

ADVERTISEMENT FOR AWARDING SCHOLARSHIP (FRESH) UNDER COMBINED MERIT (DEGREE AND MASTER) SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME 2023-24

Online applications (<https://dhe-operations.assam.gov.in/scholarship/>) are invited from the intending students of Assam who fulfill the following general criteria for the above mentioned scholarship scheme.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. The minimum qualifying marks to apply for the scholarship shall be
 - a. **60% in Higher Secondary Final year** for those who apply for Combined Merit Degree Scholarship scheme.
 - b. **60% in General Degree Course** for those, who apply for Combined Merit Master Degree Scholarship scheme.
2. Students pursuing 1st semester general Degree and 1st semester general Master Degree course in Arts/Science/ Commerce discipline in provincialized/Govt. College or State/ Central University of Assam for the session 2023-24 are eligible for the scholarship scheme.
3. The student must be a domicile of Assam.
4. The Students must have valid (up-to-date) Active Bank Account in their name (Preferably in SBD and details to be submitted alongwith the application (Bank Name, A/c Number, Branch Name, IFSC Code)
5. Scholarship shall be disbursed through DBT system to the beneficiaries.
6. The Candidate should possess the relevant qualification from any recognized Institution.
7. Selection will be made strictly on the basis of merit in all cases and also to be restricted as per budget allocation.
8. Application forms that are incomplete, or contain misinformation or an inactive account number provided by the applicants, may be subject to cancellation, It's essential to ensure the accuracy and completeness of your application.

QUANTUM OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

1. For UG course @ Rs. 450/-p.m
2. For PG course @ Rs. 500/- p.m

HOW TO APPLY:

Intending students fulfilling the above mentioned criteria must apply online at (<https://dhe-operations.assam.gov.in/scholarship/>) in between **1st November, 2023 to 30th November, 2023**. After final submission of online application form, take a printout and submit the hardcopy to the concerned Registrar/ Principal/ Head of the Institute along with the necessary copies of certificates/documents.

The committee constituted at the College or the University level, will compile and verify the application form and other relevant documents as per guidelines and instructions. After necessary verification the concerned Registrar/Principal/ Head of the Institutions will submit the valid online application form alongwith all relevant certificates/documents with statement to the O/o Directorate of Higher Education, Assam, Kahilipara, Guwahati-781019 under their seal and signature on or before **7th December, 2023** positively.

LIST OF THE DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

- 1) Certificate from the Registrar/Head of the Institution in which the candidate is at present studying (mandatory).
- 2) Photo copy of 1st page of active bank account.
- 3) Final mark sheet of last qualifying examinations (i.e. H.S./UG.).
- 4) Photograph and Signature of the candidate.
- 5) Aadhaar Card.

APPLICATIONS IN ANY FORM (SOFT COPY/ HARD COPY) WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED AFTER THE DATES STIPULATED ABOVE.

For more details and the list of the selected beneficiaries will be notified in the website of <https://dhe-operations.assam.gov.in/scholarship/>

**Sd/- Director of Higher Education, Assam
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19**