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'Saksham Scholarship Scheme' for Specially Abled Students (Academic Session 2019-2020)

Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India provides Saksham Scholarship Scheme for Specially Abled Students in order to encourage them to pursue Technical Education and prepare for successful future. This is being implemented by AICTE for applicants studying at AICTE approved institutions. Under the scheme, a total of 1000 scholarships including 500 for Degree and 500 for Diploma have been announced. In the event of non availability of eligible applicant in any of the programme level, the scholarship will be transferable as per stipulations of the scheme.

Eligibility Criteria for scholarships:-

- The candidate should be admitted to 1st year Degree/Diploma course in any of the AICTE approved Institution of that respective year through centralized admission process of the State/ Central Govt.
- Specially abled students having disability of 40% or more and family income of more than Rs. Eight Lakh (Rs. 8 Lakh) per annum from all sources during the proceeding financial year. In case of a married girl, the income of parents/ in laws, whichever is higher will be taken into consideration.
- Selection of the candidates will be made on the basis of merit of the qualifying examination to pursue the respective Technical Degree/Diploma programme.

Amount of Scholarship:-

An amount equal to the tuition fee or Rupees Thirty Thousand (Rs. 30,000/-) whichever is less alongwith incidental charges of Rupees Two Thousand (Rs. 2000/-) per month for 10 months each year shall be awarded as scholarship to the selected candidates. In case of tuition fee waiver/reimbursement, candidates will be eligible to get an amount of Rs. 30,000/- for purchase of books, equipment /Software(s) /Laptop /Desktop /Vehicle /fee paid towards competitive examinations/application for examinations.

Application period :- September to October

Students are advised to read the Guidelines/FAQ's and other details about the said scholarship available on the respective official website. Please ensure fulfillment of all mandatory requirements in respect of specific documentary evidence of eligibility before applying online for the scholarship.

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