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NOTIFICATION

It is hereby informed that the online portal for submission of applications under AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme for girl students (Fresh & Renewal cases), AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme for specially-abled students (Fresh & Renewal cases) & AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Fresh & Renewal cases) has been opened & last date for submission of online applications is 31.10.2026. The details of online portal for various schemes are as follows:

S. No.	Scheme	Portal address
1.	AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications -2026-2027 Batch & Renewal applications -2023-2024(Degree only), 2024-25 & 2025-26 Degree & Diploma Batches.)	National Scholarship Portal - https://scholarships.gov.in
2.	AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications -2026-2027 Batch & Renewal applications -2023-2024(Degree only), 2024-25 & 2025-26 Degree & Diploma Batches.)	National Scholarship Portal - https://scholarships.gov.in/
3.	AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Fresh applications -2026-2027 Batch & Renewal applications -2023-2024(Degree only), 2024-25 & 2025-26 Degree & Diploma Batches.)	National Scholarship Portal - https://scholarships.gov.in

The last date for first level of verification of applications (fresh and renewal cases) by Institutions/(INO) including re-submitted defective applications and second level of verification (Fresh & Renewal cases) by State Nodal Officers for Pragati, Saksham and Swanath Scholarship Schemes through National Scholarship Portal (NSP) are as under: -

1.	Last date for application submission	:	31 st October, 2026
2.	Last date for INO Level Verification	:	15 th November, 2026
3.	Last date for SNO Level Verification	:	30 th November, 2026

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

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The guidelines of each scheme are available at AICTE website (<https://www.aicte-india.org/schemes/students-development-schemes>). 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.

S. No.	Scheme	Link to the Scheme Guidelines:
1.	AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (Degree)	https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/stdc/Pragati/AICTE%20Pragati%20Scheme%20Guidelines_Degree.pdf
2.	AICTE Pragati Scholarship Scheme (Diploma)	https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/stdc/Pragati/AICTE%20Pragati%20Scheme%20Guidelines_Diploma.pdf
3.	AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (Degree)	https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/stdc/AICTE%20Saksham%20Scheme%20Guidelines_Degree.pdf
4.	AICTE Saksham Scholarship Scheme (Diploma)	https://www.aicte-india.org/sites/default/files/stdc/AICTE%20Saksham%20Scheme%20Guidelines_Diploma.pdf
5.	AICTE Swanath Scholarship Scheme (Degree and Diploma)	https://www.aicte.gov.in/sites/default/files/AICTE-SWANATH.pdf

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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
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No. 507842/220

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR PRE-MATRIC, POST MATRIC AND TOP CLASS
SCHOLARSHIP FOR DIFFERENTLY ABLED STUDENTS FOR THE YEAR 2026-27**

The Department of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India is implementing three scholarships for students with disabilities through the **National Scholarship Portal (NSP):** (www.scholarships.gov.in).

- a) **Pre-matric scholarships for Class IX and X**
- b) **Post-matric scholarships for Class XI to Post-graduation and**
- c) **Scholarship for Top Class Education** (For Graduate and Post-Graduate Degree/Diploma in notified institutes of excellence in education)

Eligibility Criteria:

1. All the 3 components of scholarships are open to students with benchmark disability i.e., 40% or more disability and having a valid certificate of disability issued by the competent authority / UDID card with 40% or above disability.
2. Annual parental income:
 - a. **For Pre-Matric & Post -Matric- Scholarship:** It will be granted to the differently abled students whose parental/Guardian's Income from all sources does not exceed **Rs. 2.5 lakhs per annum**. The income certificate should be obtained only from the Circle Officer of respective of respective Revenue Circle.
 - b. **For Top Class- Scholarship:** It will be granted to the differently abled students whose parental/Guardian's Income from all sources does not exceed **Rs. 8 lakhs per annum**. The income certificate should be obtained only from the Circle Officer of respective of respective Revenue Circle.
3. Applicants or their parents must link their bank account with AADHAAR number.
(Account number is not required for scholarship disbursement through National Scholarship Portal. Scholarship will be disbursed directly into the AADHAAR seeded bank account of the beneficiary).

For Applicants:

1. All the fresh/ renewal applicants who are eligible to apply for National scholarship have to complete a **One Time Registration (OTR)** and also face authentication before applying for the Scholarship in the National Scholarship Portal through the **mobile application "NSPOTR"** which is available in Google Play Store.
2. The students who applied for the scholarship last year and have already received a reference id via their registered mobile number will receive a One Time Registration(OTR) number.
3. AADHAAR is mandatory for all the applicants. However for minor applicants who apply without AADHAAR, parents or legal guardian's AADHAAR is mandatory.

The timelines for submission of applications and verification at institute level are mentioned below:

Sl. No.	Components of National Scholarship for Students with Disabilities	Application open date	Last date of Submission of application
1.	Pre-matric scholarships for Class IX and X	01 st June, 2026	31 st August, 2026
2.	Post-matric scholarships for Class XI to Post-graduation	01 st June, 2026	31 st October, 2026
3.	Top Class scholarship (For Graduate and Post-Graduate Degree/Diploma in notified institutes of excellence in education)	01 st June, 2026	31 st October, 2026

**Digitally signed by
SUSWAPNA KAKOTY**

Date: 04-06-2026

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Social Justice & Empowerment, Assam
Beltola, Guwahati-28

Memo No. 507842/220-A

Copy to:

1. The Under Secretary (Scholarship) Deptt. of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment Government of India 5th Floor, Paryavaran Bhavan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110 003 for kind information.
2. **The Director, Information & Public Relation**, Dispur, Guwahati-06. He is requested to kindly publish the above matter in the leading Dailies of Assam for wide circulation.
3. The Director, Higher Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under your jurisdiction.
4. The Director, Technical Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under your jurisdiction.
5. The Director, Secondary Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under your jurisdiction.
6. The Director, Medical Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under your jurisdiction.
7. The Principal, B.D.S Govt. H.S School for Hearing Impaired, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19 for necessary action.
8. The Principal, Jorhat Blind Institution, Jorhat for necessary action.
9. The Principal, Blind School Guwahati, Latakata for necessary action.
10. The P.S to the Hon'ble Minister, Social Justice & Empowerment, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati for kind appraisal of the hon'ble Minister.
11. The P.A to the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment, Dispur, Guwahati for kind appraisal of the Secretary.
12. The Sub-Divisional Welfare Officer/ Facilitators are requested to inform all the educational institution under his/her jurisdiction as early as possible so that students can submit their online application for scholarship for the year 2026-27 in time.
13. Notice Board of this Directorate.

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Director

Social Justice & Empowerment, Assam
Beltola, Guwahati-28



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

**DIRECTORATE OF WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES & BACKWARD CLASSES, ASSAM,
SARUMOTORIA, DISPUR, GUWAHATI-06**

Email-ID :assamdirectorateofwelfareofsc@gmail.com

E.No.:391640/2026/531

From : Dr. Kulashree Nath, ACS
Director,
Welfare of SC & BC, Assam,
Dispur, Guwahati-06.

To : 1) The District Commissioners (ALL),
2) The Director, Medical Education, Six Mile, Guwahati-22
3) The Director, Higher Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19
4) The Director, Secondary Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19
5) The Director, Technical Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19
6) The Director, Elementary Education, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19

Sub : Reg.- Pre-Matric and Post-Matric Scholarships to SC & OBC Students for the year 2026-27.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I have the honour to inform you that, applications for the schemes mentioned below is open and live on National Scholarship Portal (NSP) (<https://scholarships.gov.in/>) for the year 2026-27.

The timelines for the schemes are as follows:

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Students Application Opening (opening date)	Students Application Closing (last date)	Institute Level/ Defective Verification – L1 (last date)
1	Pre-Matric Scholarship to SC Students (Class IX & X) (Component-I)	01/06/2026	30/09/2026	31/10/2026
2	Pre-Matric Scholarship to Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged In Unclean Occupation (Class I to X) (Component-II)			
3	Post-Matric Scholarship to SC Students			
4	Pre-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students (Class IX & X)			
5	Post-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students			

You are requested to forward the above information to students under your jurisdiction so that the students can apply at the earliest. Also no extension of dates will be entertained further.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Enclosure:- Advertisement.

Yours faithfully,

Digitally signed by

KULASHREE NATH

Date: 03-06-2026

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Director,

Welfare of SC & BC, Assam,

Dispur, Ghy-06

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- 1) P.S. to the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment Dept., Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind appraisal of the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment Dept., Dispur, Guwahati-06.

E-Signed

Director,

Welfare of SC & BC, Assam,

Dispur, Guwahati-06.



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
DIRECTORATE OF WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES AND BACKWARD CLASSES, ASSAM,
SARUMOTORIA, DISPUR, GUWAHATI- 06.

E.No.:391640/2026/530

Dated: 2nd June 2026

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR PRE-MATRIC AND POST-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP TO
SC & OBC STUDENTS OF ASSAM FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-27.**

The Directorate of Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes, Assam invites online application from the Students belonging to **Scheduled Castes (SC)** and **Other Backward Classes (OBC)** community of Assam through National Scholarship Portal (NSP) for both **Fresh** and **Renewal** for the academic year 2026-27 for the schemes:

- 1) Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC Students (Class- IX & X) [Component-I]
- 2) Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged in Unclean Occupation (Class- I to X) [Component-II]
- 3) Post-Matric Scholarship for SC Students
- 4) Pre-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students (Class- IX & X)
- 5) Post-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students

Eligibility Criteria/ Documents Required:

- 1) **For Pre & Post -Matric Scholarship for SC & OBC Students:**
 - a) **Caste Certificate:** Only SC and OBC Community Students are eligible to apply for the respective Scholarship. (Caste certificate only issued by Office of the District Commissioner of their respective Districts is accepted).
 - b) **Parents/ Guardians Annual Income Certificate:** Income Ceiling - Scholarships will be granted to the SC and OBC community students whose Parents/ Guardians annual income from all sources does not exceed Rs.2.5 lakhs per annum. The income certificate should be obtained only from the Circle Officer of respective Revenue Circle.
 - c) **Bonafide Certificate:** A Bonafide Certificate is required to be obtained from the Head of the Institutions is to be submitted.
- 2) **For Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged in Unclean Occupation (Class-I to X) [Component-II] :**
 - a) **No Income Ceiling** for the Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged in Unclean Occupation.
 - b) **Unclean Occupation Certificate of Parents/ Guardians:** For the Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged in Unclean Occupation, eligible students will submit a certificate from District Social Welfare office, identified officer of Local body, Civic Agency or any such authority as designated by State Government.
 - c) **Bonafide Certificate:** A Bonafide Certificate is required to be obtained from the Head of the Institutions is to be submitted.

Instructions for Applicants:

- 1) Students while applying for scholarships for the above 5 (five) schemes are hereby required to register themselves in NSP through "NSP OTR" app available in Google play store and perform Face-authentication for generating One Time Registration (OTR) number which has been made mandatory for applying for scholarship. (for details visit <https://scholarships.gov.in>)
- 2) Aadhaar and mobile number registered with Aadhaar are mandatory for generating OTR. However for minor applicants who apply without Aadhaar, it will be mandatory for parent to provide Aadhaar.
- 3) Applicants are advised to give only that bank account details which remains in active mode so that payment of Scholarship does not fail as all the disbursement of Scholarship will be made through DBT mode. The authority shall not be responsible for any failure of transaction due to inactive or incorrect bank details.
- 4) Applicants to ensure that they have a **bank account seeded with Aadhaar number (Mandatory)**.
- 5) The above conditions will be applicable for both fresh and renewal.

Timelines for all Scholarship Schemes in respect of SC & OBC Students through NSP Portal:

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Students Application (opening date)	Students Application Closing (last date)	Institute Level Verification (last date)
1	Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC Students (Class-IX & X) [Component-I]	1 st June 2026	30 th September 2026	31 st October 2026
2	Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC Students of Parents or Guardians Engaged in Unclean Occupation (Class-I to X) [Component-II]	1 st June 2026	30 th September 2026	31 st October 2026
3	Post-Matric Scholarship for SC Students	1 st June 2026	30 th September 2026	31 st October 2026
4	Pre-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students (Class-IX & X)	1 st June 2026	30 th September 2026	31 st October 2026
5	Post-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students	1 st June 2026	30 th September 2026	31 st October 2026

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Director,
Welfare of SC & BC, Assam,
Dispur, Guwahati-06.

Memo No.:E.No.:319640/2026/530-A

Copy to:

- 1) Shri Gaurav Singh Rajawat, Director, Pre & Post Matric Scholarships for SCs, DBT, Scheduled Caste Division (SCD), BC-I/II/III, Backward Classes Division, Department of Social Justice & Empowerment, (Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment), Government of India, Room No. 8507, 8th Floor, Zone-5, GPOA-3, Netaji Nagar, New Delhi-110023 for kind information & necessary action.
- 2) Smti. Venkatapriya Gopal, Senior Technical Director, National Scholarship Portal (NSP), National Informatics Centre (NIC), New Delhi for kind information & necessary action.
- 3) The Director, Information & Public Relation, Dispur, Guwahati-06. He is requested to kindly publish the above matter in the leading Dailies of Assam for wide circulation and **for 3 (three) consecutive days** immediately.
- 4) The Director, Medical Education, Assam, Khanapara, Guwahati-22, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under their jurisdiction.
- 5) The Director, Technical Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under their jurisdiction.
- 6) The Director, Higher Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under their jurisdiction.
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- 8) The Director, Elementary Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-19, to kindly publish the above matter widely among all the institutions under their jurisdiction.
- 9) The Sub-Divisional Welfare Officer/Facilitators is requested to inform all the Educational Institution and Sub-Divisional Development Board (All) under their jurisdiction as early as possible and mobilize them so that students can submit their online application for scholarship for the year 2026-27 on time.
- 10) The P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind appraisal of the Hon'ble Minister, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
- 11) The P.S. to the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind appraisal of the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
- 12) The P.S. to the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, School Education Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06 for kind appraisal of the Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Dispur, Guwahati-06.
- 13) Notice Board of this Directorate.

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