

Old Age Pension Scheme under Chief Ministerâ€™s Uzhavar Padhukappu ThittamAre you sure you want to sign out?CancelSign OutEngEnglish/â€â€â€â€â€â€â€â€Sign InBackDetailsBenefitsEligibilityApplication ProcessDocuments RequiredFrequently Asked QuestionsSources And ReferencesFeedbackSomething went wrong. Please try again later.OkYou need to sign in before applying for schemesCancelSign InSomething went wrong. Please try again later.OkIt seems you have already initiated your application earlier.To know more please visit CancelApply NowCheck EligibilityTamil NaduOld Age Pension Scheme under Chief Ministerâ€™s Uzhavar Padhukappu ThittamFarmersFinancial AssistanceLabourPensionSenior CitizenDetailsThe 'Old Age Pension Scheme under Chief Ministerâ€™s Uzhavar Padhukappu Thittam' is a state scheme that was launched by the Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department, Tamil Nadu. The scheme aims to give a pension of â‚¹1,000/- to old-age farmers and destitute agricultural labourers who have membership card under Chief Ministerâ€™s Uzhavar Padhukappu Thittam (CMPUT).â€â€â€BenefitsPension: â‚¹1,000/- per month.Free Clothes during Pongal and Deepavali:One free dhoti to a male pensioner.One free saree to a female pensioner.Free Rice in Anganwadi Centres:2kg/month to those who are taking nutritious meal.4kg/month to those who are not taking nutritious meal.EligibilityThe applicant should be destitute.The applicant's age should be 60 years and above.The applicant should be farmer or a landless agricultural labour.The applicant's fixed assets should not exceed â‚¹1,00,000/-.Application ProcessOnline - via CSCsStep 1: The applicant should gather copies of the necessary documents needed to apply for the concerned scheme.Step 2: The applicant should visit the nearest Common Service Center (CSC) and complete the Biometric Verification Process.Step 3: In the application form, fill in all the mandatory fields and upload copies of all the mandatory documents.Step 4: Request a receipt or acknowledgement from the concerned authority to whom the application has been submitted. Ensure that the receipt contains essential details such as the date and time of submission, and a unique identification number (if applicable).Documents RequiredApplicant's Photo.Aadhaar Card.Proof of Age.Aadhaar Consent Form.Smart Ration Card or Any Address Proof.Membership Card under CMPUT.Selfâ€declaration of Applicant.Any Identity Proof (Voter ID Card, Passport, PAN Card, Driving License).Bank Passbook.Frequently Asked QuestionsI am 58 years old and a registered farmer under CMPUT. Can I apply for the scheme now?No, unfortunately, the minimum age requirement to apply for the scheme is 60 years old. You can apply once you reach that age.I am not completely destitute, but I have very low income from farming. Am I eligible for the scheme?While the scheme prioritizes destitute individuals, having some income from farming wouldn't necessarily disqualify you. However, your income level and overall financial situation will be assessed during the application process to determine your eligibility.I used to be a farmer, but now I work as a security guard. Am I still eligible for the pension?No, the scheme is specifically for farmers and landless agricultural laborers. If your primary source of income is no longer related to agriculture, you wouldn't be eligible.What happens to the free clothes (dhoti/saree) if I cannot attend the distribution event?In most cases, the clothes can be collected later from designated distribution centers. However, it's best to check with the CSC or local authorities for specific details and collection timelines. I am a female farmer. Do I need to show my land ownership documents to apply?No, the scheme doesn't differentiate between male and female farmers or require land ownership documents. As long as you have a valid CMPUT membership card and meet the eligibility criteria, you can apply.Do I need to renew my application every year to continue receiving the benefits?No, once approved, you don't need to reapply every year. However, you might need to update your information periodically, as instructed by the authorities.I live in a remote area with limited access to CSCs. Are there any alternative ways to apply?You can inquire with the Social Welfare Department about potential mobile camps or designated application centers closer to your location.Do I need help from a lawyer or any other professional to complete the application process?No, the application process for the Old Age Pension Scheme is designed to be simple and self-explanatory. The CSC staff can also guide you through the process and answer any questions you might have.Is there a fee associated with applying for the scheme?No, applying for the Old Age Pension Scheme is completely free. You shouldn't pay any fees at the CSC or to any individual for processing your application.How long does it take to process the application and receive the benefits?Processing times can vary, but it typically takes around 4-6 weeks for verification and approval. Once approved, you should receive the pension within a month.Is there a specific time frame during which I can apply for the scheme?No, the Old Age Pension Scheme is an ongoing initiative, and you can apply at any time.Sources And ReferencesCitizen's CharterDocuments RequiredOkWas this helpful?News and UpdatesNo new news and updates availableShareSomething went wrong. Please try again later.OkYou need to sign in before applying for schemesCancelSign InSomething went wrong. 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