

**PLAN
RECURRING**

No.11/2/2013- PP (PPR)
Government of India
Ministry of Minority Affairs

11th Floor, Paryavaran Bhawan,
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road
New Delhi - 110003
Dated 14th February, 2014

To
The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Minority Affairs,
Paryavaran Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Subject: Grant-in-aid under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Pre-matric scholarship for students belonging to the minority communities to Government of Puducherry for the year 2013-14.

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's sanction of even no. dated 06.06.2013 & 18.12.2013, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of recurring grant-in-aid of **₹ 9,27,306/- (₹ Nine Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Six only)** as 100% Central share to the Government of Puducherry for implementation of the scheme of Pre-matric scholarship for students belonging to the minority communities, for the year 2013-14, as per details given below and enclosed at Annexure:-

Sl. No	Particulars	Amount
1.	For renewal of Pre-matric scholarships to 10 students	₹ 22,600/-
2.	For award of new Pre-matric scholarships to 612 students	₹ 9,04,706/-
Amount to be released (1+2):		₹ 9,27,306/-

2. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.68 - Ministry of Minority Affairs - 3602 - Grant-in-aid to UT Government (Major Head) -04 Grant for Centrally Sponsored Plan Scheme (Sub-major Head) - 378 General (Welfare of SCs/STs, OBC Minorities)- Other grants (Minor Head) - 04 - Pre-Matric scholarship for Minority - 04.00.31 - Grants-in-aid for the year 2013-14 (Plan).

3. The recurring grant may be released to the Government of Puducherry CAS, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur.

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- (vi) State Government/Union Territory Administration concerned or their designated agencies disburse the maintenance allowance to the student's bank accounts, and admission and course/tuition fee to the bank account of school/ College/ University/Institute concerned. Efforts should be made for transferring the same electronically through the bank.
- (vii) The State Govt./UT Admin. will maintain a separate account and records relating to the funds received from the Ministry and they will be subjected to inspection by the officers of the Ministry or any other agency designated by the Ministry;
- (viii) The student obtaining benefits under this scholarship scheme shall not be allowed to avail of benefits under any other scholarship scheme for the same purpose.
- (ix) The fund for distribution of scholarship in subsequent year will be released after receiving the utilization certificate for the previous year.
- (x) The State/Union Territory shall place all relevant details of financial and physical achievements on their website.

9. This sanction issues with approval of **Integrated Finance Division** vide their **Dy. No. 1061/IFD/14** dated **12.02.2014**.

Yours faithfully,

(Signature)
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Copy to:-

1. Director of Accounts & Treasury, Government of Puducherry, D.A.T. Complex, D.A.T. Main Road, Rainbow Nagar, Puducherry-605001.
2. Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Central Account Section, Nagpur-1.
3. Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Puducherry, Puducherry.
4. Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Puducherry, Puducherry.
5. Director, Social Welfare Department, Government of Puducherry, No.1, Main Road, Saradambal Nagar, Puducherry-605005.
6. Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, New Delhi - 110002.
7. Sanction Folder.

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Annexure

Community-wise allocation of Pre-matric Scholarships made by the Ministry and scholarships for 2013-14 to the Government of Puducherry.

S. No.	Community	No. of scholarship allocated (for fresh only)	Fresh Scholarship sanctioned in 1 st & 2 nd Proposals	Balance of Fresh Scholarships	Scholarships Renewed in 1 st & 2 nd Proposals
1.	Muslim	1200	100	1100	361
2.	Christian	1400	44	1356	214
3.	Sikh	55	0	55	0
4.	Buddhist	36	0	36	0
5.	Parsi	18	0	18	0
Total:		2709	144	2565	575

Details of renewal Pre-matric scholarships sanctioned for 2013-14.

Community	No. of Scholarships renewed	No. of Scholarships for girl students	No. of Scholarships for boy students
Muslim	05	0	05
Christian	05	02	03
Sikh	0	0	0
Buddhist	0	0	0
Parsi	0	0	0
Total:	10	2	8

Details of new Pre-matric scholarships sanctioned for 2013-14.

Community	No. of Fresh Scholarships for 2013-14	No. of Scholarships for girl students	No. of Scholarships for boy students
Muslim	436	255	181
Christian	176	106	70
Sikh	0	0	0
Buddhist	0	0	0
Parsi	0	0	0
Total	612	361	251

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4. As per Rule 211(1) of G.F.R., the accounts of the grantee shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act, 1971 and internal Audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry.
5. As per Rule 212(1) of G.F.R., Utilization Certificate for this grant should be submitted by the grantee in the prescribed format (GFR 19-A) within 12 months of the closure of the financial year. It is to be certified by the grantee that no utilization certificate is pending in respect of previous grant/grants.
6. The State Government should ensure that necessary budget provision is made through contingency fund advance, if required and that the sanctioned amount is disbursed to the students within one month from the receipt of fund in the State Account.
7. The Utilization Certificates for 2011-12 have been received from the State Government and are enclosed. No Utilization Certificate is pending with the State Government.
8. The utilization of the above amount by implementing agency is subject to the following terms & conditions:-
 - (i) Scholarships will be available to the students of minority communities studying in classes I to X. The continuance of award will be subject to securing 50% marks in the previous examination. Maintenance allowance will be provided to hostellers and day scholars. Maintenance allowance will be given for 10 months only in an academic year.
 - (ii) The award will be discontinued if a student fails to secure 50% marks in the annual examination except in case of unavoidable reasons to be certified by the Principal/competent authority of the school and recommended by the State Government/Union Territory Administration.
 - (iii) The annual income of the parents/guardian, from all sources does not exceed Rs.1 lakh. Income certificate should be on self-certification basis by way of affidavit on non-judicial stamp paper of self-employed parents/guardian and from employer for employed parents/ guardian.
 - (iv) Scholarship will not be given to more than two students from a family.
 - (v) If a student is found to have obtained a scholarship by false statement, his/her scholarship will be cancelled forthwith and the amount of the scholarship paid shall be recovered, at the discretion of the concerned State Govt./UT Admin;

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