

ELIGIBILITY CRITERION / WHO CAN APPLY

Only Girl Students belonging to National Minorities, i.e. Muslims, Christians, Buddhists, Sikhs. Parsees and :

- i) Family income of the student from all sources should be less than Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees one lakh only) in the preceding financial year. Income of the parent/guardian is one of the basic criteria for award of Scholarship. Therefore:
 - In case of salaried class, the student must indicate the designation, pay-scale, basic pay and other allowances alongwith total gross & take home emoluments of his parent/guardian. A mere statement saying "Service" will not be acceptable. The student must attach a salary Certificate or Pension Certificate (in case of retired persons) of her parent/guardian alongwith the application,
 - In case of agriculture/horticulture etc., the student has to mention total land holding with details of irrigated and non-irrigated and other landed property owned by her family alongwith total income of the family. These details will also be mentioned in the affidavit of the parent/guardian/in the certificate from Revenue authority, as the case may be,
 - In case of business class, the student must categorically state the name & type of the business alongwith the total turn over and the total income of family. The same details will also be stated in the Affidavit from her parent/guardian,
 - Income from all other sources must also be mentioned specially if mother is also employed/in business,

- It must be noted that all income certificate and statements made by the students in the application is subject to further verification of Maulana Azad Education Foundation. In case of any deliberate discrepancy/concealment of facts, the MAEF may initiate necessary action as per law,
 - The income certificate/affidavit must be from the parents'/guardian's side and should have been issued from the respective home station. The income certificate issued or affidavit made from the place where the student is studying, as against the home station, will NOT be acceptable (in case of photocopy, it should be attested by Gazetted Officer or Head of Institution),
- ii) Should have appeared in any of recognized Centre/State Board of Secondary Education and have secured not less than 55% marks (in aggregate) in the secondary school certificate examination. List of 33 recognized Boards/Councils is given in Annexure-I.
 - iii) Have confirmed admission in class-XI/Dip.Engineering/ITI is must. However application for scholarship can be made in anticipation of admission.
 - iv) The University/College/Institute offering admission should be recognized by the Government at the Central or State level or any other competent authority,
 - v) It is one time scholarship, and no claim as permanent beneficiary will be entertained. Student once selected for scholarship can not avail the same again.