Marriage Assistance to Normal Persons Marrying Visually Impaired PersonsAre you sure you want to sign out? CancelSign OutEngEnglish/हिà¤,à¤;ी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 Cancel Apply NowCheck Eligibility Tamil NaduMarriage Assistance to Normal Persons Marrying Visually Impaired PersonsDifferently-abled PersonFinancial AssistanceMarriageVisuallyDetailsIn recognition of the distinct considerations inherent in marriages where one partner is visually impaired, the "Marriage Assistance Scheme for Individuals Marrying Visually Impaired Persons" provides targeted financial assistance. This program aims to mitigate potential economic burdens associated with visual impairment, such as the requirement for specialized equipment or additional support services. This intervention not only fosters a more inclusive social environment but also empowers couples to embark on their marital journey with greater financial stability, thus solidifying the foundation for a prosperous and fulfilling union. Furthermore, the program serves as a testament to societal acceptance of diverse family structures, celebrating the richness that such diversity brings to the community. By alleviating potential financial barriers, the scheme encourages the formation of strong and enduring relationships between individuals, irrespective of their visual abilities.BenefitsMarriage assistance amount: â, 125,000/- as â, 112,500/- National Savings Certificate. â, 112,500/- cheque/Demand Draft for marriage expenses. Additional benefit if either spouse has a degree/diploma: Increased amount to â, 150,000/- â, 125,000/- National Savings Certificate. â, '25,000/- cheque/Demand Draft.Other Benefits: Certificate of appreciation.8 gram gold coin for Tirumangalyam (a traditional South Indian symbol of marriage for women). Eligibility A normal person should marry a speech and visually impaired person. The age of the couple (both) should be above 18 years. "»¿Additional Eligibility: The normal person and visually impaired person individuals holding a degree or diploma are eligible to receive increased assistance. Application ProcessOfflineStep 1: The interested applicant should visit (during office hours) the District Differently Abled Welfare Office and request a hard copy of the prescribed format of the application form from the staff exclusively entrusted to issue and collect filled-in applications. Step 2: In the application form, fill in all the mandatory fields, and attach copies of all the mandatory documents (self-attest, if required). Step 3: Submit the duly filled and signed application form along with the documents to the District Differently Abled Welfare Officer. Step 4: Request a receipt or acknowledgment from the District Differently Abled Welfare Officer 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 RequiredNational Identity Card of the differently abled Bride or groom.Marriage Certificate.Age Proof of Bride and Groom.Degree or Diploma Certificate Bride or Groom. Frequently Asked Questions What is the breakdown of the assistance between National Savings Certificate and cash? The assistance is divided into the form of a National Savings Certificate and Cheque or Demand Draft. Are there any additional items provided along with the assistance? Along with the financial assistance, recipients also receive additional items such as a certificate of appreciation and an 8-gram gold coin. Are there any income criteria for eligibility? There are no income criteria specified for eligibility under this scheme. Is there any provision for pre-marriage counseling? There is no provision mentioned for premarriage counseling under this scheme. Are there any conditions regarding the wedding ceremony? There are no specific conditions mentioned regarding the wedding ceremony. Can the assistance be used for other purposes besides marriage expenses? The assistance provided is intended specifically for marriage expenses. Is there any provision for financial counseling or planning? Financial counseling or planning services are not explicitly mentioned as part of this scheme. How long has the scheme been in effect? The scheme has been in effect since May 23, 2016. Is the scheme applicable nationwide or only in specific regions? The scheme is typically applicable within the region or state where it is implemented. Is there any provision for assistance with accessibility or accommodations for the visually impaired? There is no provision mentioned for assistance with accessibility or accommodations for the visually impaired. Are there any requirements regarding the type of marriage ceremony? There are no specific requirements mentioned regarding the type of marriage ceremony. Is there any provision for assistance with medical expenses related to visual impairment? The scheme does not cover medical expenses related to visual impairment. Are there any restrictions on the marriage venue or location? There are no restrictions mentioned regarding the marriage venue or location. Sources And References Citizen's Charter (2022) Ok Was this helpful? News and Updates No new news and updates availableShareSomething went wrong. 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