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## **The Dakshana Foundation Application to Become a Dakshana Scholar**



**Full Name** Rohit Ranjan

Dakshana Scholars are gifted, but impoverished students who aspire to attend The Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), but cannot afford to be coached professionally by a world-class IIT JEE coaching institute. The Dakshana Foundation provides comprehensive scholarships to gifted/impoverished adolescents who meet our criteria. These scholarships include 100% of tuition, boarding, lodging, books and incidentals. In order to be eligible to apply for becoming a Dakshana Scholar, **ALL** of the following conditions must be met:

1. You must qualify in the Dakshana IIT-JEE selection test and personal interview. The decision of Dakshana in this regard is final.
2. Must have atleast a 75% average in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics for every year (9th through 12th standard) that the applicant has completed.
3. The total typical household monthly income (total income of all members of your immediate family) is under Rs. 7,000 per month.
4. The total assets of your immediate family (including any savings, real estate or property) is under Rs. 1 Lakh.
5. The Dakshana Foundation believes that the beneficiary of aid today is the donor of tomorrow. We believe that helping gifted, impoverished students get a world-class education has a very high return on invested resources to the individual, the family and the entire community. Dakshana Scholars have a voluntary moral (but not a legal or contractual) obligation to donate 10% of their monthly lifetime earnings back to the Dakshana Foundation to fund future Dakshana Scholars. They could also choose to give to any other charity of their choice. Or they can choose to give nothing. The choice is yours and we accept whatever you decide. After a few years, we fully expect Dakshana to be sustained and grow from this voluntary giveback and help an increasing number of impoverished and gifted children every year.

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PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ANY BLANK COLUMNS IN THE QUESTIONS BELOW; PUT "NIL" or "0" WHERE IT IS RELEVANT.

LALOO RAJAK  
Father/Guardian's Full Name

FARMER  
Occupation

Rs. 2500/-  
Typical Monthly Income

KAMODIA DEVI  
Mother's Full Name

HOUSE WIFE  
Occupation

Rs. NIL  
Typical Monthly Income

NIL  
Other Adult(s) in Household

NIL  
Occupation

Rs. NIL  
Typical Monthly Income

Rs. 15,000/-  
Total Approximate Value of  
All Household Assets  
(Except Household Cash Savings)

Rs. 2,500/-  
Total Typical Monthly  
Household Income

Rs. NIL  
Total Household  
Cash Savings

OWNED  
Is your parents' home  
owned or rented?

1800 sq. ft.  
Approximate area of  
Parents' Home (sq. Ft.)

2  
Number of  
bedrooms

Rs. NIL  
monthly rent.

J.N.V  
Current/Last School

MESRA  
Location of Current/  
Last School

Rs. NIL  
monthly school fees

Qualifying Board Exam for 10th or 12th Standard (circle appropriately): CBSE ICSE / State Board

Y  
Do you belong to a  
Scheduled Caste?  
(Y/N)

N  
Do you belong to  
a Scheduled Tribe?  
(Y/N)

If yes to either of the above, please provide details and proof of the same with this application.

Here is a link that may help:  
<http://www.jee.iitb.ac.in/brochure.pdf>

Please answer the following with a Yes or No. Does your family have ...

No  
Cable TV?

No  
Scooter(s)/Motorcycle(s)

No  
Phone

No  
Car(s)

No  
a Fridge

No  
a Computer

No  
Bank Account

Yes  
Mobile Phone



Standard	Year	Total Percentage	PCM Percentage	Rank in School
9th	2006-07	85.4 %	84.5 %	9 out of 78 students
10th	.....	..... %	..... %	..... out of ..... students
11th	.....	..... %	..... %	..... out of ..... students
12th	.....	..... %	..... %	..... out of ..... students

(Please attach a copy final marksheets/report cards for all four years. If you have not done 11th or 12th standard yet, please leave blank.)

I hereby do attest that all of the information submitted in this application is correct and authentic and that I meet all of the above mentioned criteria to apply for being named a Dakshana Scholar:

Rohit Ranjan  
Student Signature

25/05/08  
Date

11/3/1994  
Birth Date  
(day/month/year)

Satish Kumar  
Parent/Guardian Signature

25/05/08  
Date

Please enter your complete home address and write clearly in Capital Letters; if column is not relevant to your address, put "Nil." Pin Code is required.

Please write essay (in English or Hindi) between 300 - 500 words which begins with:

I'd like to become a Dakshana Scholar and hopefully attend IIT because I want to become a successful IIT Engineer to fulfil my parent's ~~and~~ my own dreams. I have heard that engineers we not build a building, they build a incredible nation. From my childhood I am so much crazy about engineering field. I like engineer's personality, their management & many other things. A successful IIT engineer is my dream but before getting chance to study in Dakshana I thought my dream will never come up. It will remain only a dream. Because I belong to middle-class family & for getting IIT coaching (privately) I need so much money which is impossible to pay for my father. But one day "A Ray of Hope" was come in my life that is "I have ed in 80, Who will get a chance to study in Dakshana Foundation IIT coaching? At that moment my parents' heart was full with delightness. Tears have come in my mother's eyes. They encouraged me a lot. They feel proud about me. They thought that I am not a daughter but a son, who will complete their dreams?

I also have to be a son of theirs. For me my mother's tears is so much valuable so now for getting one in forty, I will try my best & now I think that I can do anything. But it is only of Dakshana. I thought no one will help poor students to come up in future. But Dakshana crack this thought. Dakshana is an institute which not provides books & other facilities only but I say Dakshana will build a India. That India which is No.1 in the world. That India in which everything is technical.

~~Dak~~ Dakshana inspires me a lot. I have to be an IITian (2010). Dakshana has given me a new life. Dakshana provides me with a sky to fly wherever my site will go. I have confident I will crack IIT with the help of Dakshana Foundation. I also want to be a part of India which is useful to India's progress. I will use my all potential in studies of Indian Institute of Technology. I will try to come up in top 100 rankers. I am so much thankful to Dakshana & I will always do hard work to be an IITian. Thank you.

(You can use this form or a separate piece of paper. Please submit the essay in your own handwriting)

