

## Scholarship and Free Ships Policy

#### 1. Introduction

Jain College is committed to providing accessible education to all students, regardless of their financial background. As part of our commitment, we offer a range of scholarships and fee concessions (Free Ships) to meritorious and deserving students. This policy outlines the eligibility criteria, types of scholarships and fee concessions, and the application process.

### 2. Purpose

The primary objective of the Scholarship and Free Ships Policy is to recognize and reward students for their academic excellence, encourage talent, and provide financial assistance to those who need it most.

### 3. Scope

This policy applies to all students enrolled at Jain College, including undergraduate and postgraduate programs, across all disciplines and departments.

### 4. Types of Scholarships and Free Ships

Jain College offers the following categories of scholarships and fee concessions:

## 4.1 Merit-Based Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded to students who have demonstrated exceptional academic performance.

- Eligibility: Students must have secured top positions in the previous examinations (for example, board exams or internal assessments).
- Amount: The scholarship amount will be a percentage of the tuition fees or a fixed sum, based on the merit of the student.
- Renewal: Scholarships are renewable annually, subject to the student maintaining a minimum percentage of 85 and above.

#### 4.2 Free Ship Policy

Free Ships are financial aids offered to students who need full or partial fee waivers based on their economic condition.

- **Eligibility:** Students whose family income is below a certain threshold (e.g., INR 2,00,000 annually) or who belong to underprivileged backgrounds.
- Amount: Full or partial tuition fee waiver, based on financial assessment.
- Renewal: Subject to annual income assessment and academic performance.

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# 5. Application Process

Students interested in applying for scholarships or fee concessions should follow these steps:

- 1. Submit an Application: Complete the scholarship application form available at the college office or the official college website.
- 2. Provide Supporting Documents: Submit all necessary documents such as:
  - Academic records and certificates
  - o Family income statement or other proof of financial need
  - o Certificates for sports or cultural achievements
  - o Any other documents required for the specific scholarship type
- 3. **Interview (if applicable)**: Some scholarships may require an interview or further assessment to determine eligibility.
- 4. **Selection**: The Scholarship and Free Ship Committee will review all applications and decide on the awardees based on the criteria outlined above.

#### 6. Conditions and Terms

- General Eligibility: Only students enrolled in full-time programs are eligible for scholarships or fee concessions.
- **Termination of Scholarship:** Scholarships or fee concessions may be terminated if the student fails to meet the academic requirements or violates the code of conduct of the college.
- **Disbursement of Scholarship:** Scholarships will be applied directly to the student's fee account and will not be given in cash unless otherwise specified.
- **Application Deadlines:** Applications must be submitted within the time frame announced by the college. Late applications may not be considered.

