

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
(SUBMISSION OF ONLINE APPLICATION FOR AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP
FOR THE ADMISSION YEAR 2025-26)

N-162: The Higher Education Department, Government of Odisha invites online application for award of scholarship under **Mukhyamantri Medhabati Chhatra Protsahan Yojana- Higher Education** scheme for the year 2025-26 from eligible students of Odisha, who are pursuing general courses, i.e. UG (+3) courses, PG Courses and Technical & Professional Courses in SAMS and Non-SAMS institutions (i.e. UGC/AICTE/MCI affiliated Universities/Management, Engineering, Medical & other Technical institutions) inside and outside Odisha.

Students can apply for scholarships under URL www.scholarship.odisha.gov.in.

The different categories of merit, number, rate, amount to be paid, and courses applicable for the scholarship are given in a tabular form:

Sl. No.	Category of Merit	Rate of Scholarship per Year	Remarks
1	e-Medhabruti Scholarship		
a.	UG Merit	₹ 10,000/-	
b.	PG Merit	₹ 15,000/-	
c.	Technical & Professional Merit	₹ 20,000/-	The number of scholarships under a particular category may be increased by the Government depending on the number of eligible students applied and validated in other categories in an academic year.
2	Gopabandhu Sikhya Sahayata Yojana	₹ 20,000/- per year	Eligible students will get GSSY scholarship irrespective of getting any other scholarship.
3	Vyasakabi Fakir Mohan Bhasabruti	UG course: ₹ 20,000 (one-time in 1st year) PG course: ₹ 30,000 (one-time in 1st year)	Eligible students will get VFMB scholarship irrespective of getting any other scholarship.

NB: (1) Aadhaar is made mandatory for availing scholarship. Please provide correct Aadhaar number of self in the Online Application form. In case it is found that Aadhaar number provided by the student is wrong or is not his/her, the application is liable to be rejected.

(2) Aadhaar seeding with bank account is mandatory to receive scholarship under all MMCPY schemes.

From 2025-26 onwards, disbursement will be done only through Aadhaar Payment Bridge System (APBS). Ensure your Aadhaar is linked to your active bank account to avoid payment issues.

Scheduled Timeline for Online Application

01	Opening date of Online Application for students	10.09.2025
	Last date of Online Application for students	09.10.2025
02	Validation of students record by Principal/Head of the Institution.	10.09.2025 to 23.10.2025
03	Validation of students record by DWO (only for GSSY)	23.10.2025 to 31.10.2025

NO FURTHER EXTENSION OF DATELINE WILL BE MADE BY THE HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

In case of any problem faced by the students at the time of filling up the application online, they may refer to FAQs available on the home page of the website or take the help of **helpline, Higher Education**

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(2323401), 0674(2323402), 0674 (2323404) (on all working days from 10.30 AM to 5.30 PM) or e-mail on **scholarshiped@gmail.com**