

## **Integrated Education for the Disabled Children Scheme**

- Mentally handicapped-educable group (IQ 50-70) children are covered under this scheme.
- The handicapped children are provided the following allowances and facilities under this scheme:
  1. Books and stationery allowance of Rs.400/- per annum.
  2. Uniform allowance of Rs.50/- per annum.
  3. Transport allowance of Rs.50/- per month (if a disabled child admitted under the scheme resides in a hostel of the school within the school premises, no transportation charges would be admissible).
  4. Actual cost of equipment subject to a maximum of Rs.2, 000/- per student for a period of five years.
  5. Disabled children residing in school hostels within the same institution where they are studying may also be paid boarding & lodging charges as admissible under the State Govt. Rules/Schemes. Where there is no State Scheme of Scholarships to hostellers, the disabled children, whose parents income does not exceed Rs.3, 000/- per month, may be paid actual boarding & lodging charges subject to a maximum of Rs.200/- p. m.
  6. In a school in rural areas where at least 10 handicapped children are enrolled, capital cost for purchase of school rickshaw for free use of these children and expenses for Rickshaw Puller Rs.300/- p. m will be provided under the scheme. In such cases, no transport allowance will be payable to the students.