NSP Scholarship Details:

For All Meritorious Students

Pradhan Mantri Uchchatar Shiksha Protsahan (PM-USP) Yojana Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University students (PM-USP CSSS) (Applicable for Academic Year 2022-23 Onwards)

Feature:

To provide financial assistance to meritorious students from poor families to meet a part of their day-to-day expenses while pursuing higher studies.

Eligibility:

- 80th percentile or above in Class XII (10+2) from recognized boards (State/CBSE/ICSE).
- Enrolled in a regular course/degree (not applicable for correspondence/distance mode/diploma courses).
- The gross parental/family income must not exceed ₹4.5 lakh per annum (fresh applicants must submit an income certificate).
- Not availing benefit of any other scholarship schemes including State run scholarship schemes/ fee waiver & reimbursement scheme.
- Minimum 75% attendance and 50% marks in exams for yearly renewal.
- Students with disciplinary/criminal issues will forfeit the scholarship.

Scholarship Allocation:

- 82,000 scholarships/year (50% reserved for girls).
- Allocation is State-wise based on 18–25 age population.
- 3% of slots for J&K and Ladakh are earmarked for Ladakh students.
- Stream-wise distribution: Science: Commerce: Humanities = 3:1:3
- Interchangeability allowed among categories to optimize utilization.
- Reservation: SC 15%, ST 7.5%, OBC 27%, PWD 5%

Scholarship Amount:

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- UG courses: ₹12,000 per year (1st to 3rd year)
- PG or 4th/5th year of professional courses: ₹20,000 per year. Services (H. ASWATH BARV)