PROJECT MANAGEMENT UNIT (PMU)
BALOCHISTAN EDUCATION SUPPORT PROGRAM

School Education Department, Government of Balochistan

GRADES-B SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

Eligibility Criteria & Selection Process

PROGRAMME

Four-year BS Education / B.Ed. (Hons.) scholarship programme for eligible female students domiciled in Balochistan. Implemented by PMU-BESP, School Education Department, Government of Balochistan, under GRADES-B with support from the World Bank.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Criterion	Requirement
Programme	Four-year BS Education / B.Ed. (Hons.)
Gender	Female only
Age	22 years
Domicile	Valid local/domicile certificate of Balochistan
Matriculation or equivalent	Minimum 55% marks
Intermediate or equivalent	Minimum 55% marks

SELECTION PROCESS

1. HEC Test	PMU-BESP, School Education Department, Government of Balochistan, arranged for the scholarship test to be conducted through the Higher Education Commission (HEC) at 14 locations across Balochistan.
2. District-wise Merit	After announcement of the test results, eligible candidates were ranked from highest to lowest merit in separate district-wise merit lists.
3. District Seat Allocation	Candidates were selected against the seats allocated to their respective districts, according to district-wise merit and available seats.
4. University Preferences	Applicants submitted their university preferences on the online portal, ranking their choices from 1 to 9. University placements were made in line with the preferences submitted by each student and the applicable merit and seat-allocation process.
5. Award Letters & Consent	Selected candidates were issued scholarship award letters and were required to submit consent forms. Following consent, scholars proceeded with placement at their allocated partner institutions.

PARTNER INSTITUTIONS

1. International Islamic University, Islamabad	2. Fatima Jinnah Women University, Rawalpindi	3. Beaconhouse National University, Lahore
4. Forman Christian College (A Chartered University), Lahore	5. Government College University, Lahore – Kala Shah Kaku Campus	6. Lahore College for Women University, Lahore
7. SZABIST University, Karachi	8. Ziauddin University / College of Education, Karachi	9. Government Elementary College of Education, Hussainabad (Durbeen), Karachi

Note: Selection is based on eligibility requirements, HEC test results, district-wise merit and seats allocated to each district. Students' university preferences (ranked 1–9 on the portal) were considered for placement alongside the applicable merit and seat-allocation process.