



**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION  
STATE DEPARTMENT FOR HIGHER EDUCATION**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**AYUSH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME INDIA**

The State Department is in receipt of communication informing of a scholarship opportunity offered by the Government of India. The scholarship is offered to foreign nationals under the AYUSH scholarship scheme for the academic year 2026-2027. It entails; **undergraduate, postgraduate and PhD courses related to Ayurveda, Yoga, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy (AYUSH)** in Indian Universities. Further, it seeks to promote studies and research in alternative medicine and related health disciplines.

Applicants are required to register and submit their applications online through the A2A scholarship portal <http://a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in/home/register>. The deadline for submission of application is **31<sup>st</sup> May 2026**.

Candidates must be 18 years of age at the time of admission to an Indian University or Institute. There is no upper age limit for the AYUSH Scholarship Scheme.

The candidates choose five (5) preferred universities in order of preference.

The medium of instruction for all courses is in English and/or Hindi.

Candidates must confirm or decline the admission offer within 15 days of receiving it.

Selected candidates are required to obtain a personal medical insurance policy with a minimum coverage (sum assured) of INR 500,000 (approximately USD 6,000 per annum), as no health or medical insurance is provided under the scheme.

Economy class airfare is provided upon admission and upon completion of the course.

Reimbursement of house rent allowance (HRA) and other eligible allowances are processed in the same financial year.

Expenses related to laboratory work chemicals and other incidental charges must be borne by the scholars themselves.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Mr. Parth Goyal through [parth.vocman@gmail.com](mailto:parth.vocman@gmail.com) or High Commission of India, Nairobi at [education.nairobi@mea.gov.in](mailto:education.nairobi@mea.gov.in) or 0731900046.