## PRAGATI SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR GIRLS STUDENT

Pragati is a MHRD Scheme being implemented by of AICTE aimed at providing assistance for Advancement of Girls pursuing Technical Education. Education is one of the most important means of empowering women with the knowledge, skill and selfconfidence necessary to participate fully in the development process. This is an attempt to give young Women the opportunity to further her education and prepare for a successful future by **"Empowering Women through Technical Education"** 

#### Salient Features of the Scheme

- Total Number of Scholarship-4000 per Annum ( 2000 for Degree and 2000 for Diploma)
- The candidate should be admitted to 1<sup>st</sup> year of Degree/Diploma course in any of the AICTE approved Institution of respective year through Centralized Admission process of the State/Central Government.
- The Scholarships for Degree and Diploma are transferable in event of nonavailability of eligible applicant in any of the Degree/Diploma level Programme.
- Two Girls Child per family are eligible, who's family income is not more than 8 lakh per annum during the preceding financial year (in case of married girl, the income of parents/in-laws, whichever is higher will be considered).
- The selection of candidate will be made on merit on the basis of qualifying examination to peruse the respective Technical Degree/Diploma course from any of the AICTE approved institution.
- Amount of scholarship: Tuition Fee of Rs. 30,000/- or at actual, whichever is less and Rs.2000/- per month for 10 months as incidentals charges each year. In case of Tuition fee waiver/reimbursement, Students are eligible to get an amount of Rs. 30,000/- for the purchase of Books/Equipment/Softwares/ Laptop/Desktop/Vehicle/Fee paid towards competitive examination applications forms/exam.
- Reservation-15% for SC, 7.5% for ST and 27% for OBC candidate/applicant.

# **Document Required**

- 1. Mark Sheet of standard Xth /XIIth / others as applicable.
- 2. Annual family Income Certificate for the preceding financial year in the prescribed format issued by not below the rank of Tahsildar.
- 3. Admission letter issued by Directorate of Technical Education for the admission in Diploma/Degree course.
- 4. Certificate issued by the Director/Principal/ Head of the Institute.
- 5. Tuition fee receipt.
- 6. AADHAR seeded Bank Pass Book in the name of the student indicating Account number, IFSC code and Photograph
- 7. Caste Certificate for SC/ST/OBC category.
- 8. AADHAR Card
- 9. Declaration by parents duly signed stating that the information provided by their child is correct and will refund Scholarship amount, if found false at any stage.

## SAKSHAM SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR SPECIALLY ABLED STUDENT

Saksham is a MHRD Scheme being implemented by of AICTE aimed at providing encouragement and support to specially abled children to pursue Technical Education. This is an attempt to give every young student, who is otherwise specially abled, the opportunity too study further and prepare for a successful future.

# Salient Features of the Scheme

- Total Number of Scholarship-1000 per Annum ( 500 for Degree and 500 for Diploma)
- The Scholarships for Degree and Diploma are transferable in event of non-availability of eligible applicant in any of the Degree/Diploma level Programme.
- The candidate should be admitted to 1<sup>st</sup> year of Degree/Diploma course in any of the AICTE approved Institution of respective year through Centralized Admission process of the State/Central Government.
- Specially Abled Student, having disability of not less than 40% and family income not more than 8 lakh per annum during the preceding financial year (in case of married girl, the income of parents/in-laws, whichever is higher will be considered).
- The selection of candidate will be made on merit on the basis of qualifying examination to peruse the respective Technical Degree/Diploma course from any of the AICTE approved institution.
- Amount of scholarship: Tuition Fee of Rs. 30,000/- or at actual, whichever is less and Rs.2000/- per month for 10 months as incidentals charges each year. In case of Tuition fee waiver/reimbursement, Students are eligible to get an amount of Rs. 30,000/- for the purchase of Books/Equipment/Softwares/ Laptop/Desktop/Vehicle/Fee paid towards competitive examination applications forms/exam/ specific equipments/ software's for visually impaired/ speech and hearing disabled.
- Reservation-15% for SC, 7.5% for ST and 27% for OBC candidate/applicant.

# **Document Required**

- 1. Mark Sheet of standard Xth /XIIth / others as applicable.
- 2. Annual family Income Certificate for the preceding financial year in the prescribed format issued by not below the rank of Tahsildar.
- 3. Disability certificate issued by Competent Authority
- 4. Admission letter issued by Directorate of Technical Education for the admission in Diploma/Degree course.
- 5. Certificate issued by the Director/Principal/ Head of the Institute.
- 6. Tuition fee receipt.
- 7. AADHAR seeded Bank Pass Book in the name of the student indicating Account number, IFSC code and Photograph
- 8. Caste Certificate for SC/ST/OBC category.
- 9. AADHAR card.
- 10. Declaration by parents duly signed stating that the information provided by their child is correct and will refund Scholarship amount, if found false at any stage.



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#### **NOTIFICATION**

It is hereby informed that the last date for the submission of online applications under AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (for girl student), AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (for specially-abled student) and AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme has been extended till 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021. The details of online Portal for various schemes are as follows:

S. No.	Scheme	Portal address
1	AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications -2021-2022 Batch & Renewal applications -2020-2021 Batch)	National Scholarship Portal - https://scholarships.gov.in
2	AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (Renewal applications -2018-19 & 2019-20 Batch)	AICTE web Portal -https://www.aicte-pragati- saksham-gov.in/
3	AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications -2021-2022 Batch & Renewal applications -2020-2021 Batch)	National Scholarship Portal - https://scholarships.gov.in/
4	AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (Renewal applications -2018-19 & 2019-20 Batch)	AICTE web Portal -https://www.aicte-pragati- saksham-gov.in/
5	AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications)	National Scholarship Portal at- https://scholarships.gov.in/

The guidelines of each schemes are available at AICTE website. The students may submit their Fresh & Renewal applications at the respective portal. The students are advised to submit their online applications well in time so that their institutions are able to verify applications within the prescribed timelines.

The extended last date for first level of verification of applications (fresh and renewal cases) by institutions including re-submitted defective applications and second level of verification (Fresh & Renewal cases) by State Nodal Officers is 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 and 15<sup>th</sup> January 2022 respectively. The details of online portal for institutions for first level of verification of online applications are as follows:

S. No.	Scheme	Portal address
1.	AICTE Pragati & Saksham Scholarship Schemes (Fresh applications -2021-2022 Batch & Renewal applications -2020-2021 Batch)	National Scholarship Portal -https://scholarships.gov.in
2.	AICTE Pragati & Saksham Scholarship Schemes (Renewal applications -2018-19 & 2019-20 Batch)	AICTE web Portal - https://www.aicte-pragati-saksham- gov.in/institutes/login.php
3.	AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications)	National Scholarship Portal at- https://scholarships.gov.in/

The eligible institutions are also advised to verify applications of their students immediately after receiving the applications on respective online portal.

