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## **The Dakshana Foundation** **Application to Become a Dakshana Scholar**

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application.

Full Name Subhash Ranjan

Dakshana Scholars are gifted, but impoverished students who aspire to attend The Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), but cannot afford to be coached professionally by a world-class IIT JEE coaching institute. The Dakshana Foundation provides comprehensive scholarships to gifted/impoverished adolescents who meet our criteria. These scholarships include 100% of tuition, boarding, lodging, books and incidentals. In order to be eligible to apply for becoming a Dakshana Scholar, **ALL** of the following conditions must be met:

1. You have cleared the entrance test of either Bansal Classes, Career Point, Resonance, Insight or FIIT JEE and done well enough for the management of the institute to confirm to Dakshana that the odds of your getting into IIT after 1-2 years of coaching are 25% or better. For example, at Bansal Classes, there are about 10,000 students who take the Bull's Eye entrance test and 2000 are accepted. In order to meet this criteria, you would need to have ranked in the top 25% of the 2000 accepted (1st 500). If you are unable to afford the fees for the entrance test or the travel costs etc. for the test, please submit your application if you meet all the other criteria. The Dakshana Foundation will evaluate your application and arrange for testing at its expense if the applicant fits our criteria and looks promising.
2. Must have atleast a 75% average in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics for every year (9th through 12th standard) that the applicant has completed.
3. The total typical household monthly income (total income of all members of your immediate family) is under Rs. 7,000 per month.
4. The total assets of your immediate family (including any savings, real estate or property) is under Rs. 1 Lakh.
5. You fully meet the IIT JEE Eligibility Criteria. See <http://www.jee.iitb.ac.in/eligibility.htm>
6. The Dakshana Foundation believes that the beneficiary of aid today is the donor of tomorrow. We believe that helping gifted, impoverished students get a world-class education has a very high return on invested resources to the individual, the family and the entire community. Dakshana Scholars have a voluntary moral (but not a legal or contractual) obligation to donate



10% of their monthly lifetime earnings back to the Dakshana Foundation to fund future Dakshana Scholars. They could also choose to give to any other charity of their choice. Or they can choose to give nothing. The choice is yours and we accept whatever you decide. After a few years, we fully expect Dakshana to be sustained and grow from this voluntary giveback and help an increasing number of impoverished and gifted children every year.

Sri. Manishankar Jha farmer Rs. 1666.60  
 Father/Guardian's Full Name Occupation Typical Monthly Income

Smt. Purnita Devi House wife Rs. Nil  
 Mother's Full Name Occupation Typical Monthly Income

Two brothers \_\_\_\_\_ Rs. Nil  
 Other Adult(s) in Household Occupation Typical Monthly Income

Rs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Approximate Value of all Household Assets

Rs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Typical Monthly Household Income

Rs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Household Savings

Owned  
 Is your parents' home owned or rented?

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Approximate area of Parents' Home (sq. Ft.)

Two  
 Number of bedrooms

Rs. \_\_\_\_\_  
 If rented, monthly rent.

J.N.V. Muzaffarpur  
 School attended for 10th Standard

Rs. Nil  
 Monthly School fees

Please answer the following with a **Yes** or **No**. Does your family have ...

No  
 Cable TV?

No  
 Scooter(s)/Motorcycle(s)

No  
 Phone

No  
 Car(s)

No  
 a Fridge

No  
 a Computer

Yes  
 Bank Account

Yes  
 Mobile Phone

Standard	Year	Total Percentage	PCM Percentage	Rank in School
9th	_____	_____ %	_____ %	___ out of _____ students
10th	<u>2007</u>	<u>83.8</u> %	<u>87</u> %	<u>19<sup>th</sup></u> out of <u>80</u> students
11th	_____	_____ %	_____ %	___ out of _____ students
12th	_____	_____ %	_____ %	___ out of _____ students

(Please attach a copy final marksheets/report cards for all four years. If you have not done 11th or 12th standard yet, please leave blank.)

I hereby do attest that all of the information submitted in this application is correct and authentic and that I meet all of the above mentioned criteria to apply for being named a Dakshana Scholar:

Subhash Ramji  
Student Signature

01/10/07  
Date

Please write an essay (in English or Hindi) of upto 500 words which begins with:  
(you can use this form or a separate piece of paper. Please submit the essay in your own handwriting)

I'd like to become a Dakshana Scholar and hopefully attend IIT because I want to fulfill the desire of my parents. And I also know my ability that I may face the entrance test of IIT. But my father is not so wealthy that he may send me to Kota or any other place to study or for special classes of IIT. It is only the Dakshana that helps the boy like me. It helps the boy who are talented but can not afford to go for special classes or any other tutorials because of their high fees or by means of book. So in order to courage these boys Dakshana takes a entrance test and fully helps them. So I also wanted to become a Dakshana Scholar and hopefully attend IIT to fulfill mine ~~my~~ and my parents hope. I also want to help the boys like me in future for this also I like to become Dakshana Scholar and hopefully attend IIT.

Subhash Ranjan