

2015



Please complete the following information in CAPITALS:

Dakshana Roll No:	766644862
CBSE Roll No:	6119315
Last Name (Surname):	BERA
First Name:	SOURMYA
Middle/Other Name(s):	KANTI
Gender (M/F):	M



The Dakshana Foundation Application to Become a Dakshana Scholar

Dakshana Scholars are brilliant, 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 coaching fees and books. In order to be eligible to apply for becoming a Dakshana Scholar, you must be invited to appear for and qualify in the Grand Dakshana Selection Test (GDST). The decision of Dakshana in this regard is final.

Dakshana reserves the right to validate the information provided through various sources including NVS records, Principal and JNV staff interviews, peers, neighbours, school alumni and direct verifications. Should any information be found to be wilfully falsified, Dakshana reserves the right to deny acceptance as a Dakshana Scholar and/or terminate coaching at any time after it has started.

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

Sourmya Kanti Bera
Student Signature

19/08/2015
Date

04/07/1999
Birth Date
(day/month/year)

Parent/Guardian Signature

19/08/2015
Date

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

SUKUMAR BERA TEACHER Rs. 65000
Father/Guardian's Full Name Occupation Typical Monthly Income

M.Sc. HINDI, ENGLISH, BENGALI
Father's Education Level Language(s)
(e.g. B.A, 12th Pass, 10th Pass, Illiterate etc.) your father can read and write

NAVODAYA VIDYALAYA SAMITI
Father's Employer/Organisation Name

If your father is a farmer, how much land is owned (..... hectares).

TAPATI BERA HOUSEWIFE Rs. 0
Mother's Full Name Occupation Typical Monthly Income

B.A. HINDI, ENGLISH, BENGALI
Mother's Education Level Language(s)
(e.g. B.A, 12th Pass, 10th Pass, Illiterate etc.) your mother can read and write

NA
Mother's Employer/Organisation Name

GRANDMOTHER, SISTER HOUSEWIFE, STUDENT Rs. 0
Other Adult(s) in Household Occupation Typical Monthly Income

Rs. 25000 Rs. 0 Rs. 0
Total Approximate Value of Total Typical Monthly Total Household
All Household Assets Household Income Cash Savings
(Except Household Cash Savings)

RENTED 600 3
Is your parents' home Approximate area of Number of
owned or rented? Parents' Home (sq. Ft.) bedrooms

Rs. 600 J.N.V. KALYANI KODAYAT NADIA
Monthly rent. Current/Last School School District

WEST BENGAL Rs. 0
School State Monthly school fees

Do you live in a rural area? : (Y/N) N Do you live in an urban area? : (Y/N) Y

NO NO NO NO
Do you belong to a Do you belong to Do you belong to Other Handicapped/ Physically
Scheduled Caste? a Scheduled Tribe? Backward Classes – OBC? disabled
(Y/N) (Y/N) (Y/N) (Y/N)

If yes, please specify the medical disability and provide proof of the same with this application. NA

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

YES NO NO NO
TV Scooter/Motorcycle Home Phone Car
NO NO YES YES
Fridge Computer Bank Account DVD Player

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

Standard	Year	Science Grade	Maths Grade	Rank in School
9th	2013-14	A1	A1	____ out of ____ students
10th	2014-15	A1	A1	____ out of ____ students

(Please attach a copy of final marksheets/report cards for both years attested by Principal of your JNV.)

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 first of all I have to reach my goal of becoming an engineer from the IIT's. As a child this is not only my dream but passion. And further I want to become an IAS officer.

As for Dakshana, it is an excellent platform for young students, specially for students whose parents cannot afford expensive coaching at private institutes, to show the talent inside them. And thus I would like to become a dakshana scholar because I want to serve my nation as a good engineer.

Today, the thing India needs most to compete with other nations is development and for development in most fields it needs good and hardworking engineers who have an intention to serve the nation with their maximum efforts. I also want to serve India that way and uphold its development.

I also want to fulfill my parents' and many others' dreams, who have from the very beginning helped me from every possible side and are still most supportive to me.

Today most engineers want to work in

foreign countries but I have more desire to work in India than anywhere else and contribute to its development and live with my parents.

As today the industrial sector in India needs most development, so I also want to work for that sector. And there is no other institute in India, which can make me as effective an engineer as the IIT's can.

Other important reason for which I want to become a dakshana scholar is that, the selection process of dakshana is more competitive than any other coaching institution. So, being a general student if someone is able to crack the GDST then it itself gives him a assurance that he has something special within him.

lastly with the determination to put my best efforts in dakshana and study hard for two years and hope to crack IIT JEE-2017. I conclude my essay.

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