

# **Mukhyamantri Bagwani Mission: Dragon Fruit Vikas Yojana**

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## **Benefits (Mukhyamantri Bagwani Mission: Dragon Fruit Vikas Yojana)**

- Financial Support: First year: ₹1,80,000/- per hectare. Second year: ₹60,000/- per hectare. Third year: ₹60,000/- per hectare.

## **Eligibility (Mukhyamantri Bagwani Mission: Dragon Fruit Vikas Yojana)**

- The applicant should be a resident of Bihar.
- The applicant should be a ryot farmer.
- The applicant must be from any of the following districts: Bhojpur, Gopalganj, Jehanabad, Saran, Siwan, Supaul, Aurangabad, Begusarai, Bhagalpur, Gaya, Katihar, Kishanganj, Munger, Muzaffarpur, Nalanda, West Champaran, Patna, East Champaran, Purniyan, Samastipur and Vaishali.
- The applicant must have agricultural land a minimum of 0.25 acres (0.1 ha) and a maximum of 10 acres (4 ha).
- The applicant must be registered on the DBT portal.
- Note 1: Beneficiary allocation: General Category: 78.56%.
- Scheduled Castes: 20%.
- Scheduled Tribes: 1.44%.
- Women Participation: 30%.
- Note 2: Beneficiaries will be selected on first come first serve basis.

## **Application Process (Mukhyamantri Bagwani Mission: Dragon Fruit Vikas Yojana)**

- DBT Registration Process: Step-1: Visit the registration page of the DBT portal.
- Step-2: Select Aadhaar verification type: OTP/ BIO-AUTH/ IRIS.
- Step-3: Enter your Aadhaar number and Name as per Aadhaar.
- Click on “Authentication”.
- Step-4: Enter the OTP.
- Click on “Validate OTP”.
- Step-5: Now confirm the details about the “Kisan Credit Card (KCC)” Details.
- Click on “Farmer Registration”.

- Step-6: In the Registration Page, fill in all the details properly i.e.
- Farmer details, Land information, Bank account details and click on “Submit”.
- Step-7: Validate with OTP.
- Click on “Register” to generate the Registration Id.
- Note: After 48 hours of registration, farmers can apply for the scheme with the help of 13 digit registration number.
- ■ Online Application of the Scheme: Step-1: Visit the official website .
- Step-2: Scroll to bottom and confirm the checkbox.
- Click on “Proceed to apply”.
- Step-3: In the next page select the “Type of Applicant” and enter the “DBT Registration Number of Kisan”.
- Click on “Get details”.
- Step-4: Fill in the required details i.e.
- Address, Land Details, etc, and upload documents.
- Step-5: Confirm the checkbox and then click on “Submit”.
- Step-6: An “Application Number” will be generated.
- Keep this for future reference.
- Step-7: Printout of the filled in application also can be taken using the Print option.

### **Documents Required (Mukhyamantri Bagwani Mission: Dragon Fruit Vikas Yojana)**

- For DBT Registration Process: Aadhaar Details (Should be linked with mobile number). Passport Size Photo. Farmer details. Land information. Bank account. For the Online Application of the Scheme: Passport Size Photo. Land-ownership/ revenue receipt (If applicable). Note: If the applicant's name is not clear in the land-ownership/ revenue receipt
- it will be mandatory to attach the genealogy along with the land-ownership/ revenue receipt.

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