

## GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND DIRECTORATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION NAGALAND, KOHIMA

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## PRESS RELEASE

## REGARDING 2<sup>nd</sup> PHASE & FINAL PAYMENT OF POST-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP TO ST STUDENTS OF NAGALAND FOR AY 2024-2025.

It is hereby informed to all the beneficiaries of the *Post Matric Scholarship to ST Students* of Nagaland for the Academic Year 2024-25, whose applications were verified at the State Level, that the Scheme Implementing Agency has processed payment for 2<sup>nd</sup> Phase & final Payment (one-time full payment) to 19381 beneficiaries on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2025. The students whose names are on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Phase beneficiary list but have not received their scholarships are requested to ensure Aadhar linkage with their bank accounts and enable for DBT payment. The list of the beneficiaries whose bank accounts are not enabled for DBT is available on the Directorate's website https://highereducation.nagaland.gov.in.

It is to be noted that this is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme (90:10), jointly supported by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India, and the State Government. The State consistently releases its share promptly upon receipt of the Central Government's contribution. Consequently, the Department is able to initiate payments only after the requisite funds are released by the designated Funding Agencies.

| Payment Status of Post Matric Scholarship for ST Students, 2024-25 |                      |                              |
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| Payments   | No. of Beneficiaries | Total Amount<br>(₹ in lakhs) |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> phase (paid in June 2025)                          | 22,412               | ₹3071.49                     |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> phase (11 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2025)                 | 19381                | ₹2566.57                     |
| Total  | 41793                | ₹5638.06                     |

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