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With DiabilitiesTeachersDetailsThe Scheme has been formulated to help visually challenged permanent teachers to pursue teaching and
research with the help of a Reader and by using teaching and learning aids by way of providing Readerâ€™s Allowance and funds for
the purchase of Braille books, recorded materials, etc. ï»¿OBJECTIVE To provide a facility to help visually challenged permanent
teachers to achieve self-dependence by using various aids for teaching, learning, and research. ï»¿ï»¿BenefitsAllowance to visually
challenged permanent teachers will be Rs.36000/- p.a. The amount is to be utilized for the following purposes: Payment to Reader
Purchase of Braille Books/ Material Purchase of recorded materials Any other related/ required material/equipment for research,
teaching, and learning. The amount payable to Reader shall not exceed Rs.50/- per hour. The College shall reimburse the amount to
visually challenged teachers on receipt of the actual amount received by the Reader and actual expenditure incurred by the visually
challenged teacher subject to a maximum of Rs.36000/- per annum. Bills, in original, will be required to be submitted by the teacher to
the college. However, these are not required to be submitted to the UGC. The scheme will end with the Plan period.EligibilityAll the
visually challenged teachers who are working in colleges in India, which are included under Sections 2(f) and 12B of the UGC Act, are
covered under the scheme. Application ProcessOfflinePROCEDURE FOR APPLYING Step 1: Go to the Prescribed Format (Page 09)
For Getting Financial Assistance Towards Visually Handicapped Teachers Of College.Step 2: Fill out all the details.Step 3:The proposal
may be sent directly to the respective Regional Offices of the UGC along with the proposal for the Twelfth Plan showing a consolidated
list of all the visually challenged teachers in the Institute including self-financing colleges covered under 12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956 are
eligible to receive the grant. ï»¿PROCEDURE FOR APPROVAL BY THE UGC The UGC would analyze and approve the proposal at
its own level. Once the proposal is approved, the first installment of the admissible grant will be released by the UGC. ï»¿RELEASE OF
GRANT BY THE UGCThe first installment will be released with the letter of approval. However, subsequent installments would be paid
on receipt of the Utilization Certificate of the previous grant together with the Statement of Expenditure incurred in the previous year.
Details pertaining to visually challenged teachers be appended with it. ï»¿PROFORMA FOR SUBMITTING THE PROPOSAL The
Colleges are requested to submit their proposal in the prescribed format only. Documents RequiredAdhar CardVisually Disability
Certificate issued by a Government Hospital as per normsQualification CertificatesBank Details.Frequently Asked QuestionsWhat is
financial assistance for visually challenged teachers?Financial assistance for visually challenged teachers refers to various programs,
grants, scholarships, or financial aid offered to support visually impaired individuals pursuing a career in teaching. These programs aim
to alleviate financial burdens and provide opportunities for professional development in the teaching field.Who is eligible for financial
assistance for visually challenged teachers?Eligibility criteria may vary depending on the specific program or scheme. Generally,
individuals with visual impairments or blindness who are pursuing or planning to pursue a career in teaching may be eligible for financial
assistance. Specific requirements may include educational qualifications, enrollment in recognized teacher training programs, and proof
of visual impairment.What types of financial assistance are available for visually challenged teachers?Financial assistance programs can
include scholarships, grants, bursaries, or stipends specifically designed for visually challenged teachers. These programs may cover
tuition fees, accommodation expenses, transportation costs, assistive technology, or other educational needs.How can I apply for
financial assistance for visually challenged teachers?The application process may vary depending on the specific program or
organization offering the financial assistance. Typically, you would need to fill out an application form, provide supporting documents
such as proof of visual impairment and educational qualifications, and submit the application within the designated deadline. It is
recommended to check the requirements and application process specified by the program or organization providing the financial
assistance.Are there any specific organizations or agencies that provide financial assistance to visually challenged teachers?Several
organizations, foundations, government agencies, educational institutions, and disability support centers offer financial assistance
programs for visually challenged teachers. Examples include disability-focused organizations, teacher associations, government
departments, or nonprofits dedicated to supporting individuals with visual impairments in the teaching profession.Can I receive financial
assistance for professional development activities as a visually challenged teacher?Some financial assistance programs may cover the
costs associated with professional development activities, such as attending workshops, conferences, or training programs related to
teaching or special education. The availability of such assistance may vary depending on the specific program and its guidelines.Are
there any repayment obligations for the financial assistance received?The repayment requirements, if any, will depend on the terms and
conditions of the specific financial assistance program. Scholarships or grants are typically not required to be repaid, while loans or
bursaries may have different repayment arrangements or conditions. It is important to review the terms and conditions of the financial
assistance program to understand the repayment obligations, if any.Sources And ReferencesGuidelineOkWas this helpful?News and
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