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SHANTIBARTA FOUNDATION (SBF) Scholarship Program in 2022-2023

Introduction

It is no secret that higher education is the ticket for a better life. But due to poverty and lack of resources many students drop out after 10th class and Intermediate. Helping the needy to have access to higher education through scholarship is increasingly important to assist them in realizing their dreams.

SHANTIBARTA FOUNDATION (SBF) started Scholarship Program in 2022-2023 with a theme of 'Encouraging Brilliance Among the Poor'. SBF identifies academically talented students who cannot pursue higher education due to financial handicap and encourage them by providing monetary and moral support.

Goals

- One of the most frequently Googled word is "Scholarship".
- Millions of needy and bright students are waiting for the financial support to pursue higher education.
- Our goal is to identify them, provide financial support, empower them with employability & life skills and more importantly make them part of '**PAY IT FORWARD**' cycle.

Objectives

- We have strict guidelines for scholarship applicant selection.
- We support students only from government schools & colleges.
- The selection process is unique to pick the neediest.
- We inculcate values in our scholars by involving them in our other programmes as well. We have 2-3 interactive sessions & workshops every year to train scholars on employability skills & Life Skills.

Programme Approach

Selection Process

We have a unique selection process to make sure we identify the neediest. We don't go by the income certificate from MRO office. Once we analyze the information in the application form in terms of academic record, family member's occupation etc. we call each shortlisted applicant for a personal interview along with the parent/guardian. Once the interview panel shortlists the applicant after assessing the applicant's need, interest towards higher education and the parent's financial status, there will be a physical visit to each applicant to physically verify the facts. This is when the Eligibility Verification Report comes in.

Eligibility Verification Report:

Eligibility Verification Report is the source to select an applicant for scholarship. The information provided in this report is very valuable and play major role in the decision to grant SBF Scholarship to the applicant. We assess and guide in what level are scholars achieving the programme mission in terms of academic excellence, leadership and social responsibility. The vision of the programme is not only to provide monetary support but also empower them with employability skills and life skills.



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Eligibility Verification Report (EVR)

- The application must be from WEST BENGAL state.
- All prior & current education must be in a government school / college.
- The applicant must hail from a poor family with no other financial resources

Programme Impact

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Interactive Workshops

We conduct 2-3 mega workshops to interact with all the scholars and train them in employability skills and we also inculcate volunteer spirit in them. In these workshops we conduct individual and group activities, public speaking sessions, guest lectures, spoken english and life skills.

Renewal Scholarship

The e scholarship is NOT renewed each year by default. There is a specific criterion to be met before the renewal is granted. We also make sure we reduce/stop the scholarship amount if there are any new financial resources the scholar has found by any chance.

We also drop those scholars from this programme who have backlogs for any non-justifiable reason.

The criteria to renew the scholarship

- Has the scholar cleared all subjects with good %?
- Has he/she participated in any voluntary service activities in the previous year?
- Has he/she submitted all the fee receipts for last year's scholarship amount?

RATE OF SCHOLARSHIPS:

The rate of scholarship would be Rs.500/- p.m. to Rs.2000/- per month at at per students condition. Students pursuing professional courses would get Rs.1000/- p.m or much. The scholarship would be paid for 10 months in an academic year.