



SCHOLARSHIP POLICY

St. Joseph's College, Moolamattom constituted a vigilant Scholarship Cell that is committed to zero tolerance for failure in obtaining the optimum number of scholarships for its students since the inception of the college in 1981. Our students avail themselves of the following scholarships:

- **Government-sponsored scholarships**

1. **E-Grants scholarships**

E-Grants is a web-based solution for the timely disbursement of educational assistance to all eligible students at the UG, PG, and PhD levels, which is independent of availing other eligible scholarships. For students pursuing post-matric courses approved by the university or board

Eligibility: Students pursuing post-matric courses approved by the university or board students admitted under merit and reservation quotas students who belong to the categories of scheduled castes, other eligible communities, OBCs, and other communities who are socially and economically backward, including forward castes, students whose attendance is not below 75% at the end of each month

Income limit: Scheduled castes and Scheduled Tribes have no income limit; OBC (H), OEC income limit: Rs. 600,000; and General income limit: Rs. 1,00,000.

- For degree courses, reimbursement of tuition fees, special fees, and exam fees is subject to income limit
- For PG and professional courses: lump sum grant, monthly stipend, reimbursement of tuition fee, special fee, and exam subject to income limit
- The fee is sanctioned once in an academic year and paid to the institution's account.

2. **Fee Concession to SC/ST/OEC/OBC/General Students**

All students belonging to SC/ST/OEC are eligible for full tuition fee concession, monthly stipend, annual lump sum grant, university exam fee concession, and hostel fee concession, if needed.

3. **Kerala State Higher Education Council Scholarship (HECS)**

The Kerala State Higher Education Council (KSHEC) provides various scholarship programs to support students pursuing higher education in Kerala, India. One of these scholarship programmes is known as the "KSHEC Scholarship. However, specific details about the scholarship, including eligibility criteria and application procedures, can change over time.

Eligibility: First-year degree students of science, humanities, social science, and administration studies. Qualifying marks in the previous examination: For SC/ST, 45% in science and 40% in other subjects. For others, 50% in science and 45% in other subjects. Scholarship Amount: For UG, Rs. 12000 for the first year; Rs. 15,000 for the second year



(1st Renewal); and Rs. 24,000 per year (2nd Renewal) for the final year; for Post Graduation (for continuing education), Rs. 40,000 for the first year (3rd Renewal) and Rs. 60,000 for the second year (4th Renewal).

4. Merit Scholarship to the Children of School Teachers (MSCT)

Eligibility: Only children of primary and secondary school teachers are eligible. Scholarship Amount: For UG and PG, Rs. 50 per month for 3 years and 2 years, respectively.

5. State Merit Scholarship (SMS)

Eligibility: The applicant should have scored 50% or above in the qualifying exam and be a first-year student in UG or PG. The annual income of the parents or guardian from all sources should not exceed Rs. 10,00,000/-. Scholarship Amount: For UG, Rs. 1250 per year for 3 years. For PG, Rs. 1500 per annum for 2 years.

6. Hindi Scholarship (HS)

Eligibility: Hindi must be one of the subjects in the present study course. Only first-year students are eligible to apply for the scholarship. Scholarship Amount: For UG, Rs. 500 per month for 3 years; for PG, Rs. 1000 per month for 2 years.

7. Suvarna Jubilee Merit Scholarship (SJMS)

Eligibility: should be first-year students of UG or PG; should belong to the BPL family. Should have scored 50% or above in the qualifying examination. Scholarship Amount: For UG and PG, Rs. 10000 per annum, or 3 years and 2 years, respectively.

8. Blind/PH Scholarship (BPHFC)

Eligibility: blind, PH, or deaf students studying in UG and PG. Financial support: Free of charges for blind students whose family annual income is below Rs. 2.5 lakhs. Hostel charges are not apply to all PH students who are hostellers and whose family annual income is below Rs. 4.50 lakh. No Boarding charges for all PH students who are day scholars and whose family annual income is below Rs. 4.50 lakhs.

9. District Merit Scholarship (DMS) Renewal

Eligibility: Continued from +2 level up to UG level. Students scored A plus in all subjects in the previous March SSLC Examination, conducted by the Board of Public Examinations, Kerala State. Scholarship amount: Rs. 1250 per annum for 3 years.

10. SNEHAPOORVAM scholarship of the Kerala Social Security Mission

Eligibility: Orphans (die either father or mother) who are living in the family, with their relatives, friends, or with the support of the community. Scholarship amount: for UG and PG students, Rs. 10,000 per annum for 3 years and 2 years, respectively.



How to apply: Eligible candidates should fill out the application form in the prescribed format (link given below).

Then submit the application form along with relevant documents to the college office for further processing (on-line entry, verification, and submission to the KSSM office).

Documents required:

- Application form (mention the date of joining the course)
- Aadhar card, parent death certificate, BPL certificate, and income proof
- Educational certificate, bank details (joint account of student and guardian);

11. ASPIRE scholarship for PG/M.Phil./Ph.D.D. programmes

The ASPIRE scholarship programme is offered by Mahatma Gandhi University (MG University) in Kerala, India. This scholarship is intended to provide financial assistance to meritorious students pursuing postgraduate studies at MG University. ASPIRE stands for "Accelerated Student Progression for Integrated Resourceful Education.

Eligibility Criteria: The ASPIRE scholarship is typically awarded to students who have completed their undergraduate degree with high academic performance. The eligibility criteria may include a minimum percentage or grade point average (GPA) in the undergraduate programme.

12. H. Muhammedkoya Scholarship (CHMS)

Eligibility: Should belong to the Muslim, Latin, and Converted Christian communities and be a native of Kerala. Should be a girl student studying for the first year of graduation or higher courses. Should have scored 50% or above in the qualifying examination. The annual income of the parent or guardian should not exceed Rs. 6 lakh. Scholarship Amount: For UG: Rs. 4000 per annum for 3 years For PG: Rs. 5000 per annum for 2 years.

13. Joseph Mundassery Scholarsip (PJMS)

Eligibility: Meritorious students of the Muslim, Christian, Sikh, Buddah, Parsi, and Jains communities who are studying BA, BSc, or B.Com. in arts or science colleges Award: Rs. 15000 *each* given to outgoing students who score 80% in the UG final year examination and 75% in the PG final year examination.

14. Kerala State Backward Classes Development Corporation (KSBCDC) Scholarship

The economically backward OBC students will get educational scholarships and competitive assistance for their studies. The annual income of the parents or guardian from all sources should not exceed Rs. 1,20,000/-. Scholarship amount: Rs. 5000 per year to undergraduate and postgraduate levels for 3 years

15. PRATHIBHA Scholarship (KSCSTE, of Kerala)

Eligibility. The scholarship offered to meritorious BSc students of Botany, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, and Zoology should have qualified the Higher Secondary Board Examination with minimum 90% marks or equivalent grade for all subjects put together and minimum 90% marks or equivalent grade for all Science subjects



put together. (For the SC/ST reservation category, the eligibility is stipulated to be minimum marks of 80% or equivalent grade for all subjects in total and minimum marks of 80% or equivalent grade for all science subjects in total.

The objective of the programme is to motivate bright students to pursue higher studies in basic and natural sciences by awarding them scholarships. Prathibha Scholars are also provided opportunities to attend science orientation programs in reputed research laboratories in the state so as to introduce themselves to cutting-edge areas of research and interact with pioneers in science. The selected students are initially eligible for scholarships for the 3-year U.G. programme. The scholarship could be continued for 2-year P.G., 4th and 5th years of integrated P.G., and 1st and 2nd years of integrated Ph.D., subject to the guidelines of the scheme.

16. INSPIRE Scholarship (DST,India))

The scholarship offered to pursue undergraduate (UG) studies and continued till to postgraduate (PG) studies is based on Class 12 standard examination results (top 1%) of respective boards or within eligible rank in chosen few competitive examinations such as JEE (main), JEE (ad vaoced), NEET (AIPMT) and securing admission in the science stream (in any of the 18 identified subjects) at any recognized colleges, universities, or academic institutions in the country.

17. Post-Metric Scholarship (PMS)

Eligibility: Students belonging to economically weaker sections of minority communities (Muslims and Christians). 50% or equivalent grade in the previous final examination, and the annual income of the parents or guardian from all sources should not exceed Rs. 2 lakhs. Scholarship Amount: Rs. 5000 per annum for UG and PG students, and a maintenance allowance of Rs. 570 per month for Hostellers and Rs. 300 per month for Day Scholars.

18. PG Indira Gandhi Scholarship for a Single Girl Child

Eligibility: Any single girl child, being the only child of her parents, is eligible to apply for the PG scholarship scheme. The scheme is applicable to a single girl child who has taken admission to the first-year master's degree programmes. The age of the girl student should not exceed 30 years at the time of admission. Scholarship Rates: Rs. 2,000 per month for a period of two years only (10 months in the year), i.e., the full duration of a PG course.

19. Post-Metric Scholarships for Students with Disabilities (PMSD)

Eligibility: The scholarships are to provide financial assistance to the parents of students with disabilities for studying at the post-metric level. The financial assistance includes a scholarship, a book grant, an escort or reader allowance, etc. Selection of the beneficiaries under these two scholarship schemes is based on merit.

20. Central Sector Scholarship (CSS)

Eligibility: the applicant should have passed the Senior School Certificate Examination conducted by CBSE and have secured the total aggregate marks (in the first five subjects) equal to or above the following minimum marks as per the stream opted by the applicant. The annual income of the parents or guardian from all sources should not exceed Rs. 4.50 lakh. Scholarship Amount: For UG, 1000/- per month. For PG, Rs. 2000 per month



21. Merit Cum Means Scholarship

Income Limit: U.G. Rs. 2,50,000/-, P.G. Rs. 2,50,000/-Eligibility: marks in the qualifying examination

22. **Post-Matric Scholarship for Minority Category** Income Limit: Rs. 2,00,000/-; Eligibility: marks in the qualifying examination. **Vidya Samunnadhi for other Forward Community** Income Limit: U.G.: Rs. 2,00,000/-, P.G.: Rs. 2,00,000/

1. PG Merit Scholarship,

Applicable to those students who got rank or position I or II in the degree examination for doing a PG course.

1. College-sponsored scholarships
2. Endowments
3. Chandy Michael Manjakunnel Memorial Merit Scholarship

It was instituted by Prof. M.M. Chandy in memory of his beloved father, Chandy Michael Manjakunnel. It is awarded to the top-performing outgoing student in B.Sc. Chemistry.

Income limit: nil; eligibility: marks in the qualifying examination (B. Sc. Chemistry)

2. Sri. James Thomas Vengalil Memorial Scholarship

This award is instituted by the Vengalil family in memory of their son, Sri. James, who died in an accident while he was studying for the B.B.M. course at this college. The award is given to the top scorer in the B.B.M. final year examination conducted by the university and to students belonging to low-income groups on a merit-by-means basis.

3. V. A. Thomas Velamkunnel Memorial Scholarship

It is instituted by V. T. Thomas Velamkunnel in memory of his beloved father, Sri. V. A. Thomas, for the highest mark scorer in MSW.

4. St. Chavara Award:

The award was instituted by Dr. Joshy Varghese in honour of St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara for the favors received through his intercession. Rs. 5,000 each is awarded to the best-outgoing boy and girl of the college.

5. Prof. Thomas Sebastian Pariath Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is instituted by Mrs. Ancy Sebastian, Hamilton, Canada, in memory of her beloved husband, Prof. Thomas Sebastian, who was a teacher in the Department of Chemistry in the College during the period 1982-1986. It is awarded to a student of second-year B.Sc. Chemistry on merit-based means and to the toppers of first- and second-year M.Sc. Chemistry.



6. **Dr. Siby Joseph Memorial Merit Cum Means Award for Chemistry Students**

It was instituted by a well-wisher to give financial assistance to chemistry students on a merit-by-means basis. Rs. 5,000 each will be awarded to two students every year.

7. **Rev. Dr. Gilson John Silver Jubilee Award for Teachers' Publications**

It was instituted by Rev. Dr. Gilson John, CMI, former principal, to commemorate his Silver Jubilee of Priestly Ordination. It is awarded to the best publication of the staff members of the college.

8. **Dr. Siby Joseph Memorial Charitable Trust Scholarship for Chemistry Students**

It was instituted by the Edamala family and the Dr. Siby Joseph Memorial Charitable Trust. It is awarded to the toppers in B.Sc. and M. Sc Chemistry.

9. **K. J. Antony Kollamparambil Memorial Scholarship**

It was instituted by his son, Prof. K. A. Thomas (ret. faculty member of the department). It is given to the topper in macro economics.

10. **Department scholarship by the Postgraduate Department of English**

Awarded to the student of the college for securing the highest score in sixth semester BA English (V) Copy Editor Degree examination conducted by the Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam.

11. **The Department of Mathematics sponsored scholarships.**

This scholarship is instituted by the Mathematics Department of the College for the topper in MG University B. Sc. Mathematics Degree Examination.

12. **Best Social Worker Award**

This is awarded to the best social worker at the college and is instituted by the MSW Department.

13. **Sri K. J Joseph Kanattu Memorial Scholarship**

It is instituted by his son, Mr. Pramod Joseph, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, and is given to the topper in the First Semester, Core Paper.

14. **Management Award Scheme**

Management contributes a lump sum amount to this scheme, and this scheme is inclusive of awards to the toppers of UG and PG batches of all departments and to the needy students in the form of free shipping.

1. **PTA Awards**

2. **Sri. Jose Thomas Velamkunnel Memorial Scholarship**



This award is instituted by the P.T.A. to perpetuate the memory of Sri. Jose Thomas (Physical Director), who passed away in his prime, plunging the institution into great sorrow. Award gives to the outstanding athletes and sportsmen /women of the college.

2. P.T.A. Cash Awards

Award gives to the the toppers (from each faculty) in the M.G. University Final Year Examination.

1. Alumni-sponsored scholarships

1. Silver Jubilee Scholarship for Economics Toppers

It is instituted by the retired staff and alumni of the Dept. of Economics for the topper in the Economics University Examinations.

2. Award for Topper in Development Economics

It was instituted by the 1993–1996 batch for the highest mark scorer in development economics in the university examination.

3. Sanoj K. A Memorial Scholarship

It was instituted by the 1994–1997 batch in memory of Sanoj K. A., a batchmate who died in an accident. It is given to the topper in statistics in the university examination.

4. Award for Topper in Econometrics.

It was instituted by the 1995–1998 economics batch for the highest mark scorer in econometrics in the university examination.

5. Award for Topper in Microeconomics

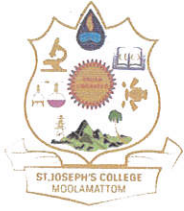
It was instituted by the 1996–1999 economics batch for the highest mark scorer in microeconomics in the university examination.

6. Ajitha C. K. Memorial Scholarship

The award was instituted by the 1997–2000 batch in memory of Ajitha C. K., a batchmate who died in an accident. The award is given to the topper in International Economics in the university examination.

7. Santhosh Kumar P. S. Memorial Merit Cum Means Scholarship for Economics Students

It was instituted by the 1999-2002 economics batch to give financial assistance to economics students on a merit-by-means basis.



8. Niyas Ismail Koorappallil Memorial Scholarship

The award was instituted by the 2008–2011 batch in memory of Niyas Ismail, a batch mate who died in an accident. It is given to the topper in Indian economy in the university examination.

9. Department of Physics Alumni Merit Scholarship

This scholarship was instituted by the alumni batch 1998–2001 of the department and is awarded to the Mahatma Gandhi University rank holders of this college in the B. Sc. Physics (V) Degree Examination.

10. Alumni Benevolent Scholarships

Voluntary contributions from alumni groups are accepted in college, and the same amount is disbursed to needy students in the form of scholarships or freeships.

Authorized Signatory

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Principal

St. Joseph's College, Moolamattom

