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The Dakshana Foundation Application to Become a Dakshana Scholar



Full Name Jyoti Thakur

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.

Sh. Ramesh Th.
Father/Guardian's Full Name

Shopkeeper
Occupation

Rs. 3500
Typical Monthly Income

Smt. Rekha Th.
Mother's Full Name

Housewife
Occupation

Rs. -
Typical Monthly Income

-
Other Adult(s) in Household

-
Occupation

Rs. -
Typical Monthly Income

Rs. -
Total Approximate Value of all Household Assets

Rs. 3500
Total Typical Monthly Household Income

Rs. -
Total Household Savings

Owned
Is your parents' home owned or rented?

-
Approximate area of Parents' Home (sq. Ft.)

02
Number of bedrooms

Rs. -
If rented, monthly rent.

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School attended for 10th Standard

Rs. -
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

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Bank Account

NO
Mobile Phone

Standard	Year	Total Percentage	PCM Percentage	Rank in School
9th	2005-2006	90.0%	93.5 %	2nd out of 75 students
10th	2006-07	92.2%	97.5 %	1st out of 71 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:

Ati
 Student Signature

16 September 2007
 Date

25th December 1991

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 do something different in my life & my goal is to do IIT. I want to be a successful software engineer, but as at this time a perfect coaching is must needed to clear every competitive exam. Now only hard-work does not matter. Competitive approach is also very much important with hard work. Only then we can successfully clear competitive examinations. But every one can not get coaching from any best coaching institute because it requires a plenty of money. & many students who ~~are~~ have god gifted intelligence can not afford money & remain back in the race of life. I ~~was~~ also confused that what will I do if I can not get coaching but it's my luck that Dakshana foundation gave us a opportunity to get

perfect coaching for IIT. Such that the students who can't afford for money they also get competitive coaching & make their dreams true. I also want to clear IIT & I am sure that if I will get coaching then I will clear this examination. After doing IIT I want to serve for my family, serve for my country & I want to help all those students who are intelligent have great potential to clear competitive examinations but due to poor family background can't get perfect coaching & remain as they are. So I am very thankful to Dakshana foundation that it has given me such a great opportunity. It is like a god gift for me. Now I will surely get benefit by this coaching & clear IIT examination to make my dreams true. It sounds me very happy that I am a dakshana scholar today. So now I will work hard & get success & inspire all other students those are like me that nothing is impossible.