

Information on Institutional Assistance and various schemes/scholarships available for SC, ST students.

1. By the Institute

Financial Aid: IIM Visakhapatnam extends financial aid every year to students in need of financial assistance. The opportunity to apply for financial aid is given to all students whose annual household income is below Rs. 6,00,000 as well as to those with severe financial difficulties arising from sudden unforeseen circumstances. The primary assumption behind the IIMV financial aid/scholarships scheme is financial need, which is regarded as the sole basis of financial aid rather than merit-cum-means.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.iimv.ac.in/admissions/pgp/financial-aid-and-scholarships>

2. By the Ministries, under Government of India

A. Top Class Education Scheme for SC Students, offered by Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.

Under this scheme, the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment Government of India invites applications for the National Scholarship for Higher Education for Scheduled Caste students from Meritorious SC students (i.e. of PGP first year). This is a means scholarship that covers tuition expenses in full.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.iimv.ac.in/admissions/pgp/financial-aid-and-scholarships>

For details on various other scholarships/schemes offered by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment for students of different academic courses please visit:

<https://socialjustice.nic.in/SchemeList/Send/27?mid=24541>

<https://scholarships.gov.in> - 'Central Schemes'

B. National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST Students - Scholarship (Formally Top-Class Education for Schedule Tribe Students), offered by Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

Under this scheme, The Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India, invites applications for the National Scholarship for Higher Education for Scheduled Tribe students (i.e. of PGP first year). This is a means scholarship that covers tuition expenses in full.

For more information please visit:

<https://www.iimv.ac.in/admissions/pgp/financial-aid-and-scholarships>

For details on various other scholarships/schemes offered by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for students of different academic courses please visit:

<https://tribal.nic.in/ScholarshiP.aspx>

<https://scholarships.gov.in> - 'Central Schemes'

3. By UGC/AICTE:

A. University Grants Commission offers PG Scholarship Scheme for SC ST Students for pursuing Professional Courses.

The objective of the scheme is to provide financial assistance to 1000 SC/ST candidates to pursue postgraduate level studies in Professional subjects in the eligible institutions.

For more details please visit:

https://scholarships.gov.in/public/schemeGuidelines/guidelines_pgsprof_gl1819.pdf

<https://scholarships.gov.in> – 'UGC/AICTE Schemes'

4. Other State Governments

Various state Governments are also offering scholarships and schemes for different categories of students. For more details please visit:

<https://scholarships.gov.in> - 'State Schemes' and official websites of respective State Governments.

IIMV will extend all possible help to the students to complete the necessary formalities for them to avail of respective scholarships.