GURUCHARAN COLLEGE, SILCHAR

A Grade Re-Accredited by NAAC under Cycle II with CGPA 3.11 Silchar-788004, Assam, India

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POLICY DOCUMENT OF THE HEI FOR AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND FREESHIPS

Gurucharan College has made the provision for students to avail various kinds of financial aids, scholarships and freeships given by the state and central governments, both on the basis of merit as well as economic background. Several Post-Matric Scholarships for the Minority, OBC/MOBC, SC and ST categories as well as PWD scholarships for disabled students by the state government can be availed. Under this scheme, students belonging from underprivileged sections of the society with low income can continue to obtain financial support in the form of an academic allowance along with other benefits from Class 11 and above. Moreover, the college also provides the opportunity for students of other states like Tripura and Manipur to avail the Post Matric Scholarships of their respective state governments. The Ishan Uday Scholarship provided by the Ministry of HRD and the UGC, specially for economically weaker and meritorious students of the Northeast region can be availed by students taking admission to the college. Students with domicile of any state of the Northeast and parental income lower than 4.5 lakhs per year are eligible for the scholarship. Meritorious students undertaking B.Sc courses in Natural and Basic Sciences, with aggregate marks within the top 1% of their Class 12 examination of any State/Central Education board may also avail the prestigious INSPIRE scholarship offered by the DST, Government of India. Apart from the aforementioned state and central scholarships, the college also gives free admission to poor students in Higher Secondary as well as Degree courses under the Pragyan Bharti scheme of the government of Assam. The scheme is applicable to students seeking admission to HS/B.A/B.Com/B.Sc courses under the Higher Education Department, whose parental income is less than Rs. 2 lakhs per year. Students can continue to avail the fee waiver benefit under this scheme till they complete their undergraduate education, provided they maintain 75% attendance and have no arrear papers. These scholarships and freeships are not applicable for students taking admission into Self-Financing programmes. The college also has a Students aid fund for poor but meritorious students under which the college itself provides financial aid under exceptional circumstances.

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