



GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
MINORITIES & BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

ONLINE APPLICATION FOR POST MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE YEAR 2014-15 FOR STUDENTS BELONGING TO MINORITY COMMUNITIES.

Minorities & Backward Classes welfare Department, Govt of Odisha invites **Online applications** for award of **Post Matric Scholarship** for the year 2014-15 to meritorious students of Odisha belonging to the notified Minority Communities (i.e. Muslim, Christian, Buddhist, Sikh, Jain and Parsi) studying in recognized Institutions inside Odisha and other States within India from Class XI up to Ph.D Courses . The detail guidelines, eligible courses covered under the scheme are available at www.momascholarship.gov.in

Eligibility:

1. Students must be permanent resident of Odisha.
2. Income ceiling of parents shall not exceed Rs. 2.00 lakh per annum.
3. Minimum eligibility mark is **50%**, secured in the last final examination of the Board/ University .
4. 30% scholarship is earmarked for girl students.

Documents to be enclosed:

1. One Passport size photograph duly signed,
2. Certificates in support of educational qualification/Income/Caste duly attested,
3. Self-attested Xerox copy of the 1st page of Savings Bank Pass Book mentioning correct A/C No, IFSC code etc.

Time Line (Fresh/Renewal Scholarship):

Sl. No.	Activities	(Fresh Scholarship)Date	(Renewal Scholarship) Date
1	Last date for submission of online application	15 th September,2014	10 th October,2014
2	Last date for submission of duly signed printed version of online applications alongwith required documents by the students to the Head of the Institute	25 th September, 2014	20 th October ,2014
3	Last date of Scrutiny of Online Applications by Institute	05 th October 2014	31 st October 2014
4	Last date of Scrutiny of Online Applications by State	15 th October 2014	8 th November,2014
5	Last date of Scrutiny of Online applications by State/UT Department	16 th October,2014 to 18 th October 2014	11 th November,2014

Eligible students are advised to fill up their application ONLINE by accessing www.momascholarship.gov.in and obtain a print out of the duly filled in application form and submit the same along with all supporting documents to concerned **District Welfare Officer** through their respective Institute where studying. **Only Online Applications will be accepted and no request for accepting Offline applications will be entertained.**

Submission of hard copies of applications and documents with recommendation of the Head of the Institution before the DWOs is mandatory. **Without receipt of hard copies within due date the application shall be liable to be rejected.**

The students who have availed **Post-matric scholarship** for the year **2013-14** and not changed their course shall apply for **RENEWAL** scholarship. Other applicants to apply for **FRESH** scholarship.

- In case of any problem faced by the student at the time of filling up of the application through online, they should take the help of **Helpline No.0674-2391780**/or e-mail on stscpms@gmail.com,
- Applicants are advised to be careful mention the accurate Bank Account Information in the specified Box of the online application. The applicant himself/herself will be responsible for any sort of wrong entry/mismatching of Bank Account related information.

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