

8th Meeting of the Task Force to review ongoing colleges supported under DBT-Star College Scheme” held on 25th -26th August 2020

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Dear Dr. Gurame, (Shri Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Barshi)

This is with reference to the 8th Meeting of the Task Force to review ongoing colleges supported under DBT-Star College Scheme” held on 25th -26th August 2020. The comments/decisions by the Task Force are as below:

“Dr V M Gurame presented the progress of the college under Star College Scheme for six departments i.e. Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Microbiology and Electronics, sanctioned on 25th May 2017 for a period of three years.

Task Force noted that the college has been able to conduct a variety of experiments and projects for the students and has also been conducting Advisory Committee / mentoring meetings in their college on regular basis. They have conducted several national conferences/ training programmes for the faculty and students during the tenure of Star Scheme. They also conducted “DBT Week” and conducted several activities to inculcate the scientific temper among the students. The overall performance was found to be very good considering the geographical location. The college has a team of committed faculty that was making commendable efforts.

In view of the above, the Task Force recommended awarding the Star Status the participating departments in the college with one-time non-recurring grant of Rs. 15.00 lakhs (per dept) and recurring grant of Rs. 5.00 lakhs per year per dept, contingency of Rs 1.00 lakhs per year and Travel of Rs 2.00 lakhs per year for a period of three years”.

Now, as per the above mentioned details, the college will be upgraded to Star Status and the support extended for another 3 years i.e. from 24.05.2020 to 24.05.2023. Therefore, you are requested to submit the following:

1. UC/SE for the FY 2019-20 (01.04.2019 to 31.03.2020) (as per the attached format)
2. MoA (extended period) from the date of completion to the date of extension i.e. 24.05.2020 to 24.05.2023.

3. In accordance with Rule 230 (8) of GFR 2017, All interest or other earnings against Grants in Aid or advances (other than reimbursement) release to any Grantee institution should be mandatory remitted to the Consolidated Fund of India immediately after finalization of the accounts. Such advances should not be allowed to be adjusted against future releases. You are kindly requested to submit **interest earned/unspent NR amount if any in favor of NTR Portal i.e. www.bharatkosh.gov.in** and to sensitize the users through DDOs for receiving receipt **through this portal only** at the earliest as the release of further grants will not be allowed in absence of this.

4. Annexure – II (as per the attached format); Please indicate any equipment costing above Rs. 1.00 lakh or Rs. 3.00 lakhs in the format attached. Also note that purchase of laptops an general purpose items like table, chair, ac is not permitted under NR-head.

5. Any further expenditure and release of funds will be permitted after due approval of finance is obtained, subject to the submission of correct financial documents by the COLlege.

Note: It is requested to send all the above mentioned documents via email in PDF format (duly signed and stamped and scanned by competent authority) followed by originals via post.

**Regards,
Dr. Garima Gupta**