

DEPARTMENT OF SAINIK WELFARE, MAHARASHTRA STATE
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM BENEVOLENT FUND

Sr No	Schemes		Amount in Rupees
1.	Maintenance Grant		
	(a)	Maintenance Grant to Widows/ Old age Ex- Servicemen above 65 years, who have no source of income and orphan child (for one year)	Rs.2000/- to Rs. 3000/- per month for one year or Rs. 20,000/- to 30,000/-
	(b)	Financial Assistance to widows of ex- servicemen till receipt of family pension for one year	Rs.2000/- per month for one year.
2.	Daughter's Marriage		
	(a)	One daughter of Ex-Serviceman	Rs. 10,000/-
	(b)	Two daughters of disabled soldiers	Rs. 12,000/- each
	(c)	Two daughters of widow of Ex-Serviceman	Rs. 16,000/- each
	(d)	All daughters of War widows	Rs. 30,000/- each
	(e)	All Orphan daughters of ESM/Widows	Rs. 30,000/- each
3.	Medical Treatment		
	(a)	Medical Treatment (Non-pensioner ESM)	Upto Rs. 1,25,000/-
	(b)	Hearing Aid	Upto Rs. 5,000/- one time
	(c)	Denture	Upto Rs. 5,000/- one time
	(d)	Cataract Eye Operation	Upto Rs. 5,000/-
	(e)	Tricycle/wheelchair for disabled person	Rs.8,000/- to Rs. 15,000/-one time
	(f)	Kubadi for disabled ESM/dependent	Actual Expenditure
	(g)	To take care of seriously ill ESM/dependent after operation	Rs. 1000/- pm for one year or 10,000/- one time
	(h)	Financial assistance to mentally retarded/ 50 % disabled children of ex-servicemen:-	
	(i)	Medical	Rs. 300/- per month
	(ii)	School going children	Rs. 200/- per month
	(iii)	For skill development training	Rs. 600/- per month
	(iv)	For self employment	50% of loan or Rs. 34,000/- maximum
	(j)	Financial Assistance to disabled Ex- Servicemen undergoing treatment in Paraplegic Center, Kirkee, Pune	Rs. 2000/- per month
4.	Education		
	(a)	School Education up to 12th Std. (Financial assistance to children of Ex-servicemen studying in Govt recognized unaided schools for Books, Uniform & Tuition Fee)	Upto Rs. 2000/- per year
	(b)	College Education (Financial assistance to children of Ex-servicemen studying in Govt recognized unaided colleges)	To the extent of tuition fee charged in Govt, recognized aided College or Rs. 7000/- whichever is less.
	(c)	Financial Assistance to children of Ex-servicemen studying in Aided/Unaided/ Govt. Colleges (Engineering, Medical, Business Management, etc. professional courses except BCA, BBA, B.Ed., B.P.Ed	Graduate/PG- Rs. 20,000/- Diploma Courses - Rs 10,000/- except D.Ed. Medical – Rs 40,000/- (MBBS, BDS, MD)
	(d)	Financial Assistance to children of ESM studying in Aided/ Unaided Govt Colleges for BCA, BBA, B.Ed., B.P.Ed., B.Sc.(Agrec) & B.Sc.(Computer Science) courses recognized by State Govt.	To the extent of tuition fees charged in Govt recognized aided college/institutes or Rs. 10,000/- for Degree Courses

	(e)	Financial Assistance to children of ESM studying in D.Ed./D.T. Ed Course	Rs. 6000/- per annum
	(f)	Scholarship Schemes	
		1. Secondary School exam (10th Std) with 60% & above marks	
		I. First 15 students	Rs. 2500/- per annum
		II. Next 16 to 30 students	Rs. 2000/- per annum
		III. Thereafter to AB students**	Rs. 1500/- per annum
		2. 10th and 12 th with 60% & above marks and studying in Diploma course	Rs. 2500/- per annum
		3. Higher Secondary School exam (12 th Std) with 60% and above marks for All students	
		I. Medical Engineering/Ayurveda/ Homeopathy	Rs. 5000/- per annum
		II. For all students studying in faculties of Arts/Commerce/Science. M.Ed, B.Ed. D.Ed. colleges/Law and other Polytechnic Colleges.	Rs. 2500/- per annum
		4. For all students with 60 % and above marks in degree Exam & studying in post graduation	Rs. 6000/- per annum
		5. First 10 students in every District studying Ph.D, M Phil/ Equivalent exam etc.	Rs. 12,000/- per annum
		6. Students passed in HSC exam with 60% above marks and studying in professional Graduation /Post Graduation /Diploma and in other state	(i) Graduation – Rs 5000/- (ii) Post Grad – Rs 6000/- (ii) Diploma – Rs 2500/-
	(g)	Foreign Education	Rs. 50,000/- per annum (for 3 yrs)
	(h)	Financial Assistance to children of Ex- servicemen studying in unaided /Govt Colleges {Engineering, Medical, Business Management, etc. professional courses except BCA, BBA, B.Ed., B.P.Ed., B.Sc.(Agrec) & B.Sc.(Computer Science) in Other States.	Graduate/PG - Rs.20,000/- Diploma Courses - Rs 10,000/- except D.Ed. Medical - Rs 40,000/- (MBBS, BDS, MD).
	(j)	Financial Assistance to children of ESM studying in Aided/Unaided/Govt Colleges for BCA, BBA, B.Ed., B.P.Ed., B.Sc.(Agrec) & B.Sc.(Computer Science) courses recognized by State Govt. in Other States.	To the extent of tuition fees charged in Govt recognized aided college/institutes or Rs. 10,000/- for Degree Courses
	(k)	Financial Assistance to children of ESM studying in D.Ed./D.T.Ed Course in Other State.	Rs. 6000/- per annum
	(l)	Pocket money to Children of Ex- servicemen who get admission in NDA, Khadakwasla, Pune	(i) Officers - 50% of Fees (ii) JCOs - 75% of Fees (iii) ORs - 100% of Fees
	(m)	Financial Assistance to Children of Ex- servicemen studying in SPL Aurangabad	Rs. 32,000/-
	(n)	Incentive to children of ESM who get admission in NDA/IMA/OTA etc.	Rs. 50,000/-
	(o)	Financial Assistance to Ex-servicemen/ children of Ex-servicemen for Preparation of competitive exam	50% of fee or Rs. 5000/- whichever is less. \
	(p)	Financial Assistance to Ex-servicemen/ Widows/Children of ESM studying at Govt. recognized private professional courses such as Nursing/Catering/Tailoring etc.	Upto Rs. 6000/- per year
	(q)	Computer Training to wards of Ex- servicemen:-	
		(i) For courses of 6 months and more duration	Rs. 4000/-
		(ii) For courses of 6 months to 1 Year duration	Rs. 6000/-
		(iii) For courses of 1 Year & above duration	Rs. 8000/-
	(r)	ESM wards studying in Sainik School:-	

		(i) Satara Sainik School/Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	Upto Rs.32,000/- per year.
		(ii) Other Sainik School recognized by State Govt.	Upto Rs. 15,000/- per year.
	(s)	Financial assistance to the ESM who have completed educational qualification for the post of Gramsevak and Shikshan Sevak	Rs. 5000/-
	(t)	Incentive to Ex-servicemen/widow/ dependent children who take coaching from Govt approved institute for Preparation of competitive exam for IAS/ IPS/Class A Officers and selected.	Rs 25,000/-
5.	Self-employment		
	(a)	Training/Courses for self employment (For Ex-Servicemen only)	Upto Rs. 3,000/-
	(b)	Self employment (For Ex-Servicemen only)	50% of the project cost or maximum Rs. 3 Lakhs.
	(c)	Self employment pravartak's commission	3% of project cost or Rs. 6000/- whichever is less.
	(d)	Driver's training to dependent of ESM	1000/- one time
	(e)	Self help groups of Widows & Wives of ESM	50% of the project cost or maximum Rs. 10 Lakhs.
	(f)	To NGOs sponsored by ZSWOs & recommended by NABARD & DRDA for providing guidance/help for establishment of self help groups of Widows & wives of ESM.	Rs. 8000/- in three installments.
6.	Financial assistance for other reasons		
	(a)	One time assistance to NOK of service personnel killed in Action (Battle Cas)	Rs. 40,000/- one time
	(b)	One time assistance to NOK of service personnel killed while in service other than BC (Physical Casualties)	Rs. 75,000/- one time
	(c)	Financial assistance to soldiers disabled due to reasons other than war/operation (Physical casualty)	
		(i) 20% to 50 % disability	Rs. 40,000/-one time
		(ii) More than 50% disability	Rs. 75,000/-one time
	(d)	Financial assistance to ESM having more than 65% blindness	Rs. 2000/- p.m.
	(e)	Funeral Allowance	Rs. 10,000/- one time
	(f)	Free Bus travel Upto 2500 Kms to War Widows & Gallantry Awardees (Chakra Series of awards)	As per latest semi luxury ST Bus fare.
	(g)	MS-CIT Computer Course ESM/Widow	Rs. 2500/-
	(h)	Financial Assistance for natural calamities	Rs. 500/- to Rs. 10000/- Max
	(j)	Vishesh Puraskar for extra ordinary work at International/National Level	
		(i) National Level	Rs. 10,000/-
		(ii) International Level	Rs. 25,000/-
		(iii) Wards of ESM passed in the SSC & HSC Board Exam and obtained 90% and above marks. The award will be given to first five students who come in the merit list of every SSC & HSC 10 divisional board of Mah state.	Rs. 10,000/-
		(iv) Wards of ESM who stood first in University in Graduation or PG exam	Rs 10,000/-
		(v) Wards of ESM obtained admission in IIT, IIM & AIIMS	Rs 25000/-
	(k)	Financial assistance to the wards of ESM undergoing courses run by PCTC, Nashik	To the extent of fees charged by PCTC Nashik or Rs. 5000/- Max.
	(l)	Financial assistance to the wards of ESM undergoing training at PRTC, Satara/ MSTC, Kolhapur/Buldhana	50% of fee or Rs. 2000/- whichever is less.

7.	Hutments		
	(a)	Hutment to War Widow Pre 1-4-97 cases	Rs 1,50,000/-
	(b)	Hutment to War Widow - Wef 1.4.1997	
	(c)	Hutment to widows of soldiers died while in service (Physical Cas) - wef 31.5.2001	
	(d)	Financial Assistance to Ex-Servicemen for construction of house	Rs 50,000/-
	(e)	Financial Assistance to ESM Widow for construction of house	
	(f)	Addition/alteration in the own house to help disabled ESM having more than 65% disability	Upto Rs.50,000/- one time

6. Ex- gratia by Government of Maharashtra			
	(a)	NOK of martyrs	50 lakh
	(b)	Disabled Soldiers	5-15 lakh
7. Free Travel			
	(a)	Free travel to Veer Naris in MSRTC Buses	Free passes issued
8. Amount of Maharashtra Gaurav to Soldiers & Officers in various categories			
	(a)	Param Veer & Ashok Chakra	Rs 60 Lakh from Rs 30 lakh
	(b)	Sarvottam Yuddha Seva Medal, Mahaveer Chakra, Kirti Chakra	Rs 36 lakh from Rs 18 lakh.
	(c)	Uttam Yuddha Seva Medal, Veer Chakra, Shaurya Chakra, Yuddha Seva Medal	Rs 24 lakh from Rs 12 lakh
	(d)	Military, Navy and Air Force Medals	Rs 12 lakh from Rs 6 lakh
	(e)	Mention in Despatch	Rs 6 lakh from Rs 3 lakh
	(f)	Ati Vishisht Seva Medal	Rs 2 lakh from Rs 1.03 lakh
	(g)	Param Vishisht Seva Medal	Rs 4 lakh from Rs 2.04 lakh
	(h)	Military, Navy and Air Force Medals	Rs 1.5 lakh
	(j)	Vishisht Seva Medal	Rs 1 lakh from Rs 40,000