



Sangeet Natak Akademi offers 'Financial Assistance to Cultural Institutions' to those cultural institutions which are engaged in the promotion of the performing arts (Music, Dance, Drama, Folk and Tribal Arts, Puppetry, etc.).

The Akademi is invites proposals for the year 2024-25, under the Scheme: "Financial Assistance to Cultural Institutions" from all registered institutions (who have been engaged in the promotion of the performing arts like Music, Dance, Drama, Folk and Tribal arts, Puppetry etc.).

The terms and conditions are as follows:

- i. Application form for financial assistance may be downloaded from the Akademi website www.sangeetnatak.gov.in
- ii. **The last date for receipt of application in the Akademi is 14.08.2024. Applications received after this date will not be considered.**
- iii. Duly filled applications accompanied with all relevant documents addressed to the Secretary, Sangeet Natak Akademi, Rabindra Bhavan, Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi-110001 may be sent through Speed Post and also by e-mail to the email ID: grants@sangeetnatak.gov.in. The applications will, however, be considered only after hard copies of all supporting documents have been received in the Akademi. The format of the application is available on Sangeet Natak Akademi's website with all the terms and conditions mentioned therein.
- iv. All Institutions applying for financial assistance under the scheme should be registered with the concerned Central/State Govts/Concerned departments, since at least 03 years prior to the date of application.

- v. The application form should invariably be supported with self-attested copy of the Registration Certificate, Darpan registration will also be accepted. Besides, the institution should send the Annual Audited statement of income and expenditure, receipts and payments and balance sheet for the last three years countersigned by a practising Chartered Accountant; and newspaper clippings, photographs, etc., in support of cultural activities being carried out by the institution.
- vi. The institution which is applying for the financial assistance should fulfil the eligibility criteria as per the guideline format and their project and synopsis should be cultural based. Besides that, their MoA should contain a cultural component, as also the activities being carried out by them.
- vii. Those institution(s) which are working towards the 'Guru Shishya Parampara' could be considered for financial assistance subject to fulfilling the mandatory criteria, as prescribed in the guidelines of the scheme.
- viii. If any grant is sanctioned from the Ministry of Culture for the project for which the organization is applying to Sangeet Natak Akademi, then no grant from Sangeet Natak Akademi will be sanctioned.
- ix. If grant is continuously sanctioned for the preceding three (3) years for any particular institution, then there will be no grant sanctioned for at least the next two years, which will help in facilitating new applicants.
- x. For more information, please refer to the website of the Akademi, viz., www.sangeetnatak.gov.in.

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