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**Welfare Directorate**

No. E-41024/CISF/PM-SCH/WEL/2025-26/ 3640

Dated: 09 July, 2025

To

SDG (APS) & ADsG(NS & South), CISF  
All Sector IsG, CISF Including IG/Trg. and NISA Hyderabad.


Sub : **Forwarding of Guidelines of Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for the wards of CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel and for the wards of States/UTs Police personnel of various States/Union Territories who are martyred during terror/naxal attacks for the Academic Year 2025-26.**

In continuation to Welfare Dte. letter No. E-41024/CISF/PM-SCH/Wel/2025-26-2923 dated 03.06.2025 and WARB, MHA letter No. WARB-44/PMSS/2025-26/ 523-31 dated 30.05.2025 (copy enclosed) along with the **PMSS Guidelines** for the academic year 2025-26 received from received from Secretary, Welfare and Rehabilitation Board (WARB) on the above subject for information and necessary action.

2. The applicants before applying for Prime Minister Scholarship on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0) should read the PMSS guidelines/instructions carefully for their eligibility. Further, complete details/instructions for students are also available on National Scholarship Portal.

3. In view of above, it is requested to kindly give wide publicity of the PMSS scheme may be ensured amongst the retired personnel, next of kin (NOKs) of martyrs and deceased as well as serving CISF personnel through all quickest possible means such as in Roll Call/ Sainik Sammelans, by displaying on the notice Board etc. in order to get maximum applications from eligible/willing wards, please.

संलग्न: यथाउपरोक्त।

  
09.07.25

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| 1. AIG/Tech. | This letter alongwith enclosures may please be displayed on CISF website, please.  |
| 2. AIG/Adm.  | For similar action in r/o posted & retired personnel of FHQ. Personnel on attachment at FHQ may apply through their respective units/Bns. along with service certificate, please.          |
| 3. AIG/Ord.  | For similar action in r/o posted & retired personnel of ZOW Ghaziabad Personnel on attachment at ZOW may apply through their respective units/Bns. along with service certificate, please. |

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**Welfare Directorate**

No. E-41024/CISF/PM-SCH/WEL/2025-26/ 2923

Dated: 03 June, 2025

To

SDG (APS) & ADsG(NS & South), CISF  
All Sector IsG, CISF Including IG/Trg. and NISA Hyderabad.

Sub: **Opening of National Scholarship Portal (NSP)- Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for the wards of CAPFs/ Assam Rifles personnel for the Academic Year 2025-26.**

Kindly find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No. WARB-44/PMSS/2025-26/ 523-31 dated 30.05.2025 received from Secretary, Welfare and Rehabilitation Board (WARB) on the above subject for information and necessary action.

2. Vide letter under reference Secretary, WARB (MHA) has intimated that the portal of Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for the wards of CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel for the Academic year 2025-26 has on-boarded on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0) as per the following timelines:-

i.	Opening of Portal on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0) for submission of online applications by the applicants.	2 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2025
ii.	Last date for application submission by the applicants on National Scholarship Portal 2.0(NSP2.0)	31st October, 2025
iii.	Last date for Institute Nodal Officer (INO) Level Verification	15th Nov, 2025
iv.	Last date for Second Level Verification i.e. Force Nodal Officer/ States Nodal Officer Level (SNO)	30th Nov, 2025

3. Further, **One Time Registration (OTR) is unique number given to students after face authentication. This number is generated once in a lifetime and can be used throughout their scholarship.** In this regard, full details/instructions for students are available on National Scholarship Portal under student corner. Before applying for PMSS applicants should read the instructions carefully. DBT has implemented various new changes for applicants in the National Scholarship Portal i.e. Chatbot, Check Aadhaar seeding/ Track payment status of applicants and NSP Help desk (Applicants can directly contact with NSP help desk 0120-6619540). Applicants may also contact with WARB (MHA), New Delhi to resolve their queries on any working day (1030 hrs to 1630 hrs).



4. The correspondence address/contact number/mail address of WARB, New Delhi is as under:-


The Secretary to the Chairman, WARB,  
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5. In view of above, it is requested to kindly give wide publicity to the scheme amongst the retired /NOKs of deceased as well as serving CISF personnel through all quickest possible means such as in Roll Call/SainikSammellans, by displaying on the notice Board etc. in order to get maximum applications from eligible/willing wards, please.

संलग्न: यथाउपरोक्त।

  
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Most Urgent/Through e-mail

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No. WARB-44/PMSS/2025-26/ 523-31

Dated, the 30 May, 2025

To,

**The CWO-cum-ADG,**  
Dte. General, Assam Rifles  
HQrs DGAR, Shillong  
(Through : LOAR Room No 171, MHA, North Block New Delhi).

**The CWOs -cum-IG (Adm/Welfare)**  
Dte. General, BSF, CISF, CRPF & ITBP  
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-03.

**The CWO-cum-IG(Adm)**  
Dte. General, SSB, R K Puram, New Delhi-66.

Sub:- **Opening of National Scholarship Portal (NSP) - Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for the wards of CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel for the Academic Year 2025-26.**

It is has been intimated by DBT, Mission Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi vide Office Memorandum No.D-12011/01/2025-DBT dated 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2025, that the portal of Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for the wards of CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel for the **academic year 2025-26 will be on-boarded on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0)** as per the following timelines :-

i)	Opening of Portal on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0) for submission of online applications by the applicants.	02 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2025
ii)	Last date for application submission by the applicants on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 (NSP 2.0)	31 <sup>st</sup> October, 2025
iii)	Last date for Institute Nodal Officer (INO) Level verification	15 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025
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2. Furthermore, **One-Time Registration (OTR) is unique number given to students after face authentication. This number is generated once in a lifetime and can be used throughout their scholarship.** In this regard, full details/ instructions for students are available on National Scholarship Portal under student corner. Before applying for PMSS applicants should read the instructions carefully. DBT has implemented various new changes for applicants in the National Scholarship Portal i.e. Chatbot, Check Aadhaar seeding / Track payment status of applicants and NSP Help desk (Applicants can directly contact with NSP help desk 0120 - 6619540). Applicants may also contact with WARB (MHA), New Delhi to resolve their queries on any working day (1030 hrs to 1630 hrs).

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4. In view of the above, it is requested to give wide publicity of the Scheme amongst the retired as well as serving CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel through all quickest possible means.

*H. Shammur*  
30/05/25

**Secretary to the Chairman**  
**WARB MHA, New Delhi.**

Copy to :-

01	<b>Shri Sashi Bhushan Singh, DDG</b> NIC, A Block, CGO Complex Lodhi Road, New Delhi – 03.	It is requested to kindly direct the technical team of NIC to make necessary provision to display the WARB scheme on NSP 2.0 please.
02	<b>The Under Secretary (DBT)</b> Mission, Cabinet Secretariat 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Shivaji Stadium, New Delhi.	For information w.r.t. DBT Mission OM dated 28.05.2025.
03.	<b>All SWOs/DWOs</b> CAPFs/Assam Rifles.	It is requested to give wide publicity the scheme amongst the retired CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel of your respective areas through all quickest and possible means so that maximum applicants can be applied for scholarship on NSP 2.0 within the time limit please.

*H. Shammur*  
30/05/25

**Secretary to the Chairman**  
**WARB MHA, New Delhi.**

Through e-mail

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No. WARB-44/PMSS/2025-26/ **603-14**

Dated, the 04 July, 2025

To,

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Dte. General, Assam Rifles  
HQrs DGAR, Shillong  
(Through : LOAR Room No 171, MHA, North Block New Delhi).

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**The Nodal Officers, PMSS  
All States/UTs Police**

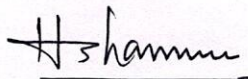
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In continuation to WARB, Ministry of Home Affairs letters No. WARB-44/PMSS/ 2025-26/523-31 and No.WARB-44/PMSS/2025-26/532-33, both dated 30.05.2025, the PMSS Guidelines for the Academic Year 2025-26, as approved by the competent authority, is enclosed herewith for information and necessary immediate action.

2. **In view of the above**, it is requested that **wide publicity** of the PMSS scheme may be ensured among the **retired personnel, next of kin (NOKs) of martyrs and deceased personnel, serving CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel and martyrs of State/UT Police forces**. Publicity may be carried out through all **quickest and effective means**.

3. This has the approval of the competent authority.

**Encl: PMSS guidelines for AY 2025-26.**

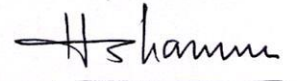
  
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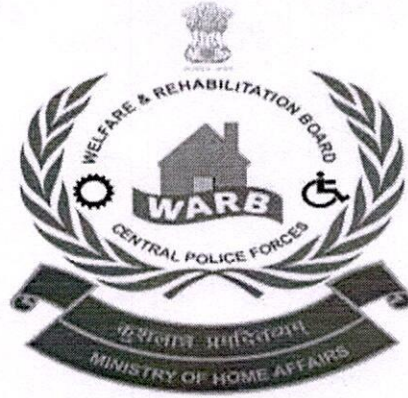


Copy to :-

01	<b>Shri Sashi Bhushan Singh, DDG</b> NIC, A Block, CGO Complex Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.	It is requested to kindly direct the technical team of NIC to <b><u>upload the WARB, MHA PMSS guidelines for the Academic Year 2025-26 on National Scholarship Portal 2.0 immediately please.</u></b>
02	<b>The Under Secretary (DBT)</b> Mission, Cabinet Secretariat 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Shivaji Stadium , New Delhi.	For information.
03.	<b>The Section Officer (R&amp;W)</b> R&W Dte., MHA, NDCC-II, Building Jai Singh Road, New Delhi .	For information w.r.t. Under Secretary to Govt. of India, Prime Minister's Office, New Delhi PMO ID No.83(2)/2012-PMF(Vol.VI-MHA) dated 25/06/2025.
04.	<b>All SWOs/DWOs</b> CAPFs/Assam Rifles.	It is requested to give wide publicity the scheme amongst the retired/ NOKs of deceased of CAPFs/Assam Rifles personnel of your respective areas through all quickest and possible means so that maximum eligible applicants can avail the benefit of the scheme please.
05.	<b>The Chief Secretraies,</b> U.P, Kerala and Manipur	It is requested to give wide publicity amongst the NOKs of deceased States/UTs Police personnel who are martyred during terror/naxal attacks through all quickest and possible means so that maximum eligible applicants can avail the benefit of the scheme please.

  
04/07/25

**Secretary to the Chairman  
WARB, MHA, New Delhi.**



**Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme**  
**(PMSS) for the wards of**  
**Central Armed Police Forces /Assam Rifles**  
**personnel**

**&**

**States/UTs Police personnel**  
**Ministry of Home Affairs**  
**Revised Guidelines for submission of**  
**applications online for the Academic Year**  
**2025-2026**



## **Revised guidelines for submission of applications online for the Academic Year 2025-26**

### **1. Introduction**

Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) under the aegis of the National Defence Fund, was introduced from the academic year 2006-07 to encourage higher technical & professional education for the dependent wards & widows of Central Armed Police Forces & Assam Rifles (CAPFs & AR) Personnel. From the academic session 2019-20, this scheme has further been extended for the dependent wards of States/UTs Police Personnel who are martyred during Terror/Naxal attacks.

### **2. Number of Scholarship**

For each academic year, under PMSS, a total of 2000 new scholarship will be granted in addition to renewal cases of previous year. The 2000 new scholarship are equally distributed between boy and girl applicants (1000 each). The quota of 1000 each fixed for boys and girls are not inter changeable. (In other words, if for example only 750 applications are received from boys, the remaining 250 will not be given to girls). From the academic session 2019- 2020, an additional 500 scholarship are granted to the dependent wards of States/UTs Police personnel who are martyred during Terror/Naxal attacks, equally distributed between boys and girls (250 each).

### **3. Eligibility**

#### **A) For CAPFs & Assam Rifles personnel :-**

- I) Wards/widows of deceased CAPFs & AR personnel died in harness/election duty, wards of personnel disabled due to causes attributable to Government service and Wards of Ex-CAPFs & AR personnel in receipt of Gallantry Awards.
- II) Wards/widows of retired and serving CAPFs & AR Personnel (Personnel below Officer Rank). Pursuing first professional degree programme in the field of Engineering, Medicine, Dental, Veterinary, BBA, BCA, B. Pharma, B.SC (Nursing, Agriculture, etc.), MBA and MCA etc. in accordance with the guidelines as mentioned in Para- 8 (B).
- III) **Having minimum 60% marks in Minimum Entry Qualification (MEQ) i.e. 10+2/Diploma/Graduation or equivalent in case of newapplicant.**

Or

**For applicants applying under renewal category, it is mandatory to pass the each subsequent academic year of the professional courses being pursued by them with minimum 50% marks.**



- IV) A grace period of one year only for cases, where there is a delay on part of candidate for submission of application for renewal of scholarship may be entertained.

**B) For States/UTs Police personnel.**

Dependent wards of States/UTs Police Personnel who are martyred during Terror/ Naxal attacks are eligible under this category subject to the following:-

- I) Pursuing first professional degree programme in the field of Engineering, Medicine, Dental, Veterinary, BBA, BCA, B. Pharma, B.SC (Nursing, Agriculture, etc.), MBA and MCA etc. in accordance with the guidelines as mentioned in Para- 8 (B).

- II) **Having minimum 60% marks in Minimum Entry Qualification (MEQ) i.e. 10+2/Diploma/Graduation or equivalent in case of new applicant.**

Or

For applicants applying under renewal category, it is mandatory to pass the each subsequent academic year of the professional courses being pursued by them with minimum 50% marks.

- III) A grace period of one year only for cases, where there is a delay on part of candidate for submission of application for renewal of scholarship may be entertained.

**4. Order of Preference:-**

*Applications received from the eligible applicants under Fresh category will be shortlisted on the basis of order of preference as mentioned below:-*

- a) *Category under PMSS (as given at para 4(i)).*
- b) *Percentage obtained in the MEQ examination.*
- c) *Age of candidate (preference to the higher age).*
- d) *Rank of parents (preference to the lower rank).*

**i) For CAPFs & Assam Rifles personnel**

I)	Category-A	Wards/Widows of CAPFs & AR personnel killed in action.
II)	Category-B	Wards of Ex-CAPFs & AR personnel disabled in action.
III)	Category-C	Wards/Widows of deceased CAPFs & AR personnel died for causes attributable to Government service including casualties during conduct of Election.
IV)	Category-D	Wards of Ex-CAPFs & AR personnel disabled while in service with disability attributable to Government Service.
V)	Category-E	Wards of Ex-CAPFs & AR personnel in receipt of Gallantry Awards.
VI)	Category-F	Wards of Ex- CAPFs & AR personnel ( <b>PBOR</b> ).
VII)	Category-G	Wards of serving CAPFs & AR personnel ( <b>PBOR</b> ) subject to availability of scholarship.



ii) **For States / UTs Police personnel**

**Dependent wards of State/UT Police Personnel who are martyred during Terror/ Naxal attacks.**

**Note:-**

- I) Wards of deceased CAPFs/AR personnel will be considered for scholarship under Categories "A" to "F" as per their priority, even on compassionate appointment of spouse/NOKs in CAPFs. **Similarly, wards of deceased States/UTs Police Force personnel Martyred in terror/naxalite violence will be considered under 4(ii)above.**
- II) **There will be no rank restriction for the categories 'A' to 'E' and dependent wards of States/UTs Police personnel who are martyred during Terror/ Naxal attacks.**
- III) **The Wards of Assistant Commandant, holding Local Rank of CAPFs & AR (who are not entailing the pay benefits of Assistant Commandant and drawing the Salary of Inspectors) are eligible for granting Prime Minister's Scholarship (PMS) under category "F" & "G" also.**
- IV) This scholarship is admissible for **only two Children** per family and should be ensured by the beneficiaries as well as by the respective CAPFs & AR/States/UTs Govt.
- V) The applicants irrespective of his /her marital status are eligible for PMSS.

**5. Duration of Scholarship:-**

Up to five years (depending upon the duration of the course being pursued by the applicant and as approved by the respective regulatory body).

**6. Amount of Scholarship:-**

- I. Rs. 3000/-per month for **girls**. To be paid annually after selection.
- II. Rs. 2500/- per month for **boys** @Rs.36,000/-to each **girl** &Rs. 30,000/- to each **boy**

**7. Letter from Hon'ble Prime Minister:-**

All applicants selected under fresh category will be given personal letters from Hon'ble Prime Minister in appropriate language.

**8. Guidelines for the Applicant Applying online under PMSS:-**

Before applying, the applicants should read the instructions/guidelines carefully as mentioned below:-



### **A) Minimum Entry Qualification (MEQ):-**

For being eligible for the Scholarship under PMSS, an applicant should have secured minimum 60% marks in MEQ i.e. 10+2 / Diploma / Graduation as the case may be. MEQ for entry to various professional courses differs. For example MEQ for MBBS is 10+2 whereas for BE/B.Tech, it is 10+2/Diploma. It is graduation for B. Ed and MBA.

#### **Note: -**

**Wards admitted in 2<sup>nd</sup> year of technical/professional Bachelor Degree Course (BE/B. Tech etc) through lateral entry after completion of Diploma courses are eligible for PMSS.**

- I) In case of applicant passed XII exam from CBSE, marks obtained in best of five subjects out of 500 will be considered for calculating the percentage of marks in MEQ.

### **B) Courses applicable under PMSS:-**

- I) Only First professional degree courses like BE, B Tech, BDS, MBBS, B.Ed., BBA, BCA, B Pharma, B.Sc (Nursing, Agriculture, etc.) duly recognized by the respective Government Regulatory Bodies, such as All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), Medical Council of India (MCI), University Grant Commission(UGC).
- II) Details of professional degree courses applicable for PMSS are mentioned at Appendix –I.

### **C) Scholarship for Integrated Courses:-**

The PMSS is restricted to first Professional Degree Courses only. It is applicable for B.Ed but not for BA+B.Ed. In case of integrated ME/M.Tech/ M.Pharma, the scholarship will be given for initial three/four years as the case may be.

### **D) Bank Account:-**

- I) Aadhaar number Seeded with bank account is mandatory.
- II) Applicant those fulfilling eligibility criteria and applying under PMSS must have an valid and active bank account in any nationalized bank which has Electronic Clearing System (ECS)/Core Banking, to facilitate transfer of scholarship amount directly to their account.
- III) In case of minor account, the same should be converted into major account.
- IV) Bank details are not stored/collected from the student. As such, no bank detail is needed from the student and National Scholarship Portal (NSP) has stopped collecting this information in Fresh Application, payment will be sent to the aadhaar linked bank account automatically to the selected beneficiaries.



### **Issue of Payment Failure through PFMS under Direct Benefits Transfer**

- I) In case of payment failures due to incorrect account details, students ask Ministry and NIC to provide option to update bank account details sometime twice or even thrice. Hence, the facility to update bank account details shall be provided only once, which can be at any stage after final submission of application by the student.

#### **E) Documents Required:-**

Following documents in the respective category are mandatorily required to be submitted /uploaded by the applicant for applying on-line on NSP 2.0 under PMSS:

##### **▪ For applicant under fresh category mentioned in para 4 (i)above**

- I) Service Certificate to be issued by the H.O.O in case of serving personnel as per **Annexure-A**.
- II) Applicants are required to upload duly attested scanned copy of the Mark sheet MEQ i.e. XII/Diploma/Graduation or equivalent along with following certificate:-
  - a) PPO/Discharge Certificate/Book (**Mandatory for category A to F**)
  - b) Disability Certificate (**Mandatory for category B & D**)
  - c) Death Certificate (**Mandatory for category A & C**)
  - d) Certificate of Gallantry award (**Mandatory for category E**)
  - e) Bonafide certificate issued by the Institute/College.

##### **▪ For applicant under fresh category mentioned in para 4(ii)above**

A certificate issued by the State Govt. concerned indicating that the States/UTs Police personnel was killed in terror/naxal violence is required to be uploaded. This is a mandatory requirement for applying scholarship under PMSS.

##### **▪ For applicants under renewal category, following documents required to be uploaded on NSP.**

Service Certificate to be issued by the H.O.O. in case of serving personnel of category mentioned in para 4(i) above as per Annexure-A, bonafide certificate issued by Institute/College and duly attested mark sheet of the professional courses being pursued by them in previous academic year. For the applicants under category 4(ii) above, the certificate issued by the educational institution is sufficient.



▪ **Aadhaar related instructions to the Candidates:-**

- a) **For major applicants:-** Aadhaar is mandatory for the applicants who have attained 18 years of age on the date of registration. Applicants, who have not yet been assigned Aadhaar, will be required to enroll for Aadhaar and then register using Enrolment Identification (EID). However, her/his registration will be provisional and attain final status on submission of Aadhaar and completion of Aadhaar based eKYC, which is a prerequisite for release of her/his scholarship.
- b) **For minor applicants :-** All applicants, who have not attained the age of 18 years on the date of registration and Aadhaar have not been assigned to such applicants, they can register using Enrolment Identification (EID). However, in all cases, where Aadhaar/Enrolment Identification (EID) of the minor applicant is not provided, Aadhaar of at least one parent/legal guardian is required. In such cases, the parent/legal guardian will be treated as the beneficiary. Further, it is mandatory for students, who register without Aadhaar, to complete their Aadhaar based eKYC on completion of 18 years of age for continuation of registration/scholarship.

9. **Important Instruction:-**

- I). It will be the sole responsibility of the applicant to make sure that he/she is eligible to apply and fulfills all the conditions prescribed for the scholarship.
- II). If in-eligibility of the applicant is detected at any stage, before or after the applying for scholarship scheme, or during at any stage by verification by authorities, his/her scholarship will be cancelled without any notice. Disciplinary action will be taken against him/her, further he/she will be black listed to opt for scholarship sponsored by Central Government for a period of five years.
- III). Incomplete application form and failure to attach the requisite documents will lead to rejection of application.
- IV). All the requisite information should be clearly mentioned in the respective column. The information once generated on the part of applicants, no change/amendment will be accepted.
- V). Mobile number and E-mail address of applicants or wards of **CAPFs, Assam Rifles & States/UTs Police personnel** is mandatory so as to inform the candidate of any discrepancies or development through SMS and E-mail.



## 10. Exclusions:-

### Categories of applicants NOT eligible under PMSS are:-

- Applicants not belonging to the category as mentioned under the Column 4 (i) & 4 (ii) (Order of preference). PMSS is meant for wards/widows of uniformed / combat CAPFs, AR & States/UTs Police personnel.
- Wards of civilian employees of CAPFs, AR and States/UTs Police personnel.
- Applicants pursuing professional courses through correspondence /distance learning.
- Applicants availing benefit of other scholarship scheme/getting stipend and financial assistance.
- Applicants already availed scholarship under PMSS.
- Applicants pursuing courses, such as Diploma courses, not leading to award of a degree or pursuing master degree programme except MBA, MCA subject to first professional course.
- Applicants admitted on their own to the college/institute/university NOT APPROVED under UGC Act or not recognized by AICTE and not having NBA accredited courses (for Engineering Degree courses) or Not approved by Medical Council of India (for Medical Degree courses).
- Applicants studying abroad.
- Change of course/college by the Selected Student and get fresh admission in subsequent academic year will lead to rejection of his/her Scholarship forever.

## 11. Payment of Scholarship:-

The Scholarship amount under PMSS from the academic year 2024-25 onwards for applicants selected in merit under fresh and renewal (final verified applications) categories would be credited/ transferred directly into the Bank accounts of the selected applicants through NPCI (Aadhaar seeded bank payment) /Public Finance Management System (PFMS) under the Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Programme of the Government.

## 12. How to apply:-

- Prime Minister's Scholarship Scheme (PMSS) for **CAPFs/AR personnel & States/UTs Police personnel** will be implemented through **National Scholarship Portal (NSP) 2.0 versions**.
- For this, all the eligible applicants need to apply online on the website of National Scholarship Portal (NSP) i.e. [www.scholarship.gov.in](http://www.scholarship.gov.in) timely.

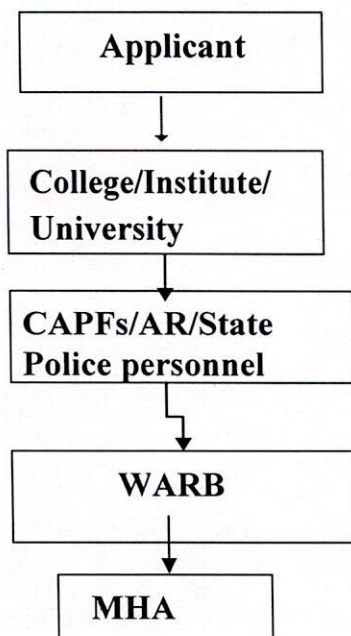


- Detailed guidelines and documents/ prescribed proforma required be scanning & uploading for both fresh and renewal categories are available on website of NSP ([www.scholarship.gov.in](http://www.scholarship.gov.in)) & WARB, MHA website ([www.warb-mha.gov.in](http://www.warb-mha.gov.in)).
- **Regarding withdrawal of Application:** - Applicants to withdraw their application any time but not later than closure of Second Level (L2) of verification i.e. Force Nodal Officer level. To record the reason of withdraw, a list of standard reasons will be provided as drop-down menu. On withdrawal, the applicant can submit another application either in the same scheme after correcting details or for a new scheme, if Portal is open for application submission. Present provision of marking an application defective by the verification authorities, however, will continue for all reasons except for the change in scheme.

13. **Main Features of Online Application and Disbursal of Scholarship under PMSS:-**

- I) To automate, streamline and effectively manage entire scholarship process related to submission of application, verification by respective college/ institution/university as well as CAPFs/AR and States/UTs Nodal Officer, processing and preparation of merit list (for fresh applicants), validation of bank accounts of the beneficiaries, sanction and disbursal of scholarship to the applicants.
- II) No need of any paper movement.
- III) User friendly.
- IV) Applicant can track the status of application and receipt of scholarship through their own user ID (system generated registration number) and password.
- V) Direct credit/transfer of scholarship amount into the bank account of the beneficiaries.

14. **Online Process Flow for Scholarship:-**

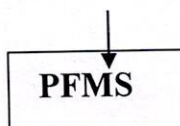


**Applicants** apply online on NSP and upload the requisite documents. On successful submission of application/documents, a system generated registration number sent to the applicant which can be used for future references.

**College/ Institute/ University** will verify all the credentials mentioned in the application form the record of College/Institute and recommended the same to the CAPFs, AR & States/UTs Police personnel.

**CAPFs/AR and States Police/UTs** will verify all the credentials & requisite documents uploaded by the applicant related with service certificate, category claimed by the applicant as per order of preference and other eligibility criteria.





**WARB** will re-check the verified application on receipt from CAPF/AR & States/UTs and will generate merit list in consultations with NIC. Further, **WARB** will calculate total scholarship amount required to be sanctioned under PMSS and submit fund requisition to MHA. On receipt offund, **WARB** will process for credit/ transfer of scholarship amount directly into the aadhaar seeded bank account of the beneficiaries through PFMS/NIC.

**MHA** will process for drawl of fund of scholarship from PMO on receipt of requisition from **WARB**.

**PFMS** will credit/transfer of scholarship directly into the aadhaar seeded bank account of the beneficiaries.

**15. Schedule of Activities (For Fresh & Renewal Scholarship) for the academic year 2025-26 are as under:-**

Sl. No.	Activity	Proposed date
1.	Registration/Filling of online application by the applicant on <a href="http://www.scholarship.gov.in">www.scholarship.gov.in</a>	02.06.2025 to 31.10.2025
2.	Scrutiny/verification & confirmation of application by College/Institute/University.	15.11.2025
3.	Scrutiny/verification & confirmation of application by CAPFs&AR and State Govt.	30.11.2025
4.	Merit List Preparation & Lot Generation Phase.	On closing / completion of verification process by the Institute/Force/Police Nodal Officer, merit list will be generated on NSP.
5.	Processing for sanctioning of scholarship by R&W Directorate, MHA from PMO.	Once the merit list generated on NSP, demand of fund for scholarship amount for all selected beneficiaries will be submitted to MHA / PMO
6.	Payment File Generation.	On receipt of fund, payment file will be generated on NSP.
7.	Disbursement of scholarship amount.	On validation of bank account of selected candidates, the scholarship amount shall be remitted to the beneficiaries bank account online through DBT/PFMS.
8.	Dispatch of personal letters from Hon'ble Prime Minister in appropriate language from WARB/CAPFs/AR.	Once disbursement of fund completed, personal letters of Hon'ble Prime Minister will be dispatched to the respective Force/Police Nodal Officer (CAPFs/AR) & States/UTs for further distribution amongst the selected Candidates.



## **16. Roles and Responsibilities (In brief) of Stake Holders:-**

### **❖ Applicants :-**

- Online registration
- Submission of dully filled application
- Uploading of scanned copies of the requisite documents.
- Track the status of application
- Received scholarship amount in Bank account.

### **❖ College/Institute/University:-**

- Scrutiny/verification of application.
- Confirmation/Recommendation.

### **❖ For CAPFs, Assam Rifles & States/UTs Governments:-**

- Provide wide publicity for online process of scholarship under PMSS.
- Scrutiny/verification of application by a Board of Officers (BOO) nominated by the respective **CAPFs, AR and States Governments**.
- Confirmation/Recommendation by the Board of Officers (BOO).
- Dispatch of personal letters from Hon'ble Prime Minister to applicants selected under fresh category received from WARB.

### **❖ WARB:-**

- Provide wide publicity through State Welfare Officer (SWO), District Welfare Officer (DWO) for online process of scholarship under PMSS.
- Generation of merit list under Fresh Category.
- Calculation of scholarship amount.
- Processing for sanctioning of scholarship amount.
- Disbursement of scholarship amount.
- Dispatch of personal letters of Hon'ble Prime Minister in appropriate language for applicants selected under fresh category through respective CAPFs/Assam Rifles/States/UTs Governments.

### **❖ NSP:-**

- Enable the NSP as per the guidelines of PMSS.
- Resolve all technical issues to be raised by the applicants/verifying authorities.
- Preparation/generation of Merit List of fresh cases, final list of renewal cases & lot generation phase.
- To provide the details of selected/rejected cases to WARB as per the desired proforma.

### **❖ PFMS :-**

- Validation of bank accounts.
- Disbursement of scholarship.



❖ **MHA/PMO :-**

- Processing and sanctioning of Scholarship under PMSS.

**17. Miscellaneous:-**

- There is no fixed quota of a particular CAPFs, AR and States/UTs Governments in the Scholarship.
- Final list in the case of fresh applicants will be prepared on the basis of their respective category as per order of preference as well as percentage of marks obtained in MEQ.
- Candidature of a student shall stand automatically rejected if, at any stage, it is found that he/she has secured scholarship fraudulently by submitting false information/documents or suppressed any facts. Such candidate will have to refund the entire amount of scholarship along with interest and face appropriate action.
- For any query or help, applicant can contact respective CAPFs, AR and States / UTs Governments. For this, a list of contact numbers of respective branch of CAPFs, AR and States / UTs Governments is attached.
- Wards of deceased/ retired and serving personnel of CAPFs/AR may contact WARB on Telephone number 011-23063111 or through email to [secywarb-mha@nic.in](mailto:secywarb-mha@nic.in).
- The decision of Joint Secretary (Police-II), with regard to the admissibility of the scholarship for the wards of CAPFs/AR/States/UTs Police personnel shall be final.
- The MHA, Government of India can suitably modify the above mentioned guidelines/instructions from time to time as per requirement/necessity arising in future for successful implementation of the Scheme.

The guidelines/instructions as mentioned above are merely illustrative not exhaustive. Suitable amendments can be made on receipt of the views/comments from all the stakeholders.

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**Appendix-I****List of Professional / Technical Degree Courses Applicable for PMSS****MEDICAL**

Sl No	Courses	Duration
1.	MBBS (Bachelor of Medicine & Bachelor of Surgery)	4 Year & 6 <sup>th</sup> Months
2	BDS (Bachelor of Dental Surgery)	5 Years
3	BAMS (Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine Surgery)	4 Year & 6 <sup>th</sup> Months
4	BHMS (Bachelor of Homeopathic Medicine Surgery)	4 Year & 6 <sup>th</sup> Months
5	BSMS( Bachelor of Sidha Medicine Surgery)	4 Year & 6 <sup>th</sup> Months
6	BUMS(Bachelor of Unani Medicine Surgery)	5 Year
7	BSC, BPT(Bachelor of Physiotherapy)	4 Years
8	B.SC MLT(Medical Lab Technology)	4 Years
9	B V Sc& AH(Bachelor of Veterinary Science & Animal Hospitality)	5 Years
10	B.Pharma (Bachelor of Pharmacy)	4 Years
11	B SC Nursing(Bachelor of Nursing)	4 Years
12	B N Y S(Bachelor of Naturopathy & Yogic Science)	5 Years
13	Pham "D"( Doctor of Pharmacy)*	4 Years
14	B Sc Optometry (Bachelor of Science in Optometry)	03 Years
15	B. Oct. Thep. ( Bachelor of Occupational Therapy)	4 Years 6 Months

\*Scholarship Applicable for 04 years only i.e. duration of B. Pharma only.

**List of Professional / Technical Degree Courses Applicable for PMSS-**  
**(ENGINEERING/ARCHITECTURE/ COMPUTERS/ELECTRONICS/STATISTICAL/**  
**PARA MEDICAL)**

Sl No	Course	Duration
1.	B.Tech (Bachelor of Technology)	4 Years
2.	B.E. (Bachelor of Engineering)	4 Years
3.	B. Arch (Bachelor of Architecture)	4-5 Years
4.	B. Sc (Nautical Technology)	3 Years
5.	B. Sc (Transportation Technology)	3 Years
6.	B.Sc (Computer Science/ Comp Sys & Engineering/ Comp Data Science/Info Tech)	3 Years
7.	B Sc (Software Engineering)	3 Years
8.	B.Sc (Electronics)	3 Years
9.	B.Stat (Bachelor of Statistics)	3 Year
10.	Ayurvedacharya	4 Years
11.	B.Pharm (Ayurveda)	4 Years
12.	BPO (Bachelor in Prosthetics & Orthotics)	4 Years
13.	B. Optom (Bachelor of Clinical Optometry)	4 Years
14.	B R Sc (Bachelor of Rehabilitation Science)	3 Years
15.	B Sc (Physician Assistant and Emergency and Trauma Care Management)	3 Years



16.	B. Sc OT & AT (Operation Theatre & Anesthesia Tech)	3 Years
17.	B.Sc (Medical/Bio-Med/ Bio- Chemical) (all or in combination)	3 Years
18.	B. Sc (Forensic Science)	3 Years
19.	B. Sc (Hons) Medical Tech in Radiography/Medical Imaging Technology/Radiology) (all or in combination)	3 Years
20.	GNM (General Nursing & Mid wifery)	3.5 Years
21.	B. Sc (Public Health/ All Nutrition Programme)	3 Years
22.	B. Sc (Speech & Hearing)	3 Years
23.	B. Sc (Optometry)	3 Years
24.	B. Sc (Audiometry)	3 Years
25.	B. Sc (Ophthalmic)	3 Years
26.	B Sc (Hons) Family/Community Science)	3 Years
27.	B Sc Cardio Perfusion Technology (CPT)	3 Years
28.	B Sc (Neuro Technology)	3 Years
29.	B EI Ed (Bachelor of Elementary Edn)	4 Years
30.	BPES (Bachelor of Physical Education and Sports)	3 Years

### **MANAGEMENT COURSES**

SI No	Courses	Duration
1.	M B A(Master of Business Administration)	2 Years
2.	B B A (Bachelor of Business Administration)	3 Years
3.	B B M( Bachelor of Business Management)	3 Years
4.	B C A ( Bachelor of Computer Application)	3 Years
5.	M C A ( Master of Computer Application)	3 Years
6.	B. Plan ( Bachelor of Planning)	4 years
7.	B. Sc CA & BM (Bachelor of Commercial Agriculture & Business Management)	4 Years
8.	BHMCT Bachelor in Hotel Management Catering Tech) (All Streams or in combination)	4 Years
9.	BHTM (Bachelor of Hotel and Tourism Management	4 Years
10.	BTTM (Bachelor of Tourism & Travel Management)	4 Years
11.	BHMTT (Bachelor of Hotel Management, Travel & Tourism)(All Streams or in combination)	3 Years
12.	BMS (Bachelor of Management Study)	3 Years
13.	BBS (Bachelor of Business Studies)	3 Years
14.	MFM (Master of Financial Management)	2 Years
15.	MFT (Master of Foreign Trade)	2 Years
16.	MHRD (Master of Human Resource Development)	2 Years
17.	MIB (Master of International Business)	2 Years
18.	M. Mkt. M (Master of Marketing Management)	2 Years
19.	MSW (Master of Social Work)	2 Years
20.	MMS (Master of Management Studies)	2 Years
21.	BBE (Bachelor of Business Economics)	3 Years



**OTHERS PROFESSIONAL COURSE:-**

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Courses</b>	<b>Duration</b>
1.	B. Sc. Agr. (Bachelor of Agriculture.)	4 Years
2.	B. Fisheries/B F Sc ( Bachelor in Fisheries Science)	4 Years
3.	B. Sc. Horticulture	4 Years
4.	Coy Secretary	4 Years
5.	B.Sc. Bio-Tech (Bachelor of Bio-Technology)	3 Years
6.	B Ed (Bachelor of Education)	1 Year
7.	B.M.C (Bachelor of Mass Communication)	3 Years
8.	H.M. (Degree in Hotel Management)	4 Years
9.	BP Ed (Bachelor of Physical Education)	1 Year
10.	B A S L P (Bachelor of Audiology & Speech Language Pathology)	4 Years
11.	B F T (Bachelor of Fashion Technology)	3 Years
12.	B SC MICRO (Bachelor of Science in Microbiology)	3 Years
13.	B SC HHA( Bachelor of Science Hospitality and Hotel Administration)	3 Years
14.	L LB (Bachelor of Laws)	2-3 Years
15.	B EL. Ed. (Bachelor of Elementary Education)	3-5 Years
16.	B F A ( Bachelor of Fine Art)	04 Years
17.	B F D ( Bachelor of Fashion Designing )	3 Years
18.	BA LLB (Bachelor in Art with Bachelor in Law)	5 Years
19.	B. Sc (Bachelor of Science) (Forestry)	4 Years
20.	B. Sc (Sericulture)	3 Years
21.	B. Sc (Crop Physiology)	4 Years
22.	B. Sc (Agri- Marketing)	3 Years
23.	B. Voc (Food Processing)	3 Years
24.	B. Sc (Food Processing Technology/Sugar Technology/Food Science & Quality Control)	3 Years
25.	B. Sc (Applied Life Sciences with Agro Chemicals & Pest Control (All Agriculture stream or in combination)	3 Years
26.	B Sc (Diary Technology)	3 Years
27.	BAAC Bachelor of Applied Arts and Crafts (All Streams)	4 Years
28.	B. Design (Bachelor of Design)	4 Years
29.	BPA (Bachelor of Performing Arts)	4 Years
30.	BID (Bachelor of Interior Design)	4 Years
31.	BVA (Bachelor of Visual Arts)	3 Years
32.	B. Voc (Fashion, Design & Retail)	3 Years
33.	B. Sc FAD (Fashion & Apparel Designing)	3 Years
34.	B. Sc (Fashion & Lifestyle Tech)	3 Years
35.	BJD& M (Bachelor of Jewellery Design & Management)	3 Years
36.	BMM (Bachelor of Multi Media)	3 Years
37.	B. Sc (Media Technology/ Mass Media/Animation) (All or in combination)	3 Years
38.	BJMC (Bachelor in Journalism & Mass Com)	3 Years



### INTEGRATED COURSES

**WHEN 1<sup>ST</sup> DEGREE IS NON-PROFESSIONAL & 2<sup>ND</sup> DEGREE IS PROFESSIONAL ONLY PROFESSIONAL COMPONENT OF THE DUAL DEGREE COURSE WILL BE AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP**

S. No	Course Name	Non Professional	Professional course to be awarded Scholarship	Duration of Scholarship
1	B.Com+LLB	B.Com	LLB	3 Years
2	B.Sc+LLB	B.Sc	LLB	3 Years
3	B.A+B.Ed	B.A	B. Ed	2 Years
4	B.Com+B.Ed	B.Com	B.Ed	2 Years
5	B.Sc+B.Ed	B.Sc	B.Ed	2 Years
6	BA+MBA	BA	MBA	2 Years
7	B.Sc+MBA	B.Sc	MBA	2 Years
8	B.Com+MBA	B.Com	MBA	2 Years
9	BA/B.Com/B.Sc + B Ed Spl Ed.	BA/B.Com/ B.Sc	B.Ed	2 Years

**WHEN BOTH DEGREES ARE PROFESSIONAL THEN ONLY FIRST PROFESSIONAL COMPONENT OF DUAL DEGREE COURSE WILL BE AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP**

S.No.	Course Name	1 <sup>st</sup> Professional course to be awarded scholarship	2 <sup>nd</sup> Professional	Duration of Scholarship
10	B.Tech+LLB	B.Tech	LLB	4 Years
11	B.Tech+M.Tech	B.Tech	M.Tech	4 Years
12	BE+ME	BE	ME	4 Years
13	B Sc (MLT) + MBA	B.Sc (Medical Laboratory Technology)	MBA	3 Years
14	BBA+LLB	BBA	LLB	3 Years
15	BCA+LLB	BCA	LLB	3 Years
16	BBA+MBA	BBA	MBA	3 Years
17	BCA+MCA	BCA	MCA	3 Years
18	B Ed+ M Ed Spl Ed.	B. Ed	M. Ed	2 Years

**Total numbers of courses are 122**

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**SERVICE-CUM- CATEGORY CERTIFICATE**

Certified that Force No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ is  
 serving in \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of CAPFs/Assam Rifles) and presently posted at \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of HQrs./Estt /Unit/Bn.). As per service record, \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Name of Ward) is her/his dependent daughter/son, whose date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 She/he is presently studying in \_\_\_\_\_ (name of Course & Year).

It is also certified that as per order of preference, she/he comes under  
 Category \_\_\_\_\_ and eligible for applying Scholarship under Prime Minister's  
 Scholarship Scheme (PMSS).

Name .....

Signature of Head of Office Designation with official stamp



**Contact number of States/Force Nodal Officer (CAPFs/Assam Rifles )**

<b>Name of CAPFs</b>	<b>Designation of Nodal Officer</b>	<b>Office Address</b>	<b>Contact No.</b>	<b>E-mail ID</b>
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