



**DEEN DAYAL UPADHYAYA
GORAKHPUR UNIVERSITY
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Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

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DDU Gorakhpur University always looks for the overall development of its students. Different bodies/units of the University are continuously engaged in this mission. Dean Students Welfare (DSW) & a team of teachers (ADSWs) along with the office generate awareness and explore their talent by providing a platform for co-curricular activities both inside & outside campus, their health care through the university health centre etc.

One of the special features of DSW activity is providing financial support either directly or through liaison with government agencies. Overall financial support efforts of the DSW office are:

- Fee reimbursement to students (financed by the Government of U.P.)
- State Scholarships (Dashmettar Scholarship) (financed by the Government of U.P.)
- National Scholarship (financed by the Government of India)
- Shanti Memorial Scholarship (through-Trust)
- Harihar Prasad Dubey Memorial Scholarship (through Foundation)
- Swami Shivanand Memorial Scholarship (By Divine Life Trust)

Besides these, the University itself has made provisions of financial support to students through following schemes from its own resources

- **Maha Yogi Guru Gorakshnath Fellowship for Super Hundred Sportspersons**

The University has planned to launch a scheme for admitting super 100 sportspersons at undergraduate level in every academic session on the basis of the fitness test, skill test and level of achievement in sports such as Athletics, Football, Hockey, Cricket, Volleyball, Basketball, Badminton, Judo, Taekwondo, Tennis, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho and Wrestling. To these selected players, free coaching by qualified coaches, free hostel & food allowance and exemption from tuition is proposed by the University for 300 days a year.

- **Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Doctoral Fellowship for 200 Meritorious Research Students**

The University has planned to provide fellowships to 200 meritorious research students of different faculties of the University in order to fund the coursework and extra-curricular projects of individuals/students who wish to pursue research in a specific field and have achieved top ranks in Research Eligibility Test (RET) in their respective subjects. It will not only provide financial assistance to them but will also add credibility to their research by allowing them to spend more time focused on their research during a critical time in their future endeavours.

The financial assistance proposed in each academic session for 200 students during their Ph.D. course work, @ Rs. 10,000.00 per student/month and a Contingency of Rs. 15,000 per student/annum.

● **Maha Yogi Guru Gorakshnath Fellowship for International Students**

Gorakhpur University has a rich blend of traditional and modern knowledge and research. This makes it an attractive destination for foreign students interested in either learning about Indian Cultural Ethos or is interested in learning in a diverse and open environment. In order to attract more talented international students and to encourage them toward a global perspective of education, the university proposes to provide 17 scholarships on a merit basis for international students who have gained admission in some courses of DDUGU. The fellowship will be provided to international students at UG, PG and Research levels whose details are as follows:

- a) International Research Students: 02 Fellowships @ Rs. 1,00,000/- p.a. for period of three years.
- b) International UG/PG Students: 10 Fellowships @ Rs. 80,000/- pa.
- c) 05 Fellowships to DDUGU Indian Students to study and live in Foreign for short period.

As a policy to cater the financial needs of students, the university is making/planning to explore more plans of diversified nature to support its students as far as possible through its own resources and engaging/attracting individuals, trusts, industries and other organisations also for this noble cause of financial support to its students.

