

KERALA STATE COUNCIL FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & ENVIRONMENT

PRATHIBHA SCHOLARSHIP RENEWAL (B.Sc & M.Sc)

GENERAL GUIDELINES

Applicable for Renewal of scholarship in 2nd & 3rd year B.Sc. , 2nd year M.Sc & Integrated Ph.D and 2nd , 3rd and 5th year Integrated M.Sc.

1. General

- PRATHIBHA SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME is implemented under the STARS (*Students with Talent and Aptitude for Research in Science*) programme of KSCSTE.
- The scheme implemented by the Women Scientists Division, KSCSTE, aims to identify and nurture students who have qualified Higher Secondary Board Examination meritoriously from Kerala to avail scholarship for pursuing undergraduate and post-graduate courses in Basic / Natural sciences anywhere in India.
- Prathibha scholarship is released initially for the first year of the course and is renewable in the subsequent years of the U.G. and P.G. courses subject to successful completion of the previous year's examination with minimum 60% aggregate marks in all subjects.
- The student should not have received any other scholarships for the current course of study. *[In case the Prathibha Scholar opts for other scholarship for the same course, the entire scholarship amount received for the course till date should be refunded immediately. The Head of the Institution should ensure that students who are awarded Prathibha Scholarship are not availing other scholarships for the current course.]*
- Refund of scholarship should be made through Demand Draft drawn in favour of "The Controller of Administration, KSCSTE", along with a covering letter, clearly mentioning the details of the student, including Course & College of study, PS batch and reason for refunding the scholarship. A copy of the covering letter may be addressed to "The Head, Women Scientists Division", for follow up.
- All applications for renewal of scholarship should be made online. Prathibha Scholars should first register online and a Datasheet will be generated.
- Datasheet along with supporting documents and with necessary endorsement should be submitted to KSCSTE.
- Those who are yet to receive the mark lists for previous' year, shall submit Datasheet along with an Undertaking on minimum eligibility of marks for renewal, in the prescribed format published in website.
- Mark lists of all semesters and final consolidated mark list of the Course should be send to KSCSTE as and when the Prathibha Scholar receives the same from the University.

- KSCSTE reserves the right to amend the guidelines and selection procedures as and when necessary.
- In case of disputes or grievances, the decision of the Executive Vice President, KSCSTE will be final and binding on the candidate.

2. Check list of documents

1. Duly filled Datasheet with necessary endorsement.
2. Copies of mark list of previous year's examinations.
3. Advance receipt duly signed by the student.
4. 'Undertaking' in prescribed format {*Applicable for those who are yet to receive the mark list from University*}

3. Address for communication

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