



Sher-e-Kashmir
University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology of Kashmir
Main Campus Shalimar Srinagar

Subject: Grant of International Student Scholarship in the form of Fee Waiver to International Students admitted to Undergraduate, Postgraduate and Ph.D Programmes of SKUAST-Kashmir during Academic Session 2026-27.

University Order No. 48 (Acad.) of 2026

Dated: 14.07.2026

- Whereas SKUAST-Kashmir has, over the years, undertaken sustained efforts towards internationalization of higher education through enhancement of academic collaborations, global outreach, international student engagement and promotion of the University as a preferred destination for higher education in the agricultural and allied sciences; and,
- Whereas the National Education Policy (NEP)-2020 envisages positioning India as a global study destination and encourages Higher Educational Institutions to attract and support international students through suitable institutional mechanisms; and,
- Whereas the presence of international students contributes significantly towards academic diversity, cultural exchange, international visibility and performance of the University in various national and international ranking and accreditation frameworks; and,
- Whereas it has been observed that the existing fee structure for international students may act as a limiting factor in attracting deserving foreign nationals/NRIs to the academic programmes offered by the University;

Now, therefore, in order to enhance the attractiveness of SKUAST-Kashmir as a destination for international higher education and to promote enrolment of meritorious international students, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to accord approval, as an interim measure, to the grant of 75% International Student Scholarship to be extended in the form of waiver of prescribed Tuition Fee and Hostel Fee to eligible International Students (Foreign Nationals/NRIs) admitted to various Undergraduate, Postgraduate and Ph.D Programmes of the University during Academic Session 2026-27.

Accordingly, the fee payable by International Students after grant of scholarship/fee waiver shall be as under:

Programme	Tuition Fee (USD)	Scholarship /Fee Waiver 75%	Tuition Fee Payable after Waiver (USD)	Hostel Fee (USD)	Scholarship/ Fee Waiver 75%	Hostel Fee Payable after Waiver (USD)
BVSc & AH (1 st Year)	6275.00	4706.25	1568.75	590.00	442.50	147.50
All other Undergraduate Programmes (1 st Year)	4400.00	3300.00	1100.00	590.00	442.50	147.50
Master's Degree Programmes (1 st Year)	2395.00	1796.25	598.75	407.50	305.62	101.88
Ph.D Degree Programmes (1 st Year)	2395.00	1796.25	598.75	407.50	305.62	101.88

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The scholarship/fee waiver shall be governed by the following conditions:

- It shall not be admissible to students carrying any other Scholarship/ Fellowship/Grant etc.
- The waiver shall be applicable only to Tuition Fee and Hostel Fee.
- Expenditure on mess charges, food, medical insurance, visa formalities, travel, books, local transportation and all other personal/incidental expenses shall be borne by the student.
- Continuation of the scholarship shall be subject to satisfactory academic progress, good conduct and adherence to the Statutes, Regulations and instructions of the University.
- The University reserves the right to revise the fee structure for subsequent academic sessions as approved by the competent authority.
- The concession shall be extended to eligible International Students admitted against notified international student seats.

This shall be pending ratification by the Academic Council.

Sd/-
(Prof. Azmat Alam Khan)
Registrar

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Copy to the:

- Director Education, SKUAST-Kashmir, Shalimar.
- All Deans/Associate Deans of Subject Matter Faculties/Colleges.
- Professor In-charge ARIS, for placing the U.O on the university website.
- Associate Director- International Education Cell, SKUAST-Kashmir, Shalimar. The aforesaid concession shall be publicized through the University's admission and international outreach platforms.
- OSD to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor. This refers to her No. Nil dated 03.07.2026.
- Nodal Officer, IT Team (Admissions), SKUAST-Kashmir, Shalimar.
- All Deputy/Assistant Registrars of SKUAST-Kashmir_____
- All Deputy/Assistant Comptrollers of SKUAST-Kashmir_____
- Secretary to Vice-Chancellor for kind information of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor.
- Assistant Registrar (Acad-UG) for placing as an agenda before Academic Council in its ensuing meeting for ratification.


(Umeed Ibni Assad)
Deputy Registrar (Acad.)