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## ***Press Release***

### **Mahatma Jyothiba Phule BC Overseas Vidya Nidhi Scheme – Applications Invited.**

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The Commissioner, BC Welfare, Government of Telangana has informed that, the Registration for **2018-19 ( Fall Session) intake for the scheme will start from 25.07.2018 and the last date of registration is 31.08.2018.**

She said that the Government issued guidelines for sanction of Mahatma Jyothiba Phule Overseas Vidya Nidhi financial Assistance to BC and EBC students to pursue Post Graduation and Phd. Course. Some of the important guidelines are:

1. The maximum age under the scheme shall not exceed 35 years as on 1<sup>st</sup> July of the year of advertisement, as per overseas scheme.
2. 5% of 300 students i.e., 15 seats shall be reserved/considered for Economically Backward Classes students.
3. Family Income shall be less than Rs.5.00 Lakhs per annum from all sources. This enhanced income limit will apply only for Overseas Scholarship scheme.
4. He/She should have a valid TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT/PTE test score with the following minimum scores:-
  1. TOEFL – 60
  2. IELTS – 6.0
  3. GRE – 260
  4. GMAT – 500
  5. PTE – 50

5. Ph.D Courses are also eligible under the scheme.
6. Allocation of seats to BC students shall follow both Reservation and Merit.
7. One way economy class Air ticket fare will be paid for a maximum of Rs. 50,000/- (Rupees Fifty thousand only) or actual charges whichever is less for any country. Actual Visa Charges are also paid separately in addition to the scheme amount of Rs.20.00 lakhs.

Further, She said that the student to be submit the following documents for sanction of Financial Assistance under the Scheme, “Mahatma Jyothiba Phule BC Overseas Vidya Nidhi”.

1. Caste Certificate issued by Meeseva.
2. Income Certificate issued by Meeseva.
3. Date of Birth Certificate.
4. Aadhar Card.
5. E-Pass ID Number.
6. Residential / Nativity Certificate.
7. Passport copy.
8. Mark sheet from SSC / Inter / Graduate / PG Level.
9. He/She should have a valid TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT/PTE with the following minimum scores shown above.
10. Admission offer letter from Foreign University (I-20, letter of Admission or equivalent) etc.,
11. Countries eligible are USA, UK, Australia, Canada, Singapore, Germany, New Zealand, Japan, France and South Korea.
12. Double Post Graduation:- Post Graduation will be allowed for Post Graduation Admission in case of Humanities only.

And She also explained, for more information and registration under the scheme are made available online at <http://www.telanganaepass.cgg.gov.in>. She appealed all the eligible BC/ EBC Students to utilize the Scheme.