

# SPECIAL SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR STUDENTS OF JAMMU & KASHMIR





Hon'ble Minister of HRD Govt. of India SCHEME OF MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT



Honfble Minister of Education Govt. of J&K

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## **MESSAGES**



This Government is committed to building the nation through involvement of youth of this country. To give a special impetus to J&K state, our Prime Minister has offered a Special Scholarship Scheme for educating youths of J&K. Scheme aims at admitting students in reputed colleges over and above the intake capacity and pay their full academic fees and maintenance allowance. I am happy that J&K youth are taking benefit of this scheme in increasing number not only in engineering and general, but also in medical, dental and nursing. I believe, this scheme will bring a sea change in the state of J&K. I appeal to students to study in best institutes and bring laurel to the country.

Prakash Javadekar Hon'ble Minister of HRD, Govt. of India



Special Scholarship Scheme for J&K students is an innovative scheme for empowering the students of J&K by providing them good quality higher education with admission against supernumerary seats in chosen fields of their interest with full scholarship. This engagement will provide young bright students of J&K ample opportunities to find useful employment or wherewithal to start their own entrepreneurial journey and create jobs. AICTE is thankful to MHRD and Govt. of India for providing this responsibility of nation building to AICTE.

> Prof. Anil Sahasrabudhe Chairman, AICTE

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Technical Education is the backbone of our country and plays a vital role for its social and economic development. PMSSS launched by MHRD, Govt. of India, provides an ample opportunity to the students of J&K and emphasize to equip them with sound knowledge, wisdom, experience and training both at the academic level of engineering and in the highly competitive global industrial market. I wish the best for all students of J&K, and the members of the institutions who reiterate their aims at providing the best in academic and extra-curricular fields. I certainly believe that success is inevitable where these exist- Foresightedness, Firm Determination, Hard work and Discipline. I look forward that majority of students will come forward and reap the benefit of this scheme.

> Prof. (Dr.) M.P. Poonia Vice Chairman, AICTE



Education is a source of hope, nourishing curiosity and dreams, giving young people tools to rebuild. Education is the best long-term way to break cycles of violence and set communities on the path to peace. PMSSS provides you a lifetime opportunity. I wish maximum number of students take the benefit of the scheme and lead the prosperous life and make our country proud.

Prof. Alok Prakash Mittal Member Secretary, AICTE

## BRIEF ABOUT SSS J&K

An Expert Group was constituted by Prime Minister on 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2010 in the context of enhancing employment opportunities among youths of Jammu & Kashmir and to formulate job plan involving public and private sectors. Every year fresh scholarships were given to J&K Students to pursue undergraduate studies outside the State of Jammu & Kashmir for improving their skills by providing access to education. Scheme was started in 2011 and modified from time to time to make the Scheme student friendly.

#### OBJECTIVES OF THE SCHEME

- ▶ Building capacities of the youth of Jammu & Kashmir.
- ➤ Educating, enabling and empowering them to compete in the normal course.
- Enhancing and formulating employment opportunities in Jammu & Kashmir.
- Boosting employment potential of students of Jammu & Kashmir.

# WHO ARE ELIGIBLE?

- Students having domicile of Jammu & Kashmir.
- ▶ Passing 10+2 examination from J&K Board or CBSE located in J&K.
- ➤ Only those willing to study outside the State of J&K.
- Whose family Income is Rs. 6.00 Lakh or below per annum.

# NOT ELIGIBLE, IF

- Not applied online through registration portal of AICTE.
- > Studied through Open Universities.
- ▶ Benefitting from other scholarships schemes.
- Admitted through 'Management Quota'.
- Studying in Diploma Courses.
- Studying in Post Graduate Courses.
- Family Income over Rs. 6 Lakh per annum.
- Admitted to institution other than identified under the scheme.

# SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT

#### Payments are made as below:

- Academic Fee: This includes fee related to education such as tuition fee, development fee, library fee, internet fee, training fee, university fee, examination fee etc. approved by State Fee Regulatory Committee except refundable deposits. This will be paid to the institutes directly.
- ➤ Maintenance Charges: Paid to students in two equal instalments of Rs. 50,000/- each for hostel, mess charges, buying books and stationery.

Stream	Academic Fee Limits	Maintenance Charges Limits	Number of Schoarships
General Degree	Upto Rs. 30,000/-	Uniformly	500
Engineering Degree	Upto Rs. 1.25 Lakh	Rs. 1.00 Lakh	2830
Medical/BDS	Upto Rs. 3.00 Lakh	101 411	100
Total No. of Scholarships			3430

# **RESERVATION**

- Reservation Policy of the State is applicable.
- > Scholarship would be awarded strictly as per the Merit List.

### MAJOR STEPS INVOLVED

- Registration on AICTE Portal within the last date.
- After registration, username and password will be issued to students.
- ▶ Upload Domicile Certificate, Income certificate, Class 10 mark sheet and Category certificate etc.
- Student is required to give preference of General or Engineering or Medical stream.
- Display of Merit list of registered students on AICTE Portal.

# **FACILITATION CENTERS**

- ► Facilitation Centres will be opened in J&K.
- ➤ The list of such Facilitation Centres will be uploaded on the website of AICTE.
- ➤ Applicants will visit nearest Facilitation Centre to get his / her uploaded documents verified with originals.

## **ADMISSION PROCESS**

- Every Student will be required to give preferences / choices of collages.
- ▶ AICTE will open counseling Centers at Jammu / Srinagar for actual admissions in the institutions identified under the scheme.
- ▶ Every candidate will have to be present for the Counseling.
- Student remaining absent will not be eligible for scholarship in any case.
- Allotment of seats will be made through counselling only.
- No change will be allowed after counselling is over under any circumstances.

## SUCCESS STORIES

Large number of students including girl students from State who could not afford higher education got benefitted under the scheme and students got good employment opportunities after completing their studies in India / Abroad.



I am studying at Army Institute of Technology, Pune under PMSSS. This is an opportunity J&K students should not miss. Explore the world and make our country proud. Please never fall prey to NGOs / agents. Take admission in college allotted by AICTE only.



Many thanks to AICTE !!!. I was admitted for electronics engineering in 2012. Engineering education in J & K is limited. I built my career due to this scholarship only. Online process as explained on AICTE website is a must for all. All the best.

Ishfaq Mir



I am pursuing B. Tech. through the PMSSS. I am an orphan. It was impossible for me to pursue my dream of higher studies. AICTE scheme helped me a lot through my journey. I am now able to lead an independent life.

Sonam Lado

Babita



PMSSS provides us a full financial support in order to persuade our degree through dream institutions in rest of the country. Also it help us to stand on our feet by giving us an opportunity to get placed in good companies.

Rasgotra Saahil Sharma



I am originally from Sopore town. Currently I am pursuing BDS degree. I wish become dental surgeon and help people of my country. I could pursue my dream because of PMSSS.

Aaqib Ahmad Shah



I am pursuing Engineering and I am beneficiary of PMSSS. I am thankful to AICTE and MHRD for providing me PMSSS scholarship which helped me in achieving my goals in life.

Syed Tufail Indrabi



I am thankful to have received PMSSS scholarship, which has fulfilled my dream of completing MBBS course. It was otherwise impossible and further aiming of becoming ENT Surgeon. This scholarship can build careers of students of J&K and can help build nation.

Apurva Raina



I hail from remote region of Ladakh and currently undergoing through BDS internship after completing successfully my four year BDS course. I got full scholarship under the PMSSS.

I am thankful to AICTE for giving me such a wonderful platform to pursue my dream.

Ashiq Hussain



Nursing Council Representative



Commissioner & Secretary Higher Education J&K



Principal Secretary School Education J&K



**UGC** Representative

Representatives of Government of Jammu & Kashmir, Nursing Council of India and University Grants Commission Facilitating Students Under Prime Ministers Special Scholarship Scheme



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