

Scholarship and Cost Planner

Know what a course really costs and where the money could come from

Name _____ Class / section _____ Date _____

Remember: scholarship eligibility, income limits, application dates and renewal rules differ by scheme. Use official notifications and apply before the stated deadlines. Treat all costs below as estimates and confirm them with the college.

PART A Estimated cost of each course

Use the fee structure from each college. Write the course names in the header boxes.

Cost item	Course A:	Course B:	Course C:
Tuition fees per year			
Hostel or rent, and food, per year			
Books, equipment and materials per year			
Travel per year			
Exam and application fees (one-time)			
Other (laptop, uniform, lab fees)			
Total cost per year			
Course duration (years)			
Estimated total cost			

PART B Where the money could come from

Check each source before you rule out a course because of cost. In the Eligible? column, write Yes, No or Check.

Source	Scheme or provider	Eligible?	Documents needed	Deadline	Status
National scholarships					
State government schemes					
College scholarships or fee concessions					
Education loan					
Family savings or support					
Other					

PART C Comparing education loans

Compare interest rates, repayment terms, eligible expenses and the total cost of borrowing before you commit.

Lender	Interest rate	Repayment term	Expenses covered	Total I would repay

PART D Documents to keep ready

Each scheme publishes its own list. Check it, then tick off what you have.

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| ☐ Class 10 and Class 12 mark sheets | ☐ Bank account details |
| ☐ Admission offer or letter | ☐ Identity proof |
| ☐ Income certificate (if required) | ☐ Passport-size photographs |
| ☐ Category certificate (if applicable) | ☐ College fee structure |