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Scholarship to Disabled Persons (Manipur Social Welfare Department)

Manipur's Social Welfare Department gives a monthly scholarship to disabled students for school, college, vocational and music courses, with a reader allowance for blind students.

What you may get

Disabled students who scored 40 percent or more in the last annual exam get a monthly scholarship from Class I onwards. The rate depends on the course and is higher for hostellers than for day scholars, and blind students also get a reader allowance. The rupee rates are listed under earlier rules below.

Who it is for

Blind, deaf, orthopaedically disabled, mentally disabled and leprosy-cured students of Manipur who study or train in a recognised course.

Main conditions

- The applicant must be a Manipuri by birth, or have settled in Manipur for ten years or more, and be a citizen of India living in Manipur for at least the last six years.
- The applicant must have scored at least 40 percent in the previous annual exam; music and vocational courses have their own entry rules.
- The family's income must be within the limit in the rules, and the candidate must not receive other assistance or free board and lodging.
- The scholarship is not given for a parallel course, for study outside India, or for a course taken a second time.

Documents

- Medical certificate from a registered eye, ENT or orthopaedic specialist
- Recent photograph (orthopaedically disabled candidate showing the deformity)
- Audiogram chart for deaf candidates
- Income certificate of the parents or guardian
- Statement of marks of the previous annual exam
- Certificate of age

How to apply

1. Fill in the prescribed form and submit it through the head of the institution, establishment or voluntary organisation where you are admitted as a student or trainee.
2. Attach the medical certificate, photograph, audiogram (for deaf candidates), income certificate, statement of marks and age certificate.
3. For more information contact the Social Welfare Department, Government of Manipur.

Status

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