Policy Document for Financial Aid to the Students

Our Aim: Vidya Jyothi Institute of Technology, Hyderabad strongly believes that no student should be deprived of an opportunity to study due to financial barriers. Our purpose is to provide financial support for the education of Students to enable them to make informed choices, build stronger families, communities and economies.

Our policy:

- Liberal Scholarships will be given to students on the basis of excellence in
  - Academics
  - Sports
  - Cultural Activities
- Scholarships will also be given on poverty basis, to minority class and SC/ST/BC/OBC students.
- The College will not discriminate the grantees on the basis of race, religion, caste, creed, ethnic or demographic status for scholarship award. However, certain scholarship schemes may be targeted for specific groups/subjects.
- The College will provide scholarships to students who are enrolled in various programs through funds provided by donors and other college funds.
- Fee waiver will be provided to outstanding sports persons
- Liberal concessions will be provided to outstanding student in cultural arena.
- All scholarship funds will be awarded through the Accounts office of the college.
- Fee concession/stipends and scholarship of all categories will be withdrawn if the student deteriorates in studies, remains irregular or is found guilty of misconduct.
- The concession will be given only once a year.
- Scholarship recipient students must meet "Satisfactory Academic Progress" requirements.
- Scholarship recipient students must meet any other requirements as set forth by the donor.
- Students must demonstrate/produce verification for financial need where necessary.
- The decision of Scholarship/financial assistance made by the college authorities will be final and not subject to challenge by the applicants.
- The application for scholarship must be complete in all respects and be submitted on or before the deadline issued by the college. Scholarships will be provided to the student after standard procedure and upon recommendation of the scholarship committee. However, merit scholarships are provided on the spot at the time of admission only.
- The overarching principles for our scholarships are that they be:
  1) Need-based and
  2) Need as a tool to increase the degree attainment by students.
- The details of the scholarships/concessions available to the students studying in Vidya Jyothi Institute of Technology are as given below:
  - Merit Scholarship
    At entry level of Undergraduate Courses Benefit per students
    95% and above marks in Board Exam Total Free-ship/ Free Scholarship (only compulsory charges)
    90% to 94.9% marks in Board Exam Rs.10,000/- Concession
    85% to 89.9% marks in Board Exam Rs.6,000/- Concession
    80% to 84.9% marks in Board Exam Rs.4,000/- Concession
    1st position in College/ University for those 25% Concession in total fee courses available only in college
  - Towards Transport: Financial Assistance has been provided for students
  - Towards Skill Development Programs: The college offers finishing school for Lateral Entry students on soft skills for better placement and employment sustainability

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