EDC INDIA's 5th National Scholarship Exam

Exam Details:

- **Date:** 20th April 2025
- **Eligibility:** Students from Class 10th and Class 12th (all streams).
- **Groups**:
  - Group 1: Class 10th
  - Group 2: Class 12th (Science, Arts, and Commerce)
  - Group 3: Undergraduate (UG) and Post-Graduate (PG)

- Mode: Online – Accessible via phone, tablet, or computer.
- Fee: ₹199 (Non-Refundable)
  - Group 1 & 2: ₹199
  - Group 3: ₹249
- Last Date of Application: 30th March 2025

Note: Applications submitted after 15th March 2025 will incur a late fee of ₹100, making the total ₹299 for Group 1 & 2 and ₹349 for Group 3, until 30th March 2025.

Exam Timings and Pattern:

Group 1 (Class 10th):

- **Time:** 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- **Total Questions:** 120
- **Marking Scheme:** 2.5 marks per correct answer, -1 mark for incorrect answers
- **Maximum Marks:** 300

Group 2 (Class 12th):

- **Time**: 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM
- **Total Questions:** 120
- **Marking Scheme:** 2.5 marks per correct answer, -1 mark for incorrect answers
- **Maximum Marks:** 300

Group 3 (Undergraduate (UG)/Post-Graduate (PG)):

- **Time:** 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM
- **Total Questions:** 120
- **Marking Scheme:** 2.5 marks per correct answer, -1 mark for incorrect answers
- **Maximum Marks:** 300

Why the ₹199 Fee for Group 1&2 and ₹249 for Group 3?

We've kept a minimal fee to ensure students approach the exam seriously and stay committed to the process.

Syllabus for the Scholarship Exam:

Class 10th (Group 1):

- **Mathematics:** Real Numbers, Polynomials, Quadratic Equations, Trigonometry, Probability, Mensuration
- **Science:** Light, Electricity, Carbon Compounds, Life Processes
- **General Knowledge:** Current Affairs, History, Geography
- **Reasoning Ability:** Analogies, Logical Puzzles

Class 12th (Group 2):

- **Science Stream:**
    - **Physics:** Optics, Electromagnetic Waves
    - **Chemistry:** Organic Chemistry, Electrochemistry
    - **Mathematics:** Calculus, Vectors

- **Arts Stream:**
    - **History**
    - **Political Science**
    - **Sociology**
    - **General Knowledge**

- **Commerce Stream:**
    - **Accountancy**
    - **Business Studies**
    - **Economics**
    - **Logical Reasoning**

- **Logical and Analytical Skills (All Streams):**
    - **Coding-Decoding**
    - **Logical Puzzles**
    - **Verbal Reasoning**

Undergraduate/Post-Graduate (Group 3):

- **General intelligence and reasoning**
- **General awareness**
- **Quantitative aptitude**
- **English comprehension**

Mission and Vision

Mission

To celebrate academic talent and provide young minds with the resources, mentorship, and financial support necessary to achieve their goals, empowering them to contribute meaningfully to society.

Vision

To build a platform that recognises excellence, fosters innovation, and inspires students from all walks of life to pursue their dreams and redefine success.

About EDC INDIA

The [Entrepreneurial Development Council (EDC) India](#) is a premier organisation devoted to empowering India's youth by nurturing entrepreneurial and academic talent.

Our work spans 54+ universities and institutions, focusing on innovation, future technologies, and personal development. EDC India is a trusted partner for aspiring entrepreneurs and students, offering tailored programs, mentorship, and financial support.

Our focus areas include cutting-edge technologies like Space Innovation, 6G & 7G Communications, and Underwater Drones, alongside nurturing talent in business, arts, and sciences.

Scholarship Benefits:

- Gifts to Students worth over 50 Lakhs
- Scholarship up to 2 Lakhs
- High-end Educational Support to Students
- Career Counselling to choose the right path
- Certificate of Participation
  - A mark of your effort and a boost to your academic credentials
- EDC membership for 1 year worth ₹999/- to all participants
  - Access to
    - Free courses
    - Personal Development Programs (PDP)
    - Expert Mentorship
    - Career and Skill Development Resources

Terms and Conditions

1. **Eligibility**:
   - Students from Class 10th and Class 12th (Science, Arts, Commerce) and Undergraduate/Post-Graduate.
2. **Exam Fee**:
   - ₹199 per student for Group1, Group2 and ₹249 for Group3 (non-refundable).
3. **Exam Format**:
   - The exam will be conducted online and must be attempted within the specified time.
4. **Selection Criteria**:
   - Top 10 students from each group will receive ₹5000 scholarships.
   - In case of a tie, financial background will be considered to award the scholarship.
5. **Membership Benefits**:

1-year free membership includes access to free courses, mentorship programs, and PDP sessions. As a participant in the **EDC India Scholarship Exam 2025**, you will receive a **1-year premium membership** to EDC, valued at ₹999/-, completely free of charge. This membership includes a range of exclusive benefits to support your academic and professional growth:

1) **1-Year Membership to EDC India**
   Gain access to a vibrant community of students, mentors, and entrepreneurs, opening doors to numerous opportunities for growth and collaboration.

2) **Mentorship Support**
   Receive expert guidance from industry leaders and mentors to help you excel academically and prepare for a successful career.

3) **College Club Support**
   Get assistance in setting up and managing entrepreneurial clubs in your college, fostering innovation and leadership skills.

4) **Free Courses**
   Access high-quality courses designed to enhance your personal and professional development, including:

   a) **Interview Tips and Tricks**
   b) **Certificate in Entrepreneurship**
   c) **Resume Writing Masterclass**
   d) **Personal Development Programs (PDP)**
   e) **And many more!**

5) **Startup Idea Fund Support**
   If you have a brilliant startup idea, EDC India provides funding assistance to help you bring your vision to life.

6) **All-India Event Updates and Support**
   Stay updated with the latest workshops, seminars, competitions, and events happening across the country, with special support to participate.

7) **And Many More Benefits**
   Unlock additional perks such as networking opportunities, industry insights, and tools to help you navigate your academic and entrepreneurial journey.

8) **Certificates**:

   All participants will receive digital certificates of participation.

9) **Data Privacy**:

   All data will remain confidential and used only for exam-related purposes.

10) **Disqualification**:

    EDC India reserves the right to disqualify participants found engaging in unethical practices during the exam.

11) **Technical Requirements**:

    Participants must ensure stable internet connectivity during the exam.

12) **Decision Authority**:

    EDC India's decisions will be final in all matters related to the scholarship exam.

All Terms & Conditions are decided by the EDC INDIA team.