

अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन  
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
सचिवालय / SECRETARIAT

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Port Blair, dated the 04<sup>th</sup> April 2011

**ORDER No.1301**

In supersession of all previous orders on the rates of scholarship to the students of Andaman & Nicobar Islands pursuing study whether in the mainland or in the Islands, the Hon'ble Lt. Governor has been pleased to fix the rate of scholarship w.e.f. 01<sup>st</sup> April 2011 as follows:-

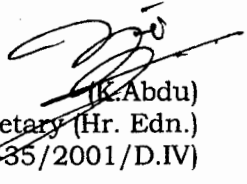
**A) For students in A & N Islands:-**

- (i) The students of A & N Islands staying in hostel will be reimbursed full mess charges or ₹ 1000/- (₹ One Thousand Only) per month whichever is lower;
- (ii) The students who are eligible but have not got the hostel and produce a non-availability certificate may also be given ₹ 1000/- (₹ One Thousand Only) per month;

**B) For students in Mainland :-**

- (i) The students of A & N Islands staying in hostel in the mainland will be reimbursed full mess charges or ₹ 2500/- (₹ Two Thousand Five Hundred Only) per month whichever is lower;
- (ii) The students who are eligible but have not got the hostel and produce a non-availability certificate may also be given ₹ 2500/- (₹ Two Thousand Five Hundred Only) per month;

The facilities mentioned above will be available subject to the conditions mentioned in the rules for award of scholarship as per Annexure-A.

  
(K. Abdu)  
Assistant Secretary (Hr. Edn.)  
(F.No.1-435/2001/D.IV)

**OFFICE ORDER BOOK:-**

**Copy to:-**

1. The Sr. PS to Lt. Governor for information.
2. The P.S. to Chief Secretary for information.
3. The P.A. to Principal Secretary (Education) for information.
4. The P.S. to Secretary (Education) for information.
5. All Commissioner-cum-Secretaries / Secretaries / Joint Secretaries / Deputy Secretaries / Assistant Secretaries for information.
6. The Director of Education, Port Blair for information and necessary action.
7. The Principal, JNRM, Port Blair for information and necessary action.
8. The Principal, MGG College, Mayabunder for information and necessary action.
9. The Principal, Dr. BRAIT, Pharagoan, Port Blair for information and necessary action.
10. The Principal, DIET, Garacharma, Port Blair for information and necessary action.
11. The Principal, TGCE, Port Blair for information and necessary action.
- ✓ 12. The SIO, NIC, Port Blair with the request to upload the same in website.
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Assistant Secretary (Hr. Edn.)

**RULES FOR AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP TO STUDENTS  
BELONGING TO ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS FOR HIGHER  
STUDIES IN THE MAINLAND**

1. Scholarship for higher studies in the mainland for students belonging to the Secondary/Senior secondary Stage shall be granted by the Administration to the students of the following categories of Andaman and Nicobar Islands:-
  - I. Schedule Tribes.
  - II. Local inhabitant's i.e descendents of early settlers.
  - III. Children of settlers brought to the Islands for permanent settlement under the colonization/Rehabilitation schemes.
  - IV. Children of all Government servant including industrial staff of the Administration and to the children of central Government/ state Government/ Union Territories Administration who are on deputation to this Territory to become eligible for Scholarship. These children should have passed the Higher Secondary or Higher Examinations from the local Schools/college. Children of Government Servants who have studied in the sainik Schools / Rashtriya Indian Military College and received scholarships from the Administration.
2. Scholarship may be awarded to students eligible under regulation (I) intending to pursue their studies in recognized institution in India on the mainland in the following courses.
  - I. Humanities (including arts), Social Science, Fine Arts and Languages.
  - II. Commerce.
  - III. Science.
  - IV. Technology and other specialised courses.
3. The minimum qualifications for admission in courses for which the Scholarships can be awarded should be:-
  - I. A Pass in matriculation or equivalent examination.

OR

A Pass in senior secondary and or any other higher equivalent examinations.
  - II. A Pass in Tenth Class Examination of a Govt. recognised School for Nursing and Health visitors course only.
4. No Scholarship will be granted to students for studies in Arts and Science for which facilities are available in this territory.
5. Applications for scholarship shall be made in the prescribed form through the heads of the institutions being attended or last attended

by the candidates and shall be addressed to the Directorate of Education in accordance with the instructions issued by Hon'ble Lt. Governor from time to time.

6. A student to whom a scholarship is awarded shall forth with inform the authority awarding the scholarship, whether he/she is willing to accept the scholarship on the terms prescribed.
7. If a student is found to have obtained a scholarship by false statements his/her scholarship will be cancelled forth with and the amount of the scholarship paid will be recovered at the discretion of the authority sanctioning the Scholarship.
8. The scholarship shall be tenable for full time courses of studies in recognised Institution by appropriate Government agencies on the mainland.
9. A scholarship holder under this scheme will not hold other scholarship but if awarded any other scholarships of higher value, the option can be exercised by the candidate to avail himself/herself of that scholarship by refunding the entire amount of the scholarship drawn under this scheme during the year.
10. A Scholarship once awarded, shall be tenable from the start of the chosen approved course of study till its completion by the scholar, subject to yearly satisfactory progress.
11. The award of scholarship will continue to the ward of the Govt. Employee even in the case of death in harness or retirement. (Inserted vide Govt. of India Ministry of Education & Social Welfare (Department of Education letter No.33-31/67-UT-1 dated 7/8/74 (Secretariat on dt.No.54-11/69-PL (EPH) dated 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1974.

12. **PROVIDED THAT:-**

- a). In case of the wards of deputationist, the Andaman & Nicobar Administration, scholarships will be admissible only for the period for which the Govt. Servant serves this Administration. If the Government servant in question either leaves the Govt. service or is reverted to his parent department, payment of scholarships will be stopped from the date of his leaving the service or the date of his transfer from this territory as the case may be.
- b) The scholarship shall be renewed from year to year basis provided that within a course which is continuous for a number of years, the scholar secures promotion to the next higher class.
- c) The scholarship shall under no circumstances be renewed if a scholar fails in the examination.

- d) If according to the Regulations of a University/Institution student is promoted to the next higher class even though he/she may not have actually passed in lower class and is required to take examination of the Junior class again after sometime, he/she will be entitled to scholarship for the class to which he/she is promoted only on successful completion of the back papers.
- e) Students who are debarred or fall short of attendance by 75% for school and college students (Arts, Science, PG & UG) and by 80% for professional colleges.
- f) The scholarship be renewed for the next academic year on the basis of the annual progress report to be called for from the Head of the Institution of the Scholar. If it is reported by the Head of the Institution at any time, that a scholar has by reason of his/her own act or default failed to make satisfactory performance, irregularity in attendance without the permission of the authorities concerned or indulges in severe misconduct etc., the authority sanctioning the scholarship may either cancel the scholarship or stop or withhold further payment for such period as it may be deemed fit.
- g) The conditions laid down in (a) (b) be relaxable only in the following circumstances:-
  - i) If a scholar is unable to appear at the annual examination within a continuous course of study (but not a final University examination) owing to illness the scholarship may be renewed for the next academic year, provided the scholar submit a Medical certificate from the civil surgeon of the area and provided further that the Head of the Institution certifies on the basis of the academic performance in the previous year, that the scholar was likely to have passed, has she/he appeared at the examination.
  - ii) If a scholar is unable to appear at a final University examination due to sudden illness the scholarship will be suspended and will be renewed when the scholar passes in the examination next year and attains the standard laid down for University examination.
  - iii) If a scholar is unable to appear at a final University examination owing to prolonged illness extending a long period which has resulted in shortage of attendance as per University rules, the scholarship will be renewed for another year provided a medical certificate is submitted from civil surgeon of the area and provided further that the Head of the Institution certifies that the scholar would have passed the University examination has she/he appeared at the examination.

- iv) If a scholar is absent from study due to illness, the scholarship shall be paid for a period not exceeding three months of absence provided the scholar remains on the rolls of the Institution.
13. A scholarship may be cancelled if the scholar changes the subject of the course of study for which the scholarship was originally awarded, or changes the Institution of study without the prior approval of the Authority sanctioning the Scholarship. The Head of Institution shall report such cases to the Sanctioning Authority to stop payment of the scholarship money. The amount already paid may also be recovered at the discretion of the authority sanctioning scholarship.
14. If a scholarship is cancelled for misconduct under **12(f)** it shall not be restored under any circumstances.
15. A scholar is liable to refund the scholarship at the direction of the authority sanctioning the same if during the courses of the year which a scholarship is awarded the studies being pursued are discontinued by scholar.
16. **Payment of Scholarship:-**
- The scholarship shall be payable from the month of admission to the month of annual examination for the first academic year and on successful completion of course in the subsequent years.
17. In respect of students taking up technical or professional course a bond shall be executed by scholarship holder to the effect that they shall serve the Andaman & Nicobar Administration for a minimum period of three years if called upon to do so within a period of six months from the date of receipt of the intimation to be given by the student about the successful completion of the course, failing which the entire amount/the expenditure incurred on his education by the Administration will have to be refunded by her/him.
18. These regulations can be changed at any time at the discretion of the A & N Administration/Government of India.
19. Reimbursement will be for 10 months excluding summer vacation.

**NOTE:-**

- i) Candidates who after passing one stage of education are studying in the same stage of education in a different subject shall not be eligible for this scholarship.
- ii) Candidates who, after having completed their educational career in one professional line continue academic studies in a different line

shall not be eligible for scholarships provided that a candidate pursuing research work of higher learning in same professional lines shall be deemed to be eligible for scholarship or pursuing any professional course of higher nature.

- iii) Student pursuing post graduate course in medicine are awarded scholarship only if they are not allowed to practice medicine during the period of their course.

**SCHOLARSHIP TO THE STUDENTS STUDYING AND STAYING IN  
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