

# TIBETAN CHILDREN'S VILLAGE (TCV)

# **GUIDELINES FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**

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# **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Tibetan Children's Village (TCV) – an integrated charitable organization – is to ensure that all Tibetan children under its care receive a sound education, a firm cultural identity and become self-reliant and contributing members of the Tibetan community and the world at large.

# **GOALS**

- 1. Provide parental care and love
- 2. Develop a sound understanding of Tibetan identity and culture
- 3. Develop character and moral values
- 4. Provide effective modern and Tibetan education
- 5. Provide child-centered learning atmosphere in the schools
- 6. Provide the environment for physical and intellectual growth
- 7. Provide suitable and effective life and career guidance for social and citizenship skills

### **Guidelines for Higher Studies/Training Scholarship Program**

#### Coverage

TCV scholarships are open to all the "wards" of Tibetan Children's Village. The TCV Scholarship Policy Committee may also from time to time announce specific specialization scholarships on merit open to any bona-fide Tibetan student in keeping with the needs of the organization and the Tibetan community at large.

#### **Tenability**

TCV scholarships are tenable only for full time regular courses recognized by the Government of India or the State Government and those that are approved by the TCV Scholarship Policy Committee. No scholarship will be given for any unrecognized or part-time courses without prior written approval of the TCV Scholarship Policy Committee.

#### Value

In general, the value of the scholarship for various courses shall be as given in the scheme for scholarship distribution. For courses not mentioned in the scheme or specific specialization courses approved by the TCV Scholarship Policy Committee, the value shall be accordingly decided by the Committee, depending on the nature and duration of the course.

#### **Cardinal Condition**

On completion of one's study program, a scholar may go and choose to work in any community. However, they must inform the concerned Scholarship Program Office (SPO) of the completion status. In certain specialized fields of study where TCV has a specific need, the scholar must serve for a certain period of time required as a commitment of the scholarship received.

#### **Definitions**

- 1. "TCV Scholarship Policy Committee" means the members of the TCV Head Office management who will formulate policies, review and oversee the TCV Higher Studies Scholarship Program.
- 2. "TCV Scholarship Working Committee" means the committee constituted by the TCV Policy Committee to ensure smooth implementation, supervision and control of the program in keeping with the policies and guidelines of the Policy Committee. Since the Scholarship Working Committee has been wrapped up in 2022, following changes in the Head Office Scholarship Program Office (SPO), the SPOs in Delhi and Bangalore youth hostels, Private ITI and DLIHE will henceforth take over the roles & responsibilities of the Scholarship Working Committee and act in accordance with the Scholarship Guidelines as our designated Scholarship Program Offices (SPOs).
- 3. "Scholarship Program Office" means the special cell responsible for monitoring, control and supervision of the program in keeping with the policies and guidelines of the Policy Committee and maintains all records and contacts

- with individual students for all matters of purpose including distribution of scholarship amounts.
- 4. "TCV ward" means a student of TCV whose educational and living expenses are provided by TCV as per records maintained in the Admission Office.
- 5. "Bona-fide Tibetan" means a Tibetan who holds Registration Certificate (RC) issued to Tibetan refugees by the Government of India and the Green Book (Rangzen Lug-Dep).
- 6. "Qualifying Examination" means examination to the result of which a candidate becomes eligible to apply for TCV scholarship.
- 7. "Rules" means the rules and regulations given in this Guidelines Booklet, set by the TCV Scholarship Policy from time to time.
- 8. "Eligible Candidate" means a candidate who satisfies the requirement of eligibility as laid down in the guidelines of scholarship.

#### SCHOLARSHIP POLICY COMMITTEE

The member constitution of the Scholarship Policy Committee is slightly altered as all scholarship related policies and matters are discussed during the periodic Head Office management meetings.

Members: President Chairman

Education Director Member General Secretary (Administration) Member

General Secretary (External Relations) Member Secretary

Accounts Officer Member
Internal Auditor Member

#### **Responsibilities:**

- 1. To formulate scholarship policies and guidelines for students on higher studies or trainings after school graduation or otherwise.
- 2. To assess and evaluate on a regular basis the TCV higher studies and training policy to keep up with changing times and needs within the Tibetan community.
- 3. To encourage and award special scholarships on specific field of specialization from time to time within the wards of TCV.
- 4. In case of an emergency or situation arising that requires an immediate decision; the Chairman of the Committee reserves the right to issue necessary instructions.

#### **SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OFFICES (SPO)**

In view of the wide spread location across the country where our students are pursuing their higher studies and to make it easier, the scholarship program will be handled from four separate zones as below:

a) **Delhi Youth Hostel** - Delhi & Rest of India (North Zone)

w.e.f. August 2022 (Email: tyhdelhi1990@yahoo.com or spo@tcv.org.in)

- b) Bangalore Youth Hostel South Zone (Email: tcvyhbangalore@tcv.org.in)
- c) **DLIHE**, **Bangalore** Scholarships will be decided by the institute
- d) Tibetan Pvt. ITI, Selakui Scholarships as per TCV Scholarship Guidelines

The responsibilities of the four SPOs will be as given below. However, the SPO in Delhi will co-ordinate and maintain the over-all information on student data, course of study, completion cases and financial accounts of the program. (Data System Administrator)

## **Roles & Responsibilities:**

- 1. To be responsible for the overall execution and implementation of TCV scholarship policies and guidelines laid down by the Scholarship Policy Committee and be directly answerable to the Scholarship Policy Committee on all matters of scholarship programs and guidelines.
- 2. In August 2022, the Head Office Scholarship Program Office (HO-SPO) was merged to the Delhi SPO. With this merger, the Delhi & Bangalore SPOs will handle all scholarship matters and take decisions in their zone jurisdiction in keeping with our scholarship guidelines. Any matters beyond the scholarship guidelines can be directed to the General Secretary (External Relations) for necessary approvals at the HO management meetings. (special meeting after HO-SPO merger)
- 3. The students under our scholarship program at TMAI (Mentseekhang) in Dharamsala will fall under the enrolment of SPO Delhi and that of the Mentseekhang College in Bangalore (DLIHE campus) will come under SPO Bangalore.
- 4. By the HO-SPO merger, the job specifications of the Administrators in Delhi/Bangalore (SPOs) are mandated as below:
  - Verification of scholarship forms of new students (based on the ward-ship data & results from our Data System Administrator)
  - Verification of scholarship renewal cases (students already under our HST program)
  - Gap year approvals before UG and after UG programs, as per specifications in our scholarship guidelines
  - All PG scholarship applications will be handled directly by the SPOs pertaining to proper verification and approval
  - Any other matters relating to our higher studies scholarship program
  - Data maintenance and timely submission (on given format) to our Data System Administrator (current enrolment, gap year students, completed cases etc.)
  - Email communication with students on regular basis
- 5. To assist and guide all wards of TCV, who have completed their schooling and have been offered scholarships, with college admission where needed.
- 6. To maintain clear and up to date information and record on each individual student and the program as a whole.
- 7. To maintain regular contact with all students and observe their progress and help or guide them in their course of study.

- 8. To maintain proper and up to date accounts of scholarship distribution and other scholarship related payments.
- 9. To submit reports on higher studies and training to the Data System Administrator (Head Office) as mandated.
- 10. To provide necessary support to the Sponsorship Secretaries in fulfilling the report requirements of our sponsors, whenever necessary.

#### SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORY - GENERAL SCHOLARSHIPS

### **Undergraduate Degree Program (UG):**

- 1. TCV wards after completion of +2 Board Examinations are required to apply for TCV scholarship to the Scholarship Program Offices in Delhi & Bangalore, DLIHE and Private ITI respectively. The application must be in the prescribed "Application Form" attached to this booklet by 30<sup>th</sup> September. Those who do not apply by this deadline will not be considered for any scholarships.
- 2. From 2018 onwards, apart from professional courses, all students who wish to pursue BA, B.COM, BBA, BCA, Tibetan language studies and any other courses offered at the Dalai Lama Institute for Higher Education (DLIHE), Bangalore must enroll at the Institute for the grant of TCV scholarship, irrespective of the subject combination choice. Students opting to join other colleges and universities in similar degree programs may do so at their own expenses.
- 3. Likewise, no scholarships will be awarded to those who opt to join other colleges/institutes for parallel courses that are offered at the Tibetan Private ITI. SPOs will guide such students to join the Private ITI if they wish to avail TCV scholarship.
- 4. From 2019 onwards, children who have been admitted as wards from the Himalayan Region (non-Tibetans) under "destitute Himalayan category" will not be eligible for any scholarship support from TCV, similar to children under token category.
- 5. For renewal of scholarship during UG & PG courses, the scholarship application deadline will be as per college admission & fee deposit. (more practical with variation in college admission timeline)
- 6. After completion of the first-degree program, scholars may opt to join a vocational trade at the Private ITI or a professional course at any other institute, instead of opting for Master's degree program.
- 7. After General Nursing & Midwifery course (GNM), graduates will not be considered for Post Basic or B.Sc. Nursing courses.

## **Eligibility:**

- 1. Only wards of the Tibetan Children's Village (TCV wards) are eligible for our general scholarships. However, this eligibility is valid upon application submission and not by right.
- 2. The minimum percentage required to take up a degree program (including General Nursing) is 60% aggregate in Arts and Commerce stream and 55% in

- Science stream (5 subjects: 2 languages and 3 elective subjects) in the +2 Board Examination. This is inclusive of the conduct points.
- 3. Students under out-reach program are eligible for TCV general scholarship provided they obtain 65% aggregate in the +2 Board Examination (5 subjects: 2 languages and 3 elective subjects).
- 4. Class XII compartment and improvement cases must also secure 55% for Science and 60% for Arts and Commerce in the first attempt (CBSE compartment exam in August). No scholarship is given for subsequent attempts unless in a specific field of specialization in Science stream. Instead, they will be guided into a suitable vocational training at the Tibetan Private ITI. Such students may be granted a gap year, if college admissions are late.
- 5. Those who fail in class XII Board Examination will be guided into a suitable vocational training upon application at the Tibetan Private ITI.

### Renewal of Scholarship:

- 1. The minimum aggregate percentage in the annual/semester university examination for renewal of general scholarship for UG degree program is 50%.
- 2. Students who fail to secure the above cut-off percentage (50%), scholarship will be suspended for the subsequent year and renewal will be considered only when results are produced and the required cut off percentage is obtained.
- 3. Such failed/repeat students will be considered for vocational training approved by the Scholarship Policy Committee.
- 4. Any student failing in one subject or more (ER/back paper), scholarship will be withheld/suspended and continued as and when he/she clears the ER/back paper. No scholarship payments will be reimbursed for the suspended period.
- 5. For renewal and continuation of scholarship, attested copy of mark statement/certificate must be submitted to the concerned SPO before release of the first installment.
- 6. Scholarship Program Offices (SPO) must verify student's mark sheet/result on college/university websites or secure copies attested by the Dean/Exam Department or any other competent college/university authority. Without proper verification and attestation, scholarship renewal should not be considered.
- 7. Only students enrolling into Mandatory Internship Program by the Institute/College/University after completion of their course shall be entertained with living expenses only (as per scholarship distribution scheme) for the period of the mandated internship. Such students must contact their respective SPOs for approval of the internship support in advance; otherwise scholarship support will not be rendered automatically.

#### Non-Degree Diploma/Vocational Course:

1. Class XII students not eligible for degree program have the option of taking up a one-time non-degree diploma or vocational or technical training approved by the Scholarship Policy Committee. This scholarship is awarded only to wards of TCV.

- 2. As a general policy, wards of TCV who do not secure the required marks in class X Board Exams for promotion to class XI or those in other class levels may be guided into suitable vocational or technical training at the Tibetan Private ITI, Selakui or Thangka Painting course at TCV Patlikuhl.
- 3. Such cases are to be directly handled and approved by the school heads (Director/Principal) as these are school-going students and not class XII graduates. Our SPOs will not have any information relating to such cases.

## Postgraduate Degree Program (PG):

- 1. To be eligible for a postgraduate scholarship, the minimum aggregate percentage required at UG program is 55% (Science) and 60% (Arts & Commerce).
- 2. Course of study option at the postgraduate level must be coherent to the field of study completed at the undergraduate level.
- 3. As far as possible, continuation of PG program must be encouraged without a break; however students may apply for a gap year (one year only) after their UG program to the Scholarship Program Office (youth hostels). The deadline for seeking gap year approval after UG program is 30<sup>th</sup> September or PG admission timeline (with proper college supporting document), whichever is applicable and reasonable.
- 4. After Master's program, depending on a student's aptitude and interest, M.Phil/PhD studies will be encouraged. This scholarship will be provided for the first consecutive three years. Thereafter, extension, if needed, will be decided in accordance with the merit of the case.
- 5. For related research work or thesis costs (M.Phil/PhD), students must apply in writing, justifying their need and accordingly the same will be approved or not approved.

#### Merit Award:

The Merit Award aims to promote excellence in education and specialization and the Merit Award is attached to the TCV scholarship.

- TCV wards and those under TCV Outreach Program are eligible to apply for Merit Award. However, this is applicable only when a student avails TCV Scholarship.
- 2. A merit scholar will receive a sum of Rs. 10,000/- (annual grant) in addition to the normal TCV scholarship scheme.
- 3. Class XII students must obtain 80% in Science stream and 85% in Arts and Commerce streams in 5 subjects (2 languages & 3 elective subjects) in +2 Board Exams to qualify for Merit Award.
- 4. For renewal of Merit Award during UG & PG programs, a scholar must obtain at least 75% in the college/university/institutional examination on application. This also applies to CIHTS Varanasi undergoing Tibetan study programs.
- 5. Merit Award for Sowa Rigpa (Tibetan Medicine) and Astrology studies at TMAI (Mentseekhang), CIHTS Varanasi, Chagpori, Namgyal Institute and

other similar study programs, will be 85% in the semester/annual examination as per institution's marking norm.

### **Scholarship for Correspondence Course (CC):**

- 1. Only TCV regularized staff members and students in Tibetan Private ITI are eligible to apply for TCV scholarships for correspondence courses.
- 2. Application for the scholarship must be addressed to the Chairman/Secretary, Scholarship Policy Committee at TCV Head Office. In the case with staff members, the application must accompany a "No Objection Letter" from the respective Director/Principal or Project Head. This should be based in accordance with Staff Notebook.
- 3. TCV Scholarship Policy Committee will determine the value of the scholarship from time to time. The present value fixed is Rs. 10,000/- per annum.
- 4. To be eligible for renewal of scholarship for correspondence course, a scholar must pass the semester/annual university examination and apply for renewal with copies of mark sheet.

#### Value and distribution scheme of scholarship:

- 1. The value of the scholarship each year is as per the scheme given at the end of this booklet. This is in accordance with general policy norm laid down by the Scholarship Policy Committee. This includes tuition and living costs.
- 2. The amount will be paid in installments as indicated in this booklet.
- 3. Additional living or other support may be provided to intensely needy and deserving students through application, based on recommendations from respective TCV schools or youth hostels.
- 4. From time to time, special scholarship offers may come through and selection will be carried out on sponsor-based criteria and processes.

#### DISBURSEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP

- 1. Yearly scholarship will be released to all students in four installments:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> installment July or at the time of admission confirmation
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> installment first week of October
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> installment first week of January
  - 4<sup>th</sup> installment first week of April

Note: With difficulties in disbursement of scholarship installments to students who join college earlier or later than July, the timeline of installment disbursement will be adapted to the college/university admission timeline. There will be no specific month for release of the initial installment i.e. July. Instead, the four installments (annually) will be released on a quarterly interval, but taking into consideration the month of college admission. By doing so, each student must receive all the 4 installments through one academic year.

- 2. The disbursement will be done from the Scholarship Program Office of the area under which the student falls.
- 3. A scholar is responsible for sending reminders for the release of scholarship installments, if not received in time as stated above.

- 4. Result/Mark Sheet should be sent to the designated SPO (youth hostel) within 2 months after declaration of results. Failing to submit it on time, no further scholarship installments will be released. One should seek approval from TCV Head Office for any special consideration after the 2-month period.
- 5. No bills or receipts will be entertained for encashment other than admission, tuition and exam fees. Dues resulting from fine and late payment and donations, if any, will be excluded from payment of the bills and receipts mentioned above.
- 6. No students will be paid any refundable security deposits.

#### **Medical Allowance**

Medical expenses for TCV wards under scholarship are paid as per bill on actual basis within the guidelines set below:

- 1. A student must inform the concerned Scholarship Program Office (SPO) as and when he/she falls sick within a week's time. Accordingly, the concerned SPO will advise the student in availing TCV or outside facilities.
- 2. A student must go through the Government/public system of medication and not private hospitals unless otherwise approved by the concerned SPO.
- 3. Medical claims will be reimbursed on the basis of the doctor's prescription and bills duly verified by the concerned SPO within a period of two months. For bills exceeding Rs. 50,000/- and above, prior approval must be sought from the Scholarship Policy Committee.
- 4. Expenses for dental, cosmetics and eye glasses are not entertained.

#### **Completion of Course of Study**

- 1. At the release of the fourth installment, the concerned SPO will issue a "Course Completion Form" to be filled in by the scholar completing his/her course of study.
- 2. On completion of a course, if needed within the TCV's, he/she may be directed to serve for a certain period of time.

### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. The Scholarship Program Offices (Delhi and Bangalore), DLIHE & Private ITI and the local TCV Student Coordinator/Admission Support Group shall extend all possible assistance in securing the first admission after graduation from school. Thereafter, the subsequent admission shall be the responsibility of the concerned student.
- 2. Those who have once accepted scholarship for B.Sc. course may appear for any entrance test of MBBS/BE. If selected, such students may opt for the MBBS/BE course with TCV scholarship provided reimbursement is made for the dropped B.Sc. course.
- 3. Fees for re-evaluation, re-check, compartmental examination and examination as a private candidate at the post school level will not be paid.

- 4. Food allowance (DA) of 15 days during college admission shall be paid to a student amounting to Rs. 2,250/- (Rs. 150/- per day) with the 1<sup>st</sup> installment.
- 5. Without obtaining prior written permission from the concerned SPO; NO student should:
  - a. Discontinue/break/change course of study/training
  - b. Withdraw from semester or annual University Examination.
  - c. Any student violating it shall forfeit TCV scholarship, whatever the case may be.
  - d. In case of a discontinued/drop/change of course case, the SPOs may consider scholarship renewal for another course/program; under genuine situation; if the student reimburses the amount of scholarship disbursed already.
  - e. If a scholar is genuinely not able to reimburse that year, scholarship can be approved from the subsequent year.
  - f. For any case outside these criteria, special approval in written must be sought from TCV Head Office
- 6. Gap year application after class XII graduation will be considered for ONE year only under following situations with proper supporting documents:
  - a. Returning to Tibet to meet family members
  - b. Coaching for specialized courses (MBBS/BE/BDS/CA/TMAI)
  - c. Medical ground (personal health problems)
  - d. For any case outside these criteria, special approval in written must be sought from Scholarship Policy Committee
- 7. As far as possible, continuation of PG program must be encouraged without a break; however students may apply for a gap year after their UG program to the Scholarship Program Office (youth hostels). The deadline for seeking gap year approval after UG program is 30<sup>th</sup> September or PG admission timeline (with proper college supporting document), whichever is applicable and reasonable.
- 8. As a policy, TCV will not provide financial assistance for any competitive entrance examinations.
- 9. Hostel accommodation during coaching courses or CA foundation course will depend on the vacancy, while the hostel contribution must be met by the individual student.
- 10. All TCV scholarship recipients must keep in constant touch with the Scholarship Program Offices (youth hostels) in writing; informing and updating on matters such as their progress, happenings, plans, problems etc. Further, it is encouraged to correspond in Tibetan language.
- 11. A scholar interested in spending his/her vacation at a TCV school or wishes to do any volunteer work must inform the concerned SPO in writing ahead of time. The concerned SPO will look for placements in our schools, as far as possible.
- 12. Depending on the circumstance of each student, the scholarship amount provided is considered adequate. No student is allowed to write to his/her sponsor asking for money since sponsorship contribution is used for meeting

- further study expenses. This is to avoid any resultant embarrassment or misunderstanding. Sponsors are also made aware of the same.
- 13. A student is expected to be regular in college attendance, abide by the rules and regulations of the Scholarship Guidelines and above all, bear good conduct at all times in accordance with values and principles befitting a Tibetan.
- 14. TCV Head Office Management reserves the right to make any changes to the Scholarship Guidelines as and when deemed necessary.
- 15. The DLIHE Bangalore will frame its own rules and regulations as deemed necessary and the above general rules and regulations may or may not apply.

#### TCV HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN

# **Objectives:**

- a. To facilitate wider opportunity and resources to the needy wards of Tibetan Children's Village under its higher studies program, so that they become self-reliant and contributing members of the Tibetan Community.
- b. To facilitate exercise of greater choice and self-responsibility in pursuit of higher levels of training and education.
- c. To contribute towards generation of a rich pool of human resource requirement for future Tibet.

With these objectives in mind, the TCV Education Loan must be read in conjunction with TCV Scholarship Program, serving to meet the same objectives. In fact, it is an extension for greater self-reliance and personal integrity in the proper and effective use of opportunity to motivate hard work and excel. In short, this added opportunity with focus on greater self-responsibility is hoped to serve the community cause better.

#### **Coverage:**

- 1. TCV wards intending to pursue higher level of professional training/education which are not covered under our general scholarship scheme.
- 2. To cover essential extra expenses of course/s where the cost exceeds the general scholarship grant from TCV.
- 3. Students must apply to the Chairman/Secretary, Scholarship Policy Committee, TCV Head Office. If approved, the student must agree to the Terms and Conditions of the education loan.

#### Value:

- 1. The loan amount will depend on the specific field of study. The upper ceiling for availing the loan will be as follows:
  - a) MBBS/BDS/BE/B.Arch. or higher-level courses Rs. 100,000/-(one time) or above at discretion of the Scholarship Policy Committee (TCV Head Office)
  - b) Other courses at discretion of TCV Head Office

c) Maximum loan amount for TCV staff child - Rs. 150,000/- (one time)

### **Loan Application:**

- 1. Loan application will be received only in the prescribed Loan Application Form. An application will be deemed incomplete unless all the information requested including enclosures is submitted.
- Completed application form together with the requisite enclosures should be submitted in person or mailed to the Chairman/Secretary, Scholarship Policy Committee.
- 3. Documents submitted along with the application will not be returned. Hence unless required, candidates must send only attested copies of the certificates.

#### **Terms & Conditions:**

- 1. TCV wards intending to apply for Education Loan must execute a Loan Undertaking in the format given in this booklet. This is a mutual understanding between the applicant and TCV, honoring to abide by the terms and conditions for the benefit of both parties.
- 2. To further strengthen this understanding, the applicant must have a Loan Guarantor. In the event of a breach of this understanding, the guarantor assures the full recovery of the loan amount. The following people may act as the Guarantor:
  - a. Parents/Relatives (with permanent residency verified by the Settlement Officer)
  - b. Bona-fide staff member of TCV
  - c. TCV Village Director/Principal (in case of needy and deserving wards who have no one else to turn to for a Guarantor)

#### **Disbursements of Loan Money:**

- 1. The grant of loan is subject to confirmation of admission in a given program of study only. Loan money will be disbursed by TCV Head Office Accounts Section once the loan application form is approved.
- 2. The loan shall be used exclusively for the purpose set forth (course chosen) and that no changes in purpose should be made thereafter.

#### **Repayment:**

- 1. All loans made under this agreement must be repaid.
- 2. The repayment period for loan begins a day after 6-month grace period ends. The grace period is defined as the time after completion of the course for which loan is sanctioned. The completion of the course would be considered as the date indicated on the final semester/annual exam result sheet (copy to be presented at the time of repayment) and not that of the degree certificate.
- 3. There will be no interest until the end of the course and the six-month grace period. Thereafter 6.5% interest will be charged annually. The Scholarship Policy Committee may also change the rate of interest, if deemed necessary.

- 4. Repayment must be completed, if possible, within five years from the interest date either in lump sum or in suitable installments agreed with the concerned individual.
- 5. The decision of the Scholarship Policy Committee will be final. No representation in this regard will be entertained. Further, an individual must agree and undertake to notify TCV Head Office in writing of any circumstances affecting the correctness of any particulars set forth or variation in the agreement in his/her application immediately.
- 6. In case of course drop out, the whole amount of loan must be reimbursed immediately, failing which interest will be applicable thereon.

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## **Scheme for distribution of TCV Scholarship:**

| S.NO. | COURSE                        | LIVING EXPENSES                     | ACADEMIC                          |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|       |                               |                                     | EXPENSES                          |
| 1     | Degree Program:               |                                     |                                   |
|       | a) Undergraduate              | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 3,000/- per annum             |
|       | b) Masters                    | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 3,500/- per annum             |
| 2     | Specialized Program:          |                                     |                                   |
|       | a) MBBS                       | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
|       | b) BDS                        | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
|       | c) BE/B.Tech.                 | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
|       | d) B.Arch.                    | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
| 3     | Non-degree Program:           |                                     |                                   |
|       | Diploma/Vocational/Technical  | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 2,500/- per annum             |
|       | Courses                       |                                     |                                   |
| 4     | M.Phil/PhD                    | Rs. 4,000/- per month               | Rs. 4,500/- per annum             |
| 5     | CIHTS Varanasi                | Rs. 2,000/- per month               | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
| 6     | TMAI (Mentseekhang)           | Rs. 500/- per month as pocket money | Rs. 4,000/- per annum             |
| 7     | Chagpori Medical Institute    | Rs. 500/- per month as pocket money | Rs. 3,000/- per annum             |
| 8     | Namgyal Institute - Sikkim    | Rs. 500/- per month as pocket money | Rs. 3,000/- per annum             |
| 9     | Chartered Accountant (C.A)    | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 3,000/- per annum             |
| 10    | GNM/B.Sc. Nursing/Post B.Sc.  | Rs. 3,500/- per month               | Rs. 3,000/- per annum             |
|       | Nursing                       |                                     |                                   |
| 11    | Bangalore Hostel/Delhi Hostel | Rs. 900/- per month as Pocket Money |                                   |
| 12    | DA during admission time      | @ Rs. 150/- per day x 15 days       | 2,250 (1 <sup>st</sup> year only) |

#### NOTE:

- 1. Living Expenses include board/lodge and personal money (monthly basis) whereas Academic Expenses include books/references/stationery items and yearly clothing needs (annual basis).
- Pocket Money Allowances for the TYH Delhi and Bangalore residents under TCV Scholarship is Rs. 900/- per month.
- 3. Tuition, Admission, Examination, Registration fee etc. will be paid as per bill up to a ceiling of Rs. 20,000/- per annum.
- 4. For M.Phil/PhD students, costs related to research / thesis work exceeding this ceiling amount, must apply in writing justifying the need with recommendation of the concerned department advisor. Accordingly, the Scholarship Working Committee will approve/not approve the same.
- 5. Back dated payment is not entertained under the TCV Scholarship Program.
- 6. Scholarship for courses other than those mentioned in the scheme will be determined by the TCV Scholarship Policy Committee, according to the nature and duration of the course.
- 7. Living expenses will be paid for 12 months. In the case of students residing in reputed college hostels, living expenses will be paid as per bill but before the start of a new semester. No backdated payment will be entertained. If the hostel bill exceeds the scheme amount, special sanction has to be sought from the TCV Head Office.
- 8. Tuition and hostel fees for students studying in Tibetan Institutes such as TMAI, CIHTS, Chagpori, Namgyal Institute and likewise, will be obliged by the Scholarship Program Office as paid prior to 2023 and any increase thereafter in fees is to be borne by the students themselves.
- DLIHE-Bangalore will have its separate budgetary allocations and the above given scheme may or may not apply.
- 10. Tibetan Private ITI will have its own fee structure and the above distribution scheme may or may not apply.

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