ARUNACHAL SCHEME HANDBOOK
TOWARDS AN INFORMED BENEFICIARY BASE
MESSAGE

"Arise, Awake and Stop not till the Goal is Reached"

Swami Vivekananda

A responsible Government understands the needs and aspirations of its citizens and formulates policies and schemes for the benefit of the people. The ministries/departments both at state and centre, have put in tremendous efforts in creating these schemes for the welfare of poor and common people. Citizens, however, remain unaware of many such schemes and the schemes fall into disuse due to a large information gap.

This book "Arunachal Scheme Handbook: Towards an Informed Beneficiary Base" has been created with the hope that it will bridge information gap and propagate the government schemes to every nook and corner.

I appreciate the efforts of the team EY and Project Assistant from Planning Dept. in putting together this document and the unwavering support of the officers from Department of Planning in finalising it. The best policy is made when the government listens to people who are actually going to get impacted. Reaching last mile is what our priority is.

I dedicate this book to the citizens of my state and hope that they will reap the most out of this document.

(Pema Khandu)
MESSAGE

I am delighted to bring the book of schemes titled “Arunachal Scheme Handbook: Towards an Informed Beneficiary Base”, to the citizens of my State, who are the ones entitled for it.

The right combination always strikes when two factors play an important role together that is a progressive economy and social policy, which addresses the needs of the society and creates equal opportunity.

I am happy to see that the book has been put together to directly reach the beneficiaries with appropriate information required to avail the benefit they are entitled to. I am pleased to see the efforts that the EY and the Department of Planning has put in to bring this book into picture.

I hope that the objective of this book is fulfilled in the right manner and the benefit reaches the last mile marking the journey of the state towards coverage of the largest beneficiary base.

Chowna Mein
MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF SECRETARY

The ultimate objective of the State Government is the welfare of the people specially the marginalised and deprived groups. The State Government has been formulating programmes /Schemes for the welfare and development of people thereby bringing equitable and inclusive development. Recently, Government of Arunachal Pradesh has undertaken a large number of initiatives in social sector.

To reach out to masses, Government connects with them through various schemes funded by Centre and the state. MGNREGS, Poshan Abhiyan, Pradhan Mantri Janani Suraksha Yojana, Chief Ministers National Social Assistance Program etc. are few examples of schemes which are having huge impact in the lives of people. Still there are lot of beneficiaries who are left behind due to lack of availability of information specially in remote areas.

Information dissemination is one of the key challenges for successful implementation of the schemes. Hence, there is a need of a common portal where citizens can get the information about all the Government schemes.

"Arunachal Scheme Handbook: Towards an Informed Beneficiary Base" is an initiative to circulate the information about the schemes that are functional in the state so as to reach out to maximum people. I appreciate the tremendous efforts of the team EY in putting this document together, duly supported by the Department of Planning & Investment and also, hold in praise all the departments of the state for their involvement and support.

I hope our citizens as well as Government servants shall make the most out of this document.
FOREWARD

It gives us immense pleasure to present a compilation of all beneficiary oriented schemes, in the book titled “Arunachal Scheme Handbook: Towards an Informed Beneficiary Base” This is an initiative of the team EY supported by the Department of Planning. The book focuses on the schemes that are functional in the state and ensures that the information about it reaches every beneficiary.

The main objective of this book is to provide people with information and encourage them to avail the benefit they deem fit. This would ensure the government to expand the beneficiary base in the state and channelise the Departments towards providing better services to the citizens.

This would also enable the Departments to facilitate timely delivery of services and bring out the transparency in the government procedure, through effective implementation and execution of the same at ground level. Outcome of the book is also focussed towards better allocation of financial resources for the functional scheme. The book covers 109 Beneficiary oriented schemes under 26 departments, out of which 68 are Central and 41 State schemes.

We are hopeful that the book is going be a value addition for the citizens of Arunachal Pradesh, bringing them closer to the government mechanism. Also, it would direct the administration towards ‘Good Governance’ by way of accountability, transparency, responsive, equitable and inclusive, effective and efficient, participatory and consensus oriented.

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Good information is believed to improve decision making, enhance efficiency and provide a competitive edge to the organisation. Moreover, in today's time information on schemes has gained even more importance as an organisational resource.

Team EY working as a part of CM Dashboard project with the Planning Department came up with the idea to document 109 beneficiary-oriented schemes in the state. This thought was based on the experience while working on scheme mapping for State Indicator Framework in sync with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Hence, supporting the thought became important keeping in mind the need of the information and expansion of the beneficiary base for which funds are being sanctioned.

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1. **PER DROP MORE CROP (PDMC): PM KRISHI SINCHAYI YOJNA**

The scheme was launched in July 2015 with an aim to improve the productivity of crops with better irrigation with the motto “Per Drop More Crop”, as one of the component of PM Krishi Sinchayi Yojna. It focuses on enhancing water use efficiency at farm level through Micro irrigation technologies i.e. Drip and Sprinkler irrigation systems.

**Objective**
- Increase the area under micro irrigation technologies to enhance water use efficiency in the country.
- Increase productivity of crops and income of farmers through precision water management.
- Create employment opportunities for skilled and unskilled persons, especially unemployed youth for installation and maintenance of micro irrigation systems.

**Important Features**
- PMKSY not only focuses on creating water sources for assured irrigation, but it is also creating protective irrigation by harnessing rainwater at micro level through ‘Jal Sanchay’ and ‘Jal Sinchan’. Micro irrigation is an integral component of the scheme to maximise water use efficiency at farm level.
- There are four components to the scheme: Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (AIBP), Per Drop More Crop (PDMC), Har Khet ko Pani and Watershed Development
- Per Drop More Crop – to focus on micro level storage structures, efficient water conveyance & application, precision irrigation systems, topping up of input cost beyond MGNREGA permissible limits, secondary storage, water lifting devices, extension activities, coordination & management - being implemented by DAC&FW.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- All Farmers

**Benefits**
- Financial assistance to farmers for the installation of irrigation components under Micro Irrigation (all assets/ water sources for this must be mandatorily linked with Micro Irrigation system to achieve water use efficiency)
- Installation of drip or sprinkler irrigation in the farmers’ field for selected crops
- Installation of the irrigation system can be done either by the farmers’ themselves or by the selection of any approved Micro Irrigation companies
- Share to farmers – 55% by the central Government, 35% assistance by the State Government and remaining 10% to be borne by the beneficiary (State and beneficiary component to be decided by the government)
- Direct Benefit Transfer into the accounts of farmers
- Farmers can also avail benefits like water harvesting structure both at individual and community level, water lifting devices for conveyance efficiency, digging of a farm pond, under Other Intervention of Per Drop More Crop
**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Bank Account Details
- Address proof
- Passport size photograph
- Farmer Registration number

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Deputy Director of Agriculture in the District
2. SOIL HEALTH CARD (SHC)

Soil health card scheme is one of the flagship programmes of Government of India that was launched in February 2015. This scheme was launched to help farmers to know their soil health condition as represented by 12 important soil parameters and follow management practices accordingly.

The results are uploaded in the national Soil Health Card portal which has been developed for registration of soil samples, recording test results of soil samples and generation of Soil Health Cards (SHCs) along with fertilizer recommendations besides an information module for monitoring progress.

Objective

- To promote soil test based and balanced use of fertilisers to enable farmers to realise higher yields at lower cost and to make the growers aware about the appropriate amount of nutrients for the concerned crop depending on the quality of soil.

Important Features

- The government is planning to cover as many as all farmers under the scheme.
- Soil samples collected from different locations are analysed in the Soil Testing Labs (STL) as per the norms provided in the scheme’s operational guidelines.
- The scheme will cover all the parts of the country.
- In the form of soil card, the farmers will get a report and this report will contain all the details about the soil of their farm.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All farmers to know the health of their soil

Benefits

- Farmers will have updated data about their soil, as monitoring of the soil on a regular basis once in every 2 years is done.
- Experts will be employed to help farmers in carrying out the corrective measures.
- Farmers can study the soil management practices. Accordingly, they can plan the future of their crops and land.
- The government is paying attention that the same person carries out soil analysis for a farmer further enhancing the effectiveness of the scheme.
- It will give the farmers a proper idea of which nutrients their soil is lacking. And hence, which crops they should invest in which will also tell the fertilizers they need.

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- Registered Mobile number

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture field assistant or District Agriculture Officer
3. OILESEED AND OIL PALM: NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY PROGRAMME

The diverse agro-ecological conditions in the country are favourable for growing 9 annual oilseed crops, which include 7 edible oilseeds (groundnut, rapeseed & mustard, soybean, sunflower, sesame, safflower and niger) and two non-edible oilseeds (castor and linseed). Oilseeds cultivation is undertaken across the country in about 27 million hectares mainly on marginal lands, of which 72% is confined to rainfed farming.

Objective

- National Food Security Programme- Oilseeds and Oilpalms envisages increase in production of vegetable oils sourced from oilseeds, oil palm and TBOs from 7.06 million tonnes (average of 2007-08 to 2011-12) to 9.51 million tonnes.

Important Features

- NFSM Oilseeds: Target of 12th Plan: Achieve production of 35.51 million tones and productivity of 1328 kg/ha of oilseeds from the present average
- NFSM Oil Palm: Target of 12th Plan: Bring additional 1.25 lakh hectare area under oil palm cultivation through area expansion approach in the states with increase in productivity 15,000 kg per ha.
- NFSM TBOs: Target of 12th Plan: Enhance seed collection of TBOs from 9 lakh tonnes to 14 lakh tonnes and to augment elite planting materials for area expansion under waste land.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Farmers having land under their ownership

Benefits

- Training of farmers on technology components with a supply of farm implements.
- Subsidy assistance for planting material, all certified varieties/hybrid seeds, mini-kits and fertilizers as per NFSM– Oilseeds & Oil palms operational guidelines.
- Farmers associations /FPOs/ FIGs / SHGs / Women Groups, individual farmers/cooperatives /federations are eligible for assistance for installation of Pre-processing, Processing and oil extraction equipment/devices.
- Irrigation support and maintenance of oil palm plantation

Documents Required

- Land possession certificate (LPC)
- Aadhar Card
- Bank account no.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture field assistant or District Agriculture Officer
4. NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY MISSION (NFSM)

National Food Security Mission (NFSM) is a CSS and was launched in 2007 based on the recommendations of the agriculture sub-committee of National Development Council (NDC). Interventions under NFSM lay focus on Transfer of Technology (ToT) through demonstrations and subsidized distribution of agricultural inputs.

**Objective**

- Increasing production of rice, wheat, pulses, coarse cereals (Maize and Barley) and Nutri-Cereals through area expansion and productivity enhancement in a sustainable manner in the identified districts of the country.

**Important Features**

- Agro-climatic zone wise planning and cluster approach for crop productivity enhancement.
- Focus on low productivity and high potential districts including cultivation of food grain crops in rain fed areas.
- Implementation of cropping system centric interventions in a mission mode approach through active engagement of all the stakeholders at various levels.
- Focus on pulse production and intercropping of pulses with coarse cereals, oilseeds and commercial crops (sugarcane, cotton, jute).

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All farmers are entitled for assistance but limited to hectares as per operational guidelines of NFSM.
- Gram Panchayats and District level seed committee are involved in selection of the list of beneficiaries.

**Benefits**

- All beneficiary farmers to receive complete soil analysis.
- At least 33% allocation of fund is to be made for small & marginal farmers and 30% of the fund for women farmers.
- Modification/refinements in farm machines/tools for various soils types/cropping systems.
- Assistance for purchase of seeds will be available to selected farmers for the area not exceeding 2 ha each or 50% of the cost or whichever is less as per provisions.
- Mini kits of pulses seed varieties not older than 10 years will be provided free of cost to farmers.
- Training of farmers and evaluation.

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Ration Card
- BPL Card

**Contact(for clarification/further information)**

- Nearest Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture field assistant or District Agriculture Officer
5. PM KISAN SAMMAN NIDHI YOJNA

With a view to provide income support to all landholding farmers’ families in the country, having cultivable land, the Central Government has implemented a Central Sector Scheme, namely, “Pradhan Mantri KIsan SAmman Nidhi (PM-KISAN)”.

**Objective**

- The scheme aims to supplement the financial needs of all landholding farmers’ families in procuring various inputs to ensure proper crop health and appropriate yields, commensurate with the anticipated farm income as well as for domestic needs.

**Important Features**

- A landholder farmer's family is defined as “a family comprising of husband, wife and minor children who own cultivable land as per land records of the concerned State/UT”. The existing land-ownership system will be used for identification of beneficiaries for calculation of benefit.

The following categories of beneficiaries of higher economic status shall not be eligible for benefit under the scheme:

- All Institutional Land holders; and
- Farmer families in which one or more of its members belong to following categories:
  - Former and present holders of constitutional posts
  - Former and present Ministers/ State Ministers and former/present Members of Lok Sabha/ Rajya Sabha/ State Legislative Assemblies/ State Legislative Councils, former and present Mayors of Municipal Corporations, former and present Chairpersons of District Panchayats.
  - All serving or retired officers and employees of Central/ State Government
  - Ministries /Offices/Departments and its field units Central or State PSEs and Attached offices /Autonomous Institutions under Government as well as regular employees of the Local Bodies (Excluding Multi-Tasking Staff / Class IV/Group D employees)
  - All superannuated/retired pensioners whose monthly pension is ₹10,000/-or more (Excluding Multi-Tasking Staff / Class IV/Group D employees)
  - All Persons who paid Income Tax in last assessment year.
  - Professionals like Doctors, Engineers, Lawyers, Chartered Accountants, and Architects registered with Professional bodies and carrying out profession by undertaking practices.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Family of landholding farmers having cultivable land

**Benefits**

- An amount of ₹6000/- per year is released by the Central Government online directly into the bank accounts of the eligible farmers under Direct Benefit Transfer mode, subject to certain exclusions
- Benefit transferred only to those farmers’ families with registered land record, with few exceptions only for North-East and Jharkhand
- Top-up of ₹1000 to be provided by the State under the same scheme

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Bank Details
- Land Certificate (with some exclusion in case of North-Eastern States)
- Registration of farmers on PM-Kisan portal

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Deputy Director of Agriculture in the District
6. NCDC’S SHORT-TERM LOAN TO AGRICULTURE CREDIT COOPERATIVES

National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) is a development financial institution for the cooperative sector in the country. NCDC was established in March 1963, under an Act of Parliament (NCDC Act 1962). Cooperatives registered or deemed to be registered under the Cooperative Societies Act, 1912 or under the Multi-State Cooperative Societies Act, 1984 or under any other law with respect to cooperative societies for the time being in force in any State, which is engaged in any of the activities mandated to NCDC, by whatever name called, are eligible for funding from NCDC.

Objective

- NCDC provides financial assistance in the form of Term Loan, Investment Loan, Working Capital Loan and credit linked Subsidy to develop agricultural and non-agricultural co-operatives.

Important Features

- Assistance to Marketing, Processing, Storage, Consumer, Weaker Section Programmes of Cooperatives, Computerization of Primary Agricultural Cooperative Credit Societies, District Central Cooperative Banks, State Cooperative Banks and Technical & Promotional Cell Scheme for strengthening Management of State Cooperative Federations [subsidy on tapering basis.
- Assistance for Ginning & Pressing Programme and Establishment of New and Modernization/ Expansion/ Rehabilitation of existing Cooperative Spinning Mills.
- Integrated Cooperative Development Projects (ICDP) in selected districts

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

Cooperatives fulfilling the following conditions are eligible for the benefits. However, NCDC would also examine viability of the projects with regard to various parameters

- The society seeking assistance should have positive net-worth and its share capital should not have been eroded
- Audit of account should be complete upto previous year within 6 months of close of the financial year.
- The cooperative seeking NCDC assistance, or any other cooperative on which directors of this cooperative have been directors, should not have any major default in repayment of loans to NCDC/Banks/Financial Institutions;
- Value of assets to be mortgaged to NCDC as security against the loans should have adequate security margin, normally not less than 1.25 to 1.5 times.

Benefits

NCDC supports cooperatives through different government schemes -

- Under Dairy Processing & Infrastructure Fund (DIDF) – Support will be extended to co-operative milk unions, state cooperative dairy federations
✓ Under Mission for integrated development of horticulture/ National horticulture Mission (NHM) – credit linked subsidy will be provided @50% of project cost for establishing – cold room, mobile pre-cooling unit, ripening chambers and refrigerated transport vehicles (applicable for NE states).
✓ Under cold chain scheme of M/o Food Processing Industries grant-in-aid @75% will be provided upto a maximum of Rs 10 crore (applicable for NE states).
✓ Under Yuva Sahakar- cooperative enterprise support and innovation scheme 2019, 2% interest subsidy will be provided. Working capital loan should not be more than 20% of total project cost.

Documents Required

• Common Loan Application Form for availing assistance under the scheme of NCDC can be downloaded from NCDC website- www.ncdc.in

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• For further details, please contact or write to NCDC Head Office in New Delhi or Regional Directorates of NCDC
7. INTEREST SUBVENTION ON CROP LOAN BY NABARD

The Honourable Finance Minister in his budget speech for 2006-07 announced that the Government had decided to ensure that farmers receive short term credit at 7% with an upper limit of Rs. 3.00 lakh on the principal amount.

Objective

- To provide cheaper loans to farmer during crop sowing and harvest time
- Relief to farmers affected by natural calamities
- To encourage small and marginal farmers to store their produce in warehouses

Important Features

- The amount of subvention will be calculated on the amount of crop loan from the date of disbursement up to the actual date of repayment of the crop loan by the farmer or up to the due date of the loan fixed by the banks, whichever is earlier, subject to a maximum period of one year.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All farmers

Benefits

- Short-term (up to 1 year) credit to farmers @7% p.a. up to a loan of Rs 3 lakhs
- Credit support up to Rs 3.00 lakh at 7% interest per annum to Small and Marginal farmers (SF/MF) having Kisan Credit Card for a further period of up to six months post the harvest of the crop against Negotiable Warehouse Receipts
- Additional incentive for farmers who promptly repay the loans on or before the due date or the date fixed by the bank @ 2% p.a.

Documents Required

- KISAN credit card
- To avail post-harvest loan – Farmer must have Negotiable Warehouse Receipts issued on the produce stored in warehouses accredited with Warehousing Development Regulatory Authority.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Regional Rural Bank/Cooperative Bank/ Private Banks
8. KISAN CREDIT CARD SCHEME

The Kisan Credit Card (KCC) scheme was introduced in 1998 for providing adequate and timely credit support from the banking system under a single window with flexible and simplified procedure to the farmers

**Objective**

- To provide easy single window system to farmers for their cultivation and other needs like purchase of agriculture inputs such as seeds, fertilizers, pesticides etc. and draw cash for their production needs.

**Important Features**

- KCC covers post-harvest expenses, produce marketing loan, consumption requirements of farmer household, working capital for maintenance of farm assets and activities allied to agriculture, investment credit requirement for agriculture and allied activities.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All farmers – individuals/Joint cultivator owners
- Tenant farmers, oral lessees and sharecroppers etc.
- SHGs or Joint liability groups including tenant farmers

**Benefits**

- The scheme comes with an ATM-enabled RuPay debit card with facilities for one-time documentation, built-in cost escalation in the limit, and any number of drawal within the limit.
- SBI provides the following benefits on their Kisan Credit Card-
  - Interest subvention @2% per annum is available for loan amount upto ₹3 Lakhs
  - Additional interest subvention @3% per annum for prompt repayments
  - Notified crops / notified areas are covered under crop insurance for all KCC loans
  - Collateral security is waived for KCC limit upto ₹1.60 lakhs
  - Free ATM cum debit card (State Bank Kisan Card) for all KCC borrowers

**Documents Required**

- Duly filled in application form
- Identity proof- Voter ID card / PAN card / Passport / Aadhaar card / Driving License etc.
- Address proof: Voter ID card / Passport / Aadhaar card / Driving license etc

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Implemented by Commercial Banks, RRBs, Small Finance Banks and Cooperatives.
9. SUB-MISSION ON AGRICULTURE MECHANISATION (SMAM)

The Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare started the Sub-Mission on Agricultural Mechanisation in the year 2014-15 with an objective to promote agricultural mechanisation among small and marginal farmers and in the areas where the level of mechanisation is very low. A sub mission of National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET).

Farm Mechanization programmes are also being implemented through other missions/schemes such as RKVY, MIDH, NMOOP & SMAM, which would continue to be implemented subject to these guidelines. The Central Sector schemes ‘Promotion and Strengthening of Agricultural Mechanisation through Training, Testing and Demonstration’ and ‘Post Harvest Technology & Management’ stand merged with this Sub-Mission.

**Objective**

- Increasing the reach of farm mechanization to small and marginal farmers and to the regions where availability of farm power is low.
- Promoting ‘Custom Hiring Centers’ to offset the adverse economies of scale arising due to small landholding and high cost of individual ownership.
- Creating hubs for hi-tech & high value farm equipment’s.
- Creating awareness among stakeholders through demonstration and capacity building activities.
- Ensuring performance testing and certification at designated testing centers located all over the country.

**Important Features**

- Promotion and Strengthening of Agricultural Mechanization through Training, Testing and Demonstration: Aims to ensure performance testing of agricultural machinery and equipment, capacity building of farmers and end users and promoting farm mechanization through demonstrations.
- Demonstration, Training and Distribution of Post-Harvest Technology and Management (PHTM): Aims at popularizing technology for primary processing, value addition, low cost scientific storage/transport and the crop by-product management through demonstrations, capacity building of farmers and end users. Provides financial assistance for establishing PHT units.
- Financial Assistance for Procurement of Agriculture Machinery and Equipment: Promotes ownership of various agricultural machinery & equipment’s as per norms of assistance.
- Establish Farm Machinery Banks for Custom Hiring: Provides suitable financial assistance to establish Farm Machinery Banks for Custom Hiring for appropriate locations and crops.
- Establish Hi-Tech, High Productive Equipment Hub for Custom Hiring: Provides financial assistance to set up hi-tech machinery hubs for high value crops like sugarcane, cotton etc.
- Promotion of Farm Mechanization in Selected Villages: Provides financial assistance to promote appropriate technologies and to set up Farm Machinery Banks in identified villages in the states.
- Financial Assistance for Promotion of Mechanized Operations/hectare Carried out Through Custom Hiring Centres: Provides financial assistance on per hectare basis to the beneficiaries hiring machinery/equipment’s from custom hiring centres in low mechanized areas.
- Promotion of Farm Machinery and Equipment in North-Eastern Region: Extends financial assistance to beneficiaries in high-potential but low mechanised states of north-east.
Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Small & Marginal farmers
- Self Help Groups (SHGs)
- User Groups, Cooperative Societies,
- Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) and
- Entrepreneurs

Benefits

✓ Norms/pattern of financial assistance will be available to the selected beneficiaries as per pattern approved in AAP of the state in accordance with guidelines described in SMAM.
✓ Cash component under this Sub Mission is to be transferred electronically to each beneficiary (Individual or Institutions) by Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare (DAC&FW)
✓ Promotion of Farm Machinery and Equipment in North-Eastern Region

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Documents Required

- Aadhar Card (mandatory)
- Registered mobile number
- Other requirements as per components under the different programmes of SMAM

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest District Agricultural Officer/ Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture Field Assistant
STATE SCHEME

10. CHIEF MINISTER’S AGRICULTURE MECHANISATION SCHEME

Raising Govt. assistance in consideration of the high cost of Farm Machineries shall be a boon in the entire farm operation in the state as more than 70% population is directly dependant on agriculture. Considering this, the existing Farm Mechanisation Programme (under implementation jointly by the Govt. of India and State Govt.) is renamed into CM’s Agriculture Mechanisation Programme, which was approved by raising the State share subsidy against distribution of Farm Machineries.

**Objective**

- To promote mechanisation with law farm availability
- To provide hiring services for various agriculture Machinery/ Implements of post-harvest technology (PHY) equipment applied for different operations
- To expand mechanised activities during cropping seasons in large areas especially in small and marginal land holdings
- To introduce improved, newly developed agriculture implements and machines in crop production
- To attain food and farm income security with enhancement of area under different food and cash crops and transition from obsolete farm practices into technology based improved farming operations.

**Important Features**

- District Agriculture Development Society (DADS) are authorised to select the beneficiaries as per CM SKY.
- Records of CHC to be maintained with details of hiring charges by the beneficiary and should be authenticated by District Agriculture Officer.
- All CHC should be Geo-tagged and registered in portal of Monitoring & Training division of Government of India.
- Every beneficiary will have to contribute ₹6.00 lakh per CHC.
- Subsidy to be paid only at the source to the dealer of the company

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All farmers, SHGs, Co-operative Societies, FPOs, and Entrepreneurs as identified by District Nodal Agencies, DAO as Member Secretary, DHO, DAH & VO and DFDO as members
- A farmer or all members of a group of farmers should be first time buyer of the tractor/ farm machineries and in no case should they have owned a tractor/ farm machinery now or earlier in his or their names or in the names of his/ their family members
- Facilities for after sale services and spare parts should reasonably be available in the area/ district where the scheme is to be implemented
**Benefits**

- Subsidized Agriculture Machinery
- Assistance of tractor subsidy to progressive farmers/registered co-operative agriculture farming society/unemployed agriculture and allied graduated belonging to APST in all the districts.
- For marginal and small farmers, farm machines such as Power tiller, Water pump set, etc. as mentioned in the table below are to be distributed as per demand.

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<td>Power Sprayer</td>
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**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Bank account no.
- Registered mobile number

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Nearest District Agricultural Officer/ Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture Field Assistant
11. CHIEF MINISTER’S KRISHI RINN YOJNA

The Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh has decided to provide a facility of zero interest crop loan to farmers of the state to enable them easy access to formal credit through banking channels. Government of Arunachal Pradesh launched the scheme for farming community on April 1, 2017.

Objective

- To provide a facility of crop loans at zero interest rates for farmers in the state.

Important Features

- The scheme will not be available for production of perennial food crop and plantation crops.
- Banks and district administration will give adequate publicity to the above scheme so that the farmers can avail the benefits.
- Benefit under scheme will be extended to farmers availing KCC/ Crop Production loan from Commercial Banks, APRB and APSCAB Ltd. at the same terms and conditions prescribed by RBI/ NABARD.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Farmers cultivating short-term crops

Benefits

- Kisan Credit Card and card limit up to ₹3.00 lakh as loan, sanctioned by all banks to all farmers of the state during the current financial year
- Interest sub-vention of 4% on crop loan, over and above the sub-vention given by Government of India
- In effect, farmers making timely repayments can avail ₹3.00 lakh of loan with an access to zero interest credit facility.

Documents Required

- Land holding certificate issued by the local Gaon Buras (GBs)
- Notification from the state govt. wherein a certificate of area and crop being cultivated issued by Circle Officer to be accepted as valid documents by bank
- Aadhar seeded bank account details
- Aadhar Card
- Other requirements by the bank against loan formalities

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Circle Officer, Nearest Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture field assistant or District Agriculture Officer
12. CHIEF MINISTER’S SHASAKT KISAN YOJNA

To increase Production and productivity and also to maintain marketable surplus of major fruit crops in the State as well as to double farmer's income, the Govt. has adopted region wise feasible and need based Horticulture activities in the various district of Arunachal Pradesh under Budget announcement during current financial year 2019-20, targeted up to 2021-22. The total outlay of Budget Announcement under Horticultural activities is 70.70 Crore during CFY 2019-20 under CMKSY which shall be continued till 2021-22.

Objective

- The main aim of this Government Budget Announcement is to uplift the status of women, marginal and small farmers of the State for self-employment generation & commercialization of Horticulture activities to double their income as per immediate felt needs of the farmers, according to thrust areas enumerated district wise on suitable crops grown in the specific areas.

Important Features

- Inputs are provided to farmers for Tea, Rubber and Double cropping, per ha
- Crops under double cropping are selected based on soil testing

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Progressive Farmer of any area/field

Benefits

- Cash assistance for tea and rubber plantation, ₹1.00 lakh per ha and ₹80 thousand per ha, respectively.
- Seedlings and planting material
- Fencing Material – Barbed wire, nails, GI angle post etc.
- Tools and implement for tea, rubber and double cropping farming like Khurpi, spade, dao and sprayer machine
- Cultivation assistance for land development – manure and fertiliser, plant protection chemicals

Documents Required

- Farmer should be an Arunachal Pradesh Schedule Tribe
- Copy of APST Certificate should be enclosed
- LPC/Land Allotment Documents/ Land Documents duly certified by GB/HGB/PRI and countersigned by the Local District Administration
- 3 copies of recent passport sized photograph
- Sketch map of the proposed land for Tea/Rubber dully certified by GB/HGB/PRI and countersigned by the Local District Administration

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Deputy Commissioner (DADS)/District Agriculture Officer/ Nearest Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture field assistant
- Circle/ Block Officer
13. CHIEF MINISTER’S KRISHI SAMUH YOJNA

Institutional architecture under CM’s Krishi Samuh Yojna is based on the fund flow and expenditure mechanism. It focuses on the Formation & Nurturing of Farmers Producer’s Organization (FPO).

**Objective**

- To empower the farmers through cooperative approach by Institutionalisation of Farmers’ Producers’ Organisation and infusing timely support of good agriculture practices and marketing interventions for better price realisation and doubling the farmer’s income

**Important Features**

- State and district-level society for planning, administration, implementation and monitoring
- A Digital directory of farmers associated with these organisations to be created
- Participation of FPOs in buyers and sellers meet/ Agri-Horti expo across the country
- Eligible projects to be undertaken under CMKSY
  - Organic Farming Activities
  - Employment generation in Animal Husbandry Sector
  - Employment generation in Fisheries Sector
  - Activities under Agri-Horti Sector
  - Other Innovative Projects

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All categories of farmers viz; Marginal, Small, Medium and Large farmers
- 50 FPOs either as societies or companies in the State

**Benefits**

- ₹4.00 lakhs as revolving fund to each FPOs, society etc.
- Financial Assistance of ₹2.50 lakhs per FPO
  - Mobilisation of FIG/ FPO – ₹1.00 lakh
  - Training and Management of Governing body – ₹0.90 lakh
  - FPO Registration Cost – ₹0.20 lakh
  - FPO Office Set-up – ₹0.40 lakh

**Documents Required**

Eligibility Criteria of FPO for availing revolving fund by ADS at District

- FPO should be a registered body (Opened under Societies Act, Cooperative Society Act, Company’s Act)
- FPOs should have an active bank account for minimum of 6 months and duly authenticated by the concerned Branch Manager
- Resolution of the FPO board/ Governing Council to seek revolving fund
- For, existing FPO, FPC, registered farmer society, if formed prior to the scheme, having requisite members, they must submit one-year audited statement to be certified by a CA
- Business Plan/ DPR against their revolving fund so sought, may be submitted to DADS
along with the requisition for revolving fund

- Revolving fund should be used only for the purpose for which the FPO was formed viz-a-viz production, growth and marketing
- Each page of the application form and accompanying documents shall be signed by a minimum of three board members of the society, FPC, FPOs etc.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Nearest District Agricultural Officer/ Agriculture Development Officer/ Agriculture Field Assistant
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY
1. NATIONAL LIVESTOCK MISSION

National Livestock Mission (NLM) launched in financial year 2014-15 seeks to ensure quantitative and qualitative improvement in livestock production systems and capacity building of all stakeholders. The scheme is being implemented as a sub scheme of White Revolution - Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana since April 2019.

Objective

- Sustainable growth and development of livestock sector, including poultry.
- Promoting skill-based training and dissemination of technologies for reducing cost of production and improving production of livestock sector.
- Promoting initiatives for conservation and genetic upgradation of indigenous breeds
- Encouraging formation of groups of farmers and cooperatives / producers’ companies of small and marginal farmers / livestock owners
- Providing infrastructure and linkage for marketing, processing and value addition, as forward linkage for the farmer’s enterprises.
- Promoting risk management measures including livestock insurance for farmers
- Promoting activities to control and prevent animal diseases.

Important Features

There are four sub-missions of National Livestock Mission as follows:

- Livestock Development
- Pig Development in North-Eastern Region
- Feed and Fodder Development
- Skill Development, Technology Transfer and Extension.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Farmers of livestock sectors (including poultry), NGOs, breeding organizations and such societies.

Benefits

- Insurance subsidy to 5 animals/cattle units per household.
- Loan subsidy for setting up breeding farms, grower units, broiler, cold storage, feather processing, transport and technology upgradation under entrepreneurship development and employment generation.
- Exposure visits, trainings and IEC support.
- Grants for documentation and conservation of Indigenous Threatened breeds of livestock.
- Support to individual farmers to cultivate perennial fodder crops and enabling improvement of degraded land.
- Distribution of fodder seeds to farmers (including Members of Milk Cooperatives/ Federations)

Documents Required

- Submission of proposal document

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer
2. LIVESTOCK HEALTH AND DISEASE CONTROL (LH&DC)

Livestock Health and Disease Control (LH&DC) is an ongoing centrally sponsored scheme being implemented since 10th Five Year Plan Period. Livestock sector plays an important role in the national economy and socio-economic development of the country. It is emerging as an important growth engine of the Indian economy and its share in gross domestic production has gradually risen. A significant obstacle for the growth in terms of production from livestock and poultry is the prevalence of diseases of economic importance as these cause huge economic losses nationally.

During 11th Five Year Plan, the scheme was revised in August 2010 by including four new components and the scope of the existing FMD-CP was enlarged.

Objective

- The mandate of the ‘Livestock Health’ Division in the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (DADF) under the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers’ Welfare (MOA & FW) is to curb the spread of the prevalent diseases in livestock and poultry.

Important Features

- In order to effectively tackle the issue of livestock health effectively during 12th Five Year Plan, the Scheme is being implemented with certain modifications & expansion of existing components and addition of one new component, viz., Classical Swine Fever Control Programme. Thus, the Scheme now has nine components as under:
  - Foot and Mouth Disease Control Programme (FMD-CP)
  - Peste des Petits Ruminants Control Programme (PPR-CP)
  - Brucellosis Control Programme (Brucellosis-CP)
  - Classical Swine Fever Control Programme (CSF-CP)
  - Assistance to States for Control of Animal Diseases (ASCAD)
  - National Project on Rinderpest Surveillance and monitoring (NPRSMB)
  - National Animal Disease Reporting System (NADRS)
  - Establishment & Strengthening of Existing Veterinary Hospitals and Dispensaries (ESVHD)
  - Professional Efficiency Development (PED)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All farmers of livestock sector, including poultry

Benefits

- Vaccination of animals and poultry against prevailing diseases.
- Streamline reporting of animal diseases and surveillance

Documents Required

- Submission of proposal document

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer
3. RASHTRIYA GOKUL MISSION

Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM) has been launched in December 2014 for development and conservation of indigenous breeds through selective breeding in the breeding tract and genetic upgradation of nondescript bovine population. The scheme comprises of two components namely National Programme for Bovine Breeding (NPBB) and National Mission on Bovine Productivity (NMBP).

Objective

- Development and conservation of indigenous breeds
- Breed improvement programme for indigenous breeds
- Enhancing milk production and productivity of bovine population
- To arrange quality Artificial Insemination (AI) services at farmers’ doorstep

Important Features

- Distribution of disease free high genetic merit bulls for natural service
- Creation of e-market portal for bovine germplasm for connecting breeders and farmers
- Increase of trade of livestock and livestock products by meeting out sanitary and phyto sanitary (SPS) issues
- Upgrading nondescript cattle using elite indigenous breeds like Gir, Sahiwal, Rathi, Deoni, Tharparkar, Red Sindhi

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Gopal Ratna awards: For farmers maintaining the best herd of Indigenous Breed(s) and practicing best management practices.
- Kamdhenu awards: For Best managed Indigenous Herd by Institutions/Trusts/NGOs/Gaushalas or best managed Breeders’ Societies.

Benefits

- Each award will consist of a citation and an incentive of ₹5,00,000/-, ₹3,00,00/- and ₹1,00,00/- respectively for 1st, 2nd and 3rd position for every region. In case of equal scoring the cash incentive component of the award is shared accordingly.

Documents Required

- The awards will be distributed based on assessment by National Gokul Mission Team

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer
4. DAIRY ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT SCHEME

The department of Animal Husbandry, dairying and fisheries is implementing Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme (DEDS) for generating self-employment opportunities in the dairy sector.

**Objective**

- To promote setting up of modern dairy farms for production of clean milk
- To encourage heifer calf rearing, thereby conserving good breeding stock

**Important Features**

- The scheme covers activities such as enhancement of milk production, procurement, preservation, transportation, processing and marketing of milk by providing back ended capital subsidy for bankable projects.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Farmers, individual entrepreneurs, NGOs, companies, groups of organised and unorganised sectors, etc. Groups of organised sector include Self-help Groups (SHGs), dairy cooperative societies, milk unions, milk federations, etc.
- An individual will be eligible to avail assistance for all the components under the scheme but only once for each component
- More than one member of a family can be assisted under the scheme provided they set up separate units with separate infrastructure at different locations. The distance between the boundaries of two such farms should be at least 500 metres.

**Benefits**

- Back ended capital subsidy @25% of the project cost for general category and @33% for SC/ST farmers. The component wise subsidy ceiling will be subjected to indicative cost arrived at by NABARD from time to time
- Entrepreneur Contribution (Margin) for loans beyond ₹1 lakh* - 10% of the project cost

**Documents Required**

- Duly filled in application form
- Identity proof: Voter ID card / PAN card / Passport / Aadhaar card / Driving License etc
- Address proof: Voter ID card/Passport/Aadhaar card/ Driving license etc

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer
5. ARUN PIG DEVELOPMENT SCHEME

The scheme was launched in 2019-20 Financial year with a focus on pig rearing. Among the livestock species, pig finds an important place as it being reared by socio-economically weaker sections of the society specially in the states like Arunachal Pradesh where most of the people prefer non-veg cuisines with special attractions for Pork. Pig as compared to other livestock species has a great potential to contribute to faster economic return to the farmers, because of certain inherent traits like high fecundity, better-feed conversion efficiency, early maturity and short generation interval. Pig farming also requires small investment on buildings and equipment.

Objective

- Genetic improvement of the indigenous pigs of Arunachal Pradesh for productivity enhancement by crossbreeding with exotic breed(s) to a desired level of combination of exotic and local inheritance,
- Improvement of Indigenous pig rearing by the rural people by selective breeding,
- Livelihood earning
- Maintenance of well-planned crossbred animals at farmers’ field
- Expansion of piggery husbandry and support mechanism to propagate the pig rearing in rural areas
- Ensure that the breeds introduced, and crossbreds produced and propagated in the state are adapted to local environmental conditions and emerging climatic challenge,
- Strengthen support mechanism and development of the sector in respect of feeding, housing and health care besides value addition and marketing of the produce with value chain development.
- Scientific rearing and motivation of farmers for integrated piggery farming.

Important Features

- Seeing the low interest of the actual grass root level farmer for the credit link schemes and their poor success rate, a new venture for piggery development in the state through direct intervention by the Department of AHV&DD, GoAP in terms of up gradation of genetic resources and other peripherals, a new and innovative scheme is proposed for Budget Announcement 2019-20 for sustainable development and poverty alleviation of Farmers through Pig Rearing in potential districts of Arunachal Pradesh.
- Livelihood earning, improvement of indigenous pig rearing by the rural people by selective breeding along with maintenance of well-planned crossbred animals at farmers’ field.
- Expansion of piggery husbandry and support mechanism to propagate the pig rearing in rural area.
- Ensure that the breeds introduced, and crossbreds produced and propagated in the state are adapted to local environment conditions and emerging climatic challenge.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Pig rearing individual farmers/ SHGs, ones identified by the District Pig Development Committee.
- Preference would be given to women and genuinely poor farmers
**Benefits**

- 4750 farmers will be given piggery subsidy (25% beneficiary contribution and 75% government contribution).
- Piglets will be procured by the District Administration and handed over to the farmers after ensuring that suitable sty was constructed by the selected farmer.
- The sty should accommodate 5 piglets with scope to accommodate further 15 nos.
- 5 pig entrepreneurs will be selected per district and each will be given assistance of 15 number of piglets per unit @ ₹1.5 Lakh (govt. share)

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- BPL Card
- Application form and farmer details in the prescribed format

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer (DAHVO)
6. CHIEF MINISTER’S WHITE REVOLUTION SCHEME

The Chief Minister’s White Revolutions Scheme was approved in Budget announcement 2018-19 with total outlay for the scheme amounting to ₹750.00 lakh only to cater the production of milk in the 5 nos. of potentials districts (West Kameng, East Siang, Lower Dibang Valley, Nam-sai and Lohit) of the state.

Objective

• Primary Objective: To boost milk production and rejuvenate Cooperative system in AMUL pattern.
• Secondary Objective: To create subsistence means of livelihood for poor farmers

Important Features

• This will target 200 dairy farmers organized in cooperative model with membership of 20 farmers per Society covering Pasighat, Rupa, Tezu, Chowkham and Roing as milk production hub.
• A minimum support price will be notified by Government for procurement of milk in collaboration with dairy Societies. Strengthening of Milk Plant at karsingsa and Rupa shall be taken up. Vermi-compost facilities will be supported through these 200 farmers to support Organic farming and green India campaign.
• Implementation of the scheme would be done through the department of AHV&DD with a tie up with the Apex Bank and NABARD.
• Other ground works like selection of farmers, formation of District Dairy Appraisal Committee (DDAC) has already been formulated.
• The beneficiaries to be selected on cluster basis by the District Dairy Development Committee
• Schemes helps in poverty alleviation, economic upliftment, minimises human migration, ensures health of the farmers through supplement milk production and enhances organic agricultural/ horticultural productivity.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

• Dairy Farmers of the State as selected by District Dairy Development Committee
• Preference will be given to women and genuinely poor

Benefits

✓ 50% Capital Subsidy will be provided up to ₹3.00 lakh for a minimum unit of 2 cows through Apex bank.
✓ Farmers to be given Kisan Credit Cards for working capital loan up to ₹3.00 lakh per farmer covering feed requirement for 3 months, insurance, vaccines & veterinary aid.
✓ The State Government will ensure 4% interest subsidy through NABARD to Apex Bank to make these loans available at 0% interest rate to dairy farmers
✓ 25% top up subsidy will be provided for cold storage, Transportation, bulk coolers etc for successful dairy societies and above 33% subsidy under DEDS (Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme) of Government of India.
Scheme also extends two kinds of support to the beneficiaries
  o One dairy subsidy scheme with 5 Cows
  o Special assistance for Dairy Entrepreneurship generation with 15 Cows
Dairy cows shall be procured by District Dairy Development Committee and distributed to selected beneficiaries. Selected beneficiaries will be given three milk cows (with 8-10 litre milk yield capacity per day) of 1-2nd lactation and two heifers (preferably pregnant)
Logistical funds will be distributed to farmer accounts by Direct Transfer
Progressive entrepreneurs will be selected and shall be assisted by giving 9 no. of milk cows (with 8-10 litre milk yield capacity per day) of 1-2nd lactation and 6 nos. of heifer

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- BPL Card
- Application form and farmer details in the prescribed format

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Officer (DAHVO)
1. SUBSIDISED LED BULBS UNDER UJALA YOJNA

Unnat Jyoti by Affordable LEDs for All (UJALA) was launched by Prime Minister of India Narendra Modi on 1 May 2015, replacing the “Bachat Lamp Yojana”. The project is spearheaded by the Energy Efficiency Services Limited. In non-subsidized LED lamp distribution projects, this program is considered the world’s largest.

Objective

- The main objective is to promote efficient lighting, enhance awareness on using efficient equipment which reduce electricity bills and help preserve environment.

Important Features

- Under the scheme, 20W LED tube lights and BEE 5-star rated energy efficient fans are distributed to the consumers. The 20W LED tube lights are 50% more energy efficient than conventional 40W tube lights and are available for ₹220/- per tube, as against the market price of ₹400-600. The energy efficient fans under the UJALA scheme come with a BEE 5 Star rating. These ceiling fans are rated 30% more energy efficient than conventional fans and are priced at ₹1200/- per fan.
- In case of faulty Bulbs/LED Bulb fuses, if the LED bulb stops working due to a technical defect, EESL will be providing free of cost warranty for all technical faults for three years and the replacements shall be done through designated retail stores that will be communicated after the distribution ends. During the distribution, replacements can be done through any of the Delp distribution counters that would be operating within the city. Any EESL LED bulb can be replaced with any other company’s EESL LED bulb.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Every grid-connected consumer having a metered connection from their respective Electricity Distribution Company can get the LED bulbs at about 40% of the market price under the UJALA Scheme.
- Consumers also have the option of paying for the LEDs in equated monthly instalments.

Benefits

- 20W LED tube lights and BEE 5-star rated energy efficient fans.

Documents Required

- Photocopy of the latest electricity bill
- A copy of photo ID proof
- A copy of residential proof (The address on the residential proof must match the address on the electricity bill).
- Cash advance in case of on-bill financing (balance amount recovered from the electricity bill) or full amount in case of upfront payment for each LED. In case of upfront payment, address proof is not mandatory.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- APEDA Office
STATE SCHEME

1. ARUNACHAL PRADESH SCHEME FOR AWARD OF STIPEND TO THE ARUNACHAL PRADESH SCHEDULE TRIBE (APST) STUDENTS

The scheme aims at encouraging APST students towards completing their School education with a reduction in the drop-rates and a focus on girl students

Objective

- To grant stipend to the student belonging to APST as financial assistance to enable them to pursue pre-matric, post matric, postgraduate, and technical education.

Important Features

The revised guidelines also are to check irregularities and anomalies prevailing in the present system of disbursement of stipend to students belonging to APST.

Few things considered under the scheme:

- Students whose attendance is below 75% in any month at school or hostel, if staying in hostel unless certified for health or bereavement
- Against whom a disciplinary action is initiated
- Repeater in the same class in case of boy and second repeater in the class in case of girl students
- Not belonging to feeder school with proper identity documents
- Residing in private mess, rented house or own house despite of adequate hostel facilities
- Student who is indiscipline, irregular in attendance and participate in strike and other political activities etc. declared by the School Authority and District Magistrate
- The benefit of the scheme can be availed for 10.5 months of the Academic session

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- APST Students

Benefits

Cash Assistance

- Class I-V = ₹800 per month
- Class VI-VIII = ₹900 per month
- Class IX-X = ₹1100 per month
- Class XI-XII = ₹1100 per month

Documents Required

- APST Certificate photocopy
- Passport Size photograph
- Aadhar Card
- Bank Details of the Students or Parents
- Parents’ ID Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Director Elementary and Secondary Education

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2. DISTRIBUTION OF FREE SCHOOL UNIFORM UP TO ELEMENTARY LEVEL BY THE INTEGRATED SCHEME FOR SCHOOL EDUCATION (ISSE)

In the Government schools of Arunachal Pradesh, the students are provided free school uniform up to elementary level by the Integrated Scheme for School Education (ISSE). The students of Secondary and Higher Secondary level need 2 sets of school uniform in the line of ISSE.

Objective
- To provide free School Uniform to the students up to elementary level and 2 sets of school uniform to the Secondary and Higher Secondary school students in the line of ISSE.

Important Features
- Provision of Uniform Accessories viz School Shoes, Socks, Belt, Tie, Sweater & School Bag to Class I - XII Students and School Uniform to Class IX – XII students
- Recently, the Cabinet on 02.06.2019 has agreed in principle to provide school uniform including shoes, belt, tie, sweater and bags for all students in Government school from the academic session, 2019-20.
- Further, the manifesto of the Present Government also says that distribution of free uniforms and textbooks would be extended for Classes 9 to 12 with provision of school bags and shoes.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group
- All Elementary Students and
- Secondary and Higher Secondary students of Govt. School

Benefits
- School Uniform including shoes, belt, tie, sweater and bags
- 2 sets of Uniform to Secondary and Higher Secondary students of Govt. School

Documents Required
- Admission in School- All Govt. School and Govt-aided School

Contact (for clarification/further information)
- Director Elementary and Secondary Education
- Concerned Head of the School (Principal)
1. MID-DAY MEAL SCHEME

The Mid-day Meal Scheme is a school meal programme of the Government of India designed to better the nutritional standing of school-age children nationwide. The programme supplies free lunches on working days for children in primary and upper primary classes in government schools.

Objective

- Improve the nutritional status of children in classes I – V in Government, Local Body and Government aide schools, and EGS and AIE centres.
- Encourage poor children, belonging to disadvantaged sections, to attend school more regularly and help them concentrate on classroom activities.
- Provide nutritional support to children of primary stage in drought-affected areas during summer vacation.

Important Features

- Supply of free food grains (wheat/rice) @100 grams per child per School Day from the nearest FCI godown
- Reimburse the actual cost incurred in transportation of food grains from nearest FCI godown to the Primary School subject to the following ceiling:
  - ₹100 per Quintal for 11 special category States viz. all Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Manipur, Nagaland, Tripura, Sikkim, J&K, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand, and
  - ₹75 per quintal for all other States and UTs.
- Provide assistance for cooking cost at the following rates:
  - States in North-eastern Region: - @₹1.80 per child per school day, provided the State Govt. contributes a minimum of 20 paise
  - For Other States & UTs: - @₹1.50 per child per school day provided the State Govt./UT Administration Contributes a minimum of 50 paise
- Conversion Cost:
  - ₹4.97 per child for primary students (1-5 Std.)
  - ₹7.45 per child for Upper primary students (6-8 Std.)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Children studying in class 1 to 8

Benefits

✓ Free lunches for children in primary and upper primary classes during working days (220 days)

Documents Required

- Admission in Schools- all Govt and Gov. aided schools

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Director Elementary Education
STATE SCHEME

2. CHIEF MINISTER’S VIDYA SCHEME


Objective

- To encourage girl children to continue school education after elementary and secondary levels.
- To encourage the girls to increase their presence in schools and reduce their dropout rate at the elementary and secondary stages of schooling.

Important Features

- The scheme aims at providing financial assistance/incentive to all girl students who successfully pass Class-V examination and enrol in Class-VI in the State Government Schools.
- The initial amount of financial assistance sanctioned by the Government was ₹5000 only per student.
- The amount has been enhanced to ₹10,000 from 2015-16 onwards. The amount so awarded will be deposited in the State Bank of India (SBI) in the name of the girl student as Fixed Deposit till she completes Class-XII. Except in such cases where SBI is not present in a district and whereas another Public Sector bank is present, the concerned Deputy Director of School Education (DDSE) shall get an approval from the Director, Elementary Education to open the accounts in such bank.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Female Students - The mandatory eligibility condition for withdrawal of the maturity value is successful completion of Class-XII and attainment of 18 years of age.

Benefits

- Financial assistance: A sum of ₹10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand) only would be deposited under Fixed Deposit scheme of the bank in the name of every eligible girl student.
- The term/period of deposit may be counted from date of deposit to the approximate date on which the girl student passes Class-XII.
- No premature withdrawal will be allowed.
- Scheme is beneficial one time on successful completion of Class 12

Documents Required

- Class- V Pass Certificate from the school concerned, duly countersigned by the DDSE of the district concerned.
- A recent passport size photograph of the girl student to be pasted on the form.

Besides the bank account number, the eligible girl must produce the following documents before the DDSE for verification of the claim:

- Proof of Passing Class- XII along with verification report of DDSE
- Birth Certificate
- Acknowledgement receipt issued by the SBI in original
- Passbook of her bank account

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Concerned Head of the School (Principal)
- Deputy Commissioner (DC) and Deputy Director of School Education (DDSE)
3. GIRL STUDENTS HEALTH & HYGIENE SCHEME

Department of School education announced the scheme in 2013 for the girl students studying in class 6-12. Scheme focus was to retain, maintain hygiene and continue education throughout the year.

Objective

• To increase awareness among adolescent girls on Menstrual Hygiene

Important Features

• Sanitary napkins are supplied in decentralized mode on terms of cash transfer in the account of beneficiaries/ school management/ or by central procurement at district level
• Further distribution of napkins to the beneficiaries takes place at the school level

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

• All girl students from class VI to XII studying in in government and government aided schools in Arunachala Pradesh

Benefits

✓ ₹50/- per student per month in all Govt. schools through DBT (all year amount is credited to the account of the beneficiary)

Documents Required

• Admission in School- All Govt. School and Govt-aided School

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• Director Elementary and Secondary Education
1. NATIONAL MEANS-CUM-MERIT SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME

Under this scheme 100,000 Scholarships are awarded to the meritorious students, whose parental income is not more than ₹1,50,000/- per annum from all sources.

**Objective**
- To provide financial assistance to the meritorious students who belong to the EWS of the society.

**Important Features**
- Each State/ UT have fixed quota of Scholarship based on 66.67% weightage of enrolment and 33.33% weightage of Child Population of the relative age
- These Scholarships will be provided on yearly basis to the students studying as regular students in the Class IX in a Govt., Govt-aided and Local body schools, which will be renewed for classes X, XI, and XII
- A separate examination shall be conducted by the State Govts. / UT administration for selection of students for the award
- State level examination may consist of the following two tests
  - Mental Ability Test (MAT)
  - Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)
- Each test will be of 90 minutes duration. Children with disability will be given extra time as applicable
- Students must pass both the test with at least 40% marks in aggregate taken together for these two tests. For SC/ST students this cut-off will be 32% marks
- At the time of selection for the award of Scholarship, the student must have scored at least 55% marks or equivalent grade in Class VIII examination. There will be 5% relaxation for SC/ST students.
- The awardees should continue to get minimum of 55% marks in Class IX and XI and 60% in class X for continuance of Scholarship (relaxation by 5 % for SC/ST Candidates) in next higher classes

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- All Students of Class VIII studying in Govt., Govt-aided and Local Body Schools
- No claim for Scholarship arrears will be entertained after the expiry of 12 months of the academic session for which one has applied for the claim
- There are other General Eligibility Conditions along with condition for starting and continuance of Scholarship at Secondary and Higher Secondary Stage, information for which can be sought from the Point of Contact

**Benefits**
- Scholarship of ₹1000/- per month per student
- Benefit can be availed for 4 years from the year of selection

**Documents Required**
- Class VIII result
- SBI Bank Account Details
- Aadhar Card

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Directorate of Secondary Education
- DDSEs
2 NATIONAL SCHEME OF INCENTIVE TO GIRLS FOR SECONDARY EDUCATION (NSIGSE)

The Scheme covers all girls belonging to SC/ST communities who pass class VIII and all girls who pass class VIII examination from Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (irrespective of whether they belong to SC/ST), and enrol in class IX in State Govt., Govt-aided and Local Body Schools

**Objective**
- To establish an enabling environment to reduce the dropouts and to promote the enrolment of girl child mainly belonging to SC/ST communities in Secondary Schools

**Important Features**
- The benefit under the Scheme can be availed with any one other Scholarship Scheme
- On maturity, the incentive amount along with interest is transferred directly into bank accounts of students following DBT mode by implementing banks through PFMS platform
- The beneficiary girl studying in Class IX need to apply under pre-metric Scholarship category
- The beneficiary girls are required to register as new user and then log-in to apply for the incentive amount
- For pre-metric Scholarship, only two applications can be submitted through one form
- Eligible beneficiaries who are entitled to withdraw the fixed deposit amount on passing Class X and attaining 18 years of age
- Implementing Banks: Union Bank of India and Indian Bank

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- All unmarried girls
- All girls below 16 years of age as on 31st March on joining Class IX

**Benefits**
- Cash Assistance: A sum of ₹3000/- is deposited in the name of eligible unmarried girls as fixed deposit on enrolment in Class IX.

**Documents Required**
- Bonafide student of Govt school to be verified by Principal.
- Aadhar card
- Bank Account No.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- District Education Officer
3. CENTRALLY SPONSORED SCHEME FOR PRE-METRIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR NEEDY SCHEDULED TRIBE STUDENTS STUDYING IN CLASSES IX & X

Article 46 of Part IV (“Directive Principles of State Policy”) of the Constitution enjoins upon the State to promote with special care the educational and economic interests of the weaker sections of the people of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes. Article 38(2) of the same Part also enjoins upon the State to minimize inequities in income and to endeavour to eliminate inequalities in status, facilities and opportunities, not only amongst individuals but also amongst groups of people residing in different areas or engaged in different vocations.

Objective

- To support parents of ST children for education of their wards studying in classes IX and X so that the incidence of drop-out, especially in the transition from the elementary to the secondary stage is minimized, and
- To improve participation of ST children in classes IX and X of the pre-metric stage, so that they perform better and have a better chance of progressing to the post-matric stage of education.

Important Features

- Student should belong to Scheduled Tribe.
- Her/his Parents'/Guardian’s income should not exceed ₹2.00 lakh per annum.
- She/he should not be getting any other Centrally funded Pre-Matric Scholarship.
- Scholarship for studying in any class will be available for only one year. If a student must repeat a class, she / he would not get scholarship for that class for a second (or subsequent) year.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Students of ST children studying in classes IX and X in a Government School or in a School recognized by Govt. or a Central/State Board of Secondary Education

Benefits

- Scholarship for Class IX and X Students (Monthly)
  - Day Scholar: ₹150/- (June to Nov) and ₹225/- (Dec to March)
  - Hosteller: ₹350/- (June to Nov) and ₹525/- (Dec to March)
- Book Grant for Class IX and X Students (Annually)
  - Day Scholar: ₹750/-
  - Hosteller: ₹1000/-
- Additional allowance for students with disabilities studying in private un-aided recognized Schools
- Benefit can be availed for 10 Months of the Academic Session

Documents Required

- ST Certificate
- Income Certificate of the Parents
- Online application to be filled by the Students through National Scholarship Portal (NSP)

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Director Secondary Education
4. PRE-METRIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR SC STUDENTS STUDYING IN CLASSES IX & X

The scheme is targeted towards providing scholarships to SC students and prevent incidence of drop-out especially during transition from the elementary to the secondary stage.

Objective

- To support parents of SC children for education of their wards studying in classes IX and X so that the incidence of drop-out, especially in the transition from the elementary to the secondary stage is minimized, and
- To improve participation of SC children in classes IX and X of the pre-matric stage, so that they perform better and have a better chance of progressing to the post-matric stage of education.

Important Features

- Scholarship under the Scheme will be available for studies in India only and will be awarded by the Government of the State/Union Territory to which the applicant belongs i.e. where he is domiciled.
- Candidates belonging to one state but studying in another state will be awarded scholarships by the state to which they belong and will submit their applications to the competent authority in that State.
- SC students with disabilities, studying in classes IX & X in private un-aided recognized schools, will be eligible for allowances under this Scheme.
- The scholarship will be payable for 10 months in an academic year.
- The award once made will continue subject to good conduct and regularity in attendance. It will be renewed for Class X after the student passes Class IX.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Student should belong to Scheduled Caste.
- Student’s Parent/Guardian’s income should not exceed ₹2.50 lakh per annum.
- Student should not be getting any other Centrally funded Pre-Matric Scholarship.
- She/he should be a regular, full time student studying in a Government School or in a School recognized by Govt. or a Central/State Board of Secondary Education.
- Scholarship for studying in any class will be available for only one year. If a student has to repeat a class, she / he would not get scholarship for that class for a second (or subsequent) year.
Benefits

✓ Scholarship of ₹225/- per month to Day Scholars and ₹525/- per month to Hostellers
✓ Books and Ad-hoc Grant of ₹750/- per annum to Day Scholars and ₹1000/- per annum to Hostellers
✓ SC students with disabilities in private un-aided recognized schools.

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Documents Required

- Aadhar Card (Mandatory)
- One copy of the application for scholarship in the prescribed form.
- One passport size photograph with signature of the student thereon (for fresh scholarship).
- One self-attested copy of certificates, diploma, degree etc. in respect of all examinations passed. All hard copies to be self-attested
- Caste Certificate duly signed by an authorized Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.
- Income declaration of self-employed parents/guardian should be in the form of a certificate issued by Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar. Employed parents/guardians should obtain consolidated certificate from Revenue officer for any other additional source of income.
- Application for scholarship should be submitted by the student by 30th November of the academic year in which he/she is studying, provided that for valid reasons State authorities may extend the last date.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Completed Application must be submitted to the Head of the Institution/School, being attended or last attended by the candidates and shall be forwarded by the Head of Institution, after scrutiny and with his recommendation, to the sanctioning authority at Block/District level authorities
STATE SCHEME

5. STATE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

This is a regular activity of the Department to encourage the meritorious students of Class VIII, X and XII passed students and give them financial incentive along with a certificate in the form of Scholarship for better pursuance of quality education.

Objective

• To provide financial incentive along with a certificate in the form of Scholarship for better pursuance of quality education.

Important Features

Scholarship provided to the students of Class VIII, X and XII

For Class VIII passed students

• Students must go through a written examination; application fee is not charged.
• There will be one text booklet of objective/ multiple choice question comprising of 4 sections: English (Grammar), Mathematics, Science and Social Science
• The text booklet will be maximum 100 marks and each section will have the weightage of 25 marks
• Duration of examination - 2.5 hours
• Examination will be conducted based on the whole contents of NCERT textbooks prescribed for the class VIII students
• 30 students will be selected on merit basis (top to bottom). Number of students may increase who have secured equal marks

For Class X and XII

• The Scheme covers 30 meritorious students - 20 of classes X and 10 of class XII (Science-5 and Humanities-5), who perform excellent result in their respective CBSE examination.
• Number of students may increase who have secured equal marks

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

• Students of Class VIII, X and XII

Benefits

Cash Assistance to students of

✓ Class VIII - ₹150/- per month per head for 12 months along with a Certificate (Scheme would cover the students for 2 years from the year of selection)
✓ Class X - ₹220/- per month per head for 12 months (Scheme would cover the students for 2 years from the year of selection)
✓ Class XII - ₹275/- per month head for 12 months (Scheme would cover the students for 3 years from the year of selection)
✓ Scheme can be availed
  o Class VIII - 2 years from the year of selection
  o Class X - 2 years from the year of selection
  o Class XII - 3 years from the year of selection
**Documents Required**

For students of Class VIII

- Students who have secured aggregate 60% and above and reading in class IX in Govt./Govt-aided/Private Schools in the State

For students of Class X and XII

- Result of respective CBSE examination

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Concerned DDSEs of the District
6. LT. DERA NATUNG AND LT. SANGEY LHADEN AWARD

This is a regular activity of the Department to encourage the meritorious students of Class VIII, X and XII passed students and give them financial incentive along with a certificate in the form of Scholarship for better pursuance of quality education.

**Objective**

- To provide financial incentive along with a certificate in the form of Scholarship for better pursuance of quality education.

**Important Features**

- For Class X and XII passed students
- The scheme will cover 20 meritorious students of Classes X and XII, who performed excellent result in their respective CBSE examinations.
- Top 10 girls - 5 and boys – 5 to be selected for the award

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Students of X and XII

**Benefits**

- One-time Cash Award of ₹5000/- along with a Medal and a Certificate through the Directorate of Secondary Education
- Cash award is disbursed to the students through DBT/ Bank Draft mode
- Benefit can be availed one-time at the time of selection

**Documents Required**

- For Class X students - AISSE Result
- For Class XII students - AISSCE Result

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Directorate of Secondary Education
CENTRAL SCHEME

1. POST-METRIC SCHOLARSHIP

The Prime Minister’s 15 Point Programme for the Welfare of Minorities was announced in June 2006. It provides that a post-matric scholarship scheme for meritorious students from minority communities would be implemented. Financial Year 2019-20: Education Dept.

Objective

- The objective of the scheme is to award scholarships to meritorious students belonging to economically weaker sections of Tribal Community to provide them better opportunities for higher education, increase their rate of attainment in higher education and enhance their employability.

Important Features

- The scholarship is to be awarded for studies in India in a government or private higher secondary school/college/university, Polytechnic including eligible residential institutes of the Government and eligible private institutes.
- The Scheme also provides financial assistance to those enrolled in distance mode of Education. (₹9800/- per student per annum)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Scholarship will be awarded to the students who have secured not less than 50% marks or equivalent grade in the previous final examination and the annual income of whose parents/guardians from all sources does not exceed ₹2.50 lakh.
- A student shall be eligible for only one scholarship out of all the available Scholarships of Central Government meant for SC/ST/OBC/ minority or from any source be it State also.

Benefits

Rate of Scholarship Admission + Tuition Fee:

- Admission and tuition fee Class XI & XII: ₹7,000/- per annum subject to actuals (both Hosteller & Day Scholar)
- Admission and course/tuition fee for technical and vocational courses of XI and XII level (Courses of one or more year of duration): ₹10,000/- per annum subject to actuals (both Hosteller & Day Scholar)
- Admission and tuition fee for UG & PG level: ₹3,000/- per annum subject to actuals (both Hosteller & Day Scholar)
**Maintenance Allowance:**

- For Class XI & XII including Tech. & Voc. Course*: ₹380/- per month for Hosteller & ₹230/- per month for Day Scholar
- For Courses other than Tech. & Prof. courses at UG & PG level: ₹570/- per month for Hosteller & ₹300/- per month for Day Scholar
- For M.Phil & Ph.D.: ₹1,200/- per month for Hosteller & ₹550/- per month for Day Scholar
- Maintenance allowance will be given as fixed lump sum amount in an academic year. This allowances are given for 10 months in an academic year.

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**Documents Required**

- The applicant is required to submit an income certificate issued from a Competent Authority in the State.
- ST Certificate issued by the Competent Authority
- The previous year score card is verified by the Education Institution.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Head of the Institution
- Director Higher and Technical Education
STATE SCHEME

2. CHIEF MINISTER’S UPSC COMBINED CIVIL SERVICES COACHING SCHEME

To promote the local APST candidates to compete in National Competitive Examination being conducted by the UPSC, as there is a smaller number of candidates who appear and emerge successful from Arunachal Pradesh.

Objective

- To provide quality coaching for economically disadvantaged ST Candidates to enable them to compete in the National level competitive examination and succeed in obtaining an appropriate job.
- The courses for which the coaching will be imparted, is combined Civil Service examination being conducted by the UPSC.
- To encourage APST students to participate in National level examinations

Important Features

- Earlier the state govt of Arunachal Pradesh was providing financial assistance to the candidates who qualifies UPSC combined Civil Service Examination and that the State was extending ₹2.00 lakhs for qualifying pre-liminary examination and ₹3.00 lakhs for qualifying main examination (one-time)
- The State Govt. has also taken a decision to extend financial assistance to APST candidates those qualifying 8 UPSC examinations namely: CDS, NDA, IFoS, IES, IEoS, CPO (Central Police Organisation), CHS (Central Health Services), @₹2.00 lakhs for clearing the exams, after final selection of the candidate (one time).
- The State govt. felt that apart from extending financial assistance, imparting of coaching within the state itself shall encourage the aspiring APST candidates in the UPSC examination. Further, it is also felt that it would be economical for the aspirants to undergo coaching in the state itself rather than going to Delhi for the same
- One-time amount is given directly to the Students.
- The Scheme will be implemented through the reputed coaching institutes/ centres being run by the registered societies/ NGOs.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Students who have qualified and gone through the counselling/ Pre-selection tests following the objective criteria, as deemed appropriate.

Benefits

Training Cost

✓ ₹70,000 per student for General Studies along with Study material to the candidates at no extra cost
✓ ₹30,000 per student for Optional Paper (Geography/ Public Administration, Sociology etc.) - 3-month course duration
✓ Training Cost is restricted to 25 per batch
✓ Benefits can be availed for one year from the time of enrolment

Terms of Payment to the Coaching Institutes
✓ 50% of total cost-fee must be released by the State Govt. within one month from the date of empanelment after the bill has been raised by the Institute.
✓ Remaining 50% will be paid after completion of the course in all respects.
✓ In case of any drop-out, the State Govt. in consultation with the Institute shall take immediate steps to allow the waitlisted candidates to join the course for the remaining period or that the State Govt. shall deduct the equivalent fees from the total bills

Documents Required
• APST Certificate
• Prelims result
• Mains result
• Admit card of the exams
• Bank details
• Passport size photograph
• Dept. form for the Scheme to be filled
• Coaching Institutes to conduct a selection test to undergo Coaching

Contact (for clarification/further information)
• Director Higher and Technical Education
3. ARUNACHAL PRADESH STATE STIPEND SCHEME

Scheme is to encourage students to pursue Higher Education

Objective

- To Provide financial assistance to the APST students to pursue Higher and Technical Education in any domain except in Medical and Paramedics

Important Features

- Scheme also provides grant for purchasing books (₹1000/- grant)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Only APST Students pursuing Higher Education

Benefits

- Stipend of ₹1400/- per month for 11 months in an academic year to each student
- Book Grant of ₹1000/- per annum
- Benefit can be availed for 11 months

Documents Required

- ST Certificate issued by the Competent Authority
- The previous year score card is verified by the Education Institution.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Head of the Institution and
- Director Higher and Technical Education
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
1. PRADHAN MANTRI JAN-DHAN YOJNA

Pradhan Mantri Jan-Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) is National Mission for Financial Inclusion to ensure access to financial services, namely, Banking/ Savings & Deposit Accounts, Remittance, Credit, Insurance, Pension in an affordable manner. The scheme was launched in August 2014 and created a Guinness World Record for most bank accounts opened in one week as a part of Financial Inclusion campaign from 23 to 29 August 2014.

**Objective**

The Pradhan Mantri Jan-Dhan Yojana under the National Mission Mode envisages provision of affordable financial services to all citizens within a reasonable distance. It comprises of the following six pillars:

- Universal access to banking facilities: - Mapping of each district into Sub Service Area (SSA) catering to 1000-1500 households in a manner that every habitation has access to banking services within 5 km by 14 August 2015.
- Providing Basic Banking Accounts with overdraft facility and RuPay debit card to all households: - To all households, Efforts should be made to first cover all uncovered household with banking facilities by August 2015 (now as per revised schedule by 26.01.2015). Facility of an overdraft of ₹5000/- through RuPay debit card.
- Financial Literacy Program: Financial literacy would be an integral part of the Mission in order to let the beneficiaries make best use of the financial services being made available to them.
- Creation of Credit Guarantee Fund: Creation of Credit Guarantee Fund would be to cover the defaults in overdraft accounts.
- Micro Insurance: To provide micro-insurance to all willing and eligible persons by 14th August 2018, and then on an ongoing basis.
- Unorganized sector Pension schemes like Swavlamban: by 14 August 2018 and then on an ongoing basis.

**Important Features**

- Account can be opened in any bank branch or Business Correspondent (Bank Mitr) outlet. Accounts opened under PMJDY are being opened with Zero balance. However, if the account holder wishes to get cheque book, he/she will have to fulfil minimum balance criteria.
- No minimum balance required
- The Claim under Personal Accidental Insurance under PMJDY shall be payable if the RuPay Card holder have performed minimum one successful financial or non-financial customer induced transaction at any Bank Branch, Bank Mitra, ATM, POS, E-COM etc.
- Channel both Intra and Inter-bank i.e. on-us (Bank Customer/Rupay card holder transacting at same Bank channels) and off-us (Bank Customer/Rupay card holder transacting at other Bank Channels) within 90 days prior to date of accident including accident date will be included as eligible transactions under the Rupay Insurance Program 2019-2020.
- Mobile wallet and USSD based mobile banking to be utilized.
- Only online accounts in CBS of the Bank
- Persons who do not have any of the ‘officially valid documents can open “Small Accounts” with banks based on a self-attested photograph and putting his/her signatures or thumb print in the presence of officials of the bank. Such accounts will have limitations:
Regarding the aggregate credits (not more than Rupees one lakh in a year),
Aggregate withdrawals (not more than Rupees ten thousand in a month) and balance
in the accounts (not more than Rupees fifty thousand at any point of time).
These accounts would be valid normally for a period of twelve months. Thereafter, such
accounts would be allowed to continue for a further period of twelve more months, if
the accountholder provides a document showing that he/she has applied for any of
the Officially Valid Document, within 12 months of opening the small account.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- Rural and poor sections of the population
- Focus on household; Sub Service Area (SSA) for coverage of the whole country (Both rural
  and urban)

**Benefits**
- Interest on deposit
- Accidental insurance cover of ₹2 lakhs
- The scheme provides life cover of ₹30,000/- payable on death of the beneficiary, subject to
  fulfilment of the eligibility condition.
- Easy Transfer of money across India
- Beneficiaries of Government Schemes will get Direct Benefit Transfer in these accounts.
- After satisfactory operation of the account for 6 months, an overdraft facility will be permit-
  ted
- Access to Pension, insurance products.
- Overdraft facility upto ₹10,000/- is available in only one account per household, preferably
  lady of the household.

**Documents Required**
- Passport
- Driving licence
- Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card
- Voter’s Identity Card issued by Election Commission of India
- Job card issued by MGNREGS duly signed by an officer of the State Government, the letter
  issued by the Unique Identification Authority of India containing details of name, address
  and Aadhaar number, or
- Any other document as notified by the Central Government in consultation with the Regu-
  lator: Provided that where simplified measures are applied for verifying the identity of the
  clients the following documents shall be deemed to be officially valid documents:
  - Identity card with applicant’s Photograph issued by Central/State Government De-
    partments, Statutory/Regulatory Authorities, Public Sector Undertakings, Scheduled
    Commercial Banks, and Public Financial Institutions;
  - Letter issued by a Gazetted officer, with a duly attested photograph of the person.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Nearest Bank Branch and with the help of Bank Mitr
2. STAND-UP INDIA SCHEME

Stand-Up India scheme for financing SC/ST and/or Women Entrepreneurs was launched by the Prime Minister on 15 August 2015. Scheme seeks to leverage the institutional credit structure to reach out to people to enable them to participate in the economic growth of the nation.

Objective

- To facilitate bank loans between ₹10.00 lakh to ₹1.00 crore to at least one SC or ST borrower and at least one woman borrower per bank branch for setting up a greenfield enterprise. This enterprise may be in manufacturing, services or the other trading sector. In case of non-individual enterprises at least 51% of the shareholding and controlling stake should be held by either an SC/ST or woman entrepreneur.

Important Features

- The scheme is based on three pillars to support enterprises promotion among entrepreneurs from SC, ST and Woman category through – Handholding support, providing information on financing and Credit Guarantee
- Credit history of borrower will be developed
- Handholding support for borrowers with comprehensive support for pre-loan training needs, facilitating loan, factoring, marketing etc.
- Web Portal for online registration and support services.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- SC/ST and/or woman entrepreneur, above 18 years of age
- Loans under the scheme is available only for Greenfield project, which in this context signifies the first-time venture of the beneficiary in the manufacturing or services or trading sector
- In case of non-individual enterprises, 51% of the shareholding and controlling stake should be held by either SC/ST and/or Women Entrepreneur
- Borrower should not be in default to any bank/financial institution
- Besides primary security, the loan may be secured by collateral security or guarantee of Credit Guarantee Fund Scheme for Stand-Up India loans (CGFSIL) as decided by the banks

Benefits

- Composite loan between ₹10.00 lakh up to ₹1.00 crore, inclusive of working capital component for setting up any new enterprise
- Debit Card (RuPay) for withdrawal of working capital
- Rate of Interest would be the lowest rate of interest for that category (rating category) not to exceed (base rate (MCLR) + 3% + tenor premium)
- Repayment period of loan is 7 years with a maximum moratorium period of 18 months

Documents Required

- Purpose of loan for setting up a new enterprise in manufacturing, trading or services sector by the SC/ST/Woman entrepreneur
- Aadhar Card and registered Mobile number
- Bank Details

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Offices of SIDBI and National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) and their Designated Stand-Up Connect Centres (SUCC)
3. SUKANYA SAMRIDDHI YOJNA (SSY)

Sukanya Samriddhi Yojana is a government-backed savings scheme as part of the “Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao Yojana” for the benefit of the girl child. It can be opened by the parents of a girl child below the age of 10. A Sukanya Samriddhi Account has a tenure of 21 years or until the girl child marries after the age of 18. From April 2020, this scheme offers an interest rate of 7.6% compounded annually.

**Objective**

- To encourage parents of a girl child in order to create a fund for the future education and marriage expenses for their child.

**Important Features**

- If an SSY account holder is unable to make even the minimum deposit of ₹250/- in a financial year, his/her account will be termed as a ‘Default Account’. Till the maturity date, this default account will earn the interest rate as applicable in the scheme.
- Premature closure of SSY accounts can only be processed in case of death of the girl child or in some cases:
  - Medical treatment of the girl child against some life-threatening disease
  - Death of the guardian
- A girl child can operate her own account after the age of 18 years Once she is 18 years old, she is eligible for operating the SSY after submitting all the necessary documents to the post office/bank where the account is being held.
- Sukanya Samriddhi Yojana has a tenure equal to the time the girl child is 21 years of age or upon her marriage attaining the age of majority (18 years). However, contributions only need to be made for 15 years Thereafter the account continues to earn interest until maturity even if no deposits are made into it.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Sukanya Samriddhi account can be opened only in the name of girl child by her parents or legal guardians.
- The girl child must be below the age of 10 at the time of account opening.
- Multiple Sukanya Samridhhi accounts cannot be opened for a single girl child.
- Only two SSY accounts are allowed for a family i.e. one for each girl child

**Benefits**

- The minimum annual contribution to the Sukanya Samriddhi Account is ₹250/- and the maximum of ₹1.50 lakh in a financial year. You must invest at least the minimum amount every year for up to 15 years from the date of account opening. Thereafter the account will continue to earn interest till maturity.
- Sukanya Samriddhi Account can be opened for more than two girls in some special cases which are:
  - If a girl child is born after the birth of twin or triplet girls, third SSY account cannot be opened
  - If a girl child is born before the birth of twin or triplet girls, or triplets are born at first then a third account can be opened
- Provides tax deduction benefits under Section 80C up to ₹1.5 lakh annually
- Flexible investment option with minimum deposit of ₹250 in a year (max. ₹1.5 lakh per
Guaranteed returns instrument backed by the Government of India (sovereign guarantee)
Higher fixed rate of return (currently 7.6% per annum for Q1 FY 2020-21) as compared to other government-backed tax saving schemes such as PPF
Long term investment hence provides the benefit of compounding can be freely transferred from one part of the country to another (bank/post office) in case of transfer of parent/guardian operating the Sukanya Samriddhi Account

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Passport size photograph
- Birth Certificate of Girl Beneficiary
- ID Details of Parent/Guardian (Driving License, Aadhaar, etc.)
- Present and Permanent Address (as per ID document of parent/guardian)
- Details of any other KYC Documents (PAN, Voter ID card, etc.)

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Nearest Bank/ Post-office
4. ATAL PENSION YOJNA

The Government launched the Atal Pension Yojana (APY), which will provide a defined pension, specially the poor and under-privileged, depending on the contribution, and its period.

Objective

- The scheme targets social security schemes in the Insurance and Pension sectors for all Indians, specially the poor and the under-privileged. Focus is laid on the unorganised sector workers.

Important Features

- Fixed pension guarantee for the subscribers;
- Government would co-contribute 50% of the total contribution or ₹1000 per annum, whichever is lower, to eligible subscribers; and
- Government would also reimburse the promotional and development activities including incentive to the contribution collection agencies to encourage people to join the APY.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Atal Pension Yojana (APY) is open to all bank account holders
- The minimum age of joining APY is 18 years and maximum age is 40 years
- The minimum period of contribution by any subscriber under APY would be 20 years or more.

Benefits

✓ Under the APY, the subscribers would receive the fixed minimum pension of ₹1000 per month, ₹2000 per month, ₹3000 per month, ₹4000 per month, ₹5000 per month, at the age of 60 years, depending on their contributions towards the pension plan, which itself would be based on the age of joining the APY

Documents Required

- For enrolment, Aadhaar would be the primary KYC document for identification of beneficiaries, spouse and nominees to avoid pension rights and entitlement related disputes in the long-term.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Commercial/ Cooperative/ Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)
5. PM JEEVAN JYOTI BIMA YOJNA

Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana is a government-backed Life insurance scheme in India. It was originally mentioned in the 2015 Budget speech by the Finance Minister and was formally launched by Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 9 May 2015 in Kolkata.

Objective

- To increase number of Indian citizens covered under health insurance.

Important Features

- It has an annual premium of ₹330/-. The amount will be automatically debited from the account upon auto-debit consent.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana is available to people between 18 and 50 years of age with bank accounts.
- All Bank account holders can avail this facility through their net-banking service facility or filling a form at the bank branch at any time of the year.

Benefits

✓ In case of death due to any cause, the payment to the nominee will be ₹2.00 lakhs

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card and registered Mobile number
- Bank account details along with identification proof
- No health certificate or information of pre-existing disease is required for joining.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Commercial/ Cooperative/ Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)
CENTRAL SCHEME

1. PRADHAN MANTRI MATSYA SAMPADA YOJNA

A scheme to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India” with highest ever investment of ₹20,050 crores in fisheries sector comprising of Central share of ₹9407 crore, State share of ₹4880 crore and Beneficiaries contribution of ₹5763 crore. PMMSY will be implemented over a period of 5 years from FY 2020-21 to FY 2024-25 in all States/Union Territories.

Objective

- To harness fisheries potential in a sustainable, responsible, inclusive and equitable manner
- Enhance fish production and productivity through expansion, intensification, diversification and productive utilization of land and water
- Modernize and strengthen the value chain - post-harvest management and quality improvement
- Doubling fishers and fish farmers’ incomes and generation of employment
- Enhancing contribution to Agriculture GVA and exports
- Social, physical and economic security for fishers and fish farmers
- Robust fisheries management and regulatory framework

Important Features

- The sector aims to provides livelihood to more than 20 million fishers and fish farmers at the primary level and twice the number along the value chain. Fish being an affordable and rich source of animal protein, is one of the healthiest options to mitigate hunger and malnutrition.
- Focused attention would be given for fisheries development in Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh, Islands, Northeast, and Aspirational Districts through area specific development plans.
- Activities like Mariculture, Seaweed cultivation and Ornamental Fisheries having potential to generate huge employment will be promoted.
- Special focus on Coldwater fisheries development and expansion of Aquaculture in Brackish Water and Saline Areas.
- Collectivization of fishers and fish farmers through Fish Farmer Producer Organizations (FFPOs) to increase bargaining power of fishers and fish farmers is a key feature of PMMSY.
- Private sector participation, development of entrepreneurship, business models, promotion of ease of doing business, innovations and innovative project activities including start-ups, incubators etc. in fisheries sector.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Fishers, Fish farmers, Fish workers, Fish vendors, SCs/STs/Women/Differently abled persons, Fisheries cooperatives/Federations, FFPOs, Fisheries Development corporations, Self Help Groups (SHGs)/Joint Liability Groups (JLGs) and Individual Entrepreneurs
**Benefits**

- Enhancing productivity in aquaculture
- Reduction of post-harvest losses
- Enhancement of the domestic fish consumption from about 5-6 kg to about 12 kg per capita.
- Generate about 55 lakhs direct and indirect employment opportunities in the fisheries sector along the supply and value chain. Annual Livelihood support for fishers during ban/lean period would be provided.
- Thrust will be given for infusing new and emerging technologies like Re-circulatory Aquaculture Systems, Biofloc, Aquaponics, Cage Cultivation etc. to enhance production and productivity, quality, productive utilization of waste lands and water for Aquaculture.
- Insurance coverage for fishing vessels has been introduced for the first time.
- Well-structured extension support services are envisaged under PMMSY.
- Youth would be engaged in fisheries extension by creation of Sagar Mitras in coastal fisher villages.
- Besides, large number of Fisheries, Extension Services Centres would be set up in private space to create job opportunities to young professionals.

**Documents Required**

- Bank details
- Aadhar card
- Address proof and contact number
- Land provision certificate (LPC)

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Dept. of Fisheries
STATE SCHEME

2. MUKHYAMANTRI NEEL KRANTI ABHIYAN

Arunachal Pradesh is home to numerous fish species of food & ornamental value. With opening of this sector there has been rapid transformation from capture-based fishery to culture-based fishery in the state. Foreseeing high potential in this sector, Hon’ble Chief Minister has called for impactful revolution introducing “Mukhya Mantri Neel Kranti Abhiyan”. state specific mission in the state budget 2019-20, to enhance fish & fish seed production.

Objective

- To enhance production and productivity of table fish and fish seed by way of area expansion for fish culture and seed rearing respectively, intensive pond management, strengthening seed production infrastructures and adopting integrated culture practices.

Important Features

- To reduce the gap between demand and supply of fish by formulation of the scheme plan and strategy to tap the full potential of inland fisheries resources of the state.
- Ensure doubling income of fish farmers of the state.
- Ensure sustainable aquaculture/fisheries with increase in production and productivity.
- Development of backyard ornamental fish farm especially for women/SHG.
- Creation/addition of nursery and rearing spaces for seed rearing.
- Beneficiary should possess own land free from all encumbrances with proof of land possession.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Preference shall be given to Small, marginal and BPL farmers
- Selection of beneficiary shall be through District Level Selection Committee
- Beneficiary must possess own land free from all encumbrances with proof of land possession (beneficiary having land on lease for more than 10 years will also be considered)

Benefits

- Financial assistance to private sector beneficiaries (individuals and SHG/FPO/FIG) limited to 60% of assistance provided by the Government for the project cost through DBT platform directly into the account of beneficiary/vendors etc. and 40% will be the beneficiary share.
- Financial assistance especially beneficiary oriented components will be 100% of the unit cost for state government department
- Except renovation/remodelling and up gradation of hatchery where assistance will be 100% @ ₹12.50 lakh per hatchery unit to ensure optimum utilisation of all hatcheries and make them functional.
- The beneficiary having a land on long-term lease shall also be considered for financial assistance under the scheme. However, the lease period shall not be less than minimum period of 10 years
Component | Unit Cost | Documentation and Conditions
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Development of new ponds and tanks for exclusively intensive aquaculture | ₹8.5 lakh per ha that includes (i) ₹7.00 lakh for excavation work (ii) ₹1.50 lakh per ha towards one-time input assistance | (i) Beneficiaries shall provide documentary evidence of the availability of requisite land free from all encumbrances and financial resources along with necessary clearances/permissions etc. in the DPR. No funds shall be provided for the land (ii) The scheme proposals in this category shall be routed through the concerned district officer with proper recommendations to directorate of fisheries.

Development of Water-logged Areas for Aquaculture | ₹6.50 lakh per ha that includes (i) ₹5 lakh for development area (ii) ₹1.50 lakh per ha one-time input assistance | (i) Beneficiaries shall provide documentary evidence of the availability of requisite land free from all encumbrances. (ii) The Scheme proposals in this category shall be routed through the concerned district officer with proper recommendations to directorate of fisheries.

Rejuvenation of existing ponds with supply of 1-time input | ₹5.00 lakh per ha that includes (i) ₹3.50 lakh per ha for renovation of existing ponds (ii) ₹1.50 lakh per ha one-time input assistance | (i) Beneficiaries shall provide documentary evidence on ownership of the existing ponds/tanks clearly indicating source of funding (ii) Only category “C” ponds shall be considered for assistance (iii) Renovation/repair/de-silting of existing ponds/tanks may be considered for funding only after 3 years on one-time basis

Permanent farming unit and raceways | ₹4.50 lakh per unit of 75 M3 that includes (i) ₹3.0 lakh per unit for construction of raceways with minimum volume of 75 M3 (ii) ₹1.50 lakh per unit towards one-time input assistance | (i) Beneficiaries shall provide documentary evidence of availability of requisite land free from all encumbrances (ii) The project proposals in this category shall be routed through the concerned district officer with proper recommendations to the directorate of fisheries (iii) The raceways should be planned, designed, constructed and managed under the supervision of qualified technical experts.

Renovation/up-grading and remodeling of existing fish seed hatcheries | ₹12.50 lakh per hatchery (Eco/FRP) | (i) Repair/renovation & upgradation of existing Eco & FRP Carp hatcheries. (ii) Shall be utilised for civil works, replacement of pipe fittings etc. (iii) For construction of new overhead tanks/capacity enhancement of existing overhead tank. (iv) For procurement of hatchery specific gears (Breeding happa, hand net, hormone for induced breeding) (v) All civil works, estimate must be from competent technical authority
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**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- BPL Card
- Income Certificate
- Proof of land possession
- Application form and detailed profile of beneficiary in the prescribed form
- Beneficiaries required to obtain necessary statutory clearances, whatsoever and whenever required for implementation of the intended project. The expenditure, if any involved in this processes shall be met by the applicants.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Fisheries Development Officer and Dept. of Fisheries
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD & CIVIL SUPPLIES
1. ANTYODAYA ANNA YOJNA (AAY)

AAY was a step in the direction of making TPDS aim at reducing hunger among the poorest segments of the BPL population. In order to make TPDS more focused and targeted towards this category of population, the “Antyodaya Anna Yojana” (AAY) was launched in December 2000 for one crore poorest of the poor families.

Objective

- To implement the national food security Act, 2013, throughout the country.
- To undertake price support operations through efficient procurement of wheat, paddy/rice and coarse gains.
- To Strength the Targeted Public Distributions Systems.
- Development/Promotion of Sugar Industry.
- Development of the Warehousing Sector.
- Improvement in Public Service System.

Important Features

- Efficient procurement at Minimum Support Price (MSP), storage and distribution of food grains.
- Ensuring availability of food grains and sugar through appropriate policy instrument including maintenance of buffer stocks of food grains.
- Making food grains accessible at reasonable prices, especially to the weak errand vulnerable sections of the society under PDS.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- BPL Families

Benefits

✓ Food grains at a highly subsidized rate of ₹2/- per kg for wheat and ₹3/- per kg for rice.
✓ The scale of issue that was initially 25 kg per family per month was increased to 35 kg per family per month with effect from 1st April 2002.

Documents Required

- BPL Card
- Ration Card
- Aadhar Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Public Distribution Centres, Fair Price Shops
- Dept. of Food and Civil Supplies
2. NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY MISSION

The scheme National Food Security mission was launched in 2013 and reflects the commitment of the government of India to provide for food and nutritional security in human life cycle approach at affordable prices to people to live a life with dignity and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto. The population of 2011 census has been taken as basis to calculate the percentage of coverage under priority household.

Objective

- To ensure food security for all and to create a hunger free country in the next five years
- To improve the Public Distribution System

Important Features

- Under section 3(1) of the National Food Security Ordinance 2013, every eligible citizen identified under subsection (1) of section 10 as priority household, is entitled to receive 5 kgs of food grain every month at highly subsidised rate of ₹3.00 per kg.
- The ordinance also provides for payment of food security allowance by the state government to be paid to each person in case of non-supply of entitled quantities of food grains
- The government earmarked 51.55% under Urban coverage and 66.31% under Rural coverage of population in Arunachal Pradesh
- Accordingly, 7.09 lakh people in rural areas and 1.62 lakh people in urban areas will be covered under the scheme

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Households covered under AAY and BPL schemes
- All MGNREGS job card holders
- All labourers registered under AP Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board (APBOCWWB)
- Arunachal Pradesh Contingency Employees
- All labourers working in the public or private sector having family income from all sources less than ₹1.00 lakh per annum
- Widows of Defence/ Paramilitary/ State Police died in operations
- Families having income less than ₹1.00 lakh per annum from all sources of income
- Registered Hawkers/ Vendors

Benefits

☐ Priority Household Ration Card issued in the name of the eldest female member of the family (in case there is no female whose age is 18 years; the eldest male member will be issued the priority ration card till the female attains 18 years of age).
☐ Ration card for Priority Households, AAY Households including coupons to be centrally printed and made available before commencement of the issue of the Ration Cards.
☐ Scale prescribed under ordinance @5kg per person per month should be adhered to @₹3.00 per kg. This scale prescribed for AAY beneficiary and its cost will remain the same.
Documents Required

- Ration card
- BPL Card
- AAY Card
- Aadhar Card
- Income Certificate

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Office of Food and Civil Supplies department
3. PM GARIB KALYAN ANNA YOJNA (PM – GKAY)

Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana is a food security welfare scheme announced by the Government of India in March 2020, during the COVID-19 pandemic in India. The scheme is operated by the Department of Food and Public Distribution under the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution.

Objective

- The scheme aims to feed the poorest citizens of India by providing grain through the Public Distribution System, to all the priority households (Ration Card holders and those identified by the Antyodaya Anna Yojana scheme).

Important Features

- The scheme provides poor households with food supply and is applicable till November 2020.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All poor citizens of India holding Ration Cards are eligible

Benefits

✓ PMGKAY provisions for providing 5 kg of Rice or Wheat (according to regional dietary preferences) per person and 1 kg of Dal to each family holding a Ration Card.

Documents Required

- PHH (priority household) ration card, or
- AAY (Antyodaya Ann Yojana) ration card

Contact

- District Food and Civil Supplies Officer
4. **PRADHAN MANTRI UJJWALA YOJNA (PMUY)**

The scheme aims to safeguard the health of women & children by providing them with a clean cooking fuel – LPG, so that they don't have to compromise their health in smoky kitchens or wander in unsafe areas collecting firewood. It was launched on 1 May 2016 making women households as the focal point as the connection is to be issued in their name. It is also likely to result in an additional employment and business opportunities.

During the pandemic, Government of India has announced free LPG refills to the Ujjwala beneficiaries as pro-poor initiatives under Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana. This is aimed at alleviating the hardships faced by poor due to economic disruption by Corona virus.

**Objective**

- To ensure women’s empowerment especially in rural areas as the connection is to be issued in the name of the women household.
- To provide free LPG re-fills to the Ujjwala beneficiaries till November 2020

**Important Features**

- Women of the BPL household who does not have access to LPG connection may apply for a new LPG connection.
- The OMCs will transfer an advance equal to the RSP of one 14.2 kg refill or one 5 kg refill depending upon the type of package to the linked bank account of PMUY customer in the first week of April 2020. OMCs will send SMS on the customer’s registered mobile number once the bank confirms transfer of the advance amount in the beneficiary’s bank account.
- The customer can use this advance money to take LPG refill. Next advances will be transferred in the month of May and June provided the customer has utilized the previous advance to purchase 14.2 kg refill.
- In case of 5 kg connection, advance will be transferred after 7 days of the refill delivery date. Advance to purchase of 5 kg refills will be limited to maximum 3 transfers per month and total 8 in the scheme period).
- In case of failure of advance of transfer, OMCs will retrigger it on weekly basis till month end, thereafter it will lapse however, advance for next month will be retriggered. There may be more than one-time fund transfers during the month of May and June.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Distribution of LPG connection to BPL person/ households covered under either one of the categories: Antyodaya Anna Yojna (AAY), PM Awas Yojna (Gramin), SC/ST households, Forest Dwellers, ost backward classes, Tea and Ex-Tea Garden Tribes, People residing in island and river island.
- All Customers who are holding an installed LPG connection under Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana as of 31.03.2020 are eligible to get the benefits.
- Customers whose connection is blocked for any reason or marked for termination/regularisation due to non-availability of documents etc. and SVs issued but not installed will not be eligible.
Benefits

✓ LPG gas connection providing a cash assistance of ₹1600/-
✓ Re-filling of LPG Cylinders distributed to PM Ujjwala Yojna Beneficiaries as an additional top-up subsidy

Documents Required

- BPL Card and Address proof
- Jan-dhan account or Bank account details
- Aadhar card number and Mobile number linked to the bank account
- The customer shall check the bank account provided for PMUY connection is operative.
- PMUY Beneficiary Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Food and Civil Supply Officer
- Customer can book refill from the mobile on the IVRS Numbers of the OMCs
- Customer can book refill through Mobile App/web app/ or by calling on missed call number of OMCs
- Customer can book refill through WhatsApp/Amazon Pay/Paytm etc.
- Counter booking at the distributorship by submitting a request in form
- Counter booking will be allowed only if the customer or her family members do not have mobile number or customer needs assistance for booking
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE
1. UNIVERSAL IMMUNISATION PROGRAMME

Universal Immunization Programme a vaccination program launched by the Government of India in 1985. It became a part of Child Survival and Safe Motherhood Programme in 1992 and is currently one of the key areas under National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) since 2005.

Objective

- To achieve 100% coverage of pregnant women with two doses of TT and at least 85% coverage of infants with 3 doses of DPT, OPV and one dose of BCG and measles Vaccine.
- To achieve Self Sufficiency in Vaccine Production.
- To introduce a district wise system for monitoring of Performance.
- To rapidly increase Immunization Coverage.

Important Features

- The program now consists of vaccination for 12 diseases- Tuberculosis, Diphtheria, Pertussis (whooping cough), Tetanus, Poliomyelitis, Measles, Hepatitis B, Diarrhoea, Japanese encephalitis, Rubella, Pneumonia (haemophilus influenzae type B) and Pneumococcal diseases (pneumococcal pneumonia and meningitis). Hepatitis B and Pneumococcal diseases was added to the UIP in 2007 and 2017 respectively.
- Mothers (Pregnant & Lactating): From the time of conception till giving birth to the child.
- Children: From the time of Birth till 16 years of age

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All expectant mothers and children up to 16 years of age.

Benefits

- Full immunisation of Pregnant women new-born, infants and children up to 16 years of age.
- Outreach programmes and Awareness.

Documents Required

- Mother and Child Protection card provided during the registration of pregnancy.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Asha workers or Aanganwadi Centres, District Hospital.
2. NATIONAL HEALTH MISSION: MENSTRUAL HYGIENE SCHEME

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has introduced a scheme for promotion of menstrual hygiene among adolescent girls in the age group of 10-19 year in rural areas.

Objective

- To increase awareness among adolescent girls on Menstrual Hygiene.
- To increase access to and use of high-quality sanitary napkins to adolescent girls in rural areas.
- To ensure safe disposal of Sanitary Napkins in an environmentally friendly manner.

Important Features

- Under this Scheme funds are being provided to States/UTs under National Health Mission for decentralized procurement of sanitary napkins packs for provision to rural adolescent girls at a subsidized rate of Rs 6 for a pack of 6 napkins.
- The ASHA will continue to be responsible for distribution, receiving an incentive @ ₹1 per pack sold and a free pack of napkins every month for her own personal use.
- She will convene monthly meetings at the Aanganwadi Centres or other such platforms for adolescent girls to focus on issue of menstrual hygiene and serve as a platform to discuss other relevant SRH issues.
- A range of IEC material has been developed around MHS, using a 360-degree approach to create awareness among adolescent girls about safe & hygienic menstrual health practices which includes audio, video and reading materials for adolescent girls and job-aids for ASHAs and other field level functionaries for communicating with adolescent girls.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Adolescent girls in the age group of 10-19 year in rural areas

Benefits

✓ High-quality sanitary napkins

Documents Required

- No documents required

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- ASHA workers
3. NATIONAL NUTRITION MISSION: NIKSHAY POSHAN YOJNA

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India has announced the scheme for incentives for nutritional support to TB patients. This scheme is called “Nikshay Poshan Yojana”.

**Objective**

- By way of conditional Cash transfer through direct benefit transfers, the scheme is also expected to deliver in addressing out of the pocket expenditure of TB patients, increase notifications and Mobilize patients for completion of treatment.

**Important Features**

- Monetary assistance to TB patients for Nutritional Needs.
- Communication campaign aimed at raising levels of awareness, reduction of stigma among community both through mass and mid media.
- Strategies like active case finding and contact tracing to create awareness and early diagnosis.
- Early diagnosis of all the TB patients, prompt treatment with quality assured drugs and treatment regimens along with suitable patient support systems to promote adherence.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All notified TB patients are beneficiaries of the scheme

**Benefits**

- The Nikshay Poshan Yojana provides ₹500 monthly to all notified TB patients to provide nutritional support and aid in the treatment of TB.
- Tribal patient travel support, wherein ₹750 is being provided to all TB patients in tribal notified blocks towards travel support.
- The scheme can be availed for the duration for which the patient is on anti-TB treatment

**Documents Required**

- Aadhaar Enabled bank Account.
- For paediatric TB patients where Bank accounts are not available, the money shall be deposited in parents / guardians accounts whose details are to be sought and entered in Nikshay against the patient’s records.
- For patients not having Bank account or Aadhaar number, health staff will facilitate opening of Bank a/c for the patient preferably under Jan-Dhan Yojna and will also facilitate his/her Aadhaar enrolment.
- Health Certificate along with Doctor’s prescription
- Blood Report

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Hospital
4. JANANI SURAKSHA YOJNA (JSY)

Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY) is a safe motherhood intervention under the National Health Mission. The scheme was launched on 12 April 2005 by the Hon’ble Prime Minister, is under implementation in all states and Union Territories (UTs), with a special focus on Low Performing States (LPS). JSY is a centrally sponsored scheme, which integrates cash assistance with delivery and post-delivery care. The Yojana has identified Accredited Social Health Activist (ASHA) as an effective link between the government and pregnant women.

**Objective**
- To reduce maternal and neonatal mortality by promoting institutional delivery among poor pregnant women.

**Important Features**
- The scheme focuses on poor pregnant woman with a special dispensation for states that have low institutional delivery rates, namely, the states of Uttar Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Bihar, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Assam, Rajasthan, Orissa, and Jammu and Kashmir.
- While these states have been named Low Performing States (LPS), the remaining states have been named High Performing states (HPS).
- Mothers (Pregnant & Lactating): From the time of conception till giving birth to the child.
- Children: From the time of Birth till 16 years of age

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

The primary eligibility for cash assistance is BPL Certification along with others under the scheme as shown below

- LPS: All pregnant women delivering in government health centres, such as Sub Centres (SCs)/Primary Health Centres (PHCs)/Community Health Centres (CHCs)/First Referral Units (FRUs)/general wards of district or state hospitals.
- HPS: All BPL/Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe (SC/ST) women delivering in a government health centre, such as SC/PHC/CHC/FRU/general wards of district or state hospital.
- LPS & HPS: BPL/SC/ST women in accredited private institutions.

**Benefits**

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✓ ASHA package of ₹600/- in rural areas include ₹300/- for ANC component and ₹300/- for facilitating institutional delivery.
✓ ASHA package of ₹400/- in urban areas include ₹200/- for ANC component and ₹200/- for facilitating institutional delivery.

**Documents Required**

- Health Card given at the time of Pregnancy registration
- Aadhar Card
- BPL Certificate
- Bank Details

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- ASHA Worker
5. PRADHAN MANTRI JAN-AROGYA YOJNA (PMJAY)

PM Jan-Arogya Yojna was launched in September 2018 as the second component of Ayushman Bharat under the recommended National Health Policy 2017, to achieve the vision of Universal Health Coverage. The initiative has also been designed to meet the Sustainable Development Goals and its underlining commitment. Ayushman Bharat PM-JAY is the largest health assurance scheme in the world which aims at providing a health cover of ₹5 lakhs per family per year for secondary and tertiary care hospitalization to over 10.74 crores poor and vulnerable families (approximately 50 crore beneficiaries) that form the bottom 40% of the Indian population. The households included are based on the deprivation and occupational criteria of Socio-Economic Caste Census 2011 (SECC 2011) for rural and urban areas respectively. PM-JAY was earlier known as the National Health Protection Scheme (NHPS) before being rechristened. It subsumed the then existing Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojana (RSBY) which had been launched in 2008. The coverage mentioned under PM-JAY, therefore, also includes families that were covered in RSBY but are not present in the SECC 2011 database. PM-JAY is fully funded by the Government and cost of implementation is shared between the Central and State Governments.

Objective

- To provide a health cover of ₹5 lakhs per family per year, for secondary and tertiary care hospitalization to poor and vulnerable families that form the bottom 40% of the Indian population.

Important Features

- PM-JAY is the world’s largest health insurance/ assurance scheme fully financed by the government.
- It provides a cover of ₹5 lakhs per family per year for secondary and tertiary care hospitalization across public and private empanelled hospitals in India.
- Over 10.74 crore poor and vulnerable entitled families (approximately 50 crore beneficiaries) are eligible for these benefits.
- PM-JAY provides cashless access to health care services for the beneficiary at the point of service, that is, the hospital.
- PM-JAY envisions to help mitigate catastrophic expenditure on medical treatment which pushes nearly 6 crore Indians into poverty each year.
- It covers up to 3 days of pre-hospitalization and 15 days post-hospitalization expenses such as diagnostics and medicines.
- There is no restriction on the family size, age or gender.
- All pre–existing conditions are covered from day one.
- Benefits of the scheme are portable across the country i.e. a beneficiary can visit any empanelled public or private hospital in India to avail cashless treatment.
- Services include approximately 1,393 procedures covering all the costs related to treatment, including but not limited to drugs, supplies, diagnostic services, physician’s fees, room charges, surgeon charges, OT and ICU charges etc.
- Public hospitals are reimbursed for the healthcare services at par with the private hospitals.
Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Poor and vulnerable families (approximately 50 crore beneficiaries) that form the bottom 40% of the Indian population.
- The households included are based on the deprivation and occupational criteria of Socio-Economic Caste Census 2011 (SECC 2011) for rural and urban areas respectively.

Benefits

- Benefit cover under various Government-funded health insurance schemes in India have always been structured on an upper ceiling limit ranging from an annual cover of ₹30,000 to ₹3,00,000 per family across various States which created a fragmented system.
- PM-JAY provides cashless cover of up to ₹5,00,000 to each eligible family per annum for listed secondary and tertiary care conditions.
- The cover under the scheme includes all expenses incurred on the following components of the treatment:
  - Medical examination, treatment and consultation
  - Pre-hospitalization
  - Medicine and medical consumables
  - Non-intensive and intensive care services
  - Diagnostic and laboratory investigations
  - Medical implantation services (where necessary)
  - Accommodation benefits
  - Food services
  - Complications arising during treatment
  - Post-hospitalization follow-up care up to 15 days
- The benefits of ₹5,00,000 are on a family floater basis which means that it can be used by one or all members of the family.
- The RSBY had a family cap of five members However, based on learnings from those schemes, PM-JAY has been designed in such a way that there is no cap on family size or age of members
- In addition, pre-existing diseases are covered from the very first day. This means that any eligible person suffering from any medical condition before being covered by PM-JAY will now be able to get treatment for all those medical conditions as well under this scheme right from the day they are enrolled.

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- Income Certificate
- BPL Certificate
- e-Card issued by the empanelled Hospitals

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Dept. of Health and Family Welfare
- Nodal Officer for the Scheme
6. DULARI KANYA YOJNA

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh introduced a State Sector Scheme “Dulari Kanya Scheme” to implement in the State of Arunachal Pradesh with immediate effect from April 3, 2017.

**Objective**

- To provide financial assistance to an amount of `20,000 to a newly born girl child in any Government or Government approved Hospitals to provide her the much-needed help in pursuing higher education.

**Important Features**

- This shall also give an impetus to the institutional delivery and will have a positive effect on the sex ratio in the State.
- The amount shall be deposited in a Fixed Deposit Bank Account (Minor Account) of the girl Child in the State Bank of India (SBI) and shall be withdrawn after attaining the age of 18 years by the girl child beneficiary by way of transferring to her Saving Bank Account linked with the Aadhar number of the girl child beneficiary.
- Through ASHA workers

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- New-born girl child

**Benefits**

- Financial Assistance of ₹20,000 deposited in the name of the girl child
- The scheme can be availed at the birth of the girl child up to she completes 18 years of age

**Documents Required**

- Birth Certificate from the Hospital
- Aadhar Card of the Girl child born

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Nodal Officer and NHM Office at District level
7. MBBS STIPEND SCHEME TO ARUNACHAL SCHEDULE TRIBE STUDENTS

A Gazette note about the Scheme was published online on March 31, 2016.

Objective

- To enhance the rate of stipend and Book Grant for Arunachal Pradesh Scheduled Tribe students pursuing medical/dental and paramedical courses.

Important Features

- The revised rates to be effective from April 1, 2016.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Tribal students pursuing Medical/Dental and Paramedical courses

Benefits

Stipend for Medical Courses

- MBBS - ₹1400 (Revised rate of stipend-PM)
  - ₹10,000 (Revised rates of Book Grant-PA)
- BHMS/ BAMS & equivalent - ₹5000 (Revised rate of stipend-PM)
  - ₹5000 (Revised rates of Book Grant-PA)

Paramedical (Degree Courses)

- BSc (N)/B.Pharma/ BMLT/ BPT/ BSc. OOT & equivalent - ₹1400 (Revised rate of stipend-PM)
  - ₹3000 (Revised rates of Book Grant-PA)

Diploma Course

- GNM/ DMLT/ D. Pharma & equivalent - ₹1200 (Revised rates of stipend-PM)
  - ₹2000 (Revised rate of Book Grant-PA)

Certificate Courses

- HA/ PPT/ ANM & equivalent - ₹1100 (Revised rates of stipend-PM)
  - ₹1000 (Revised rates of Book Grant-PA)
- Other medical related courses - ₹1100 (Revised rates of stipend-PM)
  - ₹1000 (Revised rates of Book Grant-PA)
**Documents Required**

- ST Certificate
- Aadhar Card
- Student ID/ College Enrolment Card

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Institution and Directorate of Medical Education
8. CHIEF MINISTER’S AROGYA ARUNACHAL YOJNA

CMAAY was officially announced by HCM on 15th August 2018 To accord quality and cashless health care services to the indigenous people of the state and the Government employees to reduce Out of Pocket (OOP) expenses during major illness & hospitalization Envisaging Universal Health care to all sections of the Society in the long run in achieving “Health for All” by 2030.

Objective

- To reduce the financial hardship on people of the state due to disease and hospitalization
- To equitably ensure assured access to quality health care for all bonafide citizens of the State.
- To provide quality health care benefits for state Government employees and their dependants.
- To make the public health system efficient, effective, and self-reliant by receipt of claim refunds into the individual government hospital accounts.
- Fulfil the secondary and tertiary health care gap in the state.

Important Features

- Pre-existing disease are covered
- Complications are a part of the procedure
- Medical & surgical packages cannot be taken together for same patient in same episode of hospitalization

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Arunachal Pradesh Scheduled Tribe (APST) members
- Non-APST residents of Changlang, Lohit, Namsai possessing Resident Certificate (RC) who are people with permanent land holding documents
- State Govt. Employees and their dependents

Benefits

- Hospitalization: Cashless transaction to the Beneficiary right from his/her reporting & up to 10 days after discharge
- Packages: Two Packages available namely Secondary and Tertiary Care

Documents Required

Aadhaar Card along with following documents:

- For APST: APST certificate
- For Non-APST but bonafide members of Lohit, Namsai & Changlang districts: Resident Certificate (RC) issued by Competent Authority.
- For State Government employees: Government ID card issued by competent Authority - Dependent of State Government employees/RC holders should produce any legal document (along with Aadhaar card) to prove their relation to the State Government employees/RC holder (birth certificate & marriage certificate for newly added members in the family.
- Right from his/her reporting to the hospitals up to 10 days after discharge.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Help desks at District Hospitals and direct application enrolment through portal
9. CHIEF MINISTER’S FREE CANCER CHEMOTHERAPY SCHEME

Chief Minister’s Free Cancer Chemotherapy scheme was launched on 1st of August 2017 to tackle the growing incidences of cancer in the state. Under this scheme cancer patients will be provided the commonly used medicines for treatment of the disease free of cost with a ceiling of Rs 10 lakh per person per year.

Objective

- To reduce the burden of high expenditure of cancer patients
- To provide free chemotherapy for all type cancer at any stage

Important Features

- MoU has been signed with TATA Memorial Hospital Mumbai for procurement of all the medicines at a concessional rate which will be provided to a upper limit of 1000 patients per year

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Regular State Govt Employee and their Dependents

Benefits

✓ Medicine of worth 10lakhs per person per annum (5 lakh for 6 months)
✓ Free consultation
✓ Free counselling
✓ The benefit of the scheme can be availed during the period of entire treatment

Documents Required

- ST certificate for APST patients
- Aadhaar card and two passport size photographs
- For regular state govt employee

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- State Tertiary Cancer Centre and the Nodal Officer for the Scheme
10. CHIEF MINISTER’S RENAL REPLACEMENT FUND

Chief Minister renal Replacement fund was announced on March 12th, 2018. This fund provided for the renal transplantation to the beneficiaries with end stage renal disease with ceiling amount of 10lacs per patient.

Objective

- To establish a pool of fund called as Chief Minister Renal Replacement fund
- To provide financial aid to patients undergoing kidney transplant
- To minimise time required to provide financial aid to the patients
- To provide available resources and dissemination of information to people in need and to act as a consultant to people in field of renal transplantation and support patients in need with necessary facilities for communication and advice

Important Features

- This scheme is being executed by a separate society known as CHIEF MINISTER RENAL REPLACEMENT SOCIETY.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Citizens of Arunachal Pradesh and state Government Employee suffering from End state renal disease (ESRD).

Benefits

- 10 lakhs per patient (ceiling amount) through DBT to empanelled hospitals in two instalments at rate of 70:30
- The benefit of the scheme can be availed during the period of entire treatment

Documents Required

- ST certificate for APST and Authorisation letter issued by competent authority in case of non APST State Government employee.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nodal officer for the Scheme
11. MUKHYAMANTRI MASNIK SWASTHYA SOCIETY (MUKYAMANTRI NASHA MUKTI YOJNA – AND – MUKHYAMANTRI MANSIK SWASTHYA YOJNA)

After independence though the (Govt. India by the NDPS banned cultivation and consumption of Opium in the country, yet it remains prevalent in many parts of Arunachal Pradesh. There are no Govt. treatment and de-addiction centres in Arunachal Pradesh to treat the addicts. The Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh launched the Scheme “Mukhiya Mantri Nasha Mukti Yojana” To provide de-addiction cum rehabilitation services in Arunachal Pradesh. There are 6(Six) drug de addiction cum rehabilitation centres in Arunachal Pradesh 2 (two) are run by Health Department through District Health Society and 4 (four) centres being implemented by selected NGOs.

Objective

- Follow up and community outreach services
- Conduction of research-oriented services pertaining to substance use and its treatment
- Provide counselling as well as recreational therapies
- Link-up to Rehabilitation services
- Long Term follow up

Important Features

- Out-patient Treatment
- In-patient Treatment
- Emergency services
- Dispensing of Medications
- Psychosocial Interventions
- Laboratory services
- Referral/Consultation and Linkages

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All Substance abuse People Irrespective of Economic status and Domicile are eligible beneficiaries

Benefits

✓ Free Consultation and Outreach counselling
✓ Free Treatment
✓ 45 days De-addiction cum rehabilitation as in-patient care and Then Follow-up and Counselling

Documents Required

- No Documents required
DEPARTMENT OF HORTICULTURE
1. NATIONAL BEEKEEPING AND HONEY MISSION

Keeping in view the importance of beekeeping and to achieve the goal of “Sweet Revolution”, a new Central Sector Scheme “National Beekeeping and Honey Mission (NBHM)” for overall promotion & development of scientific beekeeping and production of quality honey & other beehive products is approved by the Govt. of India. The scheme will be implemented through National Bee Board as a Central Sector Scheme.

Objective

- Promoting holistic growth of beekeeping industry for income & employment generation, providing livelihood support to farm and non-farm households and to enhance agriculture/horticulture production
- Empowerment of Women through Beekeeping
- To promote, develop and disseminate latest and State of the Art Technologies

Important Features

The scheme has three mini-missions-

- Mini Mission I- Focus on production & productivity improvement
- Mini Mission II- Focus on post-harvest management of beekeeping/ beehive products, including collection, processing, storage, marketing, value addition, etc.
- Mini Mission III- Focus on Research & Technology generation for different Regions/ States/ Agro-Climatic and Socio-Economic conditions.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- The beekeepers, SHGs, FPOs, FPCs, FIGs, etc., societies, firms, companies, etc. in the field of beekeeping, honey production, processing, marketing, etc. and registered with NBB will only be eligible for getting benefits for the activities relating to setting up of infrastructural facilities under MM-I & MM-II under NBHM scheme.
- In case of individual beekeepers, the priority will be given to the registered beekeepers of National Bee Board.

Benefits

- Farmers/ beekeepers who are interested in adopting scientific beekeeping, as entrepreneurs, may be encouraged & supported for practicing scientific beekeeping
- The youth/farmers/beekeepers who are interested to develop as entrepreneurs for providing custom hiring services to the farmers who are not able to do beekeeping themselves but need pollination support for their crops will be encouraged and supported.
- For North Eastern Region, project assistance subsidy would be 90% for all individuals, institutions/ organisations/ societies/ Co-operatives/ Self Help Groups (SHGs)/ Joint Liability Groups (JLGs)/ Farmers/ Beekeepers Interested Groups (FIGs)/ Societies/ Firms/Companies/ FPOs/ FPCs, etc. and 100% for Government agencies/ organisations, etc.
✓ Capacity building programmes, including trainings, seminars, skill development for farmers/ beekeepers, officials, etc. The pattern of funding/ subsidy would be 100% for all the training implementing agencies.

**Documents Required**

- Activity/ Component-wise details and formats for submission of proposals to NBB/ NCDC / NDDB under NBHM for implementation of the activities and getting assistance under NBHM along with the checklist for the documents to be submitted are available on the website of NBHM & NBB, DAC&FW.
- All Member Societies/ Firms/ Companies/ SHGs, etc. of NBB should be registered on Darpan Portal of NITI Aayog to get access to the portal of DAC&FW /Portal of NCDC/ NDDB for submission of relevant proposals under NBHM to NBB.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Horticulture Officer
STATE SCHEME

2. PROMOTION OF COMMERCIAL FLORICULTURE UNDER AREA EXPANSION SCHEME

Arunachal Pradesh is blessed with virgin and fertile soils, good rainfall, and varied Agro-climatic conditions ranging from alpine to temperate in higher elevations and subtropical to tropical conditions. Technically, there is hardly any horticulture crop which cannot be cultivated in one or other part of Arunachal Pradesh. Hence, there is immense scope for commercial floriculture in Arunachal Pradesh. Though, floriculture is quite popular in Arunachal Pradesh, no any serious effort has been made so far to promote commercial floriculture. Hence, this proposal has been initiated for implementation of a pilot project on commercial floriculture in Papumpare district for promotion of commercial floriculture and to set examples and pave way for bigger floriculture projects in coming years

Objective

- Promoting backyard floriculture activity or full-time commercial floriculture activity among farmers, particularly women entrepreneurs and farmers will go a long way in augmenting farm income and contribute to doubling farmers’ income by 2022.

Important Features

- This proposal has been initiated for implementation of a pilot project on commercial floriculture in Papumpare district for promotion of commercial floriculture.
- Selected beneficiaries will be encouraged to organize themselves into SHGs for cooperation and for ease of implementation. Selection of beneficiaries will be done by involving the District Development Committees for proper monitoring and follow up action.
- To meet up the rising demand of flowers in the local market by making buy-back arrangements between local florist and women farmers

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- The pilot projects will be exclusively for women farmers and entrepreneurs.
- Beneficiaries will be selected from among interested women farmers, entrepreneurs, and housewives.
- Preference will be given to women farmers and entrepreneurs who are already into floriculture activity.

Benefits

- Based on market demands, the following species of flowers will be taken up for commercial cultivation.

Documents Required

- A format for interview with farmer/beneficiary by monitoring team as given in the guidelines.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Deputy Commissioner or Representative
3. AREA EXPANSION UNDER CHIEF MINISTER’S SASHAKT KISAN YOJNA

Horticulture is one of the most potential sectors in Arunachal Pradesh, as per the total projection area of cultivable land under horticulture of 18 lakh Hectare approximately in various Agro climatic region/belts, the state could have reached up to 3.3% i.e. 60,000 hectare (approx.) under various crops in different Agro-climatic zones/regions till date. The Govt. has adopted region wise feasible and need based Horticulture activities in the various district of Arunachal Pradesh under Budget announcement during current financial year 2019-20, targeted for continuation up to 2021-22. According to thrust areas enumerated district wise on suitable crops grown in the specific areas reported by the DC/DHOs concern.

Objective

- Providing maximum benefit to farmer for self-sustenance and commercialization of Horticulture farming through Area Expansion programmes.
- To increase production & productivity.
- Systematic approach to cover farmers of all Argo climatic areas/zones of the state.
- Integrated approaches of package & practices to doubling of farmer’s income.
- Cluster & compact area approaches to facilitate ease in marketing.
- Integration of all other intervention facilities.

Important Features

- The crops/schemes projected to respective areas/belts/District will be implemented in a cluster manner considering ease of transportation and Marketing.
- Preparation of detail action plan by respective District.
- Mandatory Geo-tagging site of the scheme both before and after implementation along with the Farmer/beneficiary.
- The scheme will be implemented in convergence with other CSS schemes and intervention to ensure success and benefit to farmers
- A technical committee under the chairmanship of Director of Horticulture for Screening & scrutiny of District level Action Plan.
- The Scheme will be assisted to maximum of 1(one) hectare to marginal, Small & women farmer.
- The schemes shall be implemented within current financial year 2019-20 to attain doubling of farmer’s income by 2022.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Small, Marginal & Women Farmer.
- Unemployed youth’s looking to be engaged in horticulture business activity.
- Opium cultivators looking for alternative livelihood
- Pilot projects of the scheme will be exclusively for women farmers and entrepreneur
Benefits

✓ All payment will be paid through DBT to beneficiaries/vendors wherever applicable.
✓ The scheme provides benefit under various activities mentioned below given the area coverage:
  o Off-season vegetable cultivation in temperate region/District
  o Blueberry Cultivation in Tawang and West Kameng District
  o Import of planting material from USA & Europe
  o Area Expansion Programme on Kiwi, Mandarin Orange, Pineapple, Apple, Banana, Walnut, L/Cardamom and Areca Nut with inter-cropping Black pepper in foot hill District/belts, and
  o Alternative livelihood for Opium growers

Documents Required

• The beneficiaries have to be registered under Hort Net portal to be assisted under Area expansion programme/Govt. scheme.
• Aadhaar number, Bank details, PAN Card number, Election Voter ID number, Ration card number, Address details.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• District Commissioner/District Horticulture Officer
CENTRAL SCHEME

1. NORTH-EAST INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME (NEIDS)

North east industrial development scheme (NEIDS) was launched to further catalyse the industrial development in the North Eastern Region including Sikkim. It came into force from 01.04.2017 and will remain in force up to 31.03.2022. The scheme covers new units in manufacturing and services sector.

**Objective**
- The scheme provides for Central Capital Investment Incentive (CCII) for access to credit, Central Interest Incentive, Central Comprehensive Insurance Incentive, Goods and Services Tax Reimbursement, Transport Incentive; and Employment Incentive to the extent indicated in the gazette notifications against each of the components.

**Important Features**
- Coverage: The scheme will cover States of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim and Tripura.
- Commencement and duration: It will be effective from 01.04.2017 and will remain in force up to 31.03.2022.
- The Scheme requires that all eligible industrial units must register under the Scheme with Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Govt. of India, through the portal prior to being eligible for any benefit under this scheme.
- No Industrial unit will have the right to register under NMS or claim the benefits unless it is specifically approved by the Central Government.
- No interest on account of delay in payment of incentive can be claimed by the unit.
- The beneficiary of this Scheme must furnish an undertaking to abide by the terms and conditions of the Scheme.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- Unless otherwise specified, all new industrial units in manufacturing sector and services sector including Biotechnology and Hydel Power Generation Units up to 10 MW located in NER, will be eligible for incentives under the scheme.
- The scheme shall not be applicable to the industries listed in the Annexure – I (of gazette notifications).
- All eligible industrial units will be entitled to benefits under one or more components of this (present) scheme, even if such units are getting benefits under other schemes of the Government of India.
- The total benefits from all components of the scheme put together shall be limited to the total investment in plant and machinery subject to a maximum limit of ₹200.00 crore per unit.
Plant and Machinery for the service sector industrial unit shall include cost of construction of building and all other durable physical assets basic to the running of that service industry but exclude cost of land and consumables, disposables or any other item charged to revenue.

- Only new industrial units shall be eligible under the scheme. A new unit will be required to fulfil the following conditions:
  - It is not formed by splitting up, or reconstruction of a business already in existence.
  - It is not formed by transfer to the new unit of plant or machinery previously used for any other purpose.
  - It has not relocated from elsewhere and/or is not an existing unit reopened under a new name and style.

**Benefits**

- The total incentives availed by an eligible industrial unit under the scheme should not exceed the total investment in plant and machinery subject to a maximum limit of ₹200.00 crore per unit.
- The following incentives will be provided to eligible industrial units on reimbursement basis:
  - Central Capital Investment Incentive for access to credit (CIC1IAC)
  - Central Interest Incentive (CH)
  - Central Comprehensive Insurance Incentive (CCII)
  - Goods and Services Tax (GST) Reimbursement
  - Income Tax (IT) Reimbursement
  - Transport Incentive (TI); and
  - Employment Incentive (El)

**Documents Required**

- An online application process shall be developed under which the applicants have to submit applications along with the DPR.
- Registered Mobile number
- Email ID of the Applicant
- Aadhar Card
- Aadhar seeded Bank Details

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Nodal Agency: The North East Industrial Development Finance Corporation L.t.d (NEDFI)
- District Industry Centre Officials
- State Nodal Officer/ Empowered Committee members
2. PRADHAN MANTRI MUDRA YOJNA

Mudra Yojna is aimed at 60% of the units that are owned by persons belonging to Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe or Other Backward Classes and are outside the formal banking system. They are hence forced to borrow from informal sources or use their limited owned funds. The scheme was prosed to bridge the gap between these micro units and formal banking system. Scheme was launched by the Prime Minister on 8 April 2015.

Objective

- To increase the confidence of the aspiring young person to become the first-generation entrepreneurs as also of existing small businesses to expand their activities

Important Features

- MUDRA loans are extended by banks, NBFCs, MFIs and other eligible financial intermediaries as notified by MUDRA Ltd.
- The overdraft amount of ₹5000/- sanctioned under PMJDY has also been classified as MUDRA loans
- Reasonable Interest rates are to be charged as per the policy decision of the bank
- MUDRA’s refinance assistance will be for a maximum tenure of 36 months

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Individuals
- Propriety concern
- Partnership firm
- Private Ltd. Company
- Public Company
- Any other legal forms

Benefits

- Mudra loan of up to ₹10.00 lakh to income generating micro enterprises engaged in manufacturing, trading and services sector
- Loans up to ₹50,000/- under Shishu category
- Loans from ₹50,001 to ₹5.00 lakhs under Kishore category
- Loans from ₹5,00,001 to ₹10.00 lakhs under Tarun category

Documents Required

- Income Certificate
- Aadhar Card
- Registration Certificate
- Turn-over of last three years
- PAN Card
- Bank Details (Aadhar seeded)
- SC/ST/OBC Certificate

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Nearest Bank branches of – RRBs, Cooperative Banks, Scheduled Commercial Banks
1. DIGITAL INDIA INTERNSHIP SCHEME

An internship is an opportunity for a student to secure firsthand and practical work experience under the guidance of a qualified and experienced Supervisor/Mentor. It also aims at active participation in the learning process through experimentation and putting into practice the knowledge acquired in the classrooms.

Objective

- To facilitate and promote e-Governance
- Promotion of electronics hardware manufacturing and Information Technology & IT Enabled Services (IT-ITeS) Industry
- Providing Support for creation of Innovation Infrastructure in emerging areas of technology
- Providing support for development of e-Skills and Knowledge network and
- Securing India’s cyber space

Important Features

- For the larger benefit of the student community and with a view to enrich the management/implementation of its various schemes/programmes, the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology has decided to notify these “Internship Guidelines”, to provide a framework for engagement of Interns for a limited period.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Indian students from recognized universities in India who have secured at least 60% marks in the last held degree or certificate examination and pursuing B.E./B.Tech, M.E./M.Tech/ MCA/DoEACC ‘B’ level shall be eligible.
- The students who are in the last semester or who will pass out in the summer of the current year will not be eligible for the Internship in that year. Students who are in the previous two years (BE/ B.Tech)/ MCA/ DOEACC ‘B’ Level) and previous one year (ME/M. Tech) will be eligible.
- Possessing minimum qualifications as above shall not guarantee internship in this Ministry. Candidates having exposure in the area of intended internship with good academic background and having higher qualification, based on need shall be given preference.

Benefits

- Internship opportunity to the students that will be offered in Delhi
- It would be offered once a year, with a minimum duration of two months, extendable up to three months depending on the performance of the candidate

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- Registered Mobile number

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District National Informatics Centre/ District Information Officer (DIO)
- support-diis@meity.gov.in
To provide decent working conditions and improved quality of life of workers, ensuring India without child labour in hazardous sectors and enhancing employability through employment services and skill development on a sustainable basis. Government of India has introduced a pension scheme for unorganised workers namely Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-dhan (PM-SYM) to ensure old age protection for Unorganised Workers

**Objective**

- To Improve the working conditions and the quality of life of workers through implementation of policies/programmes/schemes/projects, for providing social security and welfare measures, regulating conditions of work, occupational health and safety of workers, eliminating child labour from hazardous occupations and processes, strengthening enforcement of labour laws and promoting skill development and employment services

**Important Features**

- They should not be covered under New Pension Scheme (NPS), Employees’ State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) scheme or Employees’ Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO). Further, he/she should not be an income taxpayer.
- It is a voluntary and contributory pension scheme, under which the subscriber would receive the following benefits:
  - Minimum Assured Pension: Each subscriber under the PM-SYM, shall receive minimum assured pension of ₹3000/- per month after attaining the age of 60 years
  - Family Pension: During the receipt of pension, if the subscriber dies, the spouse of the beneficiary shall be entitled to receive 50% of the pension received by the beneficiary as family pension. Family pension is applicable only to spouse.
  - If a beneficiary has given regular contribution and died due to any cause (before age of 60 years), his/her spouse will be entitled to join and continue the scheme subsequently by payment of regular contribution or exit the scheme as per provisions of exit and withdrawal.
- The eligible subscriber may visit the nearest Common Services Centres (CSC e-Governance Services India Limited (CSC SPV)) and get enrolled for PM-SYM using Aadhaar number and savings bank account/Jan-Dhan account number on self-certification basis.
- Later, facility will be provided where the subscriber can also visit the PM-SYM web portal or can download the mobile app and self-register using Aadhaar number/savings bank account/Jan-Dhan account number on self-certification basis.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- The unorganised workers - as home based workers, street vendors, mid-day meal workers, head loaders, brick kiln workers, cobblers, rag pickers, domestic workers, washer men, rickshaw pullers, landless labourers, own account workers, agricultural workers, construction workers, beedi workers, handloom workers, leather workers, audio-visual workers and similar other occupations whose monthly income is ₹15,000/- per month or less and belong to the entry age group of 18-40 years
Benefits

✓ Pension coverage for the enrolled beneficiaries
✓ Benefit of pension coverage to starts after attaining the age of 60 years

Documents Required

- The subscriber will be required to have a mobile phone,
- A Savings bank account and
- Aadhaar number.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- All the branch offices of LIC, the offices of ESIC/EPFO and all Labour offices of Central and State Governments will facilitate the unorganised workers about the Scheme, its benefits and the procedure to be followed, at their respective centres.
- In this respect, the arrangements to be made by all offices of LIC, ESIC, EPFO all Labour offices of Central and State Governments are given below, for ease of reference:
  - All LIC, EPFO/ESIC and all Labour offices of Central and State Governments may set up a “Facilitation Desk” to facilitate the unorganised workers, guide about the features of the Scheme and direct them to nearest CSC
  - Each desk may consist of at least one staff.
  - They will have backdrop, standi at the main gate and enough brochures printed in Hindi and regional languages to be provided to the unorganised workers
  - Unorganised workers will visit these centres with Aadhaar Card, Savings bank account/Jan-Dhan account and mobile phone.
  - Help desk will have onsite suitable sitting and other necessary facilities for these workers
  - Any other measures intended to facilitate the unorganised workers about the Scheme, in their respective centres.
STATE SCHEME

2. SCHEME FOR REGISTERED WORKERS OF APB&OCWWB

Arunachal Pradesh Building & Other Construction Workers Welfare Board (APB&OCWWB) has released a circular with larger benefits for all the registered workers of the Board, in accordance with the provision of the BOCW (Regulation of Employment & Condition of Service) Act, 1996.

**Objective**

- To provide safety, health and adequate welfare measures to the registered workers and other connected family members, under statutory benefits

**Important Features**

- Benefits also cover the connected family members of the registered workers
- Scheme covers 12 statutory benefits for the registered workers of APB&OCWWB, as mentioned below:

**(I) MATERNITY BENEFIT**

State Government has proposed and implemented through the APB&OCWWB the maternity Benefits Schemes to its women workers who have registered their names in the Board.

**Objective:**

- To mitigate suffering in the course of delivery and to supplement well up bringing of the infant

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Women workers employed in the Building and Other Construction works
- One should be a registered women beneficiary of the Board
- Membership must be active at the time of application

**Benefits**

- Cash assistance of ₹1000/- during the period of maternity
- Payable for up to two adult daughters of registered workers.
  (Second marriage not to be entitled for this benefit)
**Documents Required**

- Xerox copy of the registration card
- Medical Certificate
- Bank Account number/ front page of the passbook
- Complete application form

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Registering Officers of the District/ Sub-Division, APB&OCWWB

**(II) DEATH BENEFIT SCHEME: NATURAL AND ACCIDENTAL**

Family suffers due to economic loss caused by demise of the bread earner of the house.

**Objective:**

- To mitigate such economic loss, the govt. has introduced the death benefit scheme for normal death and death due to accident.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Workers should be a Building and Other Construction worker
- His/her membership shall be active at the time of death
- The name of the nominee/ dependant should be recorded in his/her registration card before death

**Benefits**

- Cash assistance of ₹50,000/- provided to the nominee of the registered worker, in case of normal death
- Cash assistance of ₹1,00,000/- provided to the nominee of the registered worker, only in case of accidental death

**Documents Required**

- Original copy of registration card of the worker
(III) FUNERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANT
In addition to death benefit either normal or accidental. The Board is providing funeral assistant

Objective:
• To provide financial assistance upon the death of the registered worker for his/her funeral

Eligible Beneficiary/Group
• Workers should be a Building and Other Construction worker
• His/her membership shall be active at the time of death
• The name of the nominee/dependant should be recorded in his/her registration card before death

Benefits
• Cash assistance of ₹1000/- only to the nominee of the deceased worker at the time of sanctioning the death benefit amount

Documents Required
• Original copy of registration card of the worker
• Death Certificate
• Application form
• Bank account number/ front page of the passbook

Contact (for clarification/further information)
• Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

(IV) MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
The Board sanctions financial assistances to its registered workers who are hospitalized for five or more days due to accident or disease.

Objective:
• To provide medical assistance to the registered workers who are hospitalised for five or more than five days
Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Worker should be a Building and Other Construction worker
- His/her membership shall be active at the time of application
- Must have a disease or had an accident for which he/she should be hospitalised or put in plaster at his/her residence

Benefits

- ₹2000/- only for the first five days
- ₹100/- each for the remaining days subject to a maximum of ₹15,000/- if disability occurs due to accident
- Additional benefit up to a maximum of ₹25,000/- depending upon the percentage of disability

Documents Required

- Complete application form
- Membership of the board

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

(V) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR MARRIAGE

State Government has proposed and implemented through the APB&OCWWB the financial assistance for marriage of children of the registered workers.

Objective:

- To provide financial assistance for marriage of two children of the registered workers

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Must be an active registered Building & other Construction worker for availing marriage assistance of his/her children
- Must be above 18 and 21 years of age for female and male beneficiaries, respectively

Benefits

- Cash assistance of ₹10,000/- to the registered workers
**Documents Required**

- Xerox copy of the registration card of the worker
- Birth certificate as age proof of children
- Bank account number/ front page of the passbook

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

**(VI) PENSION SCHEME: DISABILITY AND OLD AGE**

The scheme aims to secure economic dependency of a worker after retirement or at old age period, the govt. through the board has introduced the pension scheme.

**Objective:**

- To provide an old age pension
- To provide disability pension

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Registered worker with a Membership for at least 1 year after the age of 60.
- Registered worker with a Membership

**Benefits**

- Cash assistance of ₹500/- per month, to the old age beneficiaries with an increase in ₹10/- on completion of every 5 years
- Cash assistance of ₹1000/- per month to the differently abled
- Monthly pension of ₹500/- in case of permanent disability due to paralysis, leprosy, TB or accident
- Ex-gratia payment of not more than ₹5000/- depending upon the percentage of disability and subject to such conditions approved by the Board

**Documents Required**

- Membership Card of the registered workers

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.
(VII) ADVANCE FOR PURCHASE OR CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSE

Everybody has the dream of having a house of his /her own which the workers are not exception. Therefore, the state govt. has formulated this scheme to implement through the board in which the board can sanction/ grant an amount for outright purchase of a house or for construction of a house to the eligible building and construction workers.

Objective:

• To mitigate suffering in the course of delivery and to supplement well up bringing of the infant

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

• An active registered worker with a Membership for at least 5 years.
• Must have at least 15 years of service before superannuation/ retirement
• Must be able to repay the principal amount of loan with a minimum interest rate or with interest in equal instalments as may be fixed by the board

Benefits

• Cash assistance of ₹1.00 lakh to the registered workers

Documents Required

• Copy of the registration card
• Building plan for construction and agreement copy for outright purchase of the house
• Salary/ wage statement
• Deed of the agreement/ affidavit
• Bank account number or front page of the bank passbook
• Complete application form

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

(VIII) LOAN FOR PURCHASE OF TOOLS

State Government provides financial assistance for the purchase of tool under the statutory benefit of APB&OCWWB.
Objective:
• To provide one-time financial assistance to the registered workers to buy tools

Eligible Beneficiary/Group
• Registered worker with a Membership for at least 3 years.
• Loan to be refundable with a minimum interest rate

Benefits
• Refundable cash assistance of ₹15,000/-

Documents Required
• Membership Card of the registered workers

Contact (for clarification/further information)
• Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

(IX) EDUCATION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

State Government has proposed and implemented through the APB&OCWWB the maternity Benefits Schemes to its women workers who have registered their names in the Board.

Objective:
• To mitigate suffering in the course of delivery and to supplement well up bringing of the infant

Eligible Beneficiary/Group
• Children (up to two children) of the registered worker with a Membership

Benefits
• Cash assistance of ₹15,000/- (minimum) to ₹50,000/- (maximum)
• In case the children of registered workers get admitted outside the state then scholarship amount @₹20,000/- (minimum) up to ₹50,000/- (maximum) under Technical and non-technical course.

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Documents Required

- Copy of the registration card of the worker
- Mark statement of the children
- Bank account number/ front page of the passbook

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.

(X) CASH AWARD

State government in order to encourage the children of the registered BOC workers in scoring good marks in the examinations, the board proposes to institute every year cash award to three male and female children of the beneficiaries in each stream State Government has proposed and implemented through the APB&OCWWB the maternity Benefits Schemes to its women workers who have registered their names in the Board.

Objective:

- To encourage the children of the registered BOC workers in scoring good marks in the examinations

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Active registered worker
- Children for whom the award is applied must have passed the class X and XII Board or equivalent examinations.
- Children (one son and one daughter) of the registered worker with a Membership, who secure the highest in their District in Metric examination

Benefits

- Cash assistance of ₹500/-, ₹750/- and ₹1000/-

Documents Required

- Copy of the registration card of the worker
- Mark statement of the children
- Bank account number/ front page of the passbook
- Complete application form

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Registering Officers, APB&OCWWB of respective District.
1. DEEN DAYAL UPADHYAY SWAWLAMBAN YOJNA

The Scheme was launched by the State government on 17 September 2018, for the youth and encourage entrepreneurs across state.

Objective

- To encourage unemployed youth and entrepreneurship and to gain access to low cost capital for entrepreneurship.

Important Features

The sectors covered under this scheme are:

- Food-processing units in agriculture, horticulture and allied sectors include packaging, cold-chain, cold storage, milk processing etc.
- Eco-tourism including home stays and tour operators
- Traditional textile weaving for modernisation of traditional looms and purchase of new looms to start a new weaving unit
- To be set up Small scale manufacturing units/ bamboo processing units/ service centres/ diagnostics

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All MSME Units including Proprietorship Firm/ Partnership Firm/ Closely held public & private limited company in Small & Medium industrial, trading and service sector under SSI, C&I and SBF Segments.
- The chief promoter /chief executive should be 18 to 65 years of age. The applicant must obtain a minimum overall score of 60% with a minimum of 50% under each sub-head like Personal Details, Business Details, Collateral Details (except in cases where collateral is not applicable, the minimum marks will be nil)

Benefits

- Under this scheme, a provision of 40% front ended capital investment subsidy to the beneficiaries has been made who wish to set up small and medium enterprises with a loan from ₹10.00 Lakhs up to ₹50.00 lakhs the of project cost. The cost of land and building shall be excluded from the project cost.
- The loan component would be 30% to 50% of the project cost. The cost of land and building shall be excluded from the project cost.
- Entrepreneurs would be required to contribute at least 10% to 30% of the project cost as their contribution. Preference will be given to those who contribute a greater proportion. The cost of land and building shall be excluded from the project cost.
- Women entrepreneurs will be additionally eligible for 5% interest subsidy annually provided the entrepreneur does not become Non-Performing Asset (NPA).
**Documents Required**

- Degree/Diploma holders in Tourism & Hospitality, ITI or any other technical degree/diploma related to Fabrication, IT, Mobile repairing, Motor Garage etc.
- Preference will also be given to private doctors for opening of medical clinic and diagnostic centres in the Border CD blocks (Clinical fees shall be fixed at a reasonable rate).

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Planning Officers (DPOs)
2. INTEREST SUBVENTION SCHEME FOR HOUSING LOAN FOR PERMANENT EMPLOYEES OF STATE GOVT. OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH (APON GHAH)

Government of Arunachal Pradesh and SBI have partnered to sanction Home Loan to permanent employees of Government of Arunachal Pradesh, in order under the scheme ‘Specially Designed Home Loan for Permanent Employees of Arunachal Pradesh named as “Apon Ghar”.

Objective

- To encourage and support the permanent employees of the State to apply for Home Loan
- To provide all the permanent employees of the State, having at least 5 years of residual service, with 3.50% interest subvention (subsidy) on the SBI offered rate

Important Features

- Scheme is to purchase/ construct a new house/flat, purchase of an existing/ old house/flat.
- Purchase of ancestral plot of land from any close relatives like Parents/ Spouse/ Siblings/ Children etc. is not covered by the scheme under any circumstances.
- Present effective rate for women and others would remain same for two years from the date of sanction.
- SBI Offered rate of 8.50%-8.55% may undergo changes as and when MCLR (Marginal Cost For Fund based Lending Rates) is revised. (Current SBI MCLR rate is 7.00%)
- After 2 years from the date of sanction, floating rate of interest linked to SBI MCLR will be applicable.
- List of beneficiaries will be submitted to Government of Arunachal Pradesh on monthly basis after the release of the subsidy.
- in case of default of the loan sanctioned under the scheme by any employee, Government of AP would repay the loan under the provision of Omnibus Government Guarantee to the extent of 100% of the principal amount and the interest accrued on the admissible principal amount with respect to that employee/borrower.
- Admissible principle amount will be limited to ₹15.00 lakhs only
- The maximum repayment period of the loan would be 20 years including moratorium period from the date of sanction of loan subject to full employment.
- Employees are entitled to avail this facility only once during his/her tenure.
- The liability of the State Government will continue as guarantor till liquidation/ recovery of the outstanding in full.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Employee with minimum 21 years and at least 10 years residual service to be eligible for loan and maximum 60 years for employees by which time period the loan should be fully repaid.
Benefits

✓ Check off facility to recover the outstanding loan amount with interest in all the cases of home loan sanctioned under the scheme.
✓ Interest subvention of 3.50% for loan up to ₹15.00 lakhs only for the entire tenure of home loan for the employees of all grades.
✓ Present Effective Interest Rate will be different for women and others
✓ EMI will be fixed on basis of SBI offered rate, different for women and others
✓ The subsidy amount would be released by way of credit to the Salary accounts of the employees from where the instalments towards the Home Loan are recovered by charging to the pre-funded subsidy account maintained by Government of Arunachal Pradesh.
✓ Full waiver of the processing fee and no repayment penalty
✓ Margin: Loan up to ₹20 lakhs – 10%; above ₹20 lakhs – 20%
✓ Close relatives can come together to avail home loan jointly also, if all are employees of Government of AP. In such cases, AP Government Interest Subvention will be available on loan clubbing together the prescribed limit under the scheme.
✓ Loan Term: Maximum 240 months or up to the age of 60 years
✓ Moratorium Period: Upto 18 months from the date of first disbursement or 2 months after completion of construction whichever is earlier. Interest is to be served as and when applied.
✓ AP Govt. subsidy at 3.50% will be made available for entire loan tenure.

Documents Required

• Employment Certificate
• Aadhar Card
• Bank Details of the Salary Account
• Passport size photographs
• PAN Card
• APST Certificate
• Property documents
• Complete Home Loan application form

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• Employees to apply for the Home Loan through their respective Drawing and Disbursing Officer (DDOs)
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH & ENGINEERING
1. SWACHH BHARAT MISSION (RURAL)

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan (SBA) or Clean India Mission was a nation-wide campaign in India that aims to clean up the street, roads and infrastructure of cities towns, urban and rural cities and area in India. The campaign was officially launched on 2 October 2014 at Rajghat, New Delhi by the Prime Minister.

Objective

- To bring about an improvement in the general quality of life in the rural areas, by promoting cleanliness, hygiene and eliminating open defecation.
- To motivate communities to adopt sustainable sanitation practices and facilities through awareness creation and health education.
- To develop, wherever required, community managed sanitation systems focusing on scientific Solid & Liquid Waste Management systems for overall cleanliness in the rural areas.

Important Features

- Incentive as provided under the Mission for the construction of Individual Household Latrines (IHHL) shall be available for all Below Poverty Line (BPL) Households and Above Poverty Line (APL) households restricted to SCs/STs, small and marginal farmers, landless labourers with homestead, physically handicapped and women headed households.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All Rural BPL Households and Above Poverty Line (APL) households restricted to SCs/STs, small and marginal farmers, landless labourers with homestead, physically handicapped and women headed households

Benefits

- Monetary support for construction of household toilets shall be up to ₹12,000 for construction of one unit of IHHL and
- Provision of water availability, including for storing for handwashing and cleaning of the toilet.

Documents Required

The candidate must fill the application form and provide the following documents:

- Scanned copy of Applicant’s Photograph (Mandatory)
- Bank Account Details (Mandatory)
- Scanned copy of First Page of Bank Passbook showing Account Details (Mandatory)
- If Applicant does not have Aadhaar no. then copy of Aadhaar Enrolment Slip is required

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Block Development Officer
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
1. MAHATAMA GANDHI NATIONAL RURAL EMPLOYMENT GUARANTEE ACT (MGNREGA)

National Rural Employment Guarantee Act 2005 (later renamed as the “Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act”, MGNREGA), is an Indian labour law and social security measure that aims to guarantee the ‘right to work’. This act was passed in September 2005. It aims to enhance livelihood security in rural areas by providing at least 100 days of wage employment in a financial year to every household whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work.

Objective

- The MGNREGA was initiated with the objective of enhancing livelihood security in rural areas by providing at least 100 days of guaranteed wage employment in a financial year, to every household whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work. Another aim of MGNREGA is to create durable assets (such as roads, canals, ponds, wells, etc).

Important Features

- Gives legal guarantee of wage employment to the adult members of rural households who are willing to do unskilled manual labour subject to a maximum of 100 days per household
- Employment is to be provided within 5 km of an applicant’s residence, and minimum wages are to be paid.
- If work is not provided within 15 days of applying, applicants are entitled to an unemployment allowance.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

Any adult member of a rural household who volunteers to do unskilled manual work.

Benefits

✓ Obtaining a Job Card (JC)
✓ Application for work and to obtain a dated receipt for the application made
✓ Choice of time and duration of the work applied for
✓ Getting work within fifteen days of application or from the date when work is sought in the case of an advance application, whichever is later
✓ Facilities of crèche, drinking water, first aid etc., on the worksite.

Documents Required

- Voter ID
- Aadhaar card and
- Bank account details

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Block Development Officer/ Program Officer
2. PRADHAN MANTRI AWAS YOJNA (PMAY-RURAL)

In pursuance to the goal - Housing for all by 2022, the rural housing scheme Indira Awas Yojana has been revamped to Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana – Gramin and approved during March 2016.

**Objective**
- To provide pucca house to all who are houseless and living in dilapidated houses in rural areas by 2022

**Important Features**
- The minimum unit size is 25 sq.m including a dedicated area for hygienic cooking.
- Provision of 90/95 person days of unskilled labour wage under MGNREGA for construction of house, over and above the unit assistance.
- There is provision for basic amenities like toilet, drinking water, electricity, clean and efficient cooking fuel, treatment of social and liquid waste.
- All payments to the beneficiary will be made electronically to the bank account that is linked to Aadhar.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- The beneficiaries will be identified and selected based on housing deficiency and other social deprivation parameters in SECC-2011 data, and verified by the gram sabhas

**Benefits**
- The unit assistance given to beneficiaries under the programme is ₹1,20,000 in plain areas and to ₹1,30,000 in hilly states/difficult areas /Integrated Action Plan (IAP).
- Out of the ₹1,30,000 allocation – ₹50,000 is directly transferred to the beneficiary account and ₹80,000 is provided in kind as CGI sheet.
- The beneficiary is entitled to 90 days of unskilled labour from MGNREGA.

**Documents Required**
- Bank account details
- The Beneficiary Job Card Number as registered with MGNREGA

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Block Development Officer


3. WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT: PM KRISHI SINCHAYI YOJNA

The Integrated Watershed Management Programme (IWMP) is a modified programme of erstwhile Drought Prone Area Programme (DPAP), Desert Development Programme (DDP) and Integrated Wastelands Development Programme (IWDP) of the Department of Land Resources (DoLR). It is one of the components of PM Krishi Sinchayi Yojna.

Objective

- It aims at restoring the ecological balance through development and sustainable management of degraded natural resources such as soil, vegetative cover and water.

Important Features

- Construction of water harvesting structures such as check-dams, farm ponds, tanks etc.
- Convergence with MGNREGA for creation of water source to full potential in identified backward rain-fed blocks including renovation of traditional water bodies.
- It also focuses on ridge area treatment, drainage line treatment, soil and moisture conservation, water harvesting structure, livelihood support activities and other watershed works being implemented by DoLR.
- The expected outcomes are prevention of soil erosion, regeneration of natural vegetation, rainwater harvesting and re-charging of the ground water table.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All farmers

Benefits

✓ Development of water sources in areas with scarcity
✓ Employment opportunity available in convergence with MGNREGA Scheme
✓ Better and more efficient utilization of irrigation in farms

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- Bank Account Details
- Address proof
- Passport size photograph
- Farmer Registration number

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Assistant Programme Officer, Rural Development department
- Executive Engineer, Rural Development department
STATE SCHEME

4. NUTRITIONAL KITCHEN GARDEN SCHEME

Given the vast unpolluted vast land resource along with low population density and suitable agro-climatic conditions, Arunachal Pradesh can become the fruit bowl of the country. State by focusing on horticulture development can also play a vital role to augment the food production of the country. Nutritional Kitchen Garden focuses on the food security aspect and is launched to encourage people and farmers to develop nutritional kitchen garden of their own, for sustainable living under Atmanirbhar Bharat.

Objective

- To promote sustainable and a healthy living among households
- To encourage households toward self-sufficient farming

Important Features

- Scheme to focus on 1.40 lakh beneficiaries altogether
- 1.20 lakh beneficiaries at household level
- 20,000 beneficiaries like AWCs, school premises etc. to be benefitted under common area of their compound

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Individual households
- AWCs, Schools, Community centres etc.

Benefits

- Seedlings for the kitchen garden to households
- A tool kit for taking care of the garden

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card
- Registered Mobile number
- Land Identification Certificate

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Block development Officer
5. FARM CLUSTER SCHEME

Farm Sector is one of the most important sectors in Arunachal Pradesh which can bring real sustainable development in the state. With its vast unpolluted land resource and suitable agro-climatic conditions, Arunachal Pradesh can become the organic fruit bowl of the country. Self-sufficiency in food production, availability of organic nutritious food and food security is inevitable for the development of a state- Healthy citizens, wealthy State. It is critical to develop and strengthen intra-state food supply chains to ensure sufficient nutritional food supply to the state inhabitants.

**Objective**

- To develop and strengthen intra-state food supply chains to ensure sufficient nutritional food supply to the state inhabitants.
- To ensure self-sufficiency in food production, availability of organic nutritious food and security
- To encourage formation of farm clusters and vegetable farming

**Important Features**

- 2000 nutritional kitchen garden would be selected as farm clusters per Legislative Assembly
- Seeds packets of 16 vegetables will be procured from National Seed Corporation of India, sufficient for an area of 1000 sq. mt., however a cluster area should not be less than 5 ha up to 100 ha.
- Each constituency will be linked with the nearest Krishi Vigyan Kendras for extension services
- District Empowered Committee in consultation with concerned MLA of the Assembly Constituency shall select the clusters for collective farming

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Group of Farmers

**Benefits**

- Seed packets containing seeds of about 16 vegetables
- Fencing of the kitchen garden for the farm clusters

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Registered Mobile number
- Land Identification Certificate

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Block Development Officer
IGNOAPS is a component of the National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) which came into effect from 15th August 1995. The scheme helps the poor and aims at ensuring minimum national standard for social assistance. The National Old Age Pension Scheme was renamed as Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme (IGNOPS) and formally launched on 19th November 2007.

**Objective**

- IGNOAPS aims at providing social and monetary assistance to the old age population of the country.

**Important Features**

- The scheme provides cash assistance to the eligible beneficiaries identified by each state.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- People with age of 60 years and above
- Person should be Below Poverty Line

**Benefits**

- The pension is ₹200 per month for persons between 60 years and 79 years, through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1300/- by the state government
- For persons who are 80 years and above, the pension is ₹500/- per month, through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1500/- by the state government
- The scheme can be availed by people aged 60 and above and by people aged 80 and above, until death

**Documents Required**

- An application must be filled in the prescribed format
- BPL card
- Income certificate (below 70000 per annum)
- Passport size photograph
- Aadhar Card
- Bank details, bank passbook
- Birth Certificate
- Documents must be submitted to the mandal/ block office in the rural area and the municipality/ municipal council in the urban area.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- CDPO/Deputy Director, ICDS
2. **INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL WIDOW PENSION SCHEME (IGNWPS): NSAP**

IGNWPS is a component of the National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) which came into effect from 15th August 1995. The scheme helps the poor and aims at ensuring minimum national standard for social assistance. The Indira Gandhi National Widow Pension Scheme (IGNWPS) was formally launched in February 2009.

**Objective**
- IGNWPS aims at providing social and monetary assistance to widows.

**Important Features**
- The scheme provides cash assistance to the eligible beneficiaries identified by each state.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- The applicant must be a widow above 40 years of age
- The applicant should belong to a household living below the poverty line according to the criteria prescribed by the Govt. of India

**Benefits**
- The pension is ₹300 per month for persons between 40 years and 79 years, through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1700/- for people aged 60 to 79 years, by the state government
- For persons who are 80 years and above, the pension is ₹500/- per month, through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1500/- by the state government
- The scheme can be availed by people aged 60 and above and by people aged 80 and above, until death

**Documents Required**
- An application must be filled in the prescribed format. This must be submitted along with copies of documents - BPL card, photo, Aadhaar number, bank passbook, age proof certificate, death certificate of husband
- The documents must be submitted to the mandal/ block office in the rural area and the municipality/ municipal council in the urban area.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- CDPO/Deputy Director, ICDS
3. INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL DISABILITY PENSION SCHEME (IGNDPS): NSAP

IGNDPS is a component of the National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) which came into effect from 15th August 1995. The scheme helps the poor and aims at ensuring minimum national standard for social assistance.

**Objective**

- IGNDPS aims at providing social and monetary assistance to disabled people

**Important Features**

- The scheme provides cash assistance to the eligible beneficiaries identified by each state.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Should be below poverty line
- The age of the pensioner is 18 years and above
- The disability level must be 80%
- Dwarfs will also be an eligible category for this pension

**Benefits**

- The amount is ₹300 per month till from 18 to 79 years through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1000/- by the state government
- ₹500/- per month, after attaining the age of 80 years, through PFMS and a top-up of ₹1000/- by the state government

**Documents Required**

- An application must be filled in the prescribed format. This must be submitted along with copies of documents - BPL card, photo, Aadhaar number, bank passbook, age proof certificate, disability certificate with 70% disability
- The documents must be submitted to the mandal/ block office in the rural area and the municipality/ municipal council in the urban area.
- The scheme can be availed by people aged 18 and above and by people aged 80 and above, until death

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- CDPO/Deputy Director, ICDS
4. NATIONAL FAMILY BENEFIT SCHEME (NFBS)

NFBS is a component of the National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) which came into effect from 15th August 1995. The scheme helps the poor and aims at ensuring minimum national standard for social assistance.

**Objective**

- Under this scheme a lump-sum amount is provided as Family benefit, to the households below the poverty line, on the death of the primary breadwinner in the bereaved family.

**Important Features**

- The scheme provides cash assistance to the eligible beneficiaries identified by each state.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- The family should be below poverty line
- any event of death (natural or otherwise) of the breadwinner would make the family eligible for assistance
- A woman in the family, who is a home maker, is also considered as a ‘bread-winner’ for this purpose
- The death of such a bread-winner should have occurred whilst he/she is more than 18 years of age and less than 60 years of age.

**Benefits**

- ₹20,000/- will be given as a lumpsum assistance. The assistance would be given to every case of death of breadwinner in a family.
- The family benefit will be paid to such surviving member of the household of the deceased poor, who after local inquiry, is found to be the head of the household.

**Documents Required**

- An application must be filled in the prescribed format. This must be submitted along with copies of documents - BPL card, photo, Aadhaar number, bank passbook, age proof certificate, death certificate of primary bread earner.
- The documents must be submitted to the mandal/ block office in the rural area and the municipality/ municipal council in the urban area.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- CDPO/Deputy Director, ICDS
5. SELF-EMPLOYMENT SCHEME FOR REHABILITATION OF MANUAL SCAVENGERS (SRMS)

The Self-Employment Scheme for Rehabilitation of Manual Scavengers (SRMS) was introduced in January 2007, with the objective to rehabilitate the remaining manual scavengers and their dependents in alternative occupations.

**Objective**
- To assist the manual scavengers, identified during various surveys, for their rehabilitation in alternative occupations.

**Important Features**
- Each individual manual scavenger and his/her spouse or children who are of 18 years of age and above, who are not employed (other than manual scavengers) will be aided.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- Manual Scavengers and their dependents, irrespective of their income, will be eligible for assistance.

**Benefits**
- The identified manual scavengers, one from each family, would be eligible for receiving Cash Assistance of ₹40,000 immediately after identification.
- The beneficiary would be allowed to withdraw the amount in monthly instalments of maximum of ₹7,000. He/she would also be eligible for Capital Subsidy, Interest Subsidy and Training with stipend at the rates prescribed under the scheme. The dependents of manual scavengers would not be eligible for initial Cash Assistance.
- Loan up to a maximum cost of ₹10.00 lakhs will be admissible under the scheme, and ₹15.00 lakh in case of sanitation related projects like Vacuum Loader, Suction Machine with Vehicle, Garbage Disposal Vehicle, Pay & Use Toilets etc.
- The moratorium period to start the repayment of loan will be two years. The period of repayment of loan, including moratorium period will be five years for projects upto ₹5,00,000 and 7 years for projects above ₹5,00,000. The SCAs would distribute the funds within a period of three months after receiving the application from the eligible beneficiaries.
- Beneficiaries would be provided training for courses upto two years with stipend @₹3,000 per month. The training will be given as per level of education and aptitude of the beneficiary.
- Credit linked back-end capital subsidy will be provided to the beneficiaries in a scaled manner.

**Documents Required**
- Beneficiaries will be identified through various surveys.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Deputy Director (ICDS) of concerned District/ CDPO(HQ)
6. STATE PROGRAMME FOR REHABILITATION OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (SPRPD)

The State Programme for Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities scheme is a state sector ongoing scheme implemented for the welfare and providing rehabilitation services to disabled persons of the state under Person with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995. The State Programme for Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities (SPRPD) erstwhile National Programme for Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities (NPRPD) was launched in the state in the year 2001-2002 which was sponsored by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India. During the year 2005-06, this scheme had been transferred to state government and implement as state sector ongoing scheme.

Objective

- To provide Welfare & Rehabilitation services to the Disabled Persons of the state which is mandatory under the PWDs Act, 1995.

Important Features

- Under this scheme the Department of Social Justice & Empowerment and Tribal Affairs, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh under State Programme for Persons with Disabilities (SPRPD) have been providing aids & appliances.
- Organizing Diagnostic Camp –cum-Free Distribution of Aids & appliances at district level from time to time.
- The Department also established a Physiotherapy Unit during the year 2013-14 at SDRC where needy patients are given treatment/therapy on free of cost.
- For prevention, early detection and intervention of disabilities, the Department of Social Justice & Empowerment and Tribal Affairs, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh had trained 539 Nos. of Community Based Rehabilitation Workers (CBRWS) and engaged at grass root level to conduct door to door survey report of disabled and persons to create awareness and prevention of disabilities.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- People with 100% degree of disability

Benefits

- Aids in form of appliances such as Tricycle, wheelchair, crutch, walking stick, Blind stick, Rollator and Hearing Aids to persons with disabilities.

Documents Required

The Disabled Persons who need assistive device and treatment/therapy, may be require producing the following documents.

- Disability Certificate
- Doctor prescription/slip
- Mobile No.
- Application in Plain Paper
- Photograph 2 copies (Full size)

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- State Disability Rehabilitation Centre (SDRC), Directorate of Social Justice and Empowerment & Tribal Affairs, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh.
DEPARTMENT OF SKILL DEVELOPMENT
1. PM KAUSHAL VIKAS YOJNA (PM KVY)

The Scheme was launched on 15 July 2015, on World Youth Skills Day by Honourable Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi. PMKVY is implemented by National Skills Development Corporation (NSDC) under the guidance of the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE).

**Objective**
- The objective of this Scheme is to encourage and promote Skill Development for the youth throughout the country.
- The scheme also needs to be aligned to complement all other Missions of the Government, such as Make in India, Digital India, Swachh Bharat, and Smart Cities.

**Important Features**
- The Scheme has two components:
  - Centrally Sponsored Centrally Managed (CSCM)
  - Centrally Sponsored State Managed (CSSM)
- Training Centres associated with PMKVY shall conduct various outreach campaigns across the districts.
- The out-reach campaign may comprise a combination of door-to-door visits, mobile vans, and interaction with community-based groups and local leadership.
- All outreach efforts are to target school dropouts and undergraduate college dropouts.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- All unemployed youth, college / school dropout
- School/ college dropouts to be allowed to enrol
- Additionally, in case of corporates or factory premises, candidates cannot be their own employees or daily wagers

**Benefits**
- Short term training - Skill training at no cost across a range of sectors such as Retail, Hospitality, Health, etc.
- Recognition of Prior Learning – Certification of learnings and prior training experiences
- Placement – PMKVY tries to provide job opportunities and support entrepreneurship development of the candidate
- Cash Assistance of ₹500/- per beneficiary through DBT
- Insurance coverage for 2 years

**Documents Required**
- Application form provided at the training centres at the time of enrolment
- Identity proof – Voter ID, PAN Card
- Aadhar card
- Bank Account details
- Any other criteria, as defined by the SSCs for the respective job roles

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Skill Centres as identified under PMKVY
2. CRAFTSMEN TRAINING SCHEME (CTS)

The Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) was introduced by the Government of India in year 1950 followed by the day-to-day administration of ITIs under the Craftsmen Training Scheme was transferred to the State Governments/ Union Territory administrations with effect from the year 1956.

Objective

- To ensure a steady flow of skilled workers in different trades for the domestic industry
- To raise quantitatively and qualitatively the industrial production by systematic training,
- To reduce unemployment among the educated youth by providing them employable skills
- To cultivate and nurture a technical and industrial attitude in the minds of younger generation

Important Features

- The Scheme is the most important in the field of Vocational Training, has been shaping craftsmen to meet the existing as well as future manpower need, through the vast network of ITIs spread over various States / Union Territories in the country.
- Training is imparted in both Engineering and Non-engineering trades.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- School passed students starting from Std. VIII on merit basis first preference is given to APST as per intake capacity of the trade. If seats are left vacant the Non-APST can take admission.

Benefits

- Course Completion Certificate
- Rs. 1400/- per month per training to every enrolled trainee

Documents Required

- Birth Certificate
- A Caste Certificate in case of ST/SC issued by competent authority
- Academic qualification
- Mark sheet of the examination passed and conduct certificate from the Head of the School/ Institution last studied.
- Attested true copy of School Leaving Certificate.
- A Certificate from any recognises Medical Officer stating that the applicant physically fit to undergo practical training.
- Two copies of Passport size photographs of the applicant duly attested

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Principal ITI
- ITIs located in the District
CM Yuva Kaushal Yojna has been launched in the state with effect from 1 April 2018 to provide high-end training to youth across country. The programme is fully funded under state plan with specific focus in providing job linked high end training programme to the youth.

**Objective**

- To provide high-end training to the youth across state to enable them to find jobs in the private sector.

**Important Features**

- The guidelines of the scheme have been framed with the sole principal of connecting youths with meaningful jobs by providing high-end training.
- There are 2 categories of training provided under CM YKY:
  - Training within the State by inviting reputed Vocation Training Providers and providing them suitable incentives
  - Training outside the State by identifying high-end reputed Vocational Training Providers and courses

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Youth across the State

**Benefits**

- Training within the State
  - 70% placement to the youth
  - Stipend of ₹3000/- to be given to the trainees undergoing the course
  - Amount to be transferred using DBT mode
  - Cost of Uniform/ Books to be borne by the Govt.
  - Boarding and Lodging to be provided during On-the Job Training
- Training Outside the State
  - VTPs to provide a guarantee of minimum 70% placement
  - The boarding/ lodging, transportation cost, training fee etc. shall be borne by the State Govt. @₹300/- per day per candidate
- A job portal for the youth, registration through which would provide a platform and linkage between prospective employers mostly from outside the State and job seekers of the state in consultation with the Dept. of Labour & Employment
- Arrangement of Annual Skill Mela in the State

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- 10th Pass Certificate
- Registered Mobile number
- Bank details of the beneficiary

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Skill Centres as identified under CMKaushal Vikas Yojna
4. RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING - UNDER PMKVY

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) is an initiative of the Government of India (GoI), Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship (MSDE) under Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY), implemented by the National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC).

**Objective**

The objectives of RPL are primarily three-fold:

- To align the competencies of the pre-existing workforce of the country to the standardized National Skills Qualification Framework (NSQF)
- To enhance the employability and/or entrepreneurial opportunities of an individual and
- To provide opportunities for reducing inequalities based on privileging certain forms of knowledge over others

**Important Features**

- Scheme is implemented under three different modalities:
  - Project Type-1: RPL Campus
  - Project Type-2: Employer’s Premises
  - Project Type-3: RPL Centres
- Project Type-1 (RPL Camps) is functional in the State
- Project Implementing Agencies (PIAs) to identify Industrial/Traditional Clusters to conduct RPL
- PIAs to identify job roles in which RPL can be conducted in the clusters selected
- PIAs to decide the duration of the RPL Camp, based on the availability of eligible beneficiaries
- PIAs to conduct RPL Camp at a prominent locality within each cluster
- PIAs to mobilise potential candidates to RPL Camps. PIA may engage a Mobilising Agency (such as Individual Association/ NGO /Training Partner) to assist in on-ground mobilisation of potential candidates
- RPL Camp is to be branded according to PMKVY Branding & Communication Guidelines
- PIA to organize RPL Project Launch Ceremony and is encouraged to ensure the presence of MPs, MLAs, DMs, SDMs, DLOs, Chief Judicial Magistrates, Municipal Commissioners and/or District Employment Officers at the launch
- RPL shall be undertaken by Project Implementing Agencies (PIA) through any of the three project types specified under Section 2 of this guidelines document. PIAs shall include Sector Skill Councils (SSCs), Training Providers (TPs), Corporates, Industry Associations, Non-Government Organisations (NGOs), Government Entities or any other agency designated by NSDC/MSDE. Assessment Agencies (AAs) are not permitted to be PIAs under RPL.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- RPL in a location where workers of a sector are consolidated (such as Industrial and/or Traditional Clusters)
- RPL is applicable to any candidate of Indian nationality who:
  - On the date of enrolment, fits the minimum age criteria as per the Qualification Pack (QP) requirements
As instructed by Ministry of Finance, all the cash transfers to beneficiaries under Govt. of India schemes must be as per the Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mandate. As per the mandate, the benefits to be transferred to Aadhaar seeded bank account of the beneficiary.

Thus, all the PMKVY candidates eligible for any cash transfer benefits will need to provide Aadhaar seeded bank account details (except for candidates from NE states and J&K). The Training Centre will be responsible to provide Aadhaar seeded bank account details of all the candidates registered under PMKVY.

**Benefits**

- A candidate who achieves greater than or equal to the pass percentage as per the Qualification Pack (QP), shall be awarded the Skill Certificate, Mark Sheet, and a Pay-Out of ₹500/-.
- Certified candidates will also receive a Grade (A/B/C) on the Skill Certificate along with forward and backward linkage opportunities
- A candidate who achieves less than the pass percentage mentioned for a QP, but at least 30% or above of the total score, shall receive only the Mark Sheet and Pay-Out of ₹500/-
- A candidate who scores less than 30% of the total score, shall receive only the Mark Sheet and be encouraged to undergo Short Term Training under PMKVY (2016-2020)
- Mobilization, Pre-Screening and Counselling
- Orientation and Final Assessment
- Certification and Pay-out (Steps 2-5 to take place at a temporary RPL Camp set up by PIA within the cluster)

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Birth Certificate

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Skill Centres as identified under PMKVY
- Training Providers under PMKVY
STATE RURAL LIVELIHOOD MISSION
CENTRAL SCHEME

1. DEEN DAYAL UPADHYAY GRAMEEN KAUSHALYA YOJNA (DDU-GKY)

The Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD) announced the Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY) Antyodaya Diwas, on 25th September 2014. DDU-GKY is a part of the National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM), tasked with the dual objectives of adding diversity to the incomes of rural poor families and cater to the career aspirations of rural youth.

Objective
- DDU-GKY is focused on rural youth between the ages of 15 and 35 years from poor families in helping them face challenges which are preventing them from competing in the modern market – lack of formal education and marketable skills.

Important Features
- DDU-GKY funds training projects benchmarked to global standards, with an emphasis on placement, retention, career progression and foreign placement.
- DDU-GKY ensures mandatory coverage of socially disadvantaged groups (SC/ST 50%; Minority 15%; Women 33%)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group
- Rural Youth: 15-35 years
- SC/ST/Women/PVTG/PWD (including transgender, rehabilitated bonded labour, victims of trafficking, manual scavengers, trans-genders, HIV positive): upto 45 years

Benefits
- Complete residential training
- Skill training at no cost to the rural poor in 250 trades across a range of sectors such as Retail, Hospitality, Health, etc
- Post-placement support, migration support and alumni network
- Guaranteed Placement for at least 70% trained candidates
- Post Placement support up to ₹6000 (₹1000 per month), if found working

Documents Required
- Application form provided at the training centres at the time of enrolment
- Identity proof – Voter ID, PAN Card
- Mark sheet and school education documents

Contact (for clarification/further information)
- Block Mission Management Unit
2. DEENDAYAL ANTYODAYA YOJNA - NATIONAL RURAL LIVELIHOOD MISSION (NRLM)

Deendayal Antyodaya Yojna – NRLM, erstwhile National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) is a poverty alleviation project implemented by Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, as renamed in November 2015. The mission is aided in parts through investment support by the World Bank and aims at creating efficient and effective institutional platforms of the rural poor enabling them to increase household income through sustainable livelihood enhancements and improved access to financial services.

The Mission aims “To reduce poverty by enabling the poor households to access gainful self-employment and skilled wage employment opportunities, resulting in appreciable improvement in their livelihoods on a sustainable basis, through building strong grassroots institutions of the poor.”

**Objective**

- To increase household income through sustainable livelihood enhancements and improved access to financial services.
- To mobilise poor households into functionally effective SHGs and their federation
- Enhancing access to bank credit and financial, technical and marketing services
- Building capacities and skills for gainful and sustainable livelihood development
- Converging various schemes for efficient delivery of social and economic support services to poor households

**Important Features**

- Universal Social Mobilisation: at least one women from each identified rural poor households to be brought under the SHG network in a time bound manner with special emphasis on vulnerable communities such as manual scavengers, victims of human trafficking, Particular Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs), Persons with Disabilities (PwDs), and bonded labour.
- Participatory Identification of Poor: the inclusion of the target group under the scheme is done through identification by Participatory Identification of Poor method that is de-linked from the BPL
- Financial Inclusion: both demand and supply sides of financial inclusion. On the demand side, it promotes financial literacy among the poor and provides catalytic capital to the SHGs and their federations. On the supply side, the Mission coordinates with the financial sector and encourages use of Information, Communication & Technology (ICT) based financial technologies, business correspondents and community facilitators like ‘Bank Mitras’.
- Livelihoods: focuses on stabilizing and promoting existing livelihood portfolio of the poor through its three pillars – ‘vulnerability reduction’ and ‘livelihoods enhancement’ through deepening/enhancing and expanding existing livelihoods options and tapping new opportunities in farm and non-farm sectors; ‘employment’ - building skills for the job market outside; and ‘enterprises’ - nurturing self-employed and entrepreneurs (for micro-enterprises).
Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- The NRLM Target Households (NTH) are identified through the Participatory Identification of Poor (PIP) instead of the BPL.
- The PIP is a community-driven process where the CBOs themselves identify the poor in the village using participatory tools.
- The list of poor identified by the CBO is vetted by the Gram Sabha.

Benefits

✓ Formation of Self-Help Groups
✓ Financial Inclusion by providing capital to the SHGs and their federations
✓ Provision of Revolving Funds (RF) and Community Investment Fund (CIF) to the institutions of the poor to strengthen their institutional and financial management capacity

Documents Required

- Aadhar card
- SHG should be in active existence at least since the last 6 months as per the books of account of SHGs and not from the date of opening of S/B account.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Block Development Officer
1. NORTH EAST REGION TEXTILE PROMOTION SCHEME (NERTPS): INTEGRATED LARGE SCALE ERI FARMING

Ministry of Textile on Feb 22, 2019 launched ₹37 crore ‘Eri’ Farming project in the state under North East Region Textile Promotion Scheme (NERTPS).

**Objective**
- To provide financial assistance to 4000 beneficiaries under NERTPS
- Registration and branding of the loin loom products of every tribe in the state
- To start cotton and silk banks in the state to preserve the age-old loin loom in its pristine form and
- The local weavers must have the facility at hand to collect the thread requirement

**Important Features**
- Initially the project would cover five districts of the state - namely Papumpare, East Kameng, Siang, East Siang and West Siang.
- Eri silk farming would be held in about 1000 acres in the chosen districts.
- If any registered weaver wants to upgrade their old looms, then the government would give 90 percent financial assistance in buying a new one
- There are 27000 looms and 33000 hand-loom weavers in Arunachal Pradesh
- It is a scheme for women empowerment and employment generation

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- Loom Weavers
- Women in particular
- Indirect Beneficiary: 75% of the study fee would be borne by the Govt. for the children of poor weaver families who would pursue higher studies either through National Institute of Open Schooling or Indira Gandhi National Open University

**Benefits**
- Financial assistance to loom weavers and children of poor weavers
- ₹9.00 crore was released by MoT in capital form for infrastructure development and
- 310 beneficiaries in 5 district - with assistance given in both cash and kind. Dept. is waiting for release for the second instalment

**Documents Required**
- Direct Benefit Transfer
- Aadhar Card
- PAN Card
- Bank details and Passbook

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- District officer identifies the beneficiary and progressive farmers
STATE SCHEME

2. CHIEF MINISTER’S HASTSHILP YOJNA

The scheme is designed to extend the technological upgradation facilities to the local artisans for healthy export enterprise. It would also help to earn higher foreign exchange and to ensure economies of scale, price competitiveness, quality control, application of design and technology on continuous basis for scope of product diversification and higher unit value realisation and compliance with the compatible standers by using new modern tools equipment and techniques.

**Objective**

- To raise the standard of living of the Artisans by having more earnings
- To contribute significantly in the development of handicrafts in the state
- To commercialise handicrafts to produce newly developed/ diversify the product range to enable them to meet up the demand of present trend of global market
- Skill-upgradation of Handicraft Artisans/ workers to produced diversified products with improved quality to meet the market requirements

**Important Features**

- Distribution of new technology improved tools and equipment to the eligible artisans
- Imparting skill up-gradation training with improved technology inputs
- Organise/ participate in exhibitions/ Expos
- Advertise the products through the electronic or print media/ printing of catalogues, brochures etc.
- Establish a Common Facility Centre with modern technology and improved tolls and machines
- Establishment of raw materials bank and accessories vendor at suitable locations

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- He or she should be a recognised artisans as identified by the District Administration

**Benefits**

- Under the scheme Common Facility Centre (CFC) is constructed where artisans of various crafts & trades are imparted high skilled training
- Training programme is to be conducted by the Implementing Agency (IA) based on the recommendation of the District Officers
- Enrolled artisans (20 of them) are entitled to receive ₹210/- per artisan, a stipend amount during their 45 days of training period.
- Yarn distribution to the beneficiaries by the Implementing Agency
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**Documents Required**

- Implementing Agency (IA) should have sufficient infrastructure/ premises or should have sufficient land space for c/o CFC
- APST Certificate
- Literate Artisan
- Aadhar Card
- Bank Details of the beneficiaries

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Concerned district officers of the department of Textile & Handicraft
3. CHIEF MINISTER’S SCHEME FOR WOOD CARVING ARTISTS

The scheme was launched to sustain the rich tradition of work on wood is encouraged to propagate with enhancement of aesthetic sensibilities so that it may be at par with the international standards. This is for the preservation and protection of rich heritage of wood works (crafts), which is otherwise being neglected and dwindling.

Objective

- To empower and develop typical wood carving artisans and introduce them to the well-organised market
- To create entrepreneurs and traders in the field of wood business.

Important Features

- To provide master craftsmanship trainers training to the traditionally expert woodcarving craftsmen at 6 potential districts of Arunachal Pradesh at NID, Ahmedabad, NIFT, Kolkata with latest technology on wood carving for product development, product finishing and linking these products to the right market.
- The trained Master Craftsman in turn will conduct skill development training on wood carving for the local upcoming artisans of the targeted districts, which have rich tradition of wood carving activities.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Preference to be given to minimum of Class - VIII pass APST Candidate
- Preference to be given to the candidate having experience certificate in trading

Benefits

- Distribution of new improved tools, equipment, and good quality raw material to the eligible wood artisans
- Skill-upgradation training with improved technology inputs
- Organise buyers-sellers meet/ participate in Exhibitions/Expos/Trades etc.
- Support the artisans by linking their products to the market by identifying new markets, providing better support system to the manufacturers and introducing new products to the international market as well
- Help on knowledge awareness on the economies of the market, demand supply, product demand, strategic positioning etc. to the artisans
- Advertisement of products through social media/ electronic or print media
- 20 Master Craftsmen in one batch and around 100 to be trained by these master trainers

Documents Required

- Class-VIII pass certificate
- Experience certificate in Trading

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Textile Officer
DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM
STATE SCHEME

1. CHIEF MINISTER’S PARYATAN VIKAS YOJNA (CMPVY)

The scheme has three components – a) development support to Patisserie and Food courts, b) development support to Homestays and c) development of adventure sports by financial support in procurement of equipment.

Objective

- To promote tourism in the State and thereby livelihood for the locals.

Important Features

- Patisserie and food courts in popular tourist spots and important towns/ tourist places of Arunachal Pradesh
- Value addition to Home Stay operators, which include renovation of 2 adequately sized well furnished rooms with attached toilet with shower, geyser and western toilet
- Purchase of various types of adventure tourism equipment such as rafts, kayaks, Quad bikes, lobs, lip lines, Bungee jumps etc.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Any Arunachal domicile can apply to avail the benefit of this scheme.
- The person will be interviewed and assessed by the District administration (District Tourism Officer) before he/she receives the benefit.

Benefits

- ✓ Direct loan subsidy of ₹5.00 lakh is provided to open Patisserie
- ✓ Home stays and procure equipment for adventure tourism

Documents Required

- For Homestays: Beneficiaries should be registered with the Dept. of Tourism. Those Homestay operators who have trained with the Dept. of Tourism will be given priority
- For Cab Service Operators and Patisseries, Food courts: Beneficiaries should be registered as tour operator with the dept. of Tourism

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Tourism Officer
2. CHIEF MINISTER’S PARYATAN SIKSHA YOJNA (CMPSY I AND II)

The need of trained professionals was felt for the growth of Tourism industry in the state. Thus, this scheme was launched to support training of individuals in the field of tourism.

**Objective**

- To promote tourism and develop the industry by means of trained individuals.

**Important Features**

- 8 students of the State will be sponsored to take up B. Sc (H&C) for 3 years degree course in prestigious Institute recognized by Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.
- 25 students of the State will be sponsored to take up Diploma course for one and half year in five demand driven categories being offered by the Food Craft Institute, Nagaon, Assam which is affiliated with National Council for Hotel Management and Catering Technology, Noida under the Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Any Arunachal domicile can apply to avail the benefit of this scheme.
- The person will be interviewed and assessed by the District administration (District Tourism Officer) before he/she receives the benefit.

**Benefits**

- Sponsorship to study and take up courses in the field of tourism (from the institutions prescribed above)

**Documents Required**

- The person must provide the requisite documents as demanded by the District Tourism Officer during the selection process.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Tourism Officer
3. CHIEF MINISTER’S SKILLED ADVANCED CERTIFICATE COURSE (CM-SACC)

In order to create Skilled Human Resources on Adventure Activities, Outdoor Safety and Ethics, CMSACC (Chief Minister Skilled Advanced Certificate Course) Scheme for unemployed APST was launched during the FY 2019-20 to provide hands-on training on Adventure Tourism activities through various Adventure Sports Courses in collaboration with NIMAS (National Institute of Mountaineering and Allied Sports), Dirang. Under this scheme, course fee of all adventure courses offered by the NIMAS, Dirang will be borne by the Department of Tourism for selected beneficiaries.

Objective

- To build up capacities in adventure activities with required knowledge of safety to promote adventure sports in different parts of the State for tourists visiting those areas.

Important Features

Training would include Basic, Intermediate and Advanced courses on the following:

- River Rafting, Water safety and Rescue Training
- Mountaineering, Trekking, Climbing, Rope Techniques & Safety
- Paragliding and aero sports related safety training
- Outdoor safety, First Aid and Camping ethics
- Mountain biking (Maintenance and training)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Basic Mountaineering Course. Physically and mentally fit. The trainee should not have undergone any major surgery or suffering from seizures, high blood pressure, heart related diseases, fracture or ligaments tear of knee, ankle and shoulder.
- Advance Mountaineering Course. It is for trainees who have obtained ‘A’ grade in Basic Mountaineering course.
- Method of Instruction and Search & Rescue Course. It is for trainees who have obtained ‘A’ grade in Advance Mountaineering course.
- Para Motor Course. The students applying for Para Motor course should be physically strong and capable of carrying Para Motor on their back weighing approx. 20-25 kgs. Students should not have Acrophobia (Fear of heights).
- Paragliding Course (P1 & P2 Level). This course is open to all however, the students should not have acrophobia.
- Paragliding Course (P3 Level). It is for trainees who have obtained ‘R’ for P3 Level in Basic & Advance Paragliding (P1 & P2 Level) from NIMAS, Dirang or any other reputed Institute. Student not meeting the qualifying standards of P2 will not be accepted for P3 level
- Expedition Course. It is for trainees who have obtained ‘A’ grade in Basic & Advance Mountaineering Course from any National Institute. Persons who have done mountaineering courses from NIMAS will be given preference.
- Mountain Terrain Biking Courses. Physically and mentally fit. MTB equipment including high end bikes will be provided to the students during the course. Advance course is for trainees who have obtained ‘A’ Grading in Basic Mountain Terrain Biking from NIMAS, Dirang or any other reputed Institute.
- White Water Rafting Courses. Physically and mentally fit. The trainees should know how to swim. Rafting equipment will be provided to the students during the course by the institute. Intermediate course is for trainees who have obtained ‘A’ Grading for Basic White-Water
Rafting from NIMAS, Dirang or any other reputed Institute.

- Scuba Diving Course. The trainees should know how to swim (100M). Acclimatization routine will be followed during High Altitude Scuba Diving course. Scuba diving eqpt will be provided to the students during the course by the institute. To be eligible for adv course the trainee should be Basic Scuba Course qualified from NIMAS/Army/ Navy/ PADI/SSI. For High Altitude Scuba diving course adv course is mandatory.

**MEDICAL FITNESS**

- The trainee should not have undergone any major surgery or suffering from seizures, high blood pressure, heart related diseases, fracture or ligaments tear of knee, ankle and shoulder.
- The Trainee should have IBW. Students more than 20% overweight not permitted.
- Max weight - 85 Kg., Minimum weight - 60 Kg, Min height - 160cm.
- Age below 40 years, Medical category SHAPE-1, free from all disease, Student between 41-47 yrs of age may be permitted for the adventure courses subject to signing of special over age certificate duly certified by a reputed doctor.

**Benefits**

- Training in adventure tourism activities listed under various adventurous sports courses as mentioned in the important features
- Certification for each course on completion

**Documents Required**

- Latest Medical Certificate (Not more than two months old).
- APST Certificate.
- Latest certificate from school/ college/ private company/Govt organization stating that you are studying.
- Copy of Aadhar Card (Mandatory).
- Five passport size photographs.
- Latest Medical Insurance Certificate (Mandatory for all Students).
- Advance/Intermediate/Expedition Courses only
- Mandatory Adventure Medical Insurance (Suggested list of Adventure Insurance Companies are mentioned in the NIMAS website)

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Director (Tourism), Govt of Arunachal Pradesh, Opp. RD Office Ganga, Itanagar, tourismdirectorap@gmail.com
- Tourism Information Officer, Directorate of tourism, takomkena@rediffmail.com
CENTRAL SCHEME

1. PM SVANIDHI (STREET VENDOR ATMANIRBHAR NIDHI)

PM SVANidhi was launched by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, on June 01, 2020, for providing affordable working capital loan to street vendors to resume their livelihoods that have been adversely affected due to Covid-19 lockdown. Ministry launched the web portal for the scheme on June 29, 2020 followed by the launch of the mobile application on July 17, 2020. The commencement of lending process under the scheme started on July 02, 2020. Due to the pandemic and consequent lockdowns livelihoods of street vendors have been adversely impacted and scheme was launched based on an urgent need to provide credit for working capital to the street vendors to resume their business.

Objective

- To facilitate working capital loan up to ₹10,000/-
- To incentivise regular payment and
- To reward digital transactions

Important Features

- The scheme is available for beneficiaries belonging to only those States/ UTs, which have notified Rules and Scheme under Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014.
- Available to all street vendors engaged in vending in urban areas as on or before March 24, 2020.
- Loan to be availed by Regional Rural Banks (RRBs), Small Finance Banks (SFBs), Cooperative Banks and SHG Banks
- In case of NBFC, NBFC-MFIs etc. interest rates will be as per RBI guidelines
- The network of lending institutions and digital payment aggregators like NCPI (for BHIM), PayTM, GooglePay, BharatPay, AmazonPay, PhonePe etc.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Vendors, hawkers, thelawala, rehriwala, theliphadwala, in different areas supplying goods and services at affordable rates at the doorstep of the city dwellers (Supplying vegetables, fruits, ready-to-eat street food, tea, pakodas, breads, eggs, textile, apparel, footwear, artisan products, books etc.)
Benefits

✓ Credit for working capital
✓ Provisional Certificate of Vending for vendors identified under survey but have not been issued the Certificate of Vending/ Identity Card
✓ Permanent Certificate of Vending and Identification Card immediately within a period of one month
✓ Access of loan to the vendors who have gone back to their native place due to the pandemic
✓ Urban street vendors will be eligible to avail the Working Capital (WC) loan of up to ₹10,000 with a tenure of one year and repaid in monthly instalments
✓ Interest subsidy @7% on timely/early repayment.
✓ Scheme incentivises digital transactions by vendors through cash back facility and on-boarded vendors get the same through monthly cashback in the range of ₹50/-⁻ ₹100/-

Documents Required

- Street vendors in possession of Certificate of Vending/ Identity Card issued by Urban Local Bodies (ULBs)
- Vendors who have been identified in the survey but have not been issued Certificate of Vending/ Identity Card
- Aadhar Card
- Bank Details (Aadhar seeded)

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Urban Local Body
- Municipal corporation
- Town Vending Committee, Dept. of Municipality and Town Planning
2. PRADHAN MANTRI AWAS YOJNA (PMAY-URBAN)

Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Urban) for ensuring housing for all in urban areas was launched on 25th June 2015 for implementation during 2015-2022.

Objective

- The Mission aims to provide to houses to all eligible families/ beneficiaries.

Important Features

- Slum rehabilitation of Slum Dwellers with participation of private developers using land as a resource
- Promotion of Affordable Housing for weaker section through credit linked subsidy
- Affordable Housing in Partnership with Public & Private sectors
- Subsidy for beneficiary-led individual house construction /enhancement

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- A beneficiary family will comprise husband, wife, unmarried sons and/or unmarried daughters. They can be from the following groups:
  - Urban slum dwellers
  - Economically weaker section (EWS) – annual income upto Rs 3 lakhs
  - Low income groups (LIG) – annual income between Rs 3-6 lakhs
- Middle income groups (MIG) – annual income between Rs 6-18 lakhs
- The beneficiary family should not own a pucca house either in his/her name or in the name of any member of his/her family in any part of India to be eligible to receive central assistance under the mission.

Benefits

- Slum redevelopment Central assistance of ₹1.00 lakh per house is admissible for all houses built for eligible slum dwellers under the component of In-situ Slum Redevelopment (ISSR).
- Interest Subsidy up to 2.67 lakh per house is admissible for Beneficiaries of Economically Weaker Section (EWS)/Low Income Group (LIG), Middle Income Group (MIG)-I and Middle-Income Group (MIG)-II seeking housing loans from Banks, Housing Finance Companies and other such institutions for acquiring/constructing houses.
- The interest subsidies of 6.5%, 4% and 3% on loan amount up to ₹6.00 lakh, ₹9.00 lakh and ₹12.00 lakh are admissible for a house with carpet area of up to 60, 160 and 200 Sq.Meter for EWS/LIG, MIG I and MIG II respectively
- The benefit for EWS/LIG beneficiaries under CLSS works out to as high as ₹6 lakh over a loan period of 20 years
- Central Assistance of ₹1.5 Lakh per EWS house is provided by Government of India in projects where at least 35% of the houses in the projects are for EWS category and a single project has at least 250 houses.

Documents Required

- Self-certificate/ affidavit needs to be submitted as proof of income
- Identity Proof - Aadhar Card/ Voter ID
- PAN Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Executive Engineer UD & Housing, District Level
3. NATIONAL URBAN LIVELIHOOD MISSION

Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (Urban) for ensuring housing for all in urban areas was launched on 25th June 2015 for implementation during 2015-2022.

Objective

- To reduce poverty by enabling the poor households to access gainful self-employment and skilled wage employment opportunities, resulting in appreciable improvement in their livelihoods on a sustainable basis, through building strong grassroots institutions of the poor.

Important Features

- The Employment through Skills Training & Placement (EST&P) Component under NULM is designed to provide skills to the unskilled urban poor as well as to upgrade their existing skills.
- The program provides for skill training of the urban poor to enable them setting up self-employment ventures and for salaried jobs in the private sector.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- The Community Organisers (COs) and professionals from Urban Local Body (ULB) will identify the prospective beneficiaries from among the urban poor.
- The candidates selected for training under EST&P component of NULM should be from the urban poor households only.
- No minimum educational qualification is required for prospective beneficiaries.
- S/he should not have undergone skill development training under the SJSRY/ NULM in any other trade during the last 3 years. The candidate can however be provided advanced training on the skills acquired in any previous training.

Benefits

- The program provides for skill training of the urban poor to enable them setting up self-employment ventures and for salaried jobs in the private sector.
- There is a provision for two-day training programmes for all street vendors to orient them of aspects such as their rights and responsibilities, maintenance of hygiene, etc.
- Daily stipend would also be given to the street vendors undergoing training. This would include trainer fee, food, and travel cost, subject to a maximum of ₹750 per person per day.
- Financial literacy sessions will be organized for identified citizens.
- Basic savings bank deposit account shall be opened for identified citizens

Documents Required

- Aadhar card/identity proof must be submitted during the time of enrolment
- School educational qualifications should also be declared at the time of enrolment (there is no minimum educational requirements to avail these benefits)
- Self-certificate/ affidavit needs to be submitted as proof of income
- Identity Proof - Aadhar Card / Voter ID and PAN Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Executive Engineer UD & Housing, District Level
4. SWACHH BHARAT MISSION (URBAN)

The government of India launched the Swachh Bharat Mission on October 2nd, 2014 to address the issue of sanitation. The urban component of the mission is implemented by the Ministry of Urban Development, and the rural component by the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation.

**Objective**
- The mission aims to eliminate open defecation, eradicate manual scavenging and create effective solid waste management.

**Important Features**
- Free household and community toilets are constructed under the IHHL- integrated household latrine component of this mission.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**
- All households with insanitary latrines
- All households with single-pit latrines

**Benefits**
- Monetary support for construction of household toilets.
- For North eastern and Hilly states, the Central government incentive will be ₹10,800 per unit.

**Documents Required**
- Scanned copy of Applicant’s Photograph (Mandatory)
- Bank Account Details (Mandatory)
- Scanned copy of First Page of Bank Passbook showing Account Details (Mandatory)
- If Applicant does not have Aadhaar No., then copy of Aadhaar Enrolment Slip is required
- Self-certificate/ affidavit needs to be submitted as proof of income
- Identity Proof - Aadhar Card/ Voter ID and PAN Card

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**
- Executive Engineer UD & Housing, District Level
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
1. HAR KHET KO PANI: PM KRISHI SINCHAYI YOJNA

Har Khet Ko Pani scheme as another component of PM Krishi Sinchayi Yojna covers Command Area Development and Water Management (CAD&WM), Minor Irrigation (both surface and ground water) and Repair, Renovation and Restoration (RRR) of water bodies. It focuses on providing an end-to-end solutions in irrigation supply chain.

**Objective**

- Creation of new water sources through Minor Irrigation (both surface and ground water) and development of Lift irrigation Systems
- Repair, restoration and renovation of water bodies; strengthening carrying capacity of traditional water sources, construction of rainwater harvesting structures (Jal Sanchay)

**Important Features**

- It focuses on source augmentation, distribution, ground water development, lift irrigation, diversion of water from water plenty to water scarce areas, supplementing rainwater harvesting beyond IWMP & MGNREGA, repair, restoration, renovation of traditional water bodies etc. – being implemented by MoWR, RD&GR.
- Also, on the diversion of water from source of different locations where it is plenty to nearby water scarce areas.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All farmers

**Benefits**

- Development of irrigation facility for all farms
- Employment opportunity available in convergence with MGNREG Scheme
- Better and efficient utilization of irrigation in farms

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Bank Account Details
- Address proof
- Passport size photograph
- Farmer Registration number

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Chief Engineer, Water Resource Department
1. ANGANWADI SERVICES SCHEME UNDER UMBRELLA ICDS

The Integrated Child Development Service (ICDS) Scheme providing for supplementary nutrition, immunization and pre-school education to the children is a popular flagship programme of the government. Launched in 1975, it is one of the world’s largest programmes providing for an integrated package of services for the holistic development of the child. ICDS is a centrally sponsored scheme implemented by state governments and union territories. The scheme is universal covering all the districts of the country.

**Objective**

- To improve the nutritional and health status of children in the age-group 0-6 years;
- To lay the foundation for proper psychological, physical and social development of the child;
- To reduce the incidence of mortality, morbidity, malnutrition and school dropout;
- To achieve effective co-ordination of policy and implementation amongst the various departments to promote child development; and
- To enhance the capability of the mother to look after the normal health and nutritional needs of the child through proper nutrition and health education.

**Important Features**

- Three of the six services of ICDS viz. immunization, health check-up and referral services are related to health and are provided through National Health Mission and Public Health Infrastructure.
- The services are offered at Anganwadi Centres through Anganwadi Workers (AWWs) and Anganwadi Helpers (AWHS) at grassroots level
- All components of ICDS except Supplementary Nutrition Programme (SNP) are financed through a 60:40 ratio (central: state).
- The Supplementary Nutrition Programme (SNP) component was funded through a 50:50 ratio. The North East states have a 90:10 ratio.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Children in the age group of 0-6 years
- Pregnant women and Lactating mothers
- AWW assist ANM in identifying the target group.

**Benefits**

- Under SNP, beneficiaries are given hot meals along with take-home rations. For children, the quantum of rations and meals received depends on their malnutrition levels.
- SNP is provided for 300 days at the rate of ₹8 per day for children and ₹9.50 per day for pregnant and lactating mothers
- Severely malnourished children are allocated ₹12 per day.
- Adolescent Girls (11-14 years out of school) are allocated ₹9.50 per day
- Scheme can be availed every month upon enrolment in the AWCs

**Documents Required**

- Birth Certificate of children
- Aadhar Card for Pregnant & Lactating Mothers

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Anganwadi Workers in the AWCs
2. SCHEME FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS (SAG)

A special intervention for adolescent girls called (SAG) was devised in the year 2010 using the ICDS infrastructure with an aim at breaking the inter-generational life cycle of nutritional and gender disadvantage thus providing a supportive environment for self-development of adolescent girls. SAG focuses on out of school adolescent girls in the age group of 11-14 years to motivate them to join the school system.

**Objective**

- To facilitate, educate and empower adolescent girls to enable them to become self-reliant and aware citizens
- It enables adolescent girls for self-development and empowerment
- Improve their nutrition and health status
- Promote awareness about health, hygiene, nutrition
- Support out of school adolescent girls to successfully transition back to formal schooling or bridge learning/ skill training
- Upgrade their home-based skills and life skills
- Provide information/ guidance about existing public services such as PHCs/ CHCs, Post office, Bank, Police station etc.

**Important Features**

- SAG would be implemented using the platform of Anganwadi Centres of umbrella ICDS scheme through AWCs
- The scheme has been extended with revised financial norms to all the districts of the country
- Nutritional provision to be given @ ₹9.5/- per beneficiary for 300 days in a year

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Out of schoolgirls in the age group of 11-14 years

**Benefits**

- Nutritional provision (18-20 grams of protein and micronutrients) in the form of Take-Home Ration (THR) or Hot Cooked Meals (HCM), whichever is feasible
- Iron and Folic Acid (IFA) supplement
- Health check-up and Referral services
- Nutrition and Health Education (NHE)
- Mainstreaming out of schoolgirls to join formal schooling, bridge course or skill training
- Life skill education, home management etc.
- Counselling/ guidance on accessing public services
- Kishori Health Card with complete information about an adolescent’s weight, height, Body Mass Index (BMI), IFA supplementation, deworming, referral services and immunization etc.
- Participation of beneficiaries in Kishori Diwas, conducted once in three months by Medical Officer/ ANM
**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- BPL Certificate
- Ration Card
- Enrolment/ registration at the nearest AWC

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Anganwadi Workers (AWWs) at the nearest AWC
3. CHILD PROTECTION SCHEME (CPS)

Child Protection Scheme (CPS) is a centrally sponsored scheme aimed at building a protective environment for children in difficult circumstances, as well as other vulnerable children, through Government-Civil Society Partnership.

Proposed in 2006 and implemented in 2009, the scheme is administered at the state level by state child protection committees and societies and at the district level by district child protection societies, among other institutions.

Objective

- To institutionalize essential services and strengthen structures for emergency outreach, institutional care, family and community-based care, counselling and support services at the national, regional, state and district levels
- To enhance capacities at all levels, of all functionaries including, administrators and service providers, members of allied systems including, local bodies, police, judiciary and other concerned departments of State Governments to undertake responsibilities under CPS
- To create database and knowledge base for child protection services, including MIS and child tracking system in the country for effective implementation and monitoring of child protection services
- Undertake research and documentation
- To strengthen child protection at family and community level, create and promote preventive measures to protect children from situations of vulnerability, risk and abuse
- To ensure appropriate inter-sectoral response at all levels, coordinate and network with all allied systems
- To raise public awareness, educate public on child rights and protection on situation and vulnerabilities of children and families, on available child protection services, schemes and structures at all levels.

Important Features

- ICPS brings together multiple existing child protection schemes of the Ministry under one comprehensive umbrella and integrates additional interventions for protecting children and preventing harm. The scheme therefore, would institutionalize essential services and strengthen structures, enhance capacities at all levels, create database and knowledge base for child protection services, strengthen child protection at family and community level, ensure appropriate inter-sectoral response at all levels.
- The scheme would set up a child protection data management system to formulate and implement effective intervention strategies and monitor their outcomes. Regular evaluation of the programmes and structures would be conducted, and course correction would be undertaken.
**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- The ICPS will focus its activities on children in need of care and protection and children in conflict as defined under the JJ Act and with children who come in contact with the law, either as victim or as a witness or due to any other circumstance.
- The scheme will also provide preventive, statutory and care and rehabilitation services to any other vulnerable child including, but not limited, to: children of potentially vulnerable families and families at risk, children of socially excluded groups like migrant families, families living in extreme poverty, scheduled castes, scheduled tribes and other backward classes, families subject to or affected by discrimination, minorities, children infected and/or affected by HIV/AIDS, orphans, child drug abusers, children of substance abusers, child beggars, trafficked or sexually exploited children, children of prisoners, and street and working children.

**Benefits**

- Access to 24*7 emergency phone (a four-digit toll free number: 1098) outreach services for children in crisis, which links them to emergency and long-term care and rehabilitation services
- Access to sanitation, safe drinking water, education, health care, recreational facilities etc. to homeless children, pavement dwellers, street and working children, child substance abusers and child beggars

**Documents Required**

- No documents required for Children in need of care and protection and Child Care Institutes (CCI) except for the order of CWC / JJB for placement of children in CCIs.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- All Dy. Director (ICDS) – cum – DCPO
- All CDPO (Hq) – cum – DCPO.
4. SWADHAR GREH

The Ministry of Women and Child Development is implementing the Swadhar Greh Scheme which targets the women victims of difficult circumstances who need institutional support for rehabilitation so that they could lead their life with dignity. The Scheme envisages providing shelter, food, clothing and health as well as economic and social security for these women.

Objective

Under the Scheme, Swadhar Greh will be set up in every district with capacity of 30 women with the following objectives:

- To cater to the primary need of shelter, food, clothing, medical treatment and care of the women in distress and who are without any social and economic support.
- To enable them to regain their emotional strength that gets hampered due to their encounter with unfortunate circumstances.
- To provide them with legal aid and guidance to enable them to take steps for their readjustment in family/society.
- To rehabilitate them economically and emotionally.
- To act as a support system that understands and meets various requirements of women in distress.
- To enable them to start their life afresh with dignity and conviction.

Important Features

- Construction grant for construction of the building will be admissible to State Governments, Municipal Corporations, Cantonment Boards and Panchayati Raj Institutions only.
- Land for this purpose is to be provided by the implementing agency free of cost.
- Rent for Swadhar Greh, if run in a rented building.
- Assistance for recurring and non-recurring expenditure for management of Swadhar Greh.
- Provision for food, shelter, clothing, medical care, pocket expense for residents and children.
- Provision of counselling, legal aid, vocational training and guidance.
- Women affected by domestic violence could stay up to one year. For other categories of women, the maximum period of stay could be up to 3 years.
- The older women above the 55 years of age may be accommodated for maximum period of 5 years after which they will have to shift to old age homes or similar institutions.
- Swadhar Greh facilities could also be availed by the children accompanying women in the above categories. Girls up to the age of 18 years and boys up to the age of 8 years would be allowed to stay in the Swadhar Greh with their mothers (Boys of more than 8 years of age need to be shifted to the Children Homes run under JJ Act/ICPS).
- The implementing agency would be responsible for the provision of vocational training of the residents through Skill Development Initiative (SDI) scheme of Ministry of Labour and Employment or Ministry of Skill Development. The amount of fees as per the actual expenditure incurred in the training course is reimbursable under the scheme.
**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Women who are deserted and are without any social and economic support;
- Women survivors of natural disasters who have been rendered homeless and are without any social and economic support;
- Women prisoners released from jail and are without family, social and economic support;
- Women victims of domestic violence, family tension or discord, who are made to leave their homes without any means of subsistence and have no special protection from exploitation and/ or facing litigation on account of marital disputes; and
- Trafficked women/girls rescued or runaway from brothels or other places where they face exploitation and Women affected by HIV/AIDS who do not have any social or economic support. However, such women/ girls should first seek assistance under UJJAWALA Scheme in areas where it is in operation.

**Benefits**

- Financial Assistance for Swadhar Greh
- Temporary residential accommodation with the provision of food, clothing, medical facilities etc.
- Vocational and skill up gradation trainings for economic rehabilitation of such women
- Counselling, awareness generation and behavioural trainings
- Legal aid and Guidance
- Counselling through telephone

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card
- Birth Certificate
- Address Proof
- Details of children (if any)
- Description of the problem and source of reference.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Dept. of Women and Child Development
5. POSHAN ABHIYAN

Poshan Abhiyan erstwhile National Nutrition Mission has been taken to address the malaise of under-nutrition by way of adopting a life cycle approach. Country has an inter-generational cycle of under-nutrition, so the life cycle needs to adopt and strengthened with continuum of care and focus on critical periods of nutritional vulnerability.

**Objective**

- To ensure convergence of all nutrition related schemes of Ministry of Women and Child Development on the target population
- Prevent and reduce Stunting in children (0-6 years)
- Prevent and reduce under-nutrition (underweight prevalence) in children (0-6 years)
- Reduce the prevalence of anaemia among young children (6-59 months)
- Reduce the prevalence of anaemia among women and Adolescent girls in the age group of 15-49 years
- Reduce Low Birth Weight (LBW)

**Important Features**

- The mission aims to reduce mal nourishment from the country in a phased manner
- It ensures convergence of AWCs, various schemes like PM-MVY, SAG, SBM, PDS, MGN-REGS etc.
- NITI Aayog is the nodal institution for monitoring and evaluation, periodically through their ‘Technical Support Unit’ to assess the progress and impact of the programmes
- AWCs are equipped with Mobile/Tablets to carryout household-wise, name-based, UID linked registration to ensure timely implementation and transparency
- Growth Monitoring Devices along with Infantometre, Stadiometre, Digital Weighing Scales (Infant), Digital Weighing Scales (mother & child) are also procured at AWCs

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Adolescent girls
- Pregnant women
- Lactating Mothers and
- Children from 0-6 years of age

**Benefits**

- Identification and monitoring of Under-nutrition
- Identification and monitoring of Stunting and wasting
- Identification of Low-birth weight
- Distribution of Iron tablets
- Mother-child health (MCP) card

**Documents Required**

- Aadhar Card

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Anganwadi Centres (AWCs)
6. MAHILA SHAKTI KENDRA (MSK)

The scheme focuses on the empowerment of women through “one-stop convergent support services with opportunities for skill development, employment, digital literacy, health and nutrition. The sub-scheme falls under the umbrella scheme Pradhan Mantri Mahila Sashaktikaran Yojna. The scheme works as an interface for rural women to approach the government to avail their entitlements and empower them through awareness generation, training and capacity building.

**Objective**

- To work at various government levels and provide technical support to the respective governments on issues related to women
- To give a foothold to women empowerment schemes through Beti Bachao Beti Padhao in 640 districts of the country

**Important Features**

- Women empowerment as a multi-dimensional service leverages upon various schemes at district/block level.
- Student volunteers are to cater the awareness across through block level intervention.
- A Task Force to set up under the chairmanship of District Collector with equal representation for oversight, monitoring, coordination, review and course correction of the functioning of the District Level Centre for Women (DLCW)
- Outcome Indicators would be
  - Percentage of women covered in the selected blocks through awareness and outreach activities of MSK
  - Percentage of women demanding services out of the women reached
  - Percentage of women provided with government scheme benefits/services out of total women demanding/in need of such services.

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- All rural women

**Benefits**

- Information on bank/repository on government schemes, programmes and services
- Details of schemes like the eligibility criteria, documentation, requirement, processing time, benefits, facilitating delivery, tracking status of applications
- Identify problem faced by women while applying for various government schemes, document the cases and report to relevant for a including DC office/ PRIs, to resolve the same

**Documents Required**

- For Task Force and Volunteers: Aadhar Card and Student registration with Schools
- For Women: Aadhar Card

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Level Centre for Women
7. PRADHAN MANTRI MATRU VANDANA YOJNA (PMMVY)

The Government of India has approved Pan-India implementation of PMMVY in all districts of the country w.e.f. 01.01.2017, for first child in the family. The scheme aims at providing partial compensation for the wage loss in terms of cash incentives so that the woman can take adequate rest before and after delivery of the first living child.

Objective

- To encourage and ensure improved health seeking behaviour amongst the Pregnant Women and Lactating Mothers (PW&LM)

Important Features

- A beneficiary is eligible to receive the benefit only once
- In case of miscarriage/still birth, the beneficiary would be eligible to claim the remaining instalment/s in the event of any future pregnancy
- After receiving 1st instalment, if the beneficiary has a miscarriage, she would only be eligible for receiving 2nd and 3rd instalment in the event of future pregnancy, and likewise for any future events
- Cash assistance is transferred through DBT in Bank/ Post Office Accounts only (through banks and post offices on-boarded on PFMS)

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All pregnant and lactating mothers except those in regular employment with the central government/ state government/ public sector undertaking who are already in receipt of similar benefits.
- Pregnant and Lactating AWWs/ AWHs/ ASHA may also benefit under this scheme

Benefits

✓ The eligible beneficiaries get ₹5,000/- under PMMVY and the remaining cash incentive as per approved norms towards Maternity Benefit under Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY) after institutional delivery so that on an average, a woman gets ₹6000/-
✓ First instalment of ₹1000/- on early registration of pregnancy at an AWC
✓ Second instalment of ₹2000/- after six months of pregnancy on receiving at least one ante-natal check-up
✓ Third instalment after the childbirth is registered and the child has received the first cycle of BCG, OPV, DPT and Hepatitis-B.

Documents Required

- Aadhar Card of both wife and husband
- Doctor’s prescription
- Acknowledgement from Anganwadi Worker/ ASHA/ ANM for record and future reference
- Mother-Child Protection (MCP) Card
- Bank Details of mother
- Birth Certificate as a proof of childbirth

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Anganwadi Centres (AWCs)/ approved Health Facility
8. C/O WORKING WOMEN HOSTEL

With the progressive change in the socio-economic fabric of the country more and more women are leaving their homes in search of employment in big cities as well as urban and rural industry clusters. One of the main difficulties faced by such working women is lack of safe and conveniently located accommodation. Provision of accommodation scheme for working women started in 1972-73. Now, the existing one has been revised to promote the availability of safe and conveniently located accommodation to working women who live away from their families due to professional commitments.

Objective

- To promote availability of safe and conveniently located accommodation for working women
- To make accommodation available to all working women without any distinction based on caste, creed, religion or marital status

Important Features

- Working women may be single, widowed, divorced, separated, married but whose husband or immediate family does not reside in the same city/area
- Particular preference may be given to women from disadvantaged sections of society
- Provision for reservation of seats for physically challenged beneficiaries
- Women undergoing training for job provided the total training period does not exceed one year
- Girls up to the age of 18 years and boys up to the age of 5 years, accompanying working mothers, will be provided accommodation

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Primary Beneficiary: Working women and their children
- Secondary Beneficiary: Implementing Agency

Benefits

✓ Primary Beneficiary: Working women will be entitled to hostel facilities provided their gross income does not exceed ₹50,000/- consolidated (gross) per month, in metropolitan cities, or ₹35,000/- consolidated (gross) per month in any other place
✓ Secondary Beneficiary:
  o Financial Assistance for hostels to be run in rented premises
  o Rent received from in-mates to be utilised for maintenance, security services, office establishment, expenditure towards water and electricity charges
  o One-time non-recurring grant at the rate of ₹75,000/- per inmate at the time of commencement of the hostel for furniture and furnishing
  o Cost of washing machine/ geyser/ Solar water heating system as approved by the Project Sanctioning Committee (PSC) will be reimbursed to the Implementing Agency along with final instalment on submission of receipts.
  o Grant for replacement of items like washing machine/ solar water heating agency will be sanctioned once in 5 years
  o A matching grant (50:50) for building construction may be offered to the corporate house under the scheme on public land only.

✓ Agencies like Self Help Groups (SHGs), Recognised College/ Universities along with other government agencies and corporates are categorised under secondary beneficiaries.
**Documents Required**

- **Primary Beneficiary**
  - Birth Certificate
  - Address proof
  - Aadhar Card
  - Bank Details
  - Income Certificate
  - Employment Letter

- **Secondary Beneficiary**
  - Documentary proof of the plot on which the building is proposed to be constructed being a public land
  - Prospectus of the agency/ association/ institution
  - Copy of the Annual Reports for the last three years
  - A copy of site-plan and building plan
  - PAN Card
  - Income Certificate
  - Construction plan for the working women hostel

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- District Women’s Welfare Committee
9. NATIONAL CRECHE SCHEME

The Centrally Sponsored Scheme for the working Mothers has been in effect in all States/UTs since January 2017. It was launched to cater the needs growing due to rapid increase in nuclear families and help working women in the organised sector (under Factories Act 1948, Mines Act 1952, Plantation Act 1951, Inter-state Migrant Workers Act 1980 and NREGA 2005). Need of the children of working women working in the un-organised sector still remains largely unaddressed.

**Objective**

- To provide day-care facilities for children (6 months to 6 years) of working mothers in the community.
- To improve nutrition and health status of children.
- To promote physical, cognitive, social and emotional development (Holistic Development) of Children
- To educate and empower parents/ caregivers for better childcare.

**Important Features**

- A part of the implementation of the scheme in the state would be shared by NGOs

**User Charges**

- BPL Families – ₹20/- per child per month
- Families (both Parents) with Income of up to ₹12,000/- per month: to pay an enrolment fee of ₹100/- per child per month
- Families (both Parents) with Income above ₹12,000/- per month: to pay an enrolment fee of ₹200/- per child per month

**Eligible Beneficiary/Group**

- Children belonging to the age group of 6 months to 6 years, of working women in rural and urban areas, who are employed for a minimum period of 15 days in a month, or six months in a year.

**Benefits**

**Primary Beneficiary**

- Day-care facilities including Sleeping Facilities
- Early Stimulation for children below 3 years
- Pre-school education to children of 3 to 6 years
- Supplementary Nutrition (locally sourced) – three times a day based on the stay of children for 71/2 hours in the creche, for 26 days in a month
- Growth Monitoring
- Health Check-up and Immunization having a tie-up with the nearby Anganwadi Centre (AWC)/ Public Health Centre (PHC)
- Work hour relaxation to working Mothers
Secondary Beneficiary

- Employment to females belonging to age group of 18-35 years
- Honorarium of ₹3000/- per month to Creche Workers, ₹1500/- to Creche helpers and ₹250/- to Doctors per visit per quarter

**Documents Required**

- BPL Card/ Ration Card
- Employment ID/ Certificate of the Parents
- Aadhar Card of the Parents
- Aadhar Card/ Voter ID/ or any other Identity Proof of the local guardian, if any
- Income Certificate of the Parents
- Registered Mobile number

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Anganwadi Centres (AWCs)
- Nearest Creche
- Dy. Director (ICDS)/ CDPO (Hq.)
STATE SCHEME

10. EXPOSURE VISIT/ EDUCATION TOUR OF RURAL WOMEN

The government of Arunachal Pradesh is providing financial assistance to the NGOs/SHGs to undertake Exposure Visit and Educational Tours of Women Groups to historical, cultural and economically developed places in different parts of the country under the “Scheme for Empowerment”.

Objective

• To inculcate awareness among the rural women about implementation of various women welfare and empowerment programme so that they are fully conversant with activities carried out by Self Help Groups to maintain their cultural heritage, economic upliftment etc.
• To visit and get insight on some income generation activities conducted by other organizations to replicate the best practices.
• To visit model cooperative to learn about its governance and progress.

Important Features

• The scheme intends to help the local women to adopt the best practices relating to gender empowerment from outside the state. Such educational tours also promote national integration.
• The maximum number of beneficiaries in a group shall not exceed 20 per year.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

• The scheme is intended to benefit the Rural Women groups (NGOs/SHGs) who are in the age group of 18 years and above.

Benefits

✓ Financial assistance to undertake exposure visit and educational tours

Documents Required

• Application Format
• Registration certificate for NGOs, except SHGs
• Memorandum/ Byelaws of the organization
• Bank account
• Annual report of the NGO/SHG for the last three previous years
• Name and full address, latest photograph of the Rural Women proposed to undertake exposure visit/educational tour
• The existence of the SHG should be certified by the concerned Deputy Commissioner.

Contact (for clarification/further information)

• Deputy Director (ICDS) of concerned District/ CDPO(HQ)

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11. IMPLEMENTATION OF MICROFINANCE VISION

The Scheme was launched on 29 December 2008 with a vision to promote 5000 SHGs to adopt Microfinance in the state.

Objective

- To form SHGs of women entrepreneurs having homogenous social and economic background, voluntarily coming together to save small amounts regularly.
- To provide access to financial services of savings and credit to women, especially the poor women.
- To organise and impart training to selected village workers for formation of SHGs, maintenance of Books of Accounts etc.
- To promote selected SHGs to adopt Microfinance and inculcate saving habit and repayment culture

Important Features

- The scheme focuses on poor women who are not able to gain access due to limited outreach of banking system in the state.
- This is to help people gradually shift from subsidy driven programme to market driven programmes.
- The scheme has been decided to be implemented in 8 districts: East Siang, Kurung Kumey, Upper Siang, Dibang Valley, Lower Dibang Valley, Lohit, Anjaw and Changlang.
- All Deputy Director and CDPOs shall function as Master trainers to train the village workers (AWWs) under this scheme. They should impart the training on formation of SHGs and books of Accounts etc.
- CDPOs should also monitor the progress of formation of the groups, subsequent performance, rating, bank linkages etc.
- The CDPOs are also responsible to identify the village workers with minimum education level of X std.
- A minimum of three groups must be formed by one worker. ICDS Supervisor and Gram Sevika shall provide necessary assistance to the AWWs.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- All Rural Women

Benefits

- Training regarding formation and monitoring of SHGs
- Maintenance of Book of Accounts
- Guidance to inculcate saving habit and repayment culture

Documents Required

- X std. Pass Certificate (relaxation to be provided only in certain cases)
- Aadhar Card

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- Deputy Director, ICDS
- CDPO, ICDS
- Anganwadi Workers (AWWs) at Anganwadi Centres (AWCs)
12. CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

The Arunachal Pradesh Scheme focuses on providing grant for Medical Treatment to Children with Special Needs residing in Child Care Institutions (CCIs) registered under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Child) Act, 2015. The scheme was initiated in the view of rise in the number of children with special needs in the state, who suffer from physical, developmental, behavioural and sensory impairment including cerebral palsy and do not have access to required care and facility.

Objective

- To provide financial grant to children with special needs residing in Child Care Institutions (CCIs) registered under relevant section of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act, 2015.
- To provide better environment of health care to such children

Important Features

- Scheme focuses on children with special needs by improving and enhancing health care facilities
- These children may have one or more of the following critical illness/ disabilities: Intellectual disability, slow learners, specific learning disability, Autism Spectrum Disorders, hearing and visual impairment, Loco-motor and neuro-motor disability, multiple disability, deaf blindness, mental illness; as declared by the board of Govt. physician/doctors, which require medical or surgical intervention

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Children with Special Needs residing in Child Care Institutions (CCIs) registered under relevant section of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act, 2015

Benefits

- Maximum limit of financial grant shall be ₹5.00 lakhs as one-time grant or as recurring cost per child including travel cost of the patient and an attendant
- Necessary fund to the District Child Care Protection Units (DCPUs) in the name of the child residing in Govt. run CCIs
- Necessary fund to the District Child Care Protection Units (DCPUs) in the name of the child residing in Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs)/Voluntary Organisations (VOs) CCIs

Documents Required

- Birth Certificate
- Aadhar Card
- Medical certificate declared by the board of Govt. physician/ doctors
- Registration under relevant Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection) Act, 2015

Contact (for clarification/further information)

- District Child Care Protection Units (DCPUs)
DEPARTMENT OF
YOUTH AFFAIRS
1. NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MOUNTAINEERING AND ALLIED SPORTS (NIMAS)

NIMAS was established in the year 2012 by Govt of India, Ministry of Defence, at Dirang, West Kameng district of Arunachal Pradesh with a holistic approach towards adventure sports. The institute was carefully crafted to offer training across land, air & water base – a first of its kind in the country that allows civilians to experience challenges across a variety of outdoor surface as well as pursue a carrier in adventure sports.

Objective

- Developing human resource by way of imparting vocational training in the field of Adventure sports as per the existing demand of the industry and create avenues for suitable livelihood and expending skill level to produce world class workforce in adventure sports.

Important Features

- The Institute will train civilians as well as service personals from across the India as well as abroad and 4 (four) vacancies reserved for the candidate sponsored by the department of Youth Affairs and Sports, Govt of AP as per the MOU signed in between the Department of Youth Affairs & Sports and NIMAS.
- However, vacancies may increase subject to the available of seats for the course and sponsorship offered by the state Govt.

Eligible Beneficiary/Group

- Age below 40 years, Medical category SHAPE-1, free from all disease
- Should be volunteer for undertaking course
- Physically fit and interested in Mountain climbing, risk taking.
- No formal educational qualification is prescribed but individual must be able to read and write in Hindi/English.

Benefits

- Sponsored training course offered (land base, water base and Air base)
- Training will be conducted by the specialized technical experts in the following courses: Advance, Basic Mountaineering course, Skiing, General Adventure Courses, Search & rescue, Method of Instruction, Mountain & Trek Guide, White water rafting, Kayaking & Canoeing, Para sailing/ Para Gliding/Hang Gliding, Hot Air Ballooning, Micro light/Power Hang Gliders, Scuba diving, MTB.
**Documents Required**

- Medical fitness certificate
- Education qualification certificate
- Residential certificate
- APST certificate
- Aadhar card/ Pan Card etc.

**Contact (for clarification/further information)**

- Director (Youth Affairs), Govt of Arunachal Pradesh, Chimpu, Itanagar
- Email Id: youthaffairsdept.ap@gmail.com
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