

## **INVITING APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ST STUDENTS OF ASSAM FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-26**

It is for information of all concerned that fresh / renewal applications for Pre-Matric (Class IX & X) and Post-Matric scholarships for students of Assam belonging to Scheduled Tribes (ST) are invited for the academic year 2025-26 through **National Scholarship Portal (NSP)** at **[www.scholarships.gov.in](http://www.scholarships.gov.in)**. Applications will be entertained through online portal only for students studying in Govt. / Govt. aided Govt. recognized School / Higher Secondary schools / Colleges / University including Medical/Technical Institutions having valid U-DISE / AISHE / NCVT code only. The timeline for submission of applications are given below:

<b>Sl No</b>	<b>Name of Scheme</b>	<b>Eligibility (Annual Family income)</b>	<b>Last date for submission of online applications by students</b>	<b>Last date of verification by Institute Nodal Officers</b>
1	Pre Matric Scholarship to ST students studying in Class IX - X	Rs. 2.50 lakh	<b>25th September 2025</b>	<b>25th October, 2025</b>
2	Post Matric Scholarship to ST students	Rs. 2.50 lakh	<b>25th September, 2025</b>	<b>25th October, 2025</b>

### **Note :**

1. Students while applying for scholarships for the above 2 (two) schemes are hereby requested to register themselves in NSP through the app "**NSP OTR**" available in Google play store and perform Face-authentication for generating **One Time Registration (OTR)** number which has been made mandatory for applying for scholarship in NSP.
2. Aadhaar and mobile number registered with Aadhaar are mandatory for generating OTR. (Details available at [scholarships.gov.in](http://scholarships.gov.in)).
3. Students while filling up the online application form should upload digital income certificate of their parents/ guardians which has been issued by the concerned Circle/Revenue Officer only.
4. Students should also upload Digital Caste certificate issued by office of the District Commissioner of their respective Districts. If the applicant name/surname in the application form differs in the Caste certificate, he/she should submit an affidavit duly notarized justifying the differences.
5. Students should have a valid Bank account which should be seeded with their respective Aadhaar as scholarships will be credited into Aadhaar Seeded Bank Account of the students only.

**Sd/- Director**

**Tribal Affairs (Plain), Assam**