

Indira Gandhi National Open University
Planning & Development Division

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Notification

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in the recommendation of a Committee constituted to formulate Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) scheme under the SCSP and TSP plan grant for the financial year 2016-17 and as agreed by the competent authority :

1. The disbursement of allocated Plan funds under SCSP/TSP grants (15% for SCs and 7.5% for STs) in the current Financial Year 2016-17 by way of fee exemption of programme fee for students belonging to SC/ST category in the following undergraduate programmes w.e.f. July 2016 cycle onwards as per the details hereunder:
 - a. Freshly registered in BDP (B.A., B.Com, B.Sc.);
 - b. Freshly registered BSW; BTS; and
 - c. Fresh and Second Semester re-registered students of BCA
 - d. Re-registered students in BDP (B.A., B.Com, B.Sc.); BSW; BTS and BCA, who were newly registered in July 2015 and January 2016.
2. Students under the category who have taken fresh admissions under readmission with credit transfer Scheme shall not be eligible for fee reimbursement.
3. The scheme of fee exemption is introduced on the pilot basis initially limited to July 2016 and January 2017 two batches of undergraduate students as referred above. The University will formulate separate policy for utilization of SCSP and TSP funds from 2017-18 and onwards on the basis of the pilot scheme.
4. The University has made provision for this scheme in the Admission Prospectus for July 2016 and January 2017 admission cycles. Eligible and interested students need to apply on prescribed Proforma annexed in the Prospectus for getting fee exemption. The claim of fee exemption will be scrutinized, verified and approved by the concerned RC.
5. All bonafide students of IGNOU belonging to SC and ST categories shall be eligible provided they have not taken any financial benefit either by way of scholarship/fellowship or fee waiver from any other Institute or Center or State Government functionaries. An undertaking to this effect needs to be signed by the applicants in the application.
6. The Finance & Account Division (F&AD) will release required grants to RCs based on the recommendation made by the RSD and Students Registration Division (SRD).


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