

Undergraduate Scholarships

for the Students of Coastal Region of Balochistan

Applications are invited from the outstanding students of Gwadar, Lasbela/Hub, Kech (Turbat) and Awaran, districts of Balochistan who intend to pursue undergraduate studies in HEC-recognised Public/Private sector universities/degree awarding institutions (DAIs) of Pakistan. The scholarships are being offered in all areas of study/disciplines under the project titled "Coastal Region Higher Education Scholarship Programme for Balochistan".

Eligibility Criteria

- i. Applicant must possess the domicile/local certificate of Gwadar, Lasbela/Hub, Kech (Turbat) or Awaran District of Balochistan.
- ii. Applicant must have completed 12 years of education with at least 50% marks in both Secondary School Certificate (SSC) and Higher Secondary School Certificate (HSSC) or equivalent.
- iii. Applicant must have completed SSC and HSSC or equivalent from college/institute located in any of the defined districts of Balochistan i.e: Gwadar, Lasbela/Hub, Kech (Turbat) and Awaran.
- iv. Students already enrolled in any BS programme maximum one academic year/ session prior to the advertisement may also apply.
- v. Age of the applicant should not exceed 22 years as on closing date.
- vi. Applicants will have to meet HEC's and relevant university's criteria for admission.
- vii. Applicants who are already availing any other HEC/Government scholarship are not eligible to apply.
- viii. Result awaiting students are not eligible to apply.

Important Note

- i. Scholarships will be awarded on Merit and District Quota basis as per PC-I.
- ii. Applicants will be short-listed on the basis of academic credentials and Aptitude Test score conducted by HEC.
- iii. Applicants must secure at least 50% marks in the test conducted by HEC.
- iv. Merit List of scholarship will be prepared on the basis of online information/data provided by the applicants, and in case of any misrepresentation/error/omission, the scholarship shall be cancelled at any stage.

How to Apply:

- Applicants are required to submit applications online on HEC's website. Application link: https://scholarships.hec.gov.pk
- ii. Hard copies of applications and any other documents are not required at this stage.
- iii. The applicants must deposit Rs. 500/- (non-refundable) as application processing fee in Habib Bank Limited, Account Number: 1742 7900 1334 01, Title of Account: Higher Education Commission, Branch Code: 1742.
- iv. The original bank payment record/slip must be uploaded with online application, and it should be kept safe by the applicant to present it at test centre. No one will be allowed to sit in the test without producing original bank deposit slip.
- The applicant must submit the online application after completing the application form. Saved and Incomplete applications in any respect will not be considered.
- vi. HEC reserves the right to postpone or cancel the scholarship process at any stage without assigning any reason.

Deadline

Last date for submission of online applications is 30th November, 2023

The applicants are advised to check their emails and HEC website regularly for any updates and are required to apply well before the closing date to get assistance in case of any inconvenience.

For more details, please visit HEC website: http://hec.gov.pk/site/CRHES

Note: For any assistance, please contact HEC Secretariat, Islamabad or HEC Regional Centre, Quetta.

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