



**ANNOUNCEMENT OF KHALID AND ZEYNA ANSARI FOUNDATION  
SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ELIGIBLE STUDENTS  
IN XAVIERS INSTITUTE OF COMMUNICATION (XIC)  
AND IN MASS MEDIA DEPARTMENT, ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, MUMBAI- 400001**

**FOR THE YEAR COMMENCING JUNE 2022**

We are pleased to announce the following scholarships instituted by the "Khalid and Zeyna Ansari Foundation" for eligible students from a financially needy background for the academic year commencing June 2022.

The scholarships are an initiative of Mr. Khalid Ansari as a reflection of his gratitude to his Alma Mater. It is also an extension of the Foundation's women's empowerment mission through employment-oriented vocational education for financially deserving girls with aptitude and ambition.

**The following are the details and process to apply for this scholarship.**

1. These scholarships are available for the media courses mentioned herein under point number 3 A and 3 B below.
2. The student should have cleared the mandatory entrance tests, as conducted by the St. Xavier's College for these courses and should have secured a seat and completed admission formalities to join in the specified courses for the academic year commencing June 2022.
3. The details of the courses for which Scholarships are offered are as follows:
  - A. Courses in XIC**
    - 'The Khalid A-H Ansari Scholarship' for Diploma Course in Journalism & Mass Communications
    - 'The Abdul Hamid Ansari Scholarship' for Diploma Course in Public Relations & Corporate Communications
  - B. Degree program, BA(MCJ) by the Mass Media Department**
    - 'The Khalid & Zeyna Ansari Foundation Scholarship' for the three-year course, BA degree in Mass Communication & Journalism (BA MCJ).
4. The Scholarship is for **50% of the course fee for XIC** in the mentioned courses under 3 A above and **50% of the first year tuition fee for the BA(MCJ) program** mentioned under 3 B above.
5. The 50% scholarship of the selected students will be directly paid to the college by the Foundation. The balance 50% will be paid to the college by the student.
6. Orphans and students with severe financial need could be considered for full Scholarship from the Foundation, post their application scrutiny.
7. Proof of financial need with relevant attestation will be mandatory.
8. Application for the Scholarships will be through the respective course coordinators. Students who wish to avail of this Scholarship must approach and apply through their respective course coordinators only.
9. The application form must be accompanied with a Statement of Purpose on how the student will use this education for personal and as well benefit of the community. Please refer to the NGO Guide on the Khalid & Zeyna Ansari Foundation website, for details on its concept of 'pay it forward' for educational scholarships. This is available on their website <https://ansarifoundation.org/education-scholarships/>
10. Preference will be given to female candidates, in keeping with the Khalid and Zeyna Ansari Foundation's objectives.
11. For the BA course, Khalid & Zeyna Ansari Foundation will reimburse to the student's family the fees paid for the student during the scholarship period, after the student has completed one year of employment, upon furnishing of proof of employment.