Post-Matric Scholarship for OBC, EBC & DNT Students		
Item No.	**Concept name**	**Details**
1	**Contact**	
1.1	Contact Organisation	BC-I Division, Department of Social Justice & Empowerment
1.2	Compiling agency	BC-I Division, Department of Social Justice & Empowerment
1.3	Custodian agency	BC-I Division, Department of Social Justice & Empowerment
1.4	Contact Details	**a. Name of the Organization**- BC-I **b. Disseminating agency**- BC-I **c. Name** -Sh. Sunil Yadav **d. Designation**- Section Officer **e. Postal Address**- Second Floor, A Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi **f. Email** – sunil.yadav@nic.in
2	**Data Description and Presentation**	
2.1	Data description	Data pertains to beneficiaries and amount of scholarship released under Centrally sponsored Scheme; across States/UTs
2.2	System of Classification	Classification by State/UT
2.3	International/ National Standards Classification/ Codes, if followed	-
2.4	Sector coverage	Education
2.5	Concepts and definitions	Eligible OBC, EBC & DNT Students who has applied and received scholarship under the scheme
2.6	Unit of compilation	States/UTs wise data
2.7	Population coverage	OBC, EBC & DNT Students whose parents/guardians income from all sources does not exceed Rs. 2,50,000/-
2.8	Reference Period	Academic Year
2.9	Duration and period of enumeration	Disbursement ongoing through the financial year
2.10	Sample size/ Dataset Size	Post-Matric: approx.~ 25 lakh students
2.11	Data Confidentiality	States/UTs and NSP for NSP on boarded states
3	**Institutional Mandate**	
3.1	Legal acts and other agreements	-

3.2	Data sharing/ Data Dissemination	State/UT wise data
3.3	Release calendar	Annual
3.4	Frequency of dissemination	
3.5	Data access	Provided by the States/UTs through the next F.Y. Proposal
4		**Quality Management**
4.1	Documentation on methodology	As per scheme guidelines
4.2	Quality documentation	As per scheme guidelines
4.3	Quality assurance	Verification is done by the States and UTs
5		**Accuracy and Reliability**
5.1	Sampling error	-
5.2	Measures of reliability	States/UTs
6		**Timeliness**
6.1	Timeliness	The funds are disbursed to the States & UTs based on Notional Allocation after they have submitted their UCs.
7		**Coherence and Comparability**
7.1	Comparability – over time	From 2021-22
7.2	Coherence	-
8		**Data Processing**
8.1	Source data type	States/UTs proposal
8.2	Frequency of data collection	As shared by the States & UTs
8.3	Mode and method of data collection	Received from the States/UTs and through NSP for NSP on boarded States & UTs
8.4	Data validation	Data validation is done by the States/UTs and by NSP for NSP on-boarded States & UTs
8.5	Data compilation	States/UTs
8.6	Data identifier(s)	Aadhar based
9		**Metadata Update**
9.1	Metadata last posted	2025
9.2	Metadata last update	2025