

# DIRECTORATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Himachal Pradesh, Shimla – 171001.

## PRESS RELEASE

The State Govt. has started a ~~new~~ "Mukhya Mantri Gyandeeep Yojna" to all those Himachali Bonafide students who wants to avail educational loan, to pursuing professional/technical courses and higher education courses from recognized Institutions from any bank. The UCO Bank will be the Nodal Bank for this scheme. Under this Interest subsidy scheme Himachali students can avail up to the maximum of ₹ 10 (Ten lakh only) for pursuing the Higher Studies. The Interest subsidy of 4% p.a. on this education loan will be allowed. The objectives of the scheme are to providing financial support to Himachali students for pursuing Higher Education. Therefore, it is informed to all the Himachali students to avail the benefit of the scheme directly from the any bank. The guidelines of the scheme are available on the HP e-Pass Portal i.e. <http://hpepass.cgg.gov.in> and Department website i.e. <http://educationhp.org>.

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6. The Director, Public Information and Public Relation Department, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla – 171002, for publication please.
7. The TO, IT Cell, DHE HP, with the request to upload the above Press Release on the Departmental website.

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