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ONGC Sports Scholarship Scheme 2023-24

1. Objective:

The objective of Sports Scholarship scheme of ONGC is to provide financial assistance to the upcoming young talented sportspersons who have the potential to excel in their respective sports. This will help them pursue their dream, bring acclaim & laurels to the country and inspire younger generation for engaging in sports activities.

2. Games / Sports wise distribution of scholarships:

SI.	Games / Discipline	Gender	Scholarship distribution					
No.			Sub Junior	Junior	Senior	Total		
1	Athletics	Men	0	12	18	30		
		Women	0	4	6	10		
2	Badminton	Men	1	1	2	4		
		Women	1	1	2	4		
3	Basketball	Men	0	2	8	10		
4	Billiards & Snooker	Men	0	1	1	2		
5	Carrom	Men	0	0	2	2		
		Women	0	0	2	2		
6	Chess	Men	1	1	1	3		
		Women	1	1	1	3		
7	Cricket	Men	0	6	12	18		
8	Football	Men	0	6	12	18		
9	Golf	Men	0	2	4	6		
		Women	0	1	1	2		
10	Hockey	Men	1	4	15	20		
		Women	2	2	5	9		
11	Kabaddi	Men	0	3	9	12		
		Women	0	1	4	5		
12	Squash	Men	0	1	2	3		
		Women	0	1	2	3		
13	Table Tennis	Men	1	2	4	7		
		Women	1	2	4	7		
14	Tennis	Men	1	1	3	5		
		Women	3	3	3	9		
15	Volleyball	Men	0	3	7	10		
16	Swimming	Men	1	1	2	4		
		Women	1	1	2	4		
17	Archery	Men	1	1	3	5		

		Women	1	1	3	5
18	Boxing	Men	1	1	1	3
		Women	1	1	1	3
19	Gymnastic	Men	1	1	1	3
		Women	1	1	1	3
20	Para Sports	Men	0	1	1	2
		Women	0	1	1	2
21	Shooting	Men	1	1	1	3
		Women	1	1	1	3
22	Wrestling	Men	1	1	1	3
		Women	1	1	1	3
	Total		25	75	150	250

3. Economic Weaker Section (EWS) Representation:

Everything being equal (in case of a tie of scores for evaluation), preference shall be given to sports persons belonging to EWS category at all levels of representation, for which the applicant would be required to submit EWS certificate, of previous financial year issued by the Competent Authority, duly notified by Govt. of India, from time to time.

4. Eligibility, Age Criteria & duration of scholarship:

- 4.1 Sportsperson should be an Indian citizen and should not be availing any scholarship / stipend from any other organization during the scholarship period. An undertaking in this regard shall be submitted by the applicant.
- 4.2 The scholarship shall be granted to the sportspersons of **14 to 25 years of age**. Minimum age of 14 years will be considered as on 1st April of the year of scholarship. However, minimum age criteria for scholarship in **Chess, Gymnastics & Swimming will be 10 years.**
- 4.3 The maximum age for which scholarship can be granted is 25 years. Therefore, applicant's upto the age of 24 years as on 1st April of the year of scholarship can apply for the sports scholarship.
- 4.4 Scholarships shall be granted for FY 2023-24.
- 4.5 Being merit based sports scholarship, each sportsperson will have to apply afresh every year.

5. Document for proof of Age:

1. Birth certificate / Passport / Aadhar Card / 10th Class certificate (**any two**)

6. Scholarship amount:

The amount of Scholarship to be granted to the selected sports persons will be as under:

Category	Scholarship Amount (per month)				
	National Level	International Level			
Sub Junior	Rs. 15,000/- p.m.	Rs. 20,000/- p.m.			
Junior	Rs. 20,000/- p.m.	Rs. 25,000/- p.m.			
Senior	Rs. 25,000/- p.m.	Rs. 30,000/- p.m.			

7. Benefits & Facilities to the Sportspersons:

- 7.1 Sportspersons on scholarship may be given opportunity to represent ONGC Team in PSPB / AIPSSPB tournaments and other competitions within country on directions of Head Sports. Such players shall be paid TA / DA and necessary expenditure for participation in the tournaments.
- 7.2 Sportspersons on scholarship shall also be provided playing kits with ONGC logo which they shall wear during their participation in the competitions.
- 7.3 Scholarship holder may avail individual health insurance cover for Rs. 5,00,000/- (Five lakhs only) for self. The individuals shall acquire requisite health insurance cover on their own and premium upto Rs. 7,000/- shall be reimbursed by ONGC.

8. Liability waiver:

ONGC shall neither be held liable for any loss / damage / injury / disability caused to any said sports scholarship holder nor shall indemnify any of the said sports scholarship holder towards such loss / damage / injury / disability which may arise or occur while performing any such sports activity.

9. Criteria for selection:

The proficiency of the sports person will be evaluated on the basis of their participation / performance in National & International tournaments / events recognized by National / International Sports Federations / Associations.

- 9.1 The criteria for **Badminton**, **Billiards & Snooker**, **Golf**, **Shooting**, **Squash**, **Table Tennis**, **Tennis and Para Games** where ranking at International / National level is available, the same shall be considered as criteria for selection for scholarship as given below:
 - (a) Latest National & International Singles Rankings available on the closing date of the submission of applications will be considered for selection.
 - (b) Evaluation will be based on **total points scored in both National & International rankings** as per table given below:

National Ranking	Points	National Ranking	Points	National Ranking	Points	International Ranking	Points
1	50	18	33	35	16	1	50
2	49	19	32	36	15	2	49
3	48	20	31	37	14	3	48
4	47	21	30	38	13	4-10	45
5	46	22	29	39	12	11 - 25	38
6	45	23	28	40	11	26 - 50	35
7	44	24	27	41	10	51 - 75	30
8	43	25	26	42	9	76 - 100	25
9	42	26	25	43	8	101 - 150	15
10	41	27	24	44	7	151 - 200	10
11	40	28	23	45	6	201 - 300	5
12	39	29	22	46	5	301 & above	1
13	38	30	21	47	4		
14	37	31	20	48	3		
15	36	32	19	49	2		
16	35	33	18	50	1		
17	34	34	17	51 &	0		
				above			

Total Points = Points scored for National ranking + Points scored for International ranking

- (c) Any tie in points will be broken in following sequence:
 - i. Based on better International ranking and if required,
 - ii. Based on better National ranking
- 9.2 The Evaluation Criteria for Athletics, Archery, Basketball, Boxing, Carrom, Football, Gymnastics, Hockey, Kabaddi, Swimming, Volleyball, Wrestling & Para Games will be based on following score matrix:

Category	Level of	Name of tournament /	Achievements				
	participation	championship	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	Participation	
		Olympic Games / World Championships / Cup / Chess Olympiad	25	22	20	15	
	International	Asian / Commonwealth Games / Championships / Cup / Asian Grand Prix "(All series) / Test series	20	18	16	13	
Sub-Junior / Junior / Senior		SAF Games / any other International tournaments / Championships (Recognized by the International Sports Federations)	15	14	13	10	
		National Championships / National Games / Federation Cup.	10	9	8	5	
	National	All India Inter Universities / Khelo India University Games / Khelo India Youth Games / Academy Nationals (Recognized by the National Sports Federations)	8	7	6	5	

- a. Evaluation will be based on performance in National & International tournaments / championships recognized by National / International Sports Federations / Associations held between 1st April 2022 & last date of submission of application.
- b. **One single best performance / achievement** of the evaluation period will be considered for evaluation as per the score matrix given in the table above.
- c. In case of a tie in scores of sportspersons, their next best performances will be considered, till the tie is broken.
- d. If the tie could not be broken by criteria as given above, **opinion of an outside expert of the game / sport shall be final**.
- e. **In Athletics**, tie shall be broken on the basis of better Timing / Distance / Height achieved by a sportsperson in the championships / meets under evaluation.
- 9.3 The Evaluation Criteria for **Cricket** will be based on the following criteria:

S.No.	Tournaments Organized By BCCI							
1.	Senior International (Test, One Dayer's, T-20): 50-points							
	Additional 10 points for representing in - World cup, World Test championship & Champions							
	Trophy.							
2.	Additional 5 points for representing in Asia cup. Representation in the Senior National trophies:							
۷.	A) Irani Trophy (Multiday): 30 Points B) Duleep Trophy (Multiday): 28 Points C) Deodhar Trophy (One day): 28 Points							
	Position wise points	1 st	2 nd	3 rd -4 th	5 th -8 th	Participation in playing XI		
	A) Ranji Trophy (Multiday) B) Vijay Hazare Trophy (One day) Syed C) Mushtaq Ali Trophy (T-20)	25	24	23	20	15		
3.	Representation in the Junior international trophies: A) India-A: 20 Points B) India U-19: 15 Points							
4.	Representation in the Junior National trophies:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd -4 th	5 th -8 th	Participation in playing XI		
	A) Col.CK Naidu Trophy (Multiday) B) Men's U-25 One Day Trophy (One day) C) Cooch Behar U-19 (Multiday) D) Vinoo Mankad U-19 (One day)	15	14	13	10	6		
	E) Vizzy Trophy (University)	5	4	3	2	1		
5.	Representation in the Sub-Junior international	trophie	es:					
		1 st	2 nd	3 rd -4 th	5 th -8 th	Participation in playing XI		
	Vijay Merchant Trophy U-16 (Multiday)	10	8	7	6	5		
	Points will be given for only one single highest level of achievement / participation for above tournaments held between 1st April 2022 & last date of submission of application. Ties, if any, shall be broken based on maximum runs scored / wickets taken during the year.							

- 9.4 For **Chess**, evaluation will be based on:
 - (i) Total points scored as per tables below for:
 - a. last 6 months average Elo rating and
 - b. One best performance in National / International tournament.

Total Points scored = a + b

- (ii) Ties shall be broken based on better Elo rating of the players.
- (iii) Matrix for Last 6 months average Elo rating:

ELO Rating Men	ELO Rating Women	Points scored
>2600	>2400	40
2550 -2650	2350-2400	35
2500 -2550	2300-2350	30
2450 -2500	2250-2300	25
2400-2450	2200-2250	20
2350-2300	2150-2200	15
2250-2300	2100-2150	10
2200-2250	2050-2100	5

(iv) Points for National & International rankings for tournaments conducted by World chess federation in 2022-23:

Category	Level of	Name of tournament /	Achievements				
	participation	championship	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	Participation	
		Chess Olympiad / Grand Prix	25	22	20	15	
		World Championship	20	18	16	10	
Sub-Junior	International	FIDE World Cup					
/ Junior / Senior		Asian / Commomwealth Championship	15	5 14 13	10		
	National	National Championships	10	9	8	5	

10. Withdrawal of Scholarship:

ONGC reserves the right to discontinue scholarship of any sportsperson due to false declaration, fake certificate, conduct, discipline or any other reason deemed fit by the organization.

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