

Government of Jammu and Kashmir Directorate of Colleges

Higher Education Department

The Principal

Govt. Degree Colleges/GCET's UT of Jammu and Kashmir

Sub: Extension of timeline for submission of online application and completion of verification process for the PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for Colleges and Universities.

Ref: Communication received via email dated 31.10.2025 from Office of the Scholarship Division Department of Higher Education.

Sir/Madam,

Apropos to the subject and reference, the timeline for filling up of application forms for PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students has been extended up to 15th November, 2025. Further, the Last date for first level (L-1) verification has been extended up to 30th November, 2025 and second level (L-2) verification up to 15th December, 2025.

In this regard, you are requested to instruct State Nodal Officers (SNOs) / Institute Nodal Officers (INOs) of your college to:

- Encourage students to apply for the PM-USP, CSSS schemes within stipulated timeline.
- 2. Timely verify applications submitted by students

This will ensure that eligible students can benefit from the scholarship.

Yours Sincerely

Dr. Sheikh Ajaz Bashir Director Colleges, J&K Higher Education Department

No.: DC-HE/K/2025/PM-USP/2326

Dated: 04-11-2025

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1. Director Tribal Affairs, J&K for information

 PS to Additional Chief Secretary, Higher Education Department for information of Additional Chief Secretary, Higher Education Department

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Seva Teerth-II Motilal Nehru Marg, New Delhi-110011 Dated: October 31st, 2025

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Extension in timelines for all Post-Matric/Top Class Central Sector Schemes on National Scholarship Portal (NSP) for AY 2025-26- reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to convey the approval of the Competent Authority for extension in timelines for all Post-Matric/Top Class Central Sector Schemes as under:-

Particulars	Extension Granted Upto
Last date for receipt of applications	15.11.2025
Last date for INO level verification (L1)	30.11.2025
Last date for DNO/SNO/Ministry level verification (L2)	15.12.2025

- All Ministries/Departments are requested to take urgent necessary action. 2.
- Ministries/Departments are requested to ensure that the timelines are strictly adhered to and no further extension will be granted.

(Ravi Ranjan) Under Secretary (DBT)

To.

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