

Jnanabhumi Scholarship 2021 – Status, Renewal, Eligibility, Apply Portal at jnanabhumi.ap.gov.in

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Jnanabhumi is a dedicated portal for helping EWS (Economically Weaker Section) students of Andhra Pradesh state. It is an online portal launched by the Government of Andhra Pradesh in the year 2017. The digital platform is designed to implement various **Pre Matric and Post Matric scholarship schemes** offered by the state government. Earlier, these schemes were offered through the AP ePass portal. The meritorious students who have the state domicile of Andhra Pradesh belong to **SC, ST, BC, Minorities, Kapu, EBC, and differently-abled communities** can apply and avail the benefits under the portal. For complete details related to eligibility, application process, benefits under the [Jnanabhumi Scholarship](#), check out the article.

Jnanabhumi Scholarship Latest Update - The last date for application submission for the 2021 scholarship schemes was 25th March 2021.

Jnanabhumi Scholarship 2021 - Quick Overview

Scholarship Name	Jnanabhumi Scholarship
Scholarship Provider	Government of Andhra Pradesh Social Welfare Department
Official Website	jnanabhumi.ap.gov.in
Scholarship Type	Merit cum Means Based Scholarship
Courses Offered	Post Matric and Pre-Matric
Application Mode	Online
Beneficiaries	SC, ST, BC, Minorities, Kapu, EBC, and differently-abled communities
State	Andhra Pradesh

Jnanabhumi scholarship act like a backbone to support financially deprived candidates and enable them to take educational benefits from the government.

JnanaBhumi Scholarship: Quick Overview

Deadline	25 Mar 2021
Class / Course	Pre-Matric, Post-Matric
Scholarship Type	Merit Based Scholarship, Means Based Scholarship
Awarded Amount	Up to INR 15,00,000
Age Limit	N/A
Gender	All
Religion	All
State	Andhra Pradesh
Country	India
Apply Now	Click here

What is Jnanabhumi Scholarship?

People belonging to the EWS category are suffering from the loss of financial funds, hence they can't afford their kids' education. In this matter, the Andhra Pradesh Government has come up with various scholarship schemes which will give the benefits of fee reimbursement to the people belonging to backward categories such as Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe or other backward categories. In this article, we will share with you about the Jnanabhumi Scholarship and all the other important aspects of this scheme and a step by step procedure through which you get an idea on **how to apply for Jnanabhumi scholarship** online.

Launched to provide a student-centric environment and transparent administration, the JnanaBhumi portal enlists pre-matric, post-matric and other scholarship schemes for Andhra Pradesh domicile people. All these scholarships are offered by **15 major government departments** including Tribal Welfare Department, Social Welfare Department, BC Welfare Department, Minority Welfare Department and more.

The key objectives behind the introduction of JnanaBhumi scholarship are:

1. Creating equal and accountable opportunities for all.
2. To ensure a smooth education environment for needy candidates.
3. In a way to the timely release of scholarships with transparency.
4. Minimizing the application process and release time of scholarships.
5. Generating a single desk for disbursement of scholarships.

What are the listed scholarships in the Jnanabhumi Scholarship portal?

Under the JnanaBhumi Scholarship portal, candidates can seek out the wide spectrum of fellowship schemes, especially initiated for students coming from SC, ST, BC, OBC, Minorities, and Specially-abled communities. Have a look at all of them.

Name of the Scholarships	Provider Detail	Application Deadline
Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC/ST/BC/Disabled candidates	Government of Andhra Pradesh	N/A
Post-Matric Scholarship for SC/ST/BC/ and other categories	Government of Andhra Pradesh	N/A
Ambedkar Overseas Vidyanidhi Scheme	Government of Andhra Pradesh	N/A

YSR Vidyonnathi Scheme	Government of Andhra Pradesh	N/A
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Note: The application process for the 2022 scholarship programme will begin soon. Candidates must keep a check on the official website.

Jnanabhumi Scholarship Important Dates 2022

Go through the complete table and understand the complete schedule of the program.

Categories	Dates (2022)
Beginning of application process	Not announced
Last date to apply	Not announced
Screening of scholarship applications	Not announced
Final selection of candidates	Not announced
Distribution of the scholarship	Not announced

Note: The above-mentioned dates are not confirmed. The complete schedule will be updated once released on the official website.

Jnanabhumi Scholarship - What are the available benefits?

Every year, the state government distributes several scholarships worth ₹ **5,000 crores** to around **16 lakhs students** coming from minorities' communities in Andhra Pradesh. More than this, the online portal of Jnanabhumi administers various other scholarships worth ₹ **15,000**. These scholarships include various benefits in the form of tuition fee, hostel fee, books and stationery and other allowances.

Scholarship Amount

Scholarships	Available Amount
Pre-matric Scholarship	SC/ ST Students studying in class 5 th to 8 th will get ₹ 1000 for boy and ₹ 1500 for girl students. Students of class 9 th and 10 th will get ₹ 1500 along with ₹750 books grant for day scholar of Class 9 th and 10 th .

Post-matric scholarship	Hostellers will receive ₹ 3500 along with ₹ 1000 as a books grant.
Jagananna vidya deevena (RFT)	Full fee reimbursement
Jagananna vasathideevena (RFT)	ITI students will receive ₹ 10,000, Polytechnic students will receive ₹ 15,000 and those who are graduate and completing courses in higher studies including Masters and PhD will receive ₹ 20,000.

Jnanabhumi Scholarship Eligibility Criteria

There are major 2 types of scholarships applicable for students who are domiciled in Andhra Pradesh. To successfully apply for these scholarships one must fulfil the basic eligibility norms as guided below:

Post-Matric Scholarship, Andhra Pradesh – Eligibility

The eligibility conditions for the post-matric scholarship at the Jnanabhumi portal is-

- The students must be enrolled at the post-matric level i.e. class 11th to PhD level of education in a college affiliated with a recognized university.
- Must have scored good marks and been recommended by the college principal.
- They must belong to minority communities such as SC, ST, BC, Kapu, EBC, and PwD.
- Annual income of SC/ST/PWD candidates must be capped at ₹ 2 lakhs.
- For other backward classes, the annual family income must be ₹ 1 lakh. Find the complete income norm.

Community	Annual Family Income
ST	₹ 2 lakhs
SC	₹ 2 lakhs
BC	₹ 1 lakhs
Minorities	₹ 1.5 lakhs
Kapu	₹ 1 lakhs
EBC (Economically Backward Caste)	₹ 1 lakhs
PwD	₹ 1 lakhs

Pre-Matric Scholarship, Andhra Pradesh – Eligibility Criteria

Under this scheme, the government offers benefits for the students studying in class 5th to 10th and belonging to SC/ST/BC and disabled community.

- The Jnanabhumi scholarship is meant for students coming from economically backward backgrounds.
- State students who belong to the SC/ST/ Disabled community and currently enrolled in class 5th to 10th.
- For BC community students, they must enrol in Class 9th and 10th.
- They must have scored 90% or more in their previous year.
- The annual family income must be less than ₹ 2 Lakhs annually. Check the complete income criteria

Community	Annual Family Income
ST	₹ 2 lakhs
SC	₹ 2 lakhs
BC	₹ 1 lakhs
Minorities	₹ 2 lakhs
Kapu	₹ 1 lakhs
EBC (Economically Backward Caste)	₹ 1 lakhs

How to Apply on Jnanabhumi Scholarship Portal?

To apply online for JnanaBhumi scholarships, applicants required to follow the given instructions:

Step-by-Step Process of Application (Post-Matric Scholarship)

- Visit at [Official Website](#) of the scholarship scheme.
- Next Click on the “**Post-Matric Scholarship**” link, available on the home screen.
- The requested application form will be displayed on your computer screen.
- Download the JnanaBhumi Scholarship Post-Matric Application Form.
- Start filling the application form and make sure to enter all the verified details without making any mistake.
- Now, it’s time to attach all the requested documents.
- Submit the signed copy of your post-matric application form to the principal of your college.
- The form will be verified by the college principal, first, then it will be submitted to Jnanabhumi.
- Once it is submitted, you will receive an SMS confirming the submission.
- In the next step, visit the Mee Seva portal and provide the following-
 - Aadhaar number
 - Jnanabhumi application ID.
 - Biometric authentication
- Once selected, the scholarships will be transferred to your account as soon as possible.

Step-by-Step Process of Application (Pre-Matric Scholarship)

- To apply online, first, you need to go to the official website.
- Then click the “**Pre Matric Scholarship**” option, available on your desktop screen.
- In the next step, go to “**How to apply**” section and read the information given there.
- Now, click the application link available there and start filling the **Pre-Matric Scholarship application form**.
- Upload all the requested documents and submit the application form.
- After that concerned hostel welfare officer will verify all your details and confirm the application.
- After confirmation, the district welfare officer will sanction the scholarship.

Documents Required for the Jnanabhumi Scholarship 2021

Make sure you have the following set of documents beforehand while applying for the scholarship –

- Income Certificate issued by Tahsildar/ Affidavit on Non-Judicial Stamp Paper/ Salary Certificate from Employer.
- Photocopy of previous mark sheet/ certificate.
- Photo identity proof
- Current academic year fee receipt
- Address proof – Voter ID/ Ration Card/ Gas Bill/ Electricity Bill, and other relevant documents.
- Caste Certificate

- Bank account details of the student (passbook copy/ cancelled cheque)

How To Check Jnanabhumi Scholarship Status?

After submission of the application form, you will be required to check the jnanabhumi scholarship status once to confirm your application. To track your application, you can pursue the following instructions shared below:

1. Go to the official website link, which is - <https://jnanabhumi.ap.gov.in>.
2. Click on the **JnanaBhumi scholarship login** option, flashing on the homepage.
3. Candidates will be asked to enter the following details-
 - Login ID
 - Password
 - Captcha code
4. After entering the details, click on the application status option.
5. Your Jnanabhumi scholarship status will appear.

Apart from this, applicants may also receive SMS if their application will be accepted. Therefore, candidates are advised to keep their registered email ID and number active throughout the procedure.

Recover Forgotten Portal Login Credentials

In case you have forgotten your **Jnanabhumi scholarship login** credentials, well in that case, you need to recover them without wasting any single minute. To do the same, just follow these useful steps:

- Explore the official website and search for the login tab.
- Here, you will ask to provide the application id and password. As you have forgotten your credentials, you need to enter your Application ID first then click on the “**Forgot password**” option.

Note: Your application id will be generated at the time of application, so make sure to check your email id or phone messages to enter the same.

- After the “Forgot password” option, they will send you an OTP to your registered email id or password. So make sure to check them.
- In case you didn't receive an email, try to explore the “**Spam**” folder.
- Now, enter the OTP and create a new password and make sure to keep it safe.

How to Apply for JnanaBhumi Application Renewal?

If you want to renew your application for another year and meet the general eligibility criteria, then you must follow the step-by-step procedure given below:

- Navigate to the official website link and go to the homepage.
- Now, search for the login button and enter the details like Login ID, Password, and Captcha code.
- In the next step, click on the renew option and select the year.
- After this, update the following details, which includes:
 - College name and year
 - Course

- Bank account details
- Family income with proof
- Mobile number and email address
- At last, click on the submit option to complete the application.

JnanaBhumi Selection Process 2021

The selection of the candidates will happen based on the candidates' needs and their eligibility criteria. There is no such entrance exam to shortlist students, but those who meet up the eligibility norms without any false information will receive the benefits of the fellowship scheme.

JnanaBhumi - Key Statics of the Scheme

The Government of Andhra Pradesh has initiated multiple scholarships under different departments. Here are the statistics of pre-matric and post-matric scholarships for the year 2020-21.

Key Statistics for Pre-Matric Scholarship 2020-21

S.No.	Particulars	Details
1	Total Registrations	3,29,812
2	Total number of verified applications	2,81,941
3	Total number of sanctioned applications	2,65,751
4	Rejected applications	4,989
5	Total bills prepared	1,74,972

Key Statistics for Post-Matric Scholarship 2020-21

S.No.	Particulars	Details
1	Total Registrations	17,63,439
2	Total number of verified applications	16,93,966
3	Total number of sanctioned applications	16,63,757
4	Total scholarships released	15,56,339

Contact Details

In case of any query regarding the JnanaBhumi scholarship application form, eligibility conditions, dates, or any other detail, contact at:

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