



**High Commission of India
Victoria (Seychelles)**

Scholarship Programme for Diaspora Children (SPDC) for Academic Year 2021-22

Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India has been offering a Scholarship Programme for children of NRIs/PIOs in Seychelles to pursue Under Graduation/degree courses in Central Universities, NITs, IITs, Schools of Planning and Architecture, 'A' Grade Institutions accredited by NAAC and recognized by UGC, and other institutions under Scholarship Programmes for Diaspora Children (SPDC) scheme in India for the academic year 2021-22.

Under this scheme, financial assistance upto 75% of the total Institutional Economic Cost subject to a maximum of US\$ 4000 per annum is paid by Government of India.

Eligibility:

- a) Applicants in the age group of 17 to 21 years as on July 31, 2021 are eligible to apply.
- b) Children of NRIs should have pursued at least 3 years of education, inclusive of 11th & 12th or equivalent in a foreign country during the last six years, and should have passed the qualifying examination abroad.
- c) Only fresh year students (1st year) shall be eligible to get the scholarship
- d) Monthly income of parents should not exceed US\$ 4000.

The Institution that are covered under this scheme are:

- a) NITs, IITs, Schools of Planning and Architecture
- b) 'A' Grade institutions accredited by NAAC and recognized by UGC.

Last date of submission of form: 30 November 2021.

Interested students may please visit the website <http://www.spdcindia.gov.in> to get more information.

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