



Procedure of Implementation:

The Chief Minister's Award for Educational Excellence will be awarded in a State level function to be held on an important state/national day every year. The procedure for implementation of the Award will be as below:

- A Notification for submission of applications by the colleges will be issued by the Department of Higher Education, Government of Manipur.
- The colleges will apply to the Director, University and Higher Education for the Award along with all the supporting documents/photographs/videos.
- A Screening Committee duly constituted by the Department will screen all the applications received from the colleges and draw a merit list of the colleges based on the marks scored by them in different criteria/parameters.
- The recommended colleges will be formally approved by the Department of Higher Education.
- The award will be presented to the selected colleges on the State Level Teacher's Day.

Fund/Budget of the Award:

The required expenditure for institution of the award will be earmarked in the Budget of the Higher Education Department in a separate Head of Account.

Continuation of the Award:

The presentation of the award will continue in successive academic years with effect from 2024-25 till such time as the Government decides to do so.



**DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR**

**CHIEF MINISTER'S AWARD FOR
EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE**



"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."

Implemented by:

**DIRECTORATE OF UNIVERSITY & HIGHER EDUCATION
GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR**

**"An Initiative to boost the overall development
of the college students of Manipur"**



Introduction

National Education Policy 2020 aims at developing students into good, thoughtful, well rounded and creative individuals. The education we impart at our institutions of learning should enable our students to learn the arts, culture, literature, customs and traditions of the land and instill in them a sense of patriotism and love for the motherland while equipping them with knowledge on various domains of studies. It is through the development of strong sense and knowledge of their own cultural history, arts, languages and traditions that the students will be able to build a positive cultural identity and self-esteem for themselves in the future.

Today's students will be tomorrow's administrators, doctors, engineers, teachers and policy makers and therefore, it is important that we impart right education to our students today so to enable them develop right values for carrying on with the rich legacy of our land. We can build a robust society only when we instill right values to our students while they are learning in the educational institutions.

It is with this vision that the Department of Higher Education, Government of Manipur, is instituting a special award called **'Chief Minister's Award for Educational Excellence'** for the college students of Manipur with effect from academic session, 2024-25. This initiative is meant to recognize and incentivize the Government and Government Aided Colleges of Manipur which excel in overall development of the students in all the aspects of learning domains/fields.

Objectives

The objectives for the institution of the Award are:

- To encourage college students of Manipur to work harder for attaining higher learning standards;
- To encourage the students to learn arts, culture, literature, customs and traditions of the land and instill in them a sense of patriotism and love for the motherland while acquiring knowledge on various domains of study;



- To develop a conducive teaching-learning environment in the campuses of the colleges of Manipur; and
- To improve overall learning quality of the students in the colleges of Manipur to achieve the targets set by National Education Policy, 2020.



The Award Components:

The Chief Minister's Award for Educational Excellence will be awarded to the Government and Government Aided Colleges of Manipur with good performances of the students in various fields. The Award comprises of the following components:

Prize	Incentives	Eligible Institutions
1st Prize	Certificate and Cash prize of Rs. 5 Lakh	All Government and Government Aided Colleges of Manipur
2nd Prize	Certificate and Cash prize of Rs. 3 Lakh	
3rd Prize	Certificate and Cash prize of Rs. 2 Lakh	
Commendation Prizes (next 5 colleges on merit)	Certificate and Cash prize of Rs. 1 Lakh each	



Criteria for selection of the colleges for the Award

The criteria for selecting the colleges for winning the Award will be based on the marks scored by the colleges on various criteria/parameters. The criteria/parameters along with the weightage are as detailed below:

Sl.	Criteria	Score/Weightage
1	Overall Attendance of the Students	15
2	Conduct of Assembly of Staff & Students and its activities	15
3	Sports, Cultural, Literary and other Co-curricular activities & achievements	15
4	Overall Academic Performance in the University Examinations	15
5	Students Progression and Placement after passing out of the College	15
6	Best practices for students welfare & development	15
7	Community and extension service of the students	10
TOTAL:		100

