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KVPY FELLOWSHIPS 2003

for school & college students interested in research careers

The Department of Science and Technology Government of India, offers attractive fellowships (up to Rs. 3000 p.m) and contingency grants for students studying in Basic Sciences, Engineering and Medicine.

Selection to the programme is competitive and takes into account academic excellence and demonstrated interests in pursuing research. The selection is open to all Indian Nationals studying in India. Selection procedures are different for Basic Sciences, Engineering and Medicine. All of them, however, include a national level interview for final selection. KVPY Website: http://www.iisc.ernet.in/kvpyp

ELIGIBILITY AND FELLOWSHIPS:
1) Basic Sciences: (Up to 120 Fellowships)
   Stream SA: Students completing X Std in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in X Std Board Exam. and enrolling for Science at Plus 2.
   Stream SB: Students joining first year Science undergraduate programme in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in XII Std Board Exam. Joining B.Sc/Integrated M.Sc in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics/Statistics or Biological Sciences or B.Math./B.Stat.
   Stream SC: Students completing first year Science undergraduate programme in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in XII Std Board Exam. and enrolled in B.Sc. or Integrated M.Sc. in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics/Statistics or Biological Sciences or B.Math./B.Stat.

2) Engineering (up to 25 fellowships)
   Stream EA: Students joining first year B.E./B.Tech./B.Arch. in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in XII Std Board Exam. and joining first year B.E./B.Tech./B.Arch.
   Stream EB: Students entering second year B.E./B.Tech./B.Arch. in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in XII Std Board Exam. and having I class in the first exam of B.E./B.Tech./B.Arch.

3) Medicine stream (up to 25 fellows)
   Stream MA: Students joining second year MBBS in 2003:
   Having a min. of 75% marks in Science subjects in XII Std Board Exam. and enrolled in M.B.B.S. programme in 2002 and passing the First Professional Examination (with Anatomy, Biochemistry and Physiology) in first attempt on or before 30 September 2003.

SELECTION PROCEDURE:
   BASIC SCIENCES: Based on the performance in the Board exam, about 2000 candidates from Stream SA and a total of about 1000 candidates from Streams SB and SC will be called for a written aptitude test. The top students in this aptitude test (about 500 candidates) will be called for an interview, which is the final stage of the selection procedure.

   ENGINEERING AND MEDICINE: The applicant is required to submit a report of a project chosen and executed by her/him exclusively for this application. This project has to be supervised by a teacher/professional in the relevant field. Based on the project submitted and scrutiny of application forms, up to 150 candidates will be called for an interview which is the final stage of the selection procedure.

APPLICATION FORMS:
Each stream has a different application form. Separate requisitions must be made by students who wish to apply for more than one stream.

Last date for receipt of requisitions: 2nd June 2003.
Each requisition must clearly indicate the stream applied for (SA, SB, SC, EA, EB, MA) and must be accompanied by
1. A DD for Rs. 75/- drawn in favour of SID Alc KVPY payable at Bangalore
2. Two self addressed labels (2” x 4” size) as per the sample below

Stream applied for:  [ ] (e.g. [EA])
Name: ____________________________
Address: ____________________________
City: ____________________________ PIN: ____________________________

and should be sent to:
The Convener,
Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana,
Indian Institute of Science,
Bangalore – 560 012

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