

## Nai Udaan- Financial Assistance for Minority Community Candidates for Civil Services Examination (Download PDF)

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Some candidates, belonging to Minority communities, selected in the prestigious civil services examination will get financial assistance under "Nai Udaan" scheme, for coaching and preparation of competitive exams.

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- Financial assistance under “Nai Udaan” for coaching for administrative services examination will be increased for youth belonging to Minority communities- Muslim, Sikh, Christian, Jain, Buddhist and Parsi. Education is solution to several problems including poverty.
- Education can also tackle menace of radicalism and terrorism.
- For the first time that a record number of youth from Minority communities (includes about 50 Muslims), have cleared the civil services examination 2016.
- No dearth of talent in Minority communities just lack of opportunity and atmosphere.
- 7 candidates under “Nai Udaan” scheme, got selected in the civil services examination this year.
- So far, 3198 candidates have been provided financial assistance under the scheme.

## World Class Minority Institutions

- A high-level 11-member committee, under Ministry of Minority Affairs to chalk a roadmap for educational empowerment of Minorities.
- Establish 5 world class educational institutions for traditional and modern education to minority students in technical, medical, Ayurved, Unani fields.
- Institutes can get started in next two years.
- Proposed 40 per cent reservation for girls
- “Tahrik-e-Taleem” campaign to be launched on 15<sup>th</sup> October, the birth anniversary of former President of India Dr APJ Abdul Kalam.
- 100 Navoday Vidyalaya type schools to be opened in Minority concentrated areas.
- 23 Gurukul type residential schools established.

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