

Chowgule Education Society's  
**Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts and Science**  
(Autonomous)

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**STUDENT'S WELFARE POLICY-**

**Academic Merit Prizes (2025-26)**

*(Scholarships, Freeships, Prizes, and Students' Aid Fund)*

**1. Introduction:**

The Student Welfare Policy outlines the CES's Parvatibai Chowgule College of Arts & Science's autonomous commitment to supporting students' academic, financial, and personal well-being. The policy ensures that students can access equitable opportunities and necessary support to pursue their education without undue economic hardship. Welfare services foster holistic development, social inclusion, and a positive campus experience.

**2. Objectives:**

- a) To recognize academic excellence through merit-based awards and prizes.
- b) To ensure equity by assisting students from disadvantaged and marginalized communities.
- c) To enhance student retention and success.
- d) To promote a culture of care and well-being within the college.



### 3. Governance:

The **Students' Welfare Committee**, constituted by the Head of the Institution, oversees the administration of all welfare schemes. The Committee:

- a) Coordinates between students, departments, and the administration.
- b) Scrutinizes applications for scholarships and prizes.
- c) Ensures transparency and fairness in disbursal.
- d) Monitors policy implementation and impact.

### 4. Academic Merit Prizes:

#### a) Undergraduate (BA, BSc, B.Voc)

- a) **Topper – First Year** (Sem I & II): Awarded in Second Year.
- b) **Topper – Second Year** (Sem III & IV): Awarded in Third Year.
- c) **Topper – Final Year** (Sem V & VI): Awarded to successfully graduated.
- d) **Topper – Semester I**: For current First Year students.

#### b) Postgraduate (MA, MSc)

- **Topper – First Year** (Sem I & II): Awarded in Second Year.

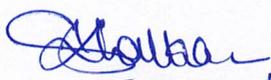
#### c) Overall Merit Prizes

- a) **Top 2 scorers** (Sem I–V): BA, BSc, B.Voc – individual streams.
- b) **Top scorer (Double Major)**: Combined BA & BSc streams score.
- c) **Top 2 scorers (Sem I–III)**: MSc and MA streams.
- d) **Top 2 scorers – Semester I**: PG Diploma students.

### 5. Review and Revisions:

The Students' Welfare Committee will review this policy periodically and revisit as necessary to align with regulatory changes, funding availability, and institutional priorities.

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