

**Government of West Bengal
Education Directorate
Department of Higher Education
Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091**

Memo No. 89 -Gen/SS-24

Dated, Kolkata, the 1st October, 2024

**From : The Joint Director of Public Instruction (S & S)
Education Directorate
Government of West Bengal**

**To : The Principal/OIC/TIC of all the Govt/ State-aided Colleges,
West Bengal**

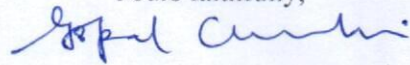
**Sub. : Scheme of PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and
University Students**

Ref. : Memo No. 82(3)-HED-21/1/2024-APP SEC (DPI) dt. 04.09.2024

Dear Sir/Madam,

With reference to the captioned subject and reference above, I am directed to request you to spread awareness about PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students among the meritorious students of your college as per instruction given in the Memo No. 82(3)-HED-21/1/2024-APP SEC (DPI) dt. 04.09.2024 (Point no. 3 of the attached letter) at your earliest. Scheme guidelines are available in NSP portal.

Yours faithfully,



**(GOPAL CHAKRABARTI)
Joint Director of Public Instruction (S & S)
West Bengal**



GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Department of Higher Education
Audit & Budget Branch
Bikash Bhavan, 6th floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata – 700 091

Dated, 4th September, 2024

Memo No. 82(3)-HED-21/1/2024-APP SEC(DPI)

From: The Senior Special Secretary,
Govt. of West Bengal,
Higher Education Department,
Bikash Bhawan, 6th floor, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700 091

To: 1. Registrar (All) _____ University (All)
2. Director, Directorate of Public Instruction, Education Directorate, W. B.
3. Director, Directorate of Technical Education, Education Directorate, W.B.

Sub. : Scheme of PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students- regarding.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to bring to your kind notice that the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India is implementing the PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for meritorious students of Colleges and University Students across the nation. The National Scholarships Portal (<https://scholarships.gov.in>) is now live for applications from the students in higher education.

2. Although the allocated quota for this state is 5941, only 2199 fresh applications were received in the last Academic Year i.e. 2023-2024. Students who were in top twenty percentile in higher secondary from West Bengal State Board and annual income up Rs. 4.5 lakhs are eligible to apply for this scholarship.

3. In view of the above, you are requested to spread awareness about the scheme among the students by preparing information bulletin/pamphlets, by publishing advertisement in the local newspapers etc. and by uploading public notice regarding the scheme and the scheme guidelines (Copy attached) in the College/University website so that maximum number of students could avail the benefit of the scheme.

Sincerely yours,

Senior Special Secretary
to the Govt. of West Bengal