

# **Daffodil International University Scholarship**

## **Financial Aid & Scholarships**

**Introduction:** Daffodil International University was established on 24th January 2002. The University offers impressive modern facilities such as Free Laptop, Student Life Insurance, Guardian Life Insurance, Transport, Lab Facilities, Gymnasium, Free Wi-Fi in campus area and a dynamic approach to teaching and research with its proud heritage of service and achievement. Daffodil International University (DIU) also offers waivers and scholarships in various categories on the basis of results and conditions. Providing poor and meritorious students financial support, strengthening student's capacity and giving inspiration to their effort to complete higher education uninterrupted are the main objectives of financial aid and scholarship program of DIU. Yearly Daffodil International University provides waiver and scholarship opportunities to 18,467 students. In Corona Epidemic situation Daffodil International University also provided Special Waiver to support students to continue their studies.

### **Category of Waiver and Scholarship:**

#### **1. Waiver on fixed category:**

- a. **Result-based waiver (SSC and HSC/undergraduate)**
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9. **Razia Begum Scholarship**
10. **Mofiz Uddin Majumder Scholarship Fund**
11. **Delwar Hussain Chowdhury Scholarship**
12. **Late Hafez Md. Abdur Rahim and Late Mrs. Jarina Begum Scholarship Fund**
13. **Late Professor Dr. Ahmad Husain and Late Mrs. Mahbuba Hossain Scholarship Fund**
14. **Waiver regarding Corporate Social Responsibility**

**Description:**

**1. Waiver on fixed category:**

**a) Result-based waiver (SSC and HSC/undergraduate):**

DIU offers the tuition fee waiver for the students on the basis of their results in HSC or equivalent exam including fourth subject in the following categories:

**For the Faculty of SIT, BE, AHS and Engineering**

<b>Result under General Board (including fourth subject)</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>	<b>Result under BTEB/ Madrasa Board (including fourth subject)</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>
Golden GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	75%	3.50	Golden GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	50%	3.25
Golden GPA-5 in HSC	50%	3.25	Golden GPA-5 in Alim	40%	3.25
GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	35%	3.25	GPA-5 both in Dakhil and in Alim	25%	3.00
GPA-5 in HSC	25%	3.00	GPA-5 in Alim	15%	3.00
4.90-4.99 in HSC	20%	3.00	4.90 to 4.99 in Alim	10%	3.00
4.75-4.89 in HSC	10%	3.00	Below 4.90	0	3.00
Below 4.75 in HSC (Special waiver)	0	3.00			

- This waiver slot is not applicable for Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm) and Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) programs. Only GPA 5.00 in HSC and other quotas will be considered for waiver.

## For the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Result under General Board (including fourth subject)	Waiver	SGPA to be obtained	Result under BTEB/ Madrasa Board (including fourth subject)	Waiver	SGPA to be obtained
Golden GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	75%	3.50	Golden GPA-5 both in Dakhil and in Alim	50%	3.25
Golden GPA-5 in HSC	50%	3.25	Golden GPA-5 in Alim	40%	3.25
GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	35%	3.25	GPA-5 both in Dakhil and in Alim	25%	3.00
GPA-5 in HSC	25%	3.00	GPA-5 in Alim	20%	3.00
4.90-4.99 in HSC	20%	3.00	4.90 to 4.99 in Alim	15%	3.00
4.80-4.89 in HSC	15%	3.00	4.80 to 4.89 in Alim	10%	3.00
4.50 to 4.79 in HSC	10%	3.00	Below 4.80 in Alim	0	3.00
Below 4.50 in HSC (Special waiver)	0	3.00			

- This waiver slot is not applicable for LLB program. Only GPA 5.00 in HSC and other quotas will be considered for waiver

### Waiver schemes for B.Pharm, LLB (from Spring 2023) and CSE (from Fall 2023) program

Result under General Board (including fourth subject)	Waiver Rate (%)	SGPA to be obtained	Result under BTEB/ Madrasa Board (including fourth subject)	Waiver Rate (%)	SGPA to be obtained	Results of English Medium background	Waiver Rate (%)	SGPA to be obtained
Golden GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	50%	3.25	Golden GPA-5 both in Dakhil and in Alim	35%	3.25	5 "A"s in "O" levels and 2 "A"s in "A" levels	50%	3.25
Golden GPA-5 in HSC	30%	3.00	Golden GPA-5 in Alim	25%	3.00	01 "A" and 01 "B" in "A" levels	30%	3.00

GPA-5 both in SSC and in HSC	25%	3.00	GPA-5 both in Dakhil and in Alim	20%	3.00	02 "B"s in "A" levels	25%	3.00
GPA-5 in HSC	20%	3.00	GPA-5 in Alim	15%	3.00	01 "A" and 01 "C" in "A" levels	20%	3.00

### **For English Medium Background**

All students of undergraduate programs of DIU from English Medium background will get tuition fees waiver according to the following way:

<b>Results of English Medium background</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>
5 "A"s in "O" levels and 2 "A"s in "A" levels	75%	3.50
01 "A" and 01 "B" in "A" levels	50%	3.25
02 "B"s in "A" levels	40%	3.25
01 "A" and 01 "C" in "A" levels	30%	3.00
01 "B" and 01 "C" in "A" levels	20%	3.00

#### **How to apply:**

- Students who are eligible to get a waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office.
- After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a photocopy of SSC and HSC transcript or other relevant documents.

#### **b) Waiver on SGPA (academic result of immediate last semester)**

Students will get tuition fee waiver for semester final result according to the following rules:

<b>Faculty of BE, SIT, AHS and Engineering</b>		<b>Faculty of Humanities &amp; Social Sciences</b>	
<b>GPA out of 4</b>	<b>Waiver %</b>	<b>GPA out of 4</b>	<b>Waiver %</b>
4 out of 4	50%	3.90 or above	50%
3.90 - 3.99	30%	3.85 – 3.89	40%
3.85 - 3.89	20%	3.80 – 3.84	20%
3.80 - 3.84	10%	3.75 – 3.79	15%
		3.60 – 3.74	10%

### How to apply:

- Students need not apply for this kind of waiver. The scholarship and waiver section of DIU will collect results from the system and declare the waiver information to the accounts section.

### **c) Female Quota:**

The tuition fee waiver in Female Quota for undergraduate programs will be as stated below:

<b>Result under General Board (including fourth subject)</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>	<b>Result under BTEB/ Madrasa Board (including fourth subject)</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>
<b>For the female students admitted in undergraduate programs under Faculty of SIT, BE, AHS and Engineering</b>					
4.00-4.74 in HSC from General Board	10%	3.00	4.00-4.89 in Alim BTEB/ Madrasa Board	10%	3.00
<b>For the female students admitted in undergraduate programs under Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences</b>					
4.00-4.49 in HSC from General Board	10%	3.00	4.00-4.79 in Alim BTEB/ Madrasa Board	10%	3.00

The tuition fee waiver in Female Quota for Master's programs will be as stated below:

<b>Graduated from NU/Public University</b>	<b>Waiver Rate</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>	<b>Graduated from Private University other than DIU</b>	<b>Waiver Rate</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>
CGPA 3.00 to 3.24 or 2nd class	10%	3.00	CGPA 3.00 to 3.49	10%	3.00

### How to apply:

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with photocopy of HSC transcript. For Master programs students have to submit photocopy of the final transcript of the last degree/Graduation.

### **d) DIU Employee/1<sup>st</sup> blood relatives of DIU employee quota:**

DIU employees or the first blood relatives (children/sibling/spouse) of regular and full-time employees of DIU will get 50% tuition fee exemption.

- They will have to maintain SGPA 3.00.
- No restriction will be imposed on the employees of DIU in taking courses.
- The waiver will be effective only if the employee gained one year working experience from DIU on regular basis; otherwise, the waiver will not be applicable.

- DIU employees must serve at DIU at least for 2 years after completion of the degree. Otherwise, they have to return half of the benefit received while quitting the service.
- The employee will have to submit a Letter of Commitment in Stamp Paper in this regard.
- Benefit will be withdrawn if any employee resigns from the job.

**How to apply:**

- Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with photocopy of Employee ID card.
- In case of children and sibling, copy of SSC Certificate of students is also to be submitted.
- In case of Spouse, copy of Marriage Certificate of employee and students is also to be submitted.

**e) Daffodil International College (DIC)/Eminence College/Human Development College**

**Quota:**

Students who completed their HSC from Daffodil International College (DIC)/ Eminence College/Human Development College will get 20% waiver on their tuition fees. If DIC students achieve better result in HSC than SSC, they will get 30% waiver on their tuition fees.

- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get a waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a photocopy of Testimonial/Transcript of HSC.

**f) Daffodil Polytechnic Institute (DPI)/Bangladesh Skill Development Institute (BSDI) Quota:**

- 04 years diploma alumnus of Daffodil Polytechnic Institute (DPI) and Bangladesh Skill Development Institute (BSDI) will get waiver of 20% of their tuition fee.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a photocopy of Testimonial/Transcript of Diploma.

**g) DIPTI Business Management (BM) College Quota:**

Alumnus of DIPTI Business Management (BM) College under BTEB will get tuition fee waiver as stated below for getting admission in any bachelor program of Daffodil International University.

Concern	Waiver benefit	SGPA to be maintained each semester	Minimum credits to be taken each semester
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DIPTI Business Management (BM) College	i) 15 % tuition fee waiver, if Pre-BBA/HSC result less than SSC result  ii) 25% tuition fee waiver, if Pre-BBA/HSC result better than SSC result  (Excluding other fees until special consideration or recommendation)	3.00	18
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**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a photocopy of Testimonial/Transcript of HSC.

**h) Daffodil Technical Institute (DTI) Quota:**

- 04 years diploma alumnus of Daffodil Technical Institute (DTI) and Bangladesh Skill Development Institute (BSDI) will get waiver of 20% of their tuition fee.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a photocopy of Testimonial/Transcript of Diploma.

**i) 1<sup>st</sup> blood relatives of alumni quota:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> blood of alumni of DIU will get 10% waiver of their tuition fee.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a copy of SSC Certificate of the student and alumni, and Final Transcript of Graduation/Post Graduation of alumni.

**j) Waiver for Spouse of DIU Alumni Quota:**

- Spouses of DIU Alumni will get 10% waiver of their tuition fee.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with all relevant documents (Proof of DIU Alumni and Marriage Certificates) at the time of admission.



**k) Waiver for Master's Program in DIU:**

**Master's Degree for DIU Graduates (except English Dept.):** Students graduated from DIU will be given tuition fee waiver for their second-degree program at DIU in the following ways:

Result of Bachelor Degree (CGPA out of 4)	Waiver rate in Master Programs	SGPA to be obtained	Minimum credits to be taken
CGPA 3.90 or above	60%	3.50	12
CGPA 3.85 to 3.89	50%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.75 to 3.84	40%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.50 to 3.74	35%	3.00	12
CGPA 3.25 to 3.49	30%	3.00	12
CGPA 3.00 to 3.24	25%	3.00	12
CGPA Below 3.00	20%	3.00	12

- **Master's Degree for DIU Graduates from English Dept.:** Students graduated from the English Department of DIU will be given tuition fee waiver for their second-degree program in English at DIU in the following ways:

Result of Graduation (CGPA out of 4)	Waiver Rate in Master's Programs	SGPA to be maintained	Minimum credits to be taken
CGPA 3.85 or above	60%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.75 to 3.84	55%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.50 to 3.74	50%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.25 to 3.49	45%	3.00	12
CGPA 3.00 to 3.24	40%	3.00	12
CGPA Below 3.00	30%	3.00	12

- **Master's Degree for Graduates from others universities:** Students taking admission in the Master's programs will be given tuition fee waiver for their result of Bachelor degree only and not on the basis of their result of Master's degree. Students graduated from other than DIU will be given tuition fee waiver in the following ways:

Graduated from NU/Public University	Waiver	SGPA to be obtained	Graduated from Other Private University	Waiver	SGPA to be obtained
Below CGPA 3.00	Nil	3.00	CGPA Below 3.50	Nil	3.00
CGPA 3.00 to 3.24	10%	3.00	CGPA 3.50 to 3.89	15%	3.00
CGPA 3.25 to 3.49	15%	3.00	1st Class/CGPA 3.90 or Above	50%	3.25
CGPA 3.50 to 3.89	20%	3.00			
1st Class/CGPA 3.90 or Above	50%	3.25			

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a copy of the Final Transcript of Graduation of the student.

### **l) Waiver for students admitted in a group (at least 10 in number):**

- If a group of minimum 10 service holders from the same organization (except MBA) intends to admit in the same semester in Master's program of DIU, they will get 10% waiver on tuition fees.
- If a group of five service holders from the same organization intends to admit in the same semester in Executive MBA of Department of Business Administration, FBE, DIU, they will get 10% waiver on tuition fees only.
- If a group of ten service holders from the same organization intends to admit in the same semester in Executive MBA of Department of Business Administration, FBE, DIU, they will get 20% waiver on tuition fees only.
- Class schedule of those students will be managed by the concerned department.
- If any student deserves higher percentage of waiver in other quota, he/she will get the highest percentage only.
- Terms and conditions to maintain the benefit will remain as per rule of DIU.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 12 (Masters program)

### **How to apply:**

- The group of students has to write an application to the Head of the Department with list of the group and documents of the organization.

### **m) Player Quota:**

If National, Premier League, First Division and Second division level players get admitted into DIU, they will enjoy waiver in following ways effective from Spring 2024 semester:

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Type of Player</b>	<b>Waiver rate</b>	<b>SGPA to be maintained</b>	<b>Minimum credits to be taken for under Master's programs</b>	<b>Minimum credits to be taken each semester for under Master's program</b>
1.	National player	<b>Full free studentship.</b> They will pay the admission fees only.	2.50	06	06
2.	Premier League	<b>90%</b> tuition fee waiver (excluding other fees until special consideration or recommendation)	2.50	12	09
3.	First division	<b>60%</b> tuition fee waiver (excluding other fees until special consideration or recommendation)	2.50	12	09

4.	Second division	40% tuition fee waiver (excluding other fees until special consideration or recommendation)	2.50	12	09
5.	DIU Player	20-40% tuition fee waiver (excluding other fees until special consideration or recommendation)	2.50	12	09

**How to apply:**

- Such students will have to submit all relevant documents to the admission office at the time of admission.
- Students have to apply online financial aid form by the following link paying Tk 102/-only.

<http://financialaid.daffodilvarsity.edu.bd>

- Applicants must appear before the Viva-Board with relevant documents to avail the player quota waiver.
- If all documents are found OK the student can avail waiver in the player quota.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 2.50 and credit to be taken is 12 for undergraduate and 09 for Master's program (exception for National players).

**n) Physically Challenged/ Specially-able Quota:**

- DIU offers 25% waiver to physically challenged/specially-able students.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with copy of certificate of disability from the Government of Peoples' Republic of Bangladesh.

**o) Tribal/Ethnic Group Quota:**

- DIU offers 15% waiver to Tribal students (**Khagrachari, Rangamati, Bandarban**)
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect a waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a copy of certificate of their tribe from their Raja/King.

**p) Sibling/Spouse Quota:**

- If a sibling/spouse continues to study at the same time in day programs at Daffodil International University, both of them will get 20% waiver on tuition fee.
- If one sibling/spouse completes his/her degree earlier, waiver benefit of the other sibling/spouse will be stopped from that semester.
- For continuation, they will have to maintain a GPA 3.00 and credit to be taken is 18. This benefit will be withdrawn if any of the two students drops from the program.

**How to apply:**

- In case of siblings' students have to collect waiver form from the admission office.
- After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a copy of SSC Certificate of both students.
- In case of spouse students have to submit the copy of marriage registry certificate.

**q) Waiver for son/daughter of current students' quota:**

Son/daughter of ongoing students will get waiver in the following way:

<b>Category</b>	<b>Waiver</b>	<b>SGPA to be maintained each semester</b>	<b>Minimum credits to be taken each semester</b>	<b>Other Conditions</b>
Son/daughter of current students' quota	20%	3.00	12 for Bachelor program and 9 for Master's program	Both parties must be registered at the same semester. Waiver benefit will be stopped on degree completion of one party.

**How to apply:**

Eligible students have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with a copy of SSC Certificate of both students.

**r) Waiver for diploma holders admitted in day program:**

Diploma holder students who will take admission in day programs (Undergraduate)

<b>Result in Diploma</b>	<b>Tuition Fees Waiver rate</b>	<b>SGPA to be maintained</b>	<b>Credit to be taken</b>
GPA-3.90-4.00	75%	3.50	18
GPA-3.80-3.89	60%	3.50	18
GPA-3.75-3.79	50%	3.25	18
GPA-3.50-3.74	40%	3.25	18
GPA-3.25-3.49	30%	3.00	18
GPA-3.00-3.24	25%	3.00	18
GPA-2.50-2.99	15%	3.00	18

It was also suggested that if the Diploma holders taking admission in the day programs of other departments claim for tuition fees waiver, they may be given waiver in the same method.

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with copy of their Diploma certificate.

**s) 1<sup>st</sup> batch of a program quota:**

- Students of the 1<sup>st</sup> batch of any program will get 15% waiver on tuition fee.

**If any student deserves higher percentage of waiver in other quotas, he/she will get the highest percentage only.**

**Terms and conditions to maintain the benefit will remain as per rule of DIU.**

**How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the admission office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with copy of last academic degree transcript.

**t) Waiver for international students on direct admission in Master’s Programs:**

Newly admitted international students taking direct admission in Master’s programs at DIU will get waiver as stated below:

<b>Result of Bachelor Degree (CGPA out of 4)</b>	<b>Waiver rate</b>	<b>SGPA to be obtained</b>	<b>Minimum credits to be taken</b>
CGPA 3.75 to 4.00	50%	3.25	12
CGPA 3.50 to 3.74	30%	3.00	12

**How to apply:**

After taking admission eligible students will collect a waiver form from the admission office of the respective campus and submit the filled in form along with required documents (Transcript and Certificate) to the admission officer.

**u) Waiver benefit for Dual Master Quota:**

Students who are doing second Masters in DIU will be given tuition fee waiver in the following ways:

<b>Sl</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Waiver benefit</b>
1.	Students graduated from DIU	Similar to second degree quota for taking admission in another Master program
2.	Students graduated from university other than DIU with CGPA 3.00 and above	Same waiver benefit on the basis of result of Bachelor program in another Master program

3.	Students graduated from National/Public University with CGPA below 3.00 to 3.24	10% waiver in another Master program
4.	Students graduated from Private University other than DIU with below 3.00 to 3.49 CGPA	10% waiver in another Master program

### **How to apply:**

Students who are eligible to get waiver in this category have to collect waiver form from the Admission and Counselling office. After filling in the form they have to submit it to the admission office with copy of final transcript of bachelor and master degree of the student.

❖ **For detailed information, please contact Admission and Counselling section.**

## **2. Need-based Waiver:**

### **Conditions to apply:**



- Students, who are not getting any type of waiver or scholarship in DIU but facing financial problems, are eligible to apply for need-based financial aid.
- Minimum requirements to apply for the Need-based waiver are:
  - a. Students must be registered with 18 credits (Bi-semester)
  - b. SGPA of last semester must be minimum 3.00
- Students who are already enjoying waiver benefit in any category should not apply for further waiver benefit.
- Newly admitted students can apply for waiver benefits under need-based category through the online Financial Aid Form after the completion of at least one semester at DIU.
- In case of transferred students from one program to another, to retain the received waiver benefit students have to apply again after changing their program.
- Considering the low cost of the programs, Need-based Waiver may not be offered to the students of B.Com (Hons), B.A. (Hons) in English, L.L.B, Evening programs and other similar programs.

### **Whom to contact:**

For getting information regarding waiver and scholarship students can visit the website of Daffodil International University <https://daffodilvarsity.edu.bd/>. For further information and application about waiver and scholarship, students are advised to contact with following personnel of DIU:

1. Coordination Officer of respective department
2. Admission Officer
3. Waiver and Scholarship section of Registrar Office

Application is to be processed through following sequence (If applicable)

Batch Advisor  Head of the Department  Registrar

### **How to apply:**

- Students have to apply through online financial aid form for need-based financial aid through the following link by paying Tk 102/-only.

<http://financialaid.daffodilvarsity.edu.bd>

- Applicants must appear before the Viva-Board to avail need-based financial aid.

### **Conditions to enjoy waiver/scholarship:**

- a) Students who will apply for tuition fee waiver in other different quotas (Need-based, Freedom Fighters, Tribal, DIC students, Sports, 1st batch quota etc) should maintain a minimum SGPA 3.00 out of 4.00 in each semester.
- b) Waiver benefit is applicable only for tuition fee and not applicable for Admission fee, Semester fee, Library fee, Lab fee, Extra Curricular activities fee, Improvement, Retake, Project/ Dissertation/Internship etc.
- c) Students must get 3.00 in **English I and II** to retain the waiver in any quota.
- d) Facilities, such as, **scholarship, waiver, Laptop, etc**, will instantly be cancelled forever if any student is found taking part in any activity which goes against the rules and regulations of the university and hamper the image. This policy will be followed strictly.

## **4. Talent Hunt Scholarship Program**

### **Introduction**

Daffodil International University (DIU) has introduced the Talent Hunt Scholarship Program to support meritorious and poor students to study at any Undergraduate Program offered in Daffodil International University. An open competition will be held among the applicants. Selected applicants will be awarded 100% tuition fees waiver and additional scholarships for their boarding, lodging under the Talent Hunt Scholarship Program. **Newly admitted international students are eligible to participate in the competition.**



### **Objective**

#### **The objectives of the project are**

- ⇒ to support meritorious and poor students under its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR),
- ⇒ to bring meritorious and poor students in the main stream of technology and nurse them,
- ⇒ to develop highly skilled professionals in the country through mentoring and guidance.

\*\* Special attention will be given to the students from rural and backward classes.

### **Target Group**

The newly admitted students in DIU Bachelor programs (Local and International)



## Scholarship

Daffodil International University (DIU) offers 25 scholarships under Talent Hunt Scholarship Program. The scholarship is of 3 (three) categories as follows:

**1st Category:** They will be given 100% tuition fee waiver along with an additional **stipend at a rate of Tk. 5,000/-** per month to support their other university fees, and boarding and lodging.

**2nd Category:** They will be provided 100% tuition fee waiver along with an additional **stipend at a rate of Tk. 3,000/-** per month to support their other university fees, and boarding and lodging.

**3rd Category:** They will be provided 100% tuition fee waiver and an additional **stipend at a rate of Tk. 2,000/-** per month to support related educational expenses.

### *For International Students*

**1st Category:** USD 3000 as scholarship

**2nd Category:** USD 2000 as scholarship

\* The Scholarship amount will be adjusted to their tuition fees during their study period at DIU.



## Eligibility

1. The suitable candidate must be a highly innovative individual in nature and have strong analytical ability.
2. Applicants must have GPA 4.00 out of 5.00 individually in both SSC and HSC.
3. Passing year must be ----- for SSC and ----- for HSC. (year will be circulated through newspaper/internal email )
4. Candidate must be fluent in English and have a good communication and presentation skill.
5. She/he must be computer literate and proficient in IT.
6. She/he has to be amiable, smart, intelligent and innovative in thinking and hard working.
7. She/he should be able to work in group or individually.
8. The credit transferred students are not eligible for this scholarship program.

## Selection Procedure

An advertisement will be circulated in National Dailies and Website of Daffodil International University for application of Talent Hunt Scholarship.

A written test will be conducted among the applicants. Only short-listed applicants will be called for interview. The interview will be conducted by the Selection Committee. A committee will conduct examination including preparing questions, evaluating answer scripts and preparing the result. The result will be published online.



**Marks distribution will be as follows:**

Written Examination: 80 (General Knowledge 20, English 20, Faculty wise subjects 20, IT & Aptitude 20)

Viva : 20

Total : 100

**Written test will be conducted as stated below :**

1. General knowledge, English and IT & Aptitude will be common for applicants from any background.
2. Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics for the candidates of FSIT and FE
3. Accounting and Economics for the candidates of FBE
4. Social Science and Economics for the candidates of FHSS
5. Chemistry and Biology for the candidates of FAHS

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### Terms and Conditions

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1. The Scholarship winner will have to
  - a) pay all fees such as Admission fee, Semester fee, Library fee, Lab fee, Extra Curricular activities fee, Project/ Dissertation/Internship fee, development fee etc (all fees except tuition fees),
  - b) take at least 18 credits each semester,
  - c) maintain SGPA 3.50 every semester to retain the scholarship,
  - d) If any winner failed to maintain required SGPA 3.50 consecutively for 2 (two) semesters, his/her Talent scholarship will be cancelled permanently.
  - e) submit the original mark sheets and certificates of SSC & HSC examinations to the Admission Office,
  - f) Refund all the expenses spent against him/her by the university if he/she leaves the university. Otherwise the original documents will not be returned.
2. The guardian will have to give a commitment on behalf of the winner in judiciary stamps of Tk. 150 that the student will abide by the terms & conditions of the scholarship and the rules and regulations of the university.
3. The scholarship winner shall not apply for other scholarships. In case of availing other scholarships, he/she will have to surrender the Talent Hunt Scholarship.
4. The scholarship will be granted for four years which should be renewed at the end of every year subject to satisfactory result/academic performance, behavioral pattern/attitude duly certified/recommended by the Head of the Department. Students with improvement and/or retake cases will not be allowed to continue the scholarship.
5. The credit transferred students are not eligible for this scholarship program.
6. Department and Campus options are to be chosen. Once opted it is final. None will be allowed to change the options later in any circumstances.
7. In case of any misdeed which hampers the image of the university or goes against the rules, scholarship will be cancelled immediately.

8. The students obtaining the scholarship must be admitted within the stipulated time frame of the semester.
9. A teacher will be assigned for each winner all through the 8 semesters to monitor the student's academic and other performances.
10. At the end of the semester, the Head of the Department will issue a Testimonial in favor of the student; based on that the scholarship will be disbursed and registration for next semester will be completed.

## Application Procedure

Eligible candidates will apply online by paying BDT. 305 through following link

**<http://talenthunt.daffodilvarsity.edu.bd>**

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### 5. Freedom Fighter Quota Waiver

1971 is a significant year for Bangladesh. Liberation War is a momentous event of Bangladesh's entire history. Through this blood-stained and sacrifice-laden war, Bangladesh attained acknowledgment as an independent country. Heroes never die. Freedom Fighters are the greatest sons of our soil. We must concede their dedication, guts, sacrifice and loyalty for motherland with utmost priority. Daffodil International University (DIU) is never in oblivion to the sacrifice people made during the War. It commemorates this majestic fraction of history with due respect and by saluting not only to the martyrs who made supreme sacrifice to ensure our independence but also to each and every person dead or alive who suffered, lost or sacrificed their wealth, dear ones and other valuables and during the Liberation War.

DIU is also determined to uphold the ethics and morale of the Liberation War. It is unwavering to be a flag carrier of patriotism and to espouse the nation's spirit through enlightening the image of the country by providing international standard higher education among the countrymen. Bangladesh desperately needs a great deal of skilled and self-educated manpower. Our next generation needs proper guidance and practical formal education to run the country with more capability and dedication. Responsible people will have to come forward to ensure complete upbringing of the freedom fighters' wards. From that angle of social contribution, DIU has special consideration for those students of freedom fighter's family who wish to complete their higher study in a friendly and international atmosphere in this institution. Some students are already studying at this renowned university having waiver facility. This facility for the freedom fighter's wards provided by DIU will ensure the spirits of our great Liberation War.

DIU offers full-free tuition fees waiver to the son/daughter of a **freedom fighter**.

#### **How to apply:**

- Students have to apply in the prescribed online Financial Aid Form on payment of **Tk 102/- only** through the following link **<http://financialaid.daffodilvarsity.edu.bd>**.

- Applicant must face the Scholarship/ Waiver Committee with a copy of Original Certificate and other relevant documents of the Freedom Fighter.
- The 100% waiver is given on tuition fees and registration fees only if the Original Certificate and other relevant documents of the Freedom Fighter are found correct after verification. Till then students have to pay the tuition fees as usual.
- If the Certificate is found correct, the paid amount will be refunded later (except the payment which is made at the time of Admission and Internship).

## 6. **Scholarship for winner of ‘Are you the next startup?’**

To find the next startup and give opportunity to students, an advertisement is announced each semester through Facebook from Innovation and Entrepreneurship Department of Daffodil International University. Applicant have to apply through the mentioned link (<http://next-startup.net/>) and follow the step as follows.

- HSC/equivalence completed candidates can apply for this scholarship.
- Applicants must sit for a written examination.
- Short listed candidates will be called for a day-long grooming session.
- They have to present their business plan/idea.
- Finally, applicants have to face a viva voce.
- After accumulating all results, management will select the winners and they will declare 10%-100% scholarship for them.
- Winners can enjoy this scholarship after getting admission in Innovation and Entrepreneurship Department of Daffodil International University.
- The scholarship will be awarded only on tuition fees.
- Winners have to take at least 18 credits each semester and maintain SGPA 3.00 every semester to retain the scholarship.

## 7. **Scholarship for winner of ‘Be a Media Star’:**

To find the next media star and give opportunities to students, an advertisement is announced each semester through Social media from Journalism, Media and Communication Department of Daffodil International University. Applicants have to apply through online platform and follow the steps as follows.

- HSC/equivalence completed candidates can apply for this scholarship.
- Winners will be selected through an open competition on the online platform.
- Only short-listed candidates will be selected for the scholarship.
- After accumulating academic and competition results, management will select the winners and they will declare 25%-100% scholarships for them.
- Winners will be informed through email.
- Winners can enjoy this scholarship after getting admission in the Journalism, Media and Communication Department of Daffodil International University.
- The scholarship will be awarded only on tuition fees.

- Scholarship facilities and terms and conditions to retain the waiver under ‘Be a Media Star’ are as follows:

Sl	Category of scholarship	Waiver benefit	SGPA to be maintained each semester	Minimum credits to be taken each semester
1.	First	100%	3.50	18
2.	Second	75%	3.50	18
3.	Third	50%	3.25	18
4.	Fourth	25%	3.00	18

## 8. Chairman Endowment Fund Scholarship:

Mr. Md. Sabur Khan, Honorable Chairman, Board of Trustees (BoT) of Daffodil International University has donated a fund for the welfare of meritorious and poor students to continue study at any Undergraduate Program in DIU. This scholarship is named as ‘Chairman Endowment Fund Scholarship.’

### Conditions to apply:

- Chairman Endowment Fund for students’ welfare will be applicable for local students of Undergraduate Program (both day and evening) of DIU.
- Students must complete at least one semester at DIU.
- Students must obtain **SGPA 3.00 last semester.**
- Students having financial crisis due to
  - A. the death of his/her father or the person who is bearing the cost of the university after taking admission at DIU and only those who are not under the guardian’s insurance scheme will be given preference.
  - B. critical illness (except the diseases as mentioned in guardians and student’s insurance policy) of guardians or the person who is bearing the cost of the university after taking admission at DIU and only those who are not under the guardian’s insurance scheme will be given preference.
  - C. critical illness (except 8 diseases as mentioned in guardians and student’s insurance policy) of the student him/herself.
- Candidates must be regular in his/her academic session. Irregular/dropout students will not be entitled for Endowment. Selection committee can accept an irregular student as a very special case depending on the valid reason for irregularities.
- Students who are getting **less than 30%** waiver will be eligible to apply for this benefit.

- Students who are under the guardian's insurance scheme are not eligible for this waiver.
- A student involved in any subversive activity to university as well as country is not eligible to apply for this waiver. The benefit will be canceled at any stage if the student is found a defaulter.

**Personalized clauses:**

- Must be gentle in manner
- Must wear the ID card of the university regularly
- Must not be involved in politics or any other unlawful activities
- Must not be drug addicted/smoker/have political identity
- Must be honest to declare personal information in the form
- Any criminal or subversive activities against the university and nation shall disqualify the Endowment.

**How to apply:**

- Students must apply online at the time of circulation.
- Applicants must appear before the Viva-Board to avail Chairman Endowment Fund Scholarship.

## **9. Professor Dr. M. Lutfar Rahman Scholarship**

A scholarship named after **Professor Dr. M. Lutfar Rahman** for the students of the Faculty of Science and Information Technology (FSIT) has been instituted out of funds amounting to taka one lac donated by Professor Dr. M. Lutfar Rahman, honorable Vice Chancellor, DIU, during his tenure as the Dean, Faculty of Science and Information Technology in the same university. The value of each scholarship is Taka 10,000/- per annum.

**Rules of the selection are as follows:**

- The scholarship will be provided for each calendar year i.e., from 1st January to 31st December.
- Students of Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 will be considered / brought under this scholarship program.
- One student from FSIT will get the scholarship under the basis of Highest CGPA throughout the calendar year. If two (02) students are found with the same highest CGPA, then the amount will be equally distributed between them. If more than two students are found with the same highest CGPA, then individual semester results will be considered as the tool for evaluation.
- The student who has completed at least 36 credits in a calendar year will be considered for evaluation.
- A committee comprising of two Deans and Controller of Examinations will select the eligible candidate for the award.

## **10. Razia Begum Scholarship**

Razia Begum Scholarship (in memory of the mother of Professor Dr. Aminul Islam, Emeritus Professor & Honorable former VC of DIU) is being distributed among students of the Faculty of Business and Economics. The scholarship originated out of the fund (taka one lac) contributed by Professor Dr. Aminul Islam during his tenure as the honorable Vice Chancellor of DIU.

**Rules of the selection are as follows:**

- The scholarship will be provided for each calendar year - 1 January to 31 December.
- Students of Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 will be considered / brought under this scholarship program.
- One student from FBE and one student from FSIT will get the scholarship under the basis of Highest CGPA throughout the calendar year. If two (02) students are found with the same highest CGPA, then the amount will be equally distributed between them. If more than two students are found with the same highest CGPA, then individual semester results will be considered as the tool for evaluation.
- The students who have completed at least 36 credits in a calendar year will be considered for evaluation.
- A committee comprising of two Deans and Controller of Examinations will select the candidate for the award.

### **11. Mofiz Uddin Majumder Scholarship Fund:**

Mr. Mominul Haque Majumder, Honorable Treasurer and DIU Alumni has approached the University for creating a fund under the name of his Father “**Mofiz Uddin Majumder Scholarship Fund**”. Mr. Mofiz Uddin Majumder had spent most of his life as a teacher. He was an educationist, honest man and inspiration to the society. The scholarship in his name is being distributed among the students who are in financial crisis and who have already lost his/her father before taking admission at DIU.

#### **Conditions to apply:**

- Students, who are in financial crisis and have already lost his/her father before taking admission at DIU, are eligible to apply for Mofiz Uddin Majumder Scholarship.
- Student maintaining CGPA 3.00 during past three semesters (tri semester)/ two semesters (bi semester) within the calendar year from 01 January to 31 December can apply for this scholarship.
- Students who are getting waiver 0%- 30% are eligible to apply for this scholarship.
- This scholarship will be applicable for undergraduate programs only.
- The scholarship will be considered for one-time.

#### **How to apply:**

- Student must apply online at the time of circulation.
- Applicant must appear before the Viva-Board to avail Mofiz Uddin Majumder Scholarship.

### **12. Delwar Hussain Chowdhury Scholarship:**

Ms. Rahima K Mirza and Ms. Fahmida Emran Mumu, Alumni, Faculty of Business and Entrepreneurship have approached the University for creating a fund under the name of their Father in Law “**Delwar Hossain Chowdhury Scholarship Fund**”. Mr. Delwar Hossain Chowdhury was a Freedom Fighter, and development worker. He was an educationist, honest man and inspiration to the society.

The scholarship in his name is being distributed among the students who are in financial crisis and who have already lost his/her father before taking admission at DIU.

**Condition to apply:**

- Students, who are in financial crisis and have already lost his/her father before taking admission at DIU, are eligible to apply for ‘Delwar Hussain Chowdhury Scholarship’.
- Students maintaining CGPA 3.00 during the past three semesters (tri semester)/ two semesters (bi semester) within the calendar year from 01 January to 31 December can apply for this scholarship.
- Students who are getting waiver up to 30% will not be eligible to apply for this scholarship.
- Only undergraduate students of DIU are eligible to apply for this scholarship.
- The scholarship will be considered for one-time.

**How to apply:**

- Students must apply online at the time of circulation.
- Applicants must appear before the Viva-Board to avail Delwar Hussain Chowdhury Scholarship.

**13. Late Hafez Md. Abdur Rahim and Late Mrs. Jarina Begum Scholarship Fund:**

A scholarship named after **Late Hafez Md. Abdur Rahim and Late Mrs. Jarina Begum Scholarship** for the students of the Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering (ETE)/Information and Communication Engineering (ICE) has been instituted out of a fund amounting taka One Lac & Twenty five Thousands only contributed by Professor Dr. Md. Golam Mowla Chowdhury during his tenure as the Controller of Examinations and Professor, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering (ETE) of DIU .

**Rules of the selection are as follows:**

- The scholarship will be provided for each calendar year i.e., from 1 January to 31 December.
- One student from ETE/ICE department will get the scholarship under the basis of Highest CGPA throughout the calendar year. If two (02) students are found with the same highest CGPA, then the amount will be equally distributed between them. If more than two students are found with the same highest CGPA, then individual semester results will be considered as the tool for evaluation.
- The student who has completed at least 36 credits in a calendar year will be considered for evaluation.
- A committee comprising of the two Heads of the department and Controller of Examinations will select the eligible candidate for the award.

**14. Late Professor Dr. Ahmad Husain and Late Mrs. Mahbuba Hossain Scholarship Fund:**

A scholarship named after **Late Professor Dr. Ahmad Husain and Late Mrs. Mahbuba Hossain Scholarship** for the students of the Faculty of Engineering has been instituted out of a fund amounting to taka One Lac & Twenty five Thousands only contributed by Professor Dr. Md. Golam Mowla Chowdhury during his tenure of the Controller of Examination and Professor, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering (ETE) of DIU.

**Rules of the selection are as follows:**

- The scholarship will be provided for each calendar year i.e., from 1 January to 31 December.
- One student from the Faculty of Engineering will get the scholarship under the basis of Highest CGPA throughout the calendar year. If two (02) students are found with the same highest CGPA, then the amount will be equally distributed between them. If more than two students are found with the same highest CGPA, then individual semester results will be considered as the tool for evaluation.
- The student who has completed at least 36 credits in a calendar year will be considered for evaluation.
- A committee comprising of one Head (by rotation from the Faculty of Engineering of DIU) and Controller of Examinations will select the eligible candidate for the award.

### **15. Waiver regarding Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR):**

Daffodil International University (DIU) is always committed to the welfare of the country as well as the society. Since its establishment DIU has been providing financial aid and scholarship to support meritorious and poor students, orphans, street children etc to study in this university under its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). Financial aid and scholarship committee, headed by the Pro Vice Chancellor of Daffodil International University is responsible to provide financial support to eligible/financially insolvent students. Sometimes it is an important part of deciding how a student will pay for her/his higher education cost and which institution she/he will attend. The Financial Aid and Scholarship Committee of Daffodil International University understands students' needs and plans for their future careers. DIU also understands that many families need help for filling in the gap between what they can afford and the resources needed to pay for university education costs. The university attaches a high priority to financial aid and has a standing commitment to meet the financial needs of eligible students. Providing poor and meritorious students financial support, focusing on students' capacity and giving inspiration to their effort to complete higher education uninterruptedly is the main objective of financial aid and scholarship of DIU. DIU also started need and skill-based waiver opportunities to help the students not only financially but also with opportunities through guidance and mentoring to make them skilled and updated. Daffodil International University provided waiver and scholarship opportunities to more than 2200 students till date as part of their Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR).

#### **How to apply:**

- Students who are facing financial problems have to write an application through the Head of the Department and Faculty Dean describing her/his problem.
- Submit the application to the Department Coordination Officer with relevant document(s).

#### **Conditions for enjoying the waiver:**

- To enjoy scholarship and tuition fee waiver undergraduate students must take at least 18 credits and postgraduate students must take at least 12 credits each semester. If any department offers less credit/fewer credits, the condition could be relaxed. Students must get 3.00 in English I and II to retain the waiver in any quota.
- Facilities, such as, scholarship, waiver, laptop, etc, will instantly be cancelled forever if any student is found taking part in any activity which goes against the rules and regulations of the university and hampers the image. This policy will be followed strictly.
- In case of transferred students from one program to another, to retain the received waiver benefit students have to apply again after changing their program.
- Waiver benefit is applicable only for tuition fee and not applicable for Admission fee, Semester fee, Library fee, Lab fee, Extra Curricular activities fee, Improvement, Retake, Project/ Dissertation/Internship etc.



- The terms and condition of waiver and scholarship may be changed as per requirements.