

Directorate of Internal Quality Assurance

Student Aid Fund (SAF) Notice for the year 2025-26

Online applications in the prescribed format are invited for the grant of financial assistance from the desirous students presently admitted to various **UG/PG programmes** at IUST who belong to economically deprived backgrounds, such as orphans, AAY, BPL, or PHH category, candidates with a family member facing a terminal illness, etc., shall be eligible to apply for the assistance.

The selection for grant of the financial assistance shall be determined by the concerned committee on a case-to-case basis; however, the previous academic merit of the candidate along with his or her overall conduct will be given due consideration. The online application forms will be available at the respective login IDs of the students as per the following schedule:

IMPORTANT DATES:

Availability of application forms	29-08-2025
Last date for submission of online application forms	15-09-2025
Last date for submission of hardcopy of the application forms alongwith all the requisite documents in the respective Departments/Centres	19-09-2025

STEPS TO BE FOLLOWED:

- I) Candidates are advised to submit their online application form through their respective Login IDs after thoroughly going through the SAF guidelines.
- II) The candidates shall have to attach all the relevant documents with the application form.
 - Income Certificate issued by the concerned Tehsildar.
 - Declaration from Mohalla / Masjid/ Village Committee as per the template.
 - Medical Certificate/Reports/ Prescription (if any).
 - Self-Attested copy of Ration Card.
 - Self-Attested copy of marks sheet/grade card of the last examination passed.
- III) The candidate seeking assistance under the orphan category must submit the required death certificate along with their application form to substantiate his/ her claim.
- IV) The eligible students shall submit the applications on the prescribed format duly completed in all respects in the offices of respective HOD's/ICs/Coordinators.

Note:

Students who are in receipt of financial assistance from any other government or semi-government agency shall not be eligible for the aforesaid assistance.

It is important to mention that the student aid fund is also supported through Zakat, Sadqa, Dhan, etc., and therefore only deserving candidates may apply for financial support. The IUST Student Aid Fund has been created to help deserving students who are not covered by other national or state scholarship schemes. The relief can be a lump sum payment or a loan (interest-free) to be repaid by the student on mutually agreed terms. The quantum of financial assistance (relief or loan) shall be determined by the IUST Endowment Fund Committee.

Sd/-
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Director DIQA

No: IUST/DIQA/SAF-2025-26/1501

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