

Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports
NPYAD

The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, with the approval of the competent authority has decided to revise the eligibility criteria for seeking financial assistance under the Scheme of National Programme for Youth and Adolescents Development(NPYAD). The revised eligibility criteria, as given under, will be applicable for grants-in-Aid for the year 2012-13. The Ministry will shortly call for applications for financial assistance under the Scheme of NPYAD from all the eligible organizations, along with the other terms and conditions.

Existing eligibility criteria as per Scheme Guidelines	Revised eligibility criteria
5.1The following organizations are eligible for financial assistance under the scheme (a)All India Organisations(AIOs) i.e., (i)Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan(Head quarter) for Nehru Yuva Kendra's; (ii)National Service Scheme (Programme Advisor Cell) for NSS Units; (iii)Bharat Scouts and Guides(Head quarters) for their own Units; (iv)Universities including deemed Universities. (v)Association of Indian Universities (vi)Himalayan Mountaineering Institute, Indian Mountaineering Foundation, Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering and Winter Sports and other adventure institutes recognized by the Ministry. (vii)Empanelled/recognized organization of the Department of Youth Affairs for implementation of the Scheme of Promotion of National Integration, Promotion of Adventure; and	5.1The following organizations are eligible for financial assistance under the scheme: (a)All the autonomous organizations whether partially or fully funded by the Government, registered Societies, Trusts, NGOs registered under the relevant Acts, for the last five years and actively working in the field of Youth Development for the last three years. (b)Universities including deemed universities and Association of Indian Universities. (c)State Level Organisations(SLOs) i.e. (i)State Departments/Directorates for Youth Affairs/Youth Welfare and other District Level Offices in States; (ii)Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies; (iii)Educational Institutions including Polytechnics. (d) The organization must have, on an average, an annual turn over of Rs. 5.0 lakhs for the last three years duly authenticated by a Chartered Accountant (e) The organization must have an active website and web address (f) All the applications for grants under the Scheme must be received electronically on-line within the stipulated time limit. (g) The organizations seeking grants must also be prepared to make a presentation before the designated authority whenever asked to do the same and failure to do so may debar them from

Development and Empowerment of Adolescents;	receiving any future grants from the Government.
(b)State Level Organisations(SLOs) i.e. (i)State Governments, State Departments/Directorates for Youth Affairs/Youth Welfare and other District Level Officers in States; (ii)Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies; (iii)Educational Institutions including Polytechnics and	(h) The organizations seeking grants must be able to complete the programme and submit the Utilization Certificate(UC) within the financial year in which the grant is being sanctioned. (i) The organizations seeking grants will clearly indicate the schedule of the programme and organizations who have been sanctioned grants by the Ministry will duly inform the Ministry about the commencement of the programme, one week prior to the commencement of the programme. The organization will also facilitate the inspection of the programme by an officer of the Ministry or any other person authorized by the Ministry. The organization must ensure that the inspection takes place during the currency of the programme. Inspection conducted after completion of the programme will not be recognized by the Ministry. (j) The PAC while deciding the G-I-A shall also decide whether the grant will be given in lump-sum or in installment and in the later case the proportion to be given in the installment will also be decided by the PAC. (k)The grants-in-aid whether given in installment or lump-sum shall be settled with in the financial year in which it is released. (l) All the grantees shall follow the provisions contained in Government of India's General Financial Rules, 2005, wherever applicable.
5.2 The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports will receive proposals directly from All India Organisations mentioned at para 5.1(a) above. Proposals from State Level Organisations will have to be routed through the concerned State Government/UT administration, who will verify the authenticity and feasibility of the project	5.2 The Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports will receive proposals directly from all the Organizations mentioned at para 5.1(a) and (b) above. Proposals from State Level Organizations will have to be routed through the concerned State Government/UT administration, who will verify the authenticity and feasibility of the project proposal through a designated State Level Screening Committee(SLSC) constituted for the purpose before recommending to the Ministry indicating

proposal through a designated State Level Screening Committee(SLSC) constituted for the purpose before recommending to the Ministry indicating their priority. 5.2(i)The Youth Leadership and Personality Development Programme will be implemented through Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan(NYKS). 5.2(ii)The Technical and Resource Development Programme will be implemented through Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development(RGNIYD)	their priority. 5.2(i)The Youth Leadership and Personality Development Programme will be implemented through Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan(NYKS). 5.2(ii)The Technical and Resource Development Programme will be implemented through Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development(RGNIYD). 5.3 Penal action will be taken against organizations not fulfilling the requisite provisions and will be black-listed for any future grants from the Government.
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