

# **Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th**

## **Details (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

A scholarship scheme by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment for regular, full-time students from Scheduled Castes studying in Class 9th and 10th in a Govt. School / a School recognized by Govt. / CBSE / State Board of Secondary Education. ALL eligible Scheduled Caste candidates will be given scholarships as prescribed in this Scheme.

## **Objectives (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

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## **Important Features (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

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## **Benefits (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

- Scholarship (■ per month) (for 10 months in an academic year): ■ 225 for Day Scholars, ■ 525 for Hostellers. Books and Ad hoc Grant (■ per annum): ■ 750 for Day Scholars, ■ 1000 for Hostellers. ■ Additional Monthly Allowances for Person with Disability (PWD) studying in private unaided Schools
- Reader Allowance (for Blind students) – ■ 160 Transport Allowance (if the students do not reside in the hostel which is within the premises of the Educational Institution) – ■ 160 Escort Allowance (only for Severely Disabled Day Scholars / Students with low extremity disability) – ■ 160 Helper Allowance (admissible to any of the hostel willing to extend help to a severely orthopaedically handicapped student residing in the hostel of an Educational Institution who may need the assistance of a helper) – ■ 160 Coaching Allowance to Mentally Retarded and Mentally ill Students – ■ 240

## **Eligibility (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

- The applicant must be a student.
- The applicant must be studying in Class 9th or Class 10th.
- The applicant must be from Scheduled Caste.
- The Total Income of parents/guardian of the applicant must be less than or equal to ■ 2.5 lakh per annum.

## **Application Process (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

- Step 1: The application form (as prescribed by the State Govt.

- and made available on the website of the state govt.) complete in all respects should be submitted by the student to the Head of the Institution/School by 30th November of the academic year.
- Step 2: The duly filled application forms received from the students shall be forwarded by the Head of Institution, after scrutiny and with his recommendation, to the Block / District level authorities.
- Step 3: State Governments/UT Administrations will delegate powers to sanction scholarships under the scheme to appropriate District / Block level authorities/ Heads of Institutions, as appropriate.
- ■ NOTE: Ensure that the application is submitted within the prescribed period, if any.
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## **Documents Required (Centrally-Sponsored Scheme Of Pre-Matric Scholarship For Scheduled Caste Students Studying In Classes 9th & 10th)**

- Aadhaar Number. One copy of the application for scholarship in the prescribed form. One passport size photograph with signature of the student thereon (for fresh scholarship). One self-attested copy of certificates
- diploma
- degree etc. in respect of all examinations passed. A certificate of Caste duly signed by an authorized Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar. Income declaration of the self-employed parents/guardian in the form of a certificate issued by Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar. Income Certificate of the employed parents/guardian issued by their employer. A consolidated certificate of income of the employed parents/guardian from the Revenue Officer (only in case of any other additional source of income).

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