

## **Final Selection Process for offering INSPIRE Scholarship for the year 2017 Batch students under Scholarship for Higher Education (SHE) component of the INSPIRE Scheme.**

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In 2017, announcement call was made on 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2017 and ONLINE application was sought from students (Top 1 %) through web portal: online- inspire.gov.in. Against the Call 21156 applications were received. Each application was evaluated within the norms of INSPIRE – SHE which are as follows:

- Complete Application with all correct documents
- Within Top 1% of respective Board at +2 examination
- Pursuing Basic or Natural Science course (as listed in the List of 18 subjects) in UG level at any recognized College or University in the country.

Based on this evaluation process, **15004 applications** were found valid and eligible as per norms of INSPIRE-SHE-Scholarship against the provision of 10000 Scholarship available to offer every year. **5918 applications** were rejected as well and **197 applications** are in Abeyance cases (Due to anomaly between Board Data and individual mark-sheet has sent to Board for clarification). However 35 applications pertaining to TamilNadu Board and 2 applications from AMU Board could not be evaluated due to non-availability of top 1% data from respective Board.

As it was indicated at the announcement call in Oct 2017 “**in the case of receiving more than 10000 eligible applications in a given year, the selection would be on the basis of the Board inclusive model within the available number of Scholarships in that year**”, the matter was referred to Standing Committee of INSPIRE Scholarship for a logical solution to offer Scholarship in logical and transparent method. The Standing Committee of the INSPIRE Scholarship recommended that for computing on pro-rata basis of valid applications in terms %-age marks in +2 Board examination for each Board with respect to total number of valid applications across all Boards against the total provision of INSPIRE Scholarship to offer INSPIRE Scholarship in any Board. The Standing Committee also suggested to use 12000 as the available total number of Scholarships (instead 10000) since nearly 20 % students do not finally turn up for availing Scholarship as evident from previous years responses. Accordingly, number of Scholarship with respect to each Board was computed by using following steps:

- Computing of Board-wise Quota for number of Scholarship,
- Repositioning of the %-age cut-off marks of that Board based on available Number of Scholarship of that Board as computed above,
- Considering all Students up to that % Cut-off Marks in that Board,
- Besides this, number of scholarship for Competitive Examination routes also computed.
- To offer all valid applications of a Board, in case number of valid applications of that Board is less than or equal to 5.

Based on the above, finally **12246 students** would be required to offer now from the Batch 2017 across 29 Boards (except TamilNadu & AMU). We would be unable to offer this Scholarship to **2758 students** and would be required to decline to them as presently we have no provision of offering Scholarships in the year 2017.

## Computation of INSPIRE SCHOLARSHIP (SHE) for the Year 2017 Date- 22.05.2018

Sl.No	Board Name	Top 1% Cut- Off	No. of Online Applications received	No. of Valid Applications (1st Stage Selection)	No. of Invalid Applications (1st Stage Rejection)	Applications in Abeyance Cases for clarification	Repositioning of % cutoff	No. of eligible applicant's as per formula	Total eligible applicants after repositioning of cutoff	Competitive Basis (JEE MAINS,ADVA NCE,,JBNSTS, Etc)	Total Provisionally Selected Applicants	Rejected Applicants After Repositioning of % Cutoff
1	Andhara Pradesh	98.30	244	134	110	0	98.30	107	134		134	0
2	Assam	78.80	187	125	60	2	82.60	100	100		100	25
3	Bihar	73.40	102	42	60	0	74.80	33	33		33	9
4	Chhattisgarh	86.60	432	322	99	11	87.40	257	261		261	61
5	CBSE	94.20	992	311	663	18	94.60	249	267	10	277	34
6	Goa	85.50	9	3	6	0	85.50	3	3		3	0
7	Gujarat	79.20	170	144	25	1	80.20	115	119		119	25
8	Haryana	92.00	329	92	200	37	92.60	73	76		76	16
9	Himachal Pradesh	88.80	346	296	49	1	89.40	237	256		256	40
10	Jammu & Kashmir	91.40	25	4	18	3	91.40	4	4		4	0
11	Jharkhand	69.00	11	6	5	0	69.00	6	6		6	0
12	Karnataka	92.67	120	64	54	2	93.50	51	53		53	11
13	Kerela	96.75	1097	543	543	11	97.08	434	449		449	94
14	Madhya Pradesh	88.60	926	793	127	6	89.40	634	644		644	149
15	Maharashtra	81.85	614	481	112	21	82.77	384	384	1	385	96
16	Manipur	79.80	128	121	6	1	80.80	97	101		101	20
17	Meghalaya	72.60	66	62	3	1	73.20	49	50		50	12
18	Mizoram	82.60	14	3	11	0	82.60	3	3		3	0
19	Nagaland	83.00	27	15	12	0	84.20	12	12		12	3
20	Odhisha	73.33	177	133	41	3	79.00	106	110		110	23
21	Punjab	90.44	79	42	36	1	91.56	33	35		35	7
22	Rajasthan	88.60	3666	2915	749	2	89.20	2331	2421		2421	494
23	Tamilnadu	Board Data not available	35	0	0	0	NA	NA	NA			
24	Tripura	85.80	2	2	0	0	85.80	2	2		2	0
25	Telangana	98.10	74	34	40	0	98.20	27	29	1	30	4
26	Uttar Pradesh	83.40	8027	6600	1360	67	84.60	5278	5285		5285	1315
27	Uttarakhand	78.80	777	635	133	9	80.00	508	522		522	113
28	West Bengal	88.00	2282	1024	1258	0	88.80	819	821	3	824	200
29	Visva-Bharti	94.33	7	2	5	0	94.33	2	2		2	0
30	AMU	Board Data not available	2	0	0	0	NA	NA	NA			
31	CISCE	95.80	189	56	133	0	96.00	45	46	3	49	7
	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21156</b>	<b>15004</b>	<b>5918</b>	<b>197</b>		<b>11999</b>	<b>12228</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12246</b>	<b>2758</b>

Considering Total Number of Scholarships as 12000 including Institute,The Calculation basis follows as:  
Board-wise Quota= No. of Valid applications of any Board/Total No. of valid Applications\*12000