

G. P. Birla

Educational Foundation
Offers
Merit – cum – Means
G. P. Birla Scholarship



Ganga Prasad Birla

Eligibility for Scholarship: Students, male or female, from West Bengal, who have in the year 2024, passed Class XII exam and have secured marks 85% or more from WBCHSE or 90% or more from ISC/CBSE and whose family income is less than Rs. 3,00,000/- per year and as such need financial help to pursue further Studies in any stream including Science, Commerce, Arts, Engineering, Medicine, Architecture, Law or professional courses such as Chartered Accountancy, Company Secretaryship and Cost Accountancy, if pursuing along with Under Graduation degree Course, in any recognized University/Institution in India may apply. For students who are extra meritorious, maximum family income criteria may be relaxed in the specific cases at the discretion of the Trustees.

Scholarship amount, to be granted to a limited number of selected students, will be to cover Tuition Fees and Hostel Fees [where applicable], subject to a ceiling of Rs. 50,000/- per student per year, to be continued after the first year upon satisfactory performance, for maximum of 4 years. Additional onetime payment of Rs. 7000/- towards purchase of Books in first year will also be made. Website www.gpbirlaedufoundation.com contains further details and the prescribed form for making the applications. Applications may be made online or in offline mode. Offline application should be sent to following address:

G. P. Birla Educational Foundation
78, Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Kolkata – 700 019
(Landmark: Calcutta Ice Skating Rink)

Last date for receipt of application: 15th August, 2024

Selection of students for grant of scholarships will be made by a panel of experts when it is practical to do so, date for which will be updated on our website.

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G. P. EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

The Trust has been established to carry forward the cherished dream of Late Shri G. P. Birla, the renowned Industrialist and Philanthropist, to promote education, develop human resources and empower the youth of the Country. With this objective, the Trust has been granting Scholarships to meritorious students, male or female, from **West Bengal**, who pass class XII examination and have secured 85% marks or more from State Board or 90% or more from Central Board and whose family income is less than Rs. 3,00,000/- per year and as such are in need of financial help to pursue further studies. For students who are extra meritorius, maximum family income criteria may be relaxed in the specific cases at the discretion of the Trustees.

Further studies may be in any stream including Science, Commerce, Arts, Engineering, Medicine, Architecture, Law or professional courses such as, Chartered Accountancy, Company Secretaryship and Cost Accountancy Course if being pursued along with Under Graduation Course, in any recognized University/Institution in India.

Scholarship amount will be to cover Tuition Fees and Hostel Fees, [where applicable], subject to a ceiling of Rs. 50,000/- per student per year. The Scholarship will be granted to 100 selected students for one year at a time and to be continued upon satisfactory performance by the Student in the preceding year, as evaluated by the Trust, up to completion of the Course subject to a ceiling of 4 years, on yearly basis. Additional onetime payment of Rs. 7000/- towards purchase of Books in 1st Year shall also be given.

For selection of Students for Scholarship, an Expert Panel of the Trust, which presently includes Prof. Sumanta Basu of Indian Institute of Management, Kolkata and Dr. Rajib Das of Jadavpur University, Kolkata, will review the applications received and interview shortlisted prospective candidates. The decision of the Expert Panel will be final. Applications may be forwarded through the Head of the Institution from which the Student has passed Class XII or where he has taken admission. It is expected that financial support of GP Birla Educational Foundation will help produce future leaders of the country.

Students who meet the above criteria of merit, and need financial assistance for pursuing further studies, may apply in the prescribed Form, available on our website www.gpbirlaedufoundation.com, by sending a completed application form along with enclosures to: -

“G.P. Birla Educational Foundation,

Calcutta Ice Skating Rink, 78, Syed Amir Ali, Avenue, Kolkata - 700019”.

Dates for application of Scholarship is decided and announced after results of Higher Secondary Examinations are declared.