challenged us to think critically and step out of our comfort zones.

As SASTRA continues its upward trajectory, it is imperative to reassess our goals and strategies to ensure a smooth and consistent growth. While many of the goals outlined in Vision SASTRA @ 2025 have been met, our renewed focus is on responding to technological disruptions and adapting to the evolving landscape of higher education worldwide. In this Vision document you will find various objectives - some minor and others more substantial, which are aimed at accelerating the forward and upward movement of SASTRA. The foundational basis of SASTRA 2035 is our screaming growth statement - SASTRA LEAPS: Leadership in Education to Achieve Progressive Sustainability.

We plan to achieve this through six foundational objectives that shall be strengthened by eight major themes each connected with four enablers having purposive goals supported through a set of flagship initiatives with clear targeted outcomes. Thus, SASTRA 2035 document presents a roadmap toward future successes and also offers a brief reflection from where we have come.

This moment is pivotal as we chart our next strategic course, evaluating our strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and challenges. Our aim is to evolve into a world-class University by 2035 and provide an enriched learning environment to achieve excellence through dynamic engagements for a sustainable future. To realize these aspirations within a competitive and quickly changing academic & industry landscape, we have set ambitious targets that require unwavering commitment to excellence, effective planning, creativity, innovation, dedication and teamwork.

Our strategic plan for 2035 has been prepared after many months of collaborative work between various stake holders as it will be a living document that continuously reinvents SASTRA. As we progress, we will constantly reassess our achievements against the backdrop of global trends, technological advancements, faculty dynamics, learner expectations & competitive pressures to continuously evolve with the transformation over the next decade.

## BENEFICIARIES.....

**Total Beneficiaries : 345**

**Engineering & Non Engineering**

**Branches:**

**School of Computing**

**School of EEE**

**School of Mechanical Engineering**

**School of Civil Engineering**

**School of Chemical & Bio Technology**

**School of Management**

**School of Law**

# THE SPIRIT OF MERIT - DESERVES - OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP



This scholarship program is designed to identify and support students who demonstrate academic excellence and come from financially challenged backgrounds. By easing the burden of educational expenses, the program ensures that talented individuals are not held back by economic limitations.

The goal is to empower these students to complete their degrees, unlock their potential, and contribute meaningfully to society. Through this initiative, we aim to build a strong, self-reliant, and sustainable India—driven by educated, capable, and socially responsible citizens.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP

Family Annual Income: Up to ₹ 8,00,000

Course of Study: Engineering & Non- Engineering

+2 Marks : 95% in State board & 85% in CBSE board



# STORIES OF GROWTH & GRATITUDE



Your thoughtful generosity has gently transformed the lives of many students. In the pages ahead, you will discover their heartfelt stories — narratives of sincere gratitude, meaningful growth, and the profound impact made possible by your kind support.





**R. SURABE**

**Branch : B.Tech EEE – Smart Grid and Electric Vehicles**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 87%**

I am truly grateful to the Laxmi Charity for their generous support and recognition through this scholarship. Coming from a background where managing finances is often a challenge, this aid gives me the strength and motivation to focus more on my academics, personal growth, and long-term goals.

This support is more than just financial help – it reflects trust in my potential and encourages me to work harder towards building a meaningful career.

Once again, thank you for making a difference in my life.



**G SSS HANSIKA**

**Branch : B.Tech-Robotics and Artificial Intelligence**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 98.5%**

I am thankful to have received the Lakshmi Scholarship, which I utilized responsibly toward my academic expenses. The financial support helped me pay my tuition fees on time and eased some of the economic pressure during my studies. It provided relief by reducing a portion of the financial burden, allowing me to continue my education with stability and focus.

Thanks to this scholarship support, I've been able to maintain strong academic performance and currently hold a CGPA of 8.9, reflecting my commitment to learning and growth. This financial assistance made a genuine difference, and I'm truly grateful for the help I've received.



**B.V. LAKSHMI DHANSHITA**

**Branch : B.Tech CSE**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 98.8%**

I am honestly grateful and was honored for being selected as recipients of Lakshmi Charity Scholarship.

Thank you for your commitment to trust my ability and support education. I really appreciate your kindness and generosity.





**MEENA GAYATHRI S**

**Branch : B.Tech – Civil Engineering**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 92%**

I am Meena Gayathri S, currently in my second year of Civil Engineering at SASTRA University. I would like to express my heartfelt thanks for awarding me the ₹50,000 scholarship during the second semester of my first year.

This financial assistance came at a crucial time and helped me manage my academic fees, for which I am deeply grateful.

Beyond financial support, the scholarship has motivated me to stay dedicated and push myself further in my academic journey. Knowing that my efforts are being recognized has strengthened my confidence and commitment to do well.

Thank you once again for your generous support and belief in my potential.



**SUBASHREE S**

**Branch : B.B.A, LLB (Hons)**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 97%**

I extend my heartfelt gratitude for awarding me the scholarship. Your generous support has made a significant difference in my academic journey, easing the financial burden on my family and allowing me to focus wholeheartedly on my studies.

This scholarship was not just financial assistance—it was a great source of motivation. It encouraged me to pursue my goals with greater confidence and determination. I am truly thankful for your belief in my potential and for investing in my future. I also look forward to use this support to enhance my learning and stay focused on both my academics and personal well-being.

Thank you for your invaluable support. I'm truly grateful for your generosity and encouragement.



**SAI VENKATARAMAN S**

**Branch : B.Tech CSE**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 96%**

I am Sai Venkatraman S, currently a second-year student at SASTRA University, pursuing my undergraduate degree in Computer Science and Engineering. My journey here so far has been filled with learning, growth, and determination to excel.

I would like to sincerely thank Lakshmi Charities for awarding me the scholarship of ₹50000 for the first year, second semester. This financial assistance has been a tremendous help in managing my academic fees and other essential expenses. I have utilized the amount wisely, ensuring it directly supports my education.

More importantly, this scholarship has eased some of the financial responsibilities of my family, for which I am truly grateful. Your support motivates me to work harder and strive for excellence in all my academic and personal endeavors.

Once again, thank you for your generosity and for believing in my potential. I am committed to making the best use of this opportunity and hope to make you proud with my future accomplishments.





**BAVYADARSHINI V**

**Branch : B.Com BFSI**

**Batch : 2024 – 2027**

**12th Percentage : 97%**

I am Bavyadarshini V, currently pursuing my second year of a Bachelor of Commerce in Banking, Financial Services, and Insurance. I would like to sincerely thank Laxmi Charities for awarding me a scholarship of ₹50,000. It has been extremely helpful to me and my family, as it significantly reduced our financial burden.

As my mother is a single parent, this support was especially meaningful. It has also motivated me to work harder toward achieving my future career goals.

My current CGPA is 8.6.



**MADHU PARAMESWARI GANESAN**

**Branch : B.Tech CSE**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 90.60%**

I am truly grateful for the scholarship I received in my first year. It helped a lot in covering my college fees and greatly reduced the financial burden on my family. Not only did it ease my worries, but it also gave peace of mind to my parents, who were concerned about managing the expenses.

I sincerely thank the scholarship providers for this valuable support. Your generosity is a great encouragement for students like me to stay focused, work hard, and move forward with confidence.

As I continue my undergraduate studies, I kindly request your continued support in the upcoming years. With your help, I am confident that I can make the most of my education and achieve my goals.

Thank you once again for making a meaningful difference in my life.



**C MUKHIL MADHAV**

**Branch : B.Tech CSE**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 94.8%**

I am C Mukhil Madhav. I am studying 2nd year B Tech Computer Science and Engineering in SASTRA University. I thank Lakshmi Charity for providing me the scholarship.

This gave me support and motivated me to work hard in my academics.

It helped me financially and encouraged me a lot.

Once again, a very thank you to Lakshmi Charity for providing me this scholarship.





**JANGA KOMAL REDDY**

**Branch : B.Tech Robotics and Artificial Intelligence**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 98.4%**

I am sincerely thankful to Lakshmi Charities for awarding me this scholarship. It has helped me cover important academic expenses and made a positive impact on my educational journey.

Thanks to this support, I've been able to focus more on my studies without financial stress, and I've used the opportunity to strengthen my academic progress. I currently hold a CGPA of 6.8, and I'm committed to improving further with consistent effort and dedication.

I truly appreciate this meaningful gesture, and I'm motivated to make the most of it as I continue my learning journey.



**KAVIN MUHIL S**

**Branch : B.Tech Biotechnology**

**Batch : 2025 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 85%**

I thank Lakshmi charity for providing this scholarship of ₹50,000 which motivated me to perform even more good in my academics and provided me some enough financial support. This money also helps my parents to be financially stable. I will try my best in academics to keep up the name. Thank you once again to trust in me and believing my ability.



**JALAGAM SRINADH**

**Branch : B.Tech ECE**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 98.4%**

I am Jalagam Srinadh, a second-year student of Electronics And Communication Engineering , from the [2024–2028] batch. I am sincerely grateful for the scholarship I received, which has been a valuable support in my academic journey.

This encouragement came at a meaningful time and has allowed me to pursue my studies with greater focus and confidence. It reduced the financial pressure on my family and gave me the motivation to strive harder towards my goals. Such recognition reminds me that sincere effort is always valued and rewarded.

This support has not only helped me academically but also inspired me personally. I hope to carry forward this spirit of generosity and give back to others in the future. Thank you for believing in my potential and helping me move ahead with purpose and determination.





**RITWIK MANCHIKATLA**

**Branch : B.E. Aerospace Engineering**

**Batch : 2024 – 2028**

**12th Percentage : 96.6%**

I am Ritwik Manchikatla, right now a second-year student at SASTRA University. I am pursuing my undergraduate studies in Aerospace Engineering and am deeply passionate about my academic journey here. Being a part of this institution has been both exciting and challenging, and I am continuously striving to make the most of every opportunity that comes my way.

I would like to sincerely thank you for the scholarship of ₹50,000 that I received during my first year, second semester. This generous support has helped me significantly in paying my academic fees and managing other necessary expenses. I've used the amount very wisely and thoughtfully, ensuring it supports my education directly. More importantly, it has eased a part of the financial burden on my parents, for which I am truly grateful.

Your support has not only helped me financially but also encouraged me to stay focused and continue working hard. I am committed to making the most of this opportunity and hope to make you proud through my achievements. Thank you once again for your generosity and belief in my potential.

We extend our sincere gratitude to all our generous donors whose support makes this scholarship program possible. Your contribution is not just financial aid—it is an investment in the future of our nation. By empowering young minds through education, you are helping shape a brighter, more equitable, and progressive India. Thank you for believing in the power of education and in the dreams of our students

**WITH GRATITUDE!**

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