

## BRAC University Scholarships/ Financial Aid Program

Following are the several categories of scholarships that can be availed by BRACU students:

| Sl. No.              | Scholarships/<br>Financial Aid<br>Category       | Eligibility  | Minimum<br>GPA/CGPA | ( % ) of<br>Tuition Fee<br>Waiver |
|----------------------|--|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Scholarship</b>   |  |  |                     |                                   |
| 1.                   | Performance Based scholarship                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student taking <b>12 credits</b> and above. Student from Pharmacy Department will have to take at least <b>18 credits</b>.</li> <li>Completion of 30 credits. **</li> </ul>   | 3.70                | 10%-100%                          |
| 2.                   | Merit Based scholarship                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who obtained GPA of 5.0 (without 4<sup>th</sup> subject) in SSC and HSC from Science, Arts &amp; Commerce groups.</li> <li>Have 7 'A's in 'O' Level/GCSE (in one sitting) and 3 'A's in 'A' Level.</li> </ul>  | 3.50                | Upto 100%                         |
|                      |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students who obtained 6 'A's in O level/IGCSE (in two sittings) and 2 'A's and 1 'B' (28 points) in 'A' Level (AAB).</li> </ul>   | 3.50                | Upto 50%                          |
| <b>Financial Aid</b> |  |  |                     |                                   |
| 3.                   | Siblings   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Second child irrespective of Gender.</li> </ul>   | 3.00                | 50%                               |
| 4.                   | BRAC Scholarship                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Economically disadvantaged and orphans who live with their relatives.</li> <li>Parents' monthly income not more than Tk. 20,000/-</li> <li>Scoring a GPA of 4 (without 4<sup>th</sup> subject) in SSC and HSC from Science, Arts &amp; Commerce Group.</li> <li>In some cases include living and other allowances.</li> </ul> | 3.00                | 100%                              |
| 5.                   | Need Based Scholarship                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parents' monthly income not more than Tk. 25,000/-</li> <li>Completion of 9 credits.</li> </ul>   | 3.25                | Upto 100%                         |
| 6.                   | Physically Challenged students                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physically challenged students will receive special fee waiver at various rates to be determined by the scholarship Committee on case-by-case basis.</li> </ul>   | 3.00                | Upto 100%                         |
| 7.                   | Children of Freedom Fighter                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The children of Freedom Fighters will be eligible for tuition fee waiver as per the instruction from UGC.</li> </ul>  | 3.25                | Upto 100%                         |
| 8.                   | Spouse, Father-son/daughter, Mother-son/daughter | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any one of the mentioned member will get tuition Fee waiver.</li> </ul>   | 3.25                | 50%                               |
| 9.                   | Children of BRACU Employee                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular employee &amp; faculty member can apply for tuition fee waiver for their two dependent children. ***</li> </ul>   | 3.25                | 50%-75%                           |
| 10.                  | Children of BRAC Employee                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For regular BRAC employees</li> </ul>   | 2.50                | 25%-50%                           |
| 11.                  | BRACU Regular Staff and Faculty member           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any permanent faculty or staff member of BRAC University can apply for up to 50% staff fee waiver who wishes to study at BRACU. For further details please contact BRACU HRD.</li> </ul>  | 3.25                | 50%                               |
| 12.                  | Debater's Blue Scholarship                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nominated by the Debater's Blue Advisory Committee</li> </ul>   | 3.50                | 50%                               |

**\*\*Performance Based:**

|                    |              |              |              |              |      |
|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------|
| CGPA               | ≥3.70 - 3.84 | ≥3.85 - 3.89 | ≥3.90 - 3.94 | ≥3.95 - 3.99 | 4.00 |
| Tuition Fee waiver | 10%          | 25%          | 50%          | 75%          | 100% |

**\*\*\*Children of BRACU Employee:**

| Regular Faculty Member                 | Regular Employee | % of Tuition Fee Waiver |
|--|------------------|-------------------------|
| 50%<br>(Assistant Professor and above) | Grade I - V      | 75%                     |
|  | Grade VI - X     | 50%                     |

**Graduate Program:**

Scholarship/Financial Aid will be awarded to all Graduate Program students in line with the current policy of the BRACU undergraduate Programs.

For any evening graduate level program, a student must take a minimum of 9 credits in a regular semester in order to apply for scholarship/tuition waiver at BRACU. For MDS students the minimum credit requirement is 6.

***Other terms and conditions will be same as in Undergraduate program mentioned above.***

**Repeat/Retake, F, I Grade & Disciplinary Action:**

- Students, who have retake/repeat subject(s) in a semester and applying for tuition fee waiver, would be required to pay for the retake/repeat subject(s).
- Students, who fail in any subject in a semester, will not be considered for tuition fee waiver, for two subsequent semesters i.e. he/she will be allowed to apply in third semester with required CGPA.
- Students having 'I' grade in a semester will have to pay for all the courses in the subsequent semester. If he/she obtains the required CGPA after "make-up" his/her waiver for the next semester will be reimbursed /adjusted.

***Students of various departments having "I" grade in Thesis, Dissertation, Internship and Seminar courses will be eligible for adjusting scholarship in their current semester. Besides if the department approved "I" in any other subject/subjects, students will be able to adjust scholarship as well.***

- A student, suspended/penalized for disciplinary reasons, will not be eligible for scholarships/financial aid from the date of such decision, for the remaining period his/her academic career at BRAC University.

**Application Procedure:**

Students seeking financial aid should apply to the Scholarship Committee in the prescribed application form available at BRACU Information Desk and will have to pay Tk. 400.00 (Four hundred) at the time of submission of the form.

A student seeking scholarships / financial aid is required to fill up both, the recommended application form of BRAC University, available at the Information desk and the online application form to validate the application.

- *ONLINE Form is available at the following link :*

**<http://usis.bracu.ac.bd>**

***(Login to student's usis account and click on the scholarship button)***

- *Incomplete applications will not be entertained.*

**Application Deadline:**

All applications for scholarships/ financial aid must be submitted within the deadline announced by the University.

- *Only one of the waivers will be awarded to a particular student.*
- *All categories of tuition fee waiver will depend on the availability of fund.*
- *In the first semester a student will have to take 6 credits plus non-credit English/Math.*
- *Student applying for renewal of the tuition fee waiver in any category will have to take minimum 12 credits course load.*
- *Students in the 'Residential Semester (RS)' are allowed to take 9 credits. Pharmacy students need to take additional 6 credits in total 15 credits within that semester only.*

*The financial aid policy is subject to change at any time without giving any notice.*