

# **Attendance Scholarship Scheme for Girl Students with Disabilities of Rural Areas**

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## **Benefits (Attendance Scholarship Scheme for Girl Students with Disabilities of Rural Areas)**

- Rate of Scholarship: 1. ■2,500/ per annum to the girl students up to 10th standard. 2. ■3,000/ per annum to the girl students from 10+1 onwards upto higher education. Note: The Directorate shall credit the scholarship online in the bank account of the student.

## **Eligibility (Attendance Scholarship Scheme for Girl Students with Disabilities of Rural Areas)**

- All rural girl students of Punjab having 40 % and above disability (In any disability contained in the schedule of RPwD Act 2016). The monthly income of the family/guardians of the girl student should not exceed ■5,000/
- per month. The minimum attendance of the girl students should be 70%. The scholarship will be provided to the girl students from 1st Standard onwards up to higher education.

## **Application Process (Attendance Scholarship Scheme for Girl Students with Disabilities of Rural Areas)**

- Mode of application: Application for the scholarship is submitted to the Head of school/college/institution who after verifying it shall forward it to the DSSO of the concerned district.
- Whom to contact : Office of District Social Security Officer Grievances Redressal: District Social Security Officer Head Office, Helpline (0172-2608746) Email: dsswcd@punjab.gov.in dddwcd8@gmail.com

## **Documents Required (Attendance Scholarship Scheme for Girl Students with Disabilities of Rural Areas)**

- 1. Disability Certificate/ UDID showing 40 % and above disability
- 2. Income certificate showing less than ■ 60 000/- P.A. income of parents
- 3. Copy of the bank account details
- 4. Any other document
- as required

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