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Government of India  
Ministry of Tribal Affairs  
(Scholarship Section)

Jeevan Tara Building  
New Delhi - 110001  
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To  
The Dean/Director/Registrar  
(as per 265 Top Class Institutes list)

**Subject: Re-activation of National Scholarship Portal (NSP 2.0) for inviting Applications (fresh and renewal) under National Scholarship for Higher Education of ST students for the financial year 2024-25**

Sir/Madam,

Your Institute is one of the notified institutes under the scheme of "National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST students" and financial assistance is provided by the Ministry to such ST students as per scheme norms. The students who would like to avail the benefits of National Scholarship Scheme (Top Class) (not Fellowship Scheme), are required to fill in the application form on National Scholarship Portal (NSP).

1. In this regard, it is intimated that the National Scholarship Portal (NSP 2.0) is open as per the dates mentioned below for inviting applications (Fresh and Renewal) under National Scholarship for Higher Education of ST Students for the year **2024-25** on <https://scholarships.gov.in/>

S. No	Particular	Student Category	Date
1.	Opening date of Application Registration by Students	Fresh	30 Jun 2024
2.	Opening date of Application Registration by Students	Renewal	12 Jul 2024
3.	Closing Date of Application Registration by Students	Fresh and Renewal	31 Oct 2024
4.	Closing Date for Institute Verification of Applications	Fresh and Renewal	15 Nov 2024
5.	Closing Date for Ministry Verification of Applications	Fresh and Renewal	30 Nov 2024

2. All eligible students who have taken admission on merit in the 265 notified premier institutes, and whose applications are verified by the Institute and Ministry as per the norms of the scheme are eligible to receive scholarship. However, students admitted in Management quota in private Institutes are not eligible for this scholarship.
3. All institutes are requested to publish the notification for inviting applications from ST students for the year 2024-2025 on their Institute website and notice board.
4. A video conference will be held for all nodal officers/concerned officers dealing with scholarships for ST students very soon. Your participation is mandatory to understand the process. The link will be shared in due course.

Yours faithfully,

  
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