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Press Release

HINDI SCHOLARSHIP COURSES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN INDIA FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2021-22

Central Institute of Hindi (Kendriya Hindi Sansthan), Agra has invited applications under the scheme of **"Propagation of Hindi Abroad"** for the **academic session 2021-22.** The scheme is administered by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. The conditions and guidelines for scholarships under the Scheme are given below:

1. The Headquarter, Agra and Delhi Centre organize the following courses for the foreign students under the Scheme for Propagation of Hindi Abroad:

- (i) Hindi Language Proficiency Certificate Course (Course No. 100)
- (ii) Hindi Language Proficiency Diploma Course (Course No. 200)
- (iii) Hindi Language Proficiency Advanced Diploma Course (No. 300)
- (iv) Hindi Post-Graduate Diploma Course (Course No. 400)

[The courses (i) to (iii) are conducted at Delhi Centre under self-financing scheme]

2. **Eligibility**:

- Minimum qualification: Twelve (12) years of school (10+2) or college education.
- The candidate must have a minimum written and oral proficiency in Hindi/or and English.
- The candidate must have basic skills in Computing operating.
- The candidate must have working E-mail ID.

3. <u>Age</u>: The minimum age for admission to any course is 21 years and the maximum age is 35 years.

4. **<u>Academic Year</u>**: The academic year of the Institute runs from <u>1st August</u> to 30th April.

5. The Institute provides Hostel, Mess and Medical Facilities as per laid down rules.

6. **Financial Support**: The student admitted under the Promotion of Hindi Abroad Scheme (PHA) is given Economy Class Air Far (to and fro) from their respective countries by the shortest route. Selected student is given a scholarship of INR 6000/- (Indian Rupees Six Thousand only) per month. This scholarship is given to the student from 1st of August or from the month of his/her arrival up to the end of the academic session. The student is also given a books grant of INR 1000/- per annum.

7. **Fee**: The students have to pay (i) INR 350/- at the time of submission of examination form by bank draft in the name of Sachiv, Kendriya Hindi Shikshan Mandal, Agra or by cash in Accounts Office of Kendriya Hindi Sansthan, Agra; (ii) Hostel Maintenance Fee of INR 300/- per month; and (iii) Library Security Deposit of INR 1000/- at one time (refundable).

8. Brochure giving detailed guidelines and the application form of the Kendriya Hindi Sansthan can be downloaded from <u>www.khsindia.org.</u>

9. Duly completed applications should be sent to the following address latest by 01 April, 2021: Second Secretary (Education & Culture), High Commission of India, Abuja, 364 Cadastral Zone, CBD, Abuja, FCT; e-mail: info.abuja@mea.gov.in

10. In case of any further clarification, you may write to the Registrar, Central Institute of Hindi at his email: Email:<u>registrarofficekhs1960@gmail.com</u> or to Second Secretary (Education & Culture) at email <u>info.abuja@mea.gov.in</u>
