FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ) FOR PMSSS SCHOLARSHIP FOR ADMISSION IN ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022

1. I have been allotted a college of my choice, what is the further course of action?

Answer - Once the candidate is allotted any college under PMSSS online counselling process AY 2021-22, he/she has to provide confirmation on seat, with respect to allotted course and college by submitting online freezing/floating request through AICTE Website using their login credentials. If candidate failed to do so, within stipulated time period, their seat will be cancelled automatically.

2. I have been allotted the college under PMSSS AY 2021-22, but I am not satisfied with the allotted college/course?

Answer- If the candidate is not satisfied with the allotted college/course & willing to surrender the allotted college/course by knowing the risk involved. He/ She may do so and participate in the next round of counseling for better choice of college/course by using the FLOAT option at his/her own risk.

NOTE: COLLEGE/BRANCH ONCE SURRENDERED CANNOT BE REVERTED AND WILL BE TREATED AS FINAL.

3. How do I have to provide confirmation on seat?

Answer- The candidate has to give seat confirmation by means of any of the 3 methods:

S. No	Method	Option
1.	If candidate has decided to join the allotted	Press " FREEZE" Option
	college/course under PMSSS	
2.	If candidate is not interested in the given	Press "FLOAT" Option
	allotment of college /course and wish to	
	participate in next round of counseling	
3.	If candidate is not interested to take admission	Press "NOTINTERESTEDIN
	in PMSSS AY 2021-22	PMSSS"

NOTE: IF FLOAT OPTION IS SELECTED THEN, SHOWING YOUR SEATALLOTMENT IN 1ST ROUND DOES NOT GUARANTEE FOR SAME SEAT OR EVEN SEAT IN NEXT ROUNDS OF COUNSELING AS ALLOTMENT IS PURELY ON MERITBASIS.

4. I have selected freeze option what is the next step?

Answer–Further upon seat confirmation (FREEZE) candidate may immediately download the provisional allotment letter along with the Welcome Letter of Institute and can connect with the Nodal Officer/Mentor of AY 2021-22 for additional guidance.

5. I have selected float option what is the next step?

Answer- Once candidate has selected float option a window will open for choice filling with respect to next/subsequent rounds of counseling. Candidate is requested to select the preferences carefully against vacant seats.

6. When and how do I have to upload my joining report?

Answer- After freezing the seat, candidate is required to report to the allotted college immediately and upload the joining report from his/her PMSSS Login Portal within stipulated time period. Also complete admission process as per Institute/University rules.

7. What is the last date of joining the college?

Answer- Candidate would report physically/virtually (as per the situation of Covid-19) to the Institute on or before last date of admission, along with all the original documents, failing which his/her admission shall be cancelled automatically and seat may be allotted to other candidate in next/subsequent round ofcounseling (if any).

9. Where to check the details of my Nodal Officer?

Answer- Candidate can check the details of the Nodal Officer either on the Welcome Letter of the Institute or in their Login.

10. What all documents I need to carry while visiting the Institute?

Answer- All candidates who are provisionally allotted a seat in any round of counseling are required to physically/virtually report at the respective University/Institute as per the counseling schedule. Candidates must bring the ORIGINAL and one SELF-ATTESTED photocopies of the following documents at the time of reporting at the respective University / Institute for document verification:

- a. AICTE Allotment Letter (in original)
- b. Welcome Letter (in original)
- c. Transfer certificate from 12 th Board (in original)
- d. Migration certificate of 12 th Board (in original)

- e.Character certificate of 12 th Class (in original)
- f. Five (5) passport size photographs.
- g. Passed 10th Class Certificate from School Authority showing Date of Birth (in original)
- h. Passed 10+2 Certificate from J&K Board or CBSE Affiliated Schools located in J&K State (JK Bose/CBSE) (in original)
- i. Domicile Certificate from J& K State (in original)
 - j. Family Income Certificate issued by Teshildar (J&K) showing the family income.
- k. Aadhar Card (Aadhar Number to be seeded with Bank Account)
- I. Bank Passbook (in original, if bank account is already opened)
- m. Physically Handicapped Certificate (in original, if any)
- n. Passed Diploma Certificate from J&K Technical Board (for lateral entry only)
- o. Reservation Certificate (Caste/Category) as per J& K Govt. Policy (in original, if any)
- 11. I have taken admission in a college on my own and not through PMSSS Counselling on merit basis, am I eligible for the scholarship under PMSSS 2021-22?

Answer - No, A candidate is eligible for the scholarship under PMSSS 2021-22 only if he/she has taken admission in the college through PMSSS 2021-22 application and counselling. For details and latest updates please visit AICTE website: https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/jk

- 12. I have submitted my application through PMSSS 2021-22 portal and have taken admission in a private dental college on my own and have updated this information under the entrance exam tab in the portal. Will I get the PMSSS scholarship?
- ❖ Answer It is not guaranteed as it is decided by the Dental Council of India vide letter No.DE-14-AC-Academic-MDC-2021/1099 dated 23rd July, 2021 that all Private Dental Colleges under its umbrella will not admit more than 5(Five) students per institution under Prime Minister's Special Scholarship Scheme with effect from academic session 2021-22. The copy of the letter is available on the portal of AICTE for information of stakeholders. For details and latest updates please visit AICTE website: https://www.aicte-india.org/bureaus/jk
 - 13. I have joined the college allotted to me through PMSSS Counselling 2021-22 and taking online classes. Will I get complete maintenance allowance?
- ❖ Answer Fresh students admitted in the academic session 2021-22 will be paid maintenance allowance from the date of joining the institute. If the student is studying through online mode from J&K/Ladakh, will be paid Rs20,000/- per semester. The students who stays actually in the hostel/PG will be paid on the basis of certification by the Principal of College/Institute.