

**EDUCATION ENDOWMENT AND SAVINGS SCHEMES ACT  
(CHAPTER 87A, SECTION 24)**

**EDUCATION ENDOWMENT AND SAVINGS SCHEMES  
(SCHOLARSHIPS, BURSARIES AND AWARDS)  
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## PART I

### PRELIMINARY

#### **Citation**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Education Endowment and Savings Schemes (Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards) Regulations.

#### **Definitions**

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires —

“academic award” means a scholarship, bursary or award mentioned in regulation 4(1)(a), (e), (f), (g) or (h);

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“additional miscellaneous fees” means the additional miscellaneous fees payable under regulation 91(1)(c) of the Education (Schools) Regulations (Cap. 87, Rg 1);

*[Deleted by S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

“course”, in relation to a pupil, means a course approved by the Minister for the purposes of this Part that is offered by the primary or secondary school, junior college, polytechnic, Institute of Technical Education or specified educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“cut-off date”, in relation to a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations for any academic year, means the

date specified by the Ministry on which the selection process for that scholarship, bursary or award is to be completed;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools Test” means the test administered by the Ministry to determine whether a pupil qualifies for the award of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

“GCE ‘O’ Level Examination” means the Singapore-Cambridge General Certificate of Education “Ordinary” Level Examination conducted for the purpose of assessing a pupil’s suitability for pre-university education;

“Government junior college” means a junior college organised and conducted directly by the Government;

“Government primary school” means a primary school organised and conducted directly by the Government;

“Government secondary school” means a secondary school organised and conducted directly by the Government;

“Government school” means a primary school or secondary school organised and conducted directly by the Government;

“Government-aided junior college” means a junior college (not being an independent school) which —

(a) is established by any person other than the Government; and

(b) is conducted by a committee of management which is in receipt of a grant-in-aid from the Government under the Education (Grant-in-Aid) Regulations (Cap. 87, Rg 3) for the defraying of the expenses incurred for conducting the school;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

“Government-aided primary school” means a primary school which —

- (a) is established by any person other than the Government; and
- (b) is conducted by a committee of management which is in receipt of a grant-in-aid from the Government under the Education (Grant-in-Aid) Regulations for the defraying of the expenses incurred for conducting the school;

“Government-aided secondary school” means a secondary school (not being an independent school) which —

- (a) is established by any person other than the Government; and
- (b) is conducted by a committee of management which is in receipt of a grant-in-aid from the Government under the Education (Grant-in-Aid) Regulations (Cap. 87, Rg 3) for the defraying of the expenses incurred for conducting the school;

“Government-aided school” means a primary school or secondary school (not being an independent school) which —

- (a) is established by any person other than the Government; and
- (b) is conducted by a committee of management which is in receipt of a grant-in-aid from the Government under the Education (Grant-in-Aid) Regulations for the defraying of the expenses incurred for conducting the school;

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“independent school” means a school which —

- (a) is specified in any order made under section 3(1) of the School Boards (Incorporation) Act; or

(b) is set out in Part I of the Schedule to the Education Endowment and Savings Schemes (Edusave Pupils Fund) Regulations (Rg 1);

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

*[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

“Institute of Technical Education” means the Institute of Technical Education, Singapore established under section 3 of the Institute of Technical Education Act (Cap. 141A);

“integrated programme” means a programme which provides an integrated secondary and pre-university education;

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“junior college” means an institution for providing full-time pre-university education, and includes any centralised institute or school which provides pre-university education;

“leave of absence fees”, in relation to a pupil, means the fees payable by him to the educational institution in which he is enrolled, during his period of absence from the educational institution under a leave of absence scheme of the educational institution;

“leave of absence scheme”, in relation to an educational institution, means a scheme offered by the educational institution, as required by the Ministry, under which a pupil of the educational institution may —

(a) continue to be enrolled in the educational institution while he is absent from the educational institution for a period of time in order to accompany his parent who is, or parents who are, overseas for work or work-related training; and

(b) resume attending the educational institution on the expiration of that period of time;

“Ministry” means the Ministry of Education;

*[Deleted by S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“polytechnic” means a polytechnic established by a public Act;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

“primary school” means a school for providing full-time primary education;

“Primary School Leaving Examination” means the Primary School Leaving Examination conducted for the purpose of assessing a pupil’s suitability for secondary education;

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“pupil’s average rank”, for any year, means the average of a pupil’s subject ranks for that year in the relevant subjects;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“pupil’s subject rank”, for any year, means the pupil’s rank, based on relevant assessments, in a relevant subject among all other pupils in the educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled who —

(a) are in the same level and course as the pupil; and

(b) take that subject at the same subject level as the pupil;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“relevant assessments”, in relation to a pupil’s eligibility for a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations for any academic year, means any test, examination or other method of assessing a person’s level of proficiency, aptitude, skill, knowledge or understanding in a subject, that is conducted in that academic year —

(a) by the primary or secondary school, junior college, polytechnic, Institute of Technical Education or specified educational institution in which a pupil is enrolled; and



- (b) for pupils in the same level, course and subject level (if applicable) as the pupil;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“relevant pupil” means a pupil who —

- (a) is enrolled in —
- (i) an independent school at the secondary level; or
  - (ii) a Government secondary school, Government-aided secondary school, Government junior college, Government-aided junior college or specified educational institution for his secondary education; and

(b) is at —

- (i) the secondary two, three, four or five level in 2024;
- (ii) the secondary three, four or five level in 2025; or
- (iii) the secondary four or five level in 2026;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“relevant subjects”, in relation to a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations, means the subjects determined by the Minister to be relevant in assessing a pupil’s overall academic performance for the purposes of that scholarship, bursary or award;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“secondary school” means a school for providing full-time secondary education, and includes any institution which provides secondary education under an integrated programme;

*[Deleted by S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

“special education school” means an educational institution set out in Part II of the Schedule to the Education Endowment

and Savings Schemes (Edusave Pupils Fund) Regulations (Rg 1);

*[S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]*

“specified educational institution” means an educational institution set out in Part III of the Schedule to the Education Endowment and Savings Schemes (Edusave Pupils Fund) Regulations (Rg 1);

“standard miscellaneous fees” means the standard miscellaneous fees payable under regulation 91(1)(c) of the Education (Schools) Regulations (Cap. 87, Rg 1).

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

*[Deleted by S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

### **Application of income of Endowment Fund for provision of scholarships, bursaries and awards**

3. The income of the Endowment Fund may be paid out and expended —

(a) under section 6(1)(b) of the Act, for the provision of scholarships to full-time pupils enrolled at any of the following educational institutions:

(i) any Government school or Government-aided school;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(ii) any Government junior college or Government-aided junior college;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(iii) any independent school;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(iv) any specified educational institution;

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(b) under section 6(1)(d) of the Act, for the provision of scholarships to any pupil enrolled in any educational institution referred to in paragraph (a) who is absent from

the educational institution under a leave of absence scheme offered by that educational institution; and

- (c) under section 6(1)(d) of the Act, for the provision of bursaries and awards to any full-time pupil enrolled in —
- (i) any educational institution referred to in paragraph (a);
  - (ii) the Institute of Technical Education;
  - (iii) any polytechnic; or
  - (iv) any special education school determined by the Minister.

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]*

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

### **Establishment of scholarships, bursaries and awards**

4.—(1) There are hereby established the following scholarships, bursaries and awards, a number of each of which shall be awarded annually, in accordance with these Regulations, out of such part of the income of the Endowment Fund as the Minister may designate for the purpose:

- (a) the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools;  
*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*
- (b) *[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*
- (c) *[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*
- (d) *[Deleted by S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
- (e) the Edusave Scholarships for Secondary Schools;
- (f) the Edusave Scholarships for Primary Schools;
- (g) the Edusave Merit Bursaries and Community Education Award Scheme;  
*[S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]*
- (h) the Edusave Good Progress Awards;

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

(i) the Edusave Awards for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service;

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

(j) the Achievement Awards for Special Education Schools;

*[S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]*

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(k) the Edusave Character Award;

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(l) the Edusave Skills Award.

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(1A) To avoid doubt, except as otherwise provided in these Regulations, a pupil who satisfies the requirements for a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations is eligible for that scholarship, bursary or award despite —

(a) the pupil holding any other scholarship, bursary or award from the Ministry or any public or private body; or

(b) the pupil receiving any study grant or financial assistance from the Ministry or any public or private body.

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

(1B) A pupil is eligible to hold only one academic award in an academic year.

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

(1C) Subject to paragraphs (1D) and (1E), a pupil's eligibility for a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations is determined based on the information received by the Ministry on or before the cut-off date for that scholarship, bursary or award.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(1D) Despite paragraph (1C), a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations may be awarded to a pupil based on information received by the Ministry after the cut-off date for that scholarship, bursary or award, if the information was not received by the Ministry

on or before the cut-off date due to an error or omission by the educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled or the Ministry.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(1E) Despite anything in these Regulations, a scholarship, bursary or award under these Regulations awarded to a pupil may be terminated or revoked if the pupil has (before, on or after the cut-off date) behaved in a manner that makes it undesirable for the pupil to hold the scholarship, bursary or award, as the case may be.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(2) The holder of an Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools shall be known as an “Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar”.

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(3) *[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

(4) The holder of an Edusave Scholarship for Secondary Schools shall be known as an “Edusave (Secondary Schools) Scholar”.

(5) The holder of an Edusave Scholarship for Primary Schools shall be known as an “Edusave (Primary Schools) Scholar”.

## PART II

### EDUSAVE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

#### **Eligibility of pupils and award of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools at Secondary One**

5.—(1) The Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is awarded each year to every pupil at the secondary one level who satisfies all the following requirements:

- (a) the pupil is a citizen of Singapore or becomes a citizen of Singapore in that year;
- (aa) the pupil is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

- (b) the pupil has sat for the Primary School Leaving Examination in the previous year and has obtained the qualifying aggregate score in the Primary School Leaving Examination in that year;

*[S 898/2021 wef 01/01/2022]*

- (c) the pupil is enrolled in an independent school —
- (i) for the pupil’s secondary education only; or
  - (ii) for the pupil’s secondary and pre-university education.

*[S 898/2021 wef 01/01/2022]*

- (2) In this regulation —

“cut-off position”, in relation to a pupil who sat for the Primary School Leaving Examination in a year, means the position of the pupil that determines the qualifying aggregate score, which is determined in accordance with the formula (rounded up to the nearest whole number)  $\frac{1}{3} \times A$ , where A is the total number of secondary one places in independent schools that are available to the pupils who sat for the Primary School Leaving Examination that year;

“qualifying aggregate score”, in relation to the Primary School Leaving Examination sat by the pupils in a year, means the aggregate score obtained by the pupil in the Primary School Leaving Examination who is ranked at the cut-off position among all the pupils who sat for the Primary School Leaving Examination that year.

*[S 898/2021 wef 01/01/2022]*

### **Eligibility of pupils and award of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools at Secondary Three**

6. The Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is awarded each year to every pupil at the secondary three level who satisfies all the following requirements:

- (a) the pupil is a citizen of Singapore;

- (b) the pupil is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

- (c) the pupil is enrolled in an independent school —
- (i) for the pupil's secondary education only; or
  - (ii) for the pupil's secondary and pre-university education;

- (d) the pupil has passed the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools Test in that year.

*[S 960/2020 wef 01/01/2021]*

### **Eligibility of pupils and award of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools at Pre-university One**

7. The Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is awarded each year to every pupil at the pre-university one level who satisfies all the following requirements:

- (a) the pupil is a citizen of Singapore or becomes a citizen of Singapore in that year;
- (b) the pupil is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

- (c) the pupil is enrolled in an independent school for the pupil's pre-university education;
- (d) the pupil —
  - (i) has passed the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools Test in that year; or
  - (ii) has sat for the GCE 'O' Level Examination in the previous year and stands among the 5% of all pupils who have obtained the best aggregate scores for the relevant subjects in the GCE 'O' Level Examination in that year.

*[S 960/2020 wef 01/01/2021]*

**Eligibility of pupils and award of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools on annual basis**

8. The Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is awarded each year to every pupil who satisfies all of the following requirements:

- (a) the pupil is a citizen of Singapore;
- (b) the pupil is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;
- (c) the pupil is enrolled in an independent school —
  - (i) for the pupil's secondary education only;
  - (ii) for the pupil's secondary and pre-university education; or
  - (iii) for the pupil's pre-university education only;
- (d) if the pupil is —
  - (i) enrolled in an independent school at the secondary level and —
    - (A) is a relevant pupil — the pupil stands among the 10% of all pupils in the pupil's level and course who have obtained the best aggregate scores in the relevant assessments; or
    - (B) is not a relevant pupil — the pupil is ranked in the top 10% of all pupils in the pupil's level and course based on each pupil's average rank for that year; or
  - (ii) enrolled in an independent school at the pre-university level — the pupil stands among the 10% of all pupils in the pupil's level and course who have obtained the best aggregate scores in the relevant assessments;
- (e) the pupil has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*



## **Payment and tenure of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools**

**9.—(1)** Subject to paragraph (5), the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to an eligible pupil under regulation 5 is to be paid annually to the independent school in which the pupil is enrolled —

- (a) where the pupil is enrolled for the pupil's secondary education only, for the duration of that secondary education up to a maximum period of 4 years starting from the time of the award; or
- (b) where the pupil is enrolled for the pupil's secondary and pre-university education, for the duration of that secondary and pre-university education up to a maximum period of 6 years starting from the time of the award.

**(2)** Subject to paragraph (5), the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to an eligible pupil under regulation 6 is to be paid annually to the independent school in which the pupil is enrolled —

- (a) where the pupil is enrolled for the pupil's secondary education only, for the duration of that secondary education up to a maximum period of 2 years starting from the time of the award; or
- (b) where the pupil is enrolled for the pupil's secondary and pre-university education, for the duration of that secondary and pre-university education up to a maximum period of 4 years starting from the time of the award.

**(3)** Subject to paragraph (5), the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to an eligible pupil under regulation 7 is to be paid annually to the independent school in which the pupil is enrolled for the pupil's pre-university education only for the duration of that pre-university education up to a maximum period of 2 years starting from the time of the award.

**(4)** The Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to an eligible pupil under regulation 8 is to be paid to the pupil or the independent school in which the pupil is enrolled in the academic

year following the academic year in respect of which the pupil is given the award.

*[S 176/2019 wef 01/04/2019]*

(5) If an Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar takes a leave of absence under a leave of absence scheme or is on medical leave, as a result of which the pupil fails to progress to the next level of studies in an independent school —

- (a) the scholarship awarded to the pupil will not be paid to the independent school (except leave of absence fees, if any) for the duration of the pupil's leave of absence or medical leave; and
- (b) the tenure of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to the Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar under regulation 5, 6 or 7 will be extended for the duration of the pupil's secondary education, secondary and pre-university education, or pre-university education, as the case may be, as extended by that leave of absence or medical leave.

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

### **Changes in tenure of scholarship awarded**

**10.** Despite regulation 9(1) and (2), if a pupil —

- (a) who is enrolled in an independent school for the pupil's secondary and pre-university education transfers to a programme for secondary education only in the same independent school or another independent school —
  - (i) the tenure of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is 4 years if the pupil was awarded the scholarship at the secondary one level; and
  - (ii) the tenure of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is 2 years if the pupil was awarded the scholarship at the secondary three level; and

- (b) who is enrolled in an independent school for the pupil's secondary education only transfers to a programme for secondary and pre-university education in the same independent school or another independent school —
- (i) the tenure of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is 6 years if the pupil was awarded the scholarship at the secondary one level; and
  - (ii) the tenure of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is 4 years if the pupil was awarded the scholarship at the secondary three level.

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

### **Value of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools**

**11.**—(1) The annual value of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools is as specified in item 1 of the Schedule.

(2) The total value of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools paid in respect of any Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar must not exceed the annual sum specified in item 1 of the Schedule for the tenure of the Scholarship under regulation 9(1), (2), (3) or (4), whichever is applicable to that Scholar, and is not increased by any extension of the tenure of the Scholarship under regulation 9(5).

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

**12.** *[Deleted by S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

### **Status of Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar**

**13.** Subject to the maximum duration of the award specified in regulation 9(1), (2), (3) or (5) or regulation 10 (as the case may be), an Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar continues to hold the award despite the pupil —

- (a) being transferred from one independent school to another during the pupil's secondary or pre-university education, as the case may be; or

- (b) taking a leave of absence from the pupil's secondary or pre-university education under a leave of absence scheme offered by the independent school or being on medical leave.

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

### **Termination of Edusave Scholarships for Independent Schools**

**14.**—(1) Unless the Minister directs otherwise, the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to an Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar (called in this regulation the Scholar) will be terminated with effect from the date when the Ministry receives a report, from the independent school in which the Scholar is enrolled, that the Scholar —

- (a) has left the independent school before completing the Scholar's secondary education, secondary and pre-university education, or pre-university education, as the case may be, and the Scholar has not transferred to another independent school;
- (b) has failed to progress to the next level of studies in the independent school for any reason other than the Scholar —
  - (i) taking a leave of absence under a leave of absence scheme offered by the independent school; or
  - (ii) being on medical leave;
- (c) has made such poor or unsatisfactory academic progress as to warrant the termination of the award of the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools to the Scholar;
- (d) has behaved in such a manner as to make it undesirable that the Scholar should continue to hold the Scholarship; or
- (e) by reason of death, illness or injury, has become unable to complete the Scholar's secondary education, secondary or pre-university education, or pre-university education, as the case may be.

(2) Where an Edusave (Independent Schools) Scholar is transferred from the independent school in which he is enrolled to a Government secondary school, Government-aided secondary school, Government junior college or Government-aided junior college, the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools awarded to the Scholar is to be terminated with effect from the date of the transfer.

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### PART III

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### PART VI

#### EDUSAVE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS

#### **Pupils eligible for Edusave Scholarships for Secondary Schools**

**23.**—(1) The Edusave Scholarship for Secondary Schools shall be awarded each year to every pupil who —

- (a) is enrolled in a Government secondary school, Government-aided secondary school, Government junior college, Government-aided junior college or specified educational institution for his secondary education;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

- (b) is a citizen of Singapore;

- (ba) is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

(c) if the pupil —

- (i) is a relevant pupil — has obtained the qualifying score in the relevant assessments; or
- (ii) is not a relevant pupil — is ranked in the top 10% of all pupils in the pupil's level and course based on each pupil's average rank for that year; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(d) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year.

(2) In this regulation, “qualifying score”, in relation to a pupil (called the specified pupil), means the lowest aggregate score which is obtained by any pupil standing among the 10% of all pupils in the same level and course as the specified pupil who have obtained the highest aggregate scores in the relevant assessments.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

### **Value and payment of Edusave Scholarships for Secondary Schools**

**24.**—(1) The value of the Edusave Scholarship for Secondary Schools awarded each academic year to an Edusave (Secondary Schools) Scholar shall be as specified in item 6 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Scholarship for Secondary Schools shall be paid to the Edusave (Secondary Schools) Scholar as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is awarded the scholarship and, in any event, shall be paid no later than in the month of June in the following academic year.

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

**25.** *[Deleted by S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

PART VII

EDUSAVE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS

**Pupils eligible for Edusave Scholarships for Primary Schools**

**26.**—(1) The Edusave Scholarship for Primary Schools shall be awarded each year to every pupil who —

- (a) is enrolled in primary five or six in a Government primary school or a Government-aided primary school;
- (b) is a citizen of Singapore;
- (baa) is not the holder of any other academic award in that year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

(ba) *[Deleted by S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(c) has obtained the qualifying score; and

(d) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year.

(2) In this regulation, “qualifying score”, in relation to a pupil (called the specified pupil), means the lowest aggregate score which is obtained by any pupil standing among the 10% of all pupils in the same level and course as the specified pupil who have obtained the highest aggregate scores in the relevant assessments.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

**Value and payment of Edusave Scholarships for Primary Schools**

**27.**—(1) The value of the Edusave Scholarship for Primary Schools awarded each year to an Edusave (Primary Schools) Scholar shall be as specified in item 7 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Scholarship for Primary Schools shall be paid to the Edusave (Primary Schools) Scholar as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is awarded the scholarship and, in any event, shall be paid no later than in the month of June in the following academic year.

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

**28.** *[Deleted by S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

PART VIII

EDUSAVE MERIT BURSARIES AND COMMUNITY  
EDUCATION AWARD SCHEME

**Definitions of this Part**

29. In this Part, unless the context otherwise requires —

“applicable pupil” means a pupil who is enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in primary one or primary two, as the case may be;

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

“applicant” means a pupil whose parent or guardian has submitted, on his behalf, an application for the Edusave Merit Bursary;

“approved financial assistance” means financial assistance provided, to a pupil in an academic year —

(a) by the Ministry; or

(b) by any public body, where the financial assistance has been approved as an approved financial assistance by the public officer appointed by the Minister for the purposes of this Part;

*[S 759/2014 wef 21/11/2014]*

*[Deleted by S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

“community centre or club” means a community centre or club managed or run by the People’s Association pursuant to the People’s Association Act (Cap. 227);

“constituency” means an electoral division under the Parliamentary Elections Act (Cap. 218);

“gross monthly household income”, in relation to the household in which a pupil lives, means the sum total of the gross monthly income payable for any month to the pupil’s parents, unmarried siblings and grandparents living in the same household as the pupil;

*[S 759/2014 wef 21/11/2014]*



“group representation constituency” means any electoral division declared to be a group representation constituency under the Parliamentary Elections Act;

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

“per capita gross monthly household income”, in relation to the household in which a pupil lives, means the gross monthly household income of the household divided by the total number of the following persons living in the same household as the pupil:

- (a) the pupil;
- (b) his parents;
- (c) his unmarried siblings;
- (d) his grandparents.

*[S 759/2014 wef 21/11/2014]*

### **Pupils eligible for Edusave Merit Bursaries**

**30.—(1)** A pupil (other than an applicable pupil) shall be eligible for the Edusave Merit Bursary in any academic year if —

(a) he is —

- (i) enrolled in any Government school, Government-aided school, independent school, Government junior college, Government-aided junior college or specified educational institution; or

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

- (ii) a full-time pupil of any polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(b) he is a citizen of Singapore;

(ba) he is not the holder of any other academic award in that academic year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

- (c) he is living in a household of which —
- (i) the gross monthly household income for at least one month in that year does not exceed \$7,500; or  
*[S 643/2015 wef 01/11/2015]*  
*[S 117/2018 wef 01/03/2018]*  
*[S 919/2022 wef 01/01/2023]*
  - (ii) the per capita gross monthly household income for at least one month in that year does not exceed \$1,875;  
*[S 759/2014 wef 21/11/2014]*  
*[S 643/2015 wef 01/11/2015]*  
*[S 117/2018 wef 01/03/2018]*  
*[S 919/2022 wef 01/01/2023]*
- (d) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(i) —
- (i) he has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year;  
*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
  - (ii) if the pupil is enrolled at the primary level or the pre-university level — the pupil has obtained the qualifying score in the relevant assessments; and  
*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
  - (iii) if the pupil is enrolled at the secondary level and —
    - (A) is a relevant pupil — the pupil has obtained the qualifying score in the relevant assessments; or
    - (B) is not a relevant pupil — the pupil is ranked in the top 25% of all pupils in the pupil's level and course based on each pupil's average rank for that year; and  
*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
- (e) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(ii) —
- (i) he has demonstrated good conduct, as determined by the polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education of which he is a full-time pupil; and

- (ii) he has obtained the qualifying score in the relevant assessments.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(f) *[Deleted by S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

(1A) *[Deleted by S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

(2) In this regulation, “qualifying score”, in relation to a pupil (called the specified pupil), means the lowest aggregate score which is obtained by any pupil standing among the 25% of all pupils in the same level and course as the specified pupil who have obtained the highest aggregate scores in the relevant assessments.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

### **Applicable pupils eligible for Edusave Merit Bursaries**

**30A.** An applicable pupil is eligible for the Edusave Merit Bursary in an academic year if the applicable pupil —

- (a) is a citizen of Singapore;
- (aa) is not the holder of any other academic award in that academic year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

- (b) lives in a household of which, for at least one month in that academic year —

- (i) the gross monthly household income does not exceed \$7,500; or

*[S 919/2022 wef 01/01/2023]*

- (ii) the per capita gross monthly household income does not exceed \$1,875; and

*[S 919/2022 wef 01/01/2023]*

- (c) in that academic year —

- (i) has attained at least a good grade for conduct; and
- (ii) has consistently demonstrated positive attitudes, traits and behaviours towards learning, as determined by the Government primary school or

Government-aided primary school the applicable  
pupil is enrolled in.

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

### **Award of Edusave Merit Bursaries**

**30B.**—(1) The Edusave Merit Bursary is to be awarded each academic year to —

- (a) every pupil (other than an applicable pupil) who satisfies paragraph (2) and regulation 30(1); or
- (b) subject to paragraph (3), every applicable pupil who satisfies paragraph (2) and regulation 30A.

(2) A pupil mentioned in paragraph (1)(a) or an applicable pupil mentioned in paragraph (1)(b), for the academic year in which the Edusave Merit Bursary is to be awarded, must satisfy either of the following requirements:

- (a) the pupil or applicable pupil (as the case may be) must be in receipt of approved financial assistance;
- (b) where the pupil or applicable pupil (as the case may be) is not in receipt of approved financial assistance, the parent or guardian of the pupil or applicable pupil (as the case may be) must submit an application for that pupil or applicable pupil (as the case may be) to receive the Edusave Merit Bursary in accordance with regulation 32.

(3) The Edusave Merit Bursary may be awarded to not more than 25% of the applicable pupils enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in each applicable level in an academic year.

(4) In paragraph (3), “applicable level” means primary one or primary two, as the case may be.

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

### **Value and payment of Edusave Merit Bursary**

**31.**—(1) The value of the Edusave Merit Bursary shall be as specified in item 8 of the Schedule.

(2) Where the Edusave Merit Bursary is awarded to a pupil or an applicable pupil in an academic year under regulation 30B(1), the Bursary is to be paid to that pupil —

- (a) not later than 30 June in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 30(1)(a)(i) or an applicable pupil mentioned in regulation 30A; or

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

- (b) not later than 31 December in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 30(1)(a)(ii).

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

**Application for Edusave Merit Bursary where pupil or applicable pupil not in receipt of approved financial assistance**

**32.—**(1) For the purposes of regulation 30B(2)(b), the parent or guardian of a pupil or an applicable pupil mentioned in that sub-paragraph (called in this regulation the applicant) must —

- (a) complete the application form for the applicant to receive the Edusave Merit Bursary in accordance with the instructions given in the form and provide such details of the names and gross monthly incomes of the applicant's family members who are living with the applicant in the same household for the academic year as the form may require; and
- (b) submit the completed application form, no later than the date specified in the form, to an authorised officer at the community centre or club in the constituency or division of the group representation constituency in which the applicant resides.

(2) The authorised officer in paragraph (1)(b) may, for the purpose of verifying the information in the application form —

- (a) make such inquiries of the applicant as the authorised officer thinks fit; or
- (b) interview the applicant or any of the applicant's family members.

(3) For the purposes of an application under paragraph (1), the requirement in regulation 30(1)(c) or 30A(b) relating to the gross monthly household income and the per capita gross monthly household income of the household in which an applicant lives is based on the household income in the month in which the application is made or the preceding month.

(4) In this regulation —

“authorised officer”, in relation to a community centre or club, means an officer or employee of the People’s Association who is authorised by the People’s Association to receive and verify applications for the Edusave Merit Bursary;

“family member”, in relation to an applicant, means any of the applicant’s parents, unmarried siblings or grandparents.

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

**33.** *[Deleted by S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

### **Application of Endowment Fund to assist pupils under Community Education Award Scheme**

**34.—**(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), where the Citizens’ Consultative Committee of any constituency or division of a group representation constituency has established a bursary for the purpose of providing financial assistance to pupils who —

- (a) reside in that constituency or division;
- (b) are in need of financial assistance for their education; and
- (c) do not qualify for any scholarship, bursary or award established under regulation 4(1),

the income of the Endowment Fund may be paid out and expended, under section 6(1)(d) of the Act, for the provision of contributions to the bursary established by the Citizens’ Consultative Committee.

*[S 643/2015 wef 01/11/2015]*

(2) The total amount to be paid out under paragraph (1) from the income of the Endowment Fund to the Citizens’ Consultative Committee of any constituency or division of a group

representation constituency in any financial year of the Endowment Fund commencing after 1 November 2015 —

- (a) must not exceed 15% of the amount of the Edusave Merit Bursaries awarded in that financial year; but
- (b) subject to sub-paragraph (a), is to be determined by the Minister.

*[S 643/2015 wef 01/11/2015]*

(3) The total amount to be paid out under paragraph (1) from the income of the Endowment Fund to the Citizens' Consultative Committee of any constituency or division of a group representation constituency in the period commencing on 1 November 2015 and ending on 31 March 2016 —

- (a) must not exceed 15% of the amount of the Edusave Merit Bursaries awarded in that period; but
- (b) subject to sub-paragraph (a), is to be determined by the Minister.

*[S 643/2015 wef 01/11/2015]*

## PART IX

### EDUSAVE GOOD PROGRESS AWARDS

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

#### **Pupils eligible for Edusave Good Progress Awards**

**35.**—(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), a pupil shall be eligible for the Edusave Good Progress Award in any academic year if he —

- (a) is —
  - (i) a pupil (other than a relevant pupil) enrolled in any Government school, Government-aided school, independent school, Government junior college, Government-aided junior college or specified educational institution;

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ia) a relevant pupil; or

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

(ii) a full-time pupil of any polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(b) is a citizen of Singapore;

(ba) is not the holder of any other academic award in that academic year;

*[S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(c) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(i) —

(i) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that academic year; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ii) has demonstrated a substantial improvement, as determined by the educational institution in which he is enrolled, in the relevant assessments;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ca) being a relevant pupil —

(i) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that academic year; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ii) has demonstrated a substantial improvement in the relevant pupil's attitudes, traits and behaviours towards learning during that academic year, as determined by the Government primary school or Government-aided primary school the relevant pupil is enrolled in; and

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*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*



(d) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(ii) —

- (i) has demonstrated good conduct, as determined by the polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education of which he is a full-time pupil; and
- (ii) has demonstrated a substantial improvement, as determined by the polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education of which he is a full-time pupil, in the relevant assessments.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(2) Despite paragraph (1), the following pupils will not be eligible for an Edusave Good Progress Award:

(a) in the case of a pupil mentioned in paragraph (1)(a)(i) —

- (i) a pupil who, in the previous academic year, was not a pupil of the educational institution (excluding a pupil enrolled at the secondary one level or pre university one level at the educational institution);
- (ii) a pupil in primary one;
- (iii) a pupil who failed to progress to the next level of studies from the previous academic year; or
- (iv) a pupil who, in the previous academic year, was studying in a different course;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(aa) *[Deleted by S 790/2022 wef 07/10/2022]*

(b) in the case of a pupil of a polytechnic —

- (i) a pupil who, in the previous academic year, was not a full-time pupil of the polytechnic;
- (ii) a pupil who is studying in the first academic year of his course, in the polytechnic; or

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(iii) a pupil who failed to progress to the next level of studies from the previous academic year;

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(c) in the case of a pupil of the Institute of Technical Education —

(i) a pupil who, in the previous academic year, was not a full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education (excluding a pupil who is studying in the first academic year of his Nitec course or Higher Nitec course); or

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ii) a pupil who failed to progress to the next level of studies from the previous academic year.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(3) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), a pupil who —

(a) is enrolled in an integrated programme in a secondary school or junior college; and

(b) is undergoing secondary education in that secondary school or junior college,

will not be eligible for an Edusave Good Progress Award in the first academic year that he is enrolled in the integrated programme, unless the principal of that secondary school or junior college determines, in accordance with such guidelines as the Minister may issue, that there is an appropriate basis for comparing the pupil's rankings in the relevant assessments conducted in that academic year and the previous academic year.

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(3A) Despite paragraph (1), the Edusave Good Progress Award may be awarded to not more than 10% of the relevant pupils enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in each relevant level in an academic year.

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

(4) In this regulation —

“Higher Nitec course” means a course conducted by the Institute of Technical Education for the award of a Higher National Institute of Technical Education Certificate;

“Nitec course” means a course conducted by the Institute of Technical Education for the award of a National Institute of Technical Education Certificate;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

“relevant level”, in relation to a relevant pupil, means primary two or primary three, as the case may be;

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

“relevant pupil” means a pupil who is enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school —

(a) in primary two in the academic year 2019 or later; or

(b) in primary three in the academic year 2020 or later.

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

### **Value and payment of Edusave Good Progress Awards**

**36.—**(1) The value of the Edusave Good Progress Award shall be as specified in item 9 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Good Progress Award is to be paid to every pupil who is given the Award as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is given the Award and, in any event, is to be paid —

(a) no later than in the month of June in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 35(1)(a)(i) or a relevant pupil in regulation 35(1)(a)(ia); or

*[S 668/2019 wef 02/10/2019]*

(b) no later than in the month of December in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 35(1)(a)(ii).

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

PART X

EDUSAVE AWARDS FOR ACHIEVEMENT, GOOD  
LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

**Pupils eligible for Edusave Awards for Achievement, Good  
Leadership and Service**

37.—(1) A pupil shall be eligible for the Edusave Award for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service in any academic year if he —

(a) is —

- (i) enrolled in any Government school, Government-aided school, independent school, Government junior college or Government-aided junior college; or

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

- (ii) a full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education or enrolled in a specified educational institution;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(b) is a citizen of Singapore;

(c) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(i) —

- (i) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that academic year; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

- (ii) has demonstrated leadership qualities, service to community and schools, excellence in non-academic activities, or future-ready competencies, as determined by the educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(d) being a pupil mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)(ii) —

(i) has demonstrated good conduct, as determined by the Institute of Technical Education or the specified educational institution; and

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(ii) has demonstrated leadership qualities, service to community and schools, or excellence in non-academic activities, as determined by the educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

(2) [*Deleted by S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012*]

### **Value and payment of Edusave Awards for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service**

**38.—**(1) The value of the Edusave Award for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service shall be as specified in item 10 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Award for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service is to be paid to every pupil who is given the Award as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is given the Award and, in any event, is to be paid —

(a) no later than in the month of June in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 37(1)(a)(i); or

(b) no later than in the month of December in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 37(1)(a)(ii).

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

PART XA

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS FOR  
SPECIAL EDUCATION SCHOOLS

*[S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]*

**Pupils eligible for Achievement Awards for Special Education Schools**

**38A.** The Achievement Award for Special Education School shall be given each year to every pupil aged 6 years or above who —

- (a) is enrolled in a special education school;
- (b) is a citizen of Singapore; and
- (c) has met all other criteria set by the special education school.

**Value and payment of Achievement Awards for Special Education Schools**

**38B.**—(1) The value of the Achievement Awards for Special Education Schools awarded each academic year in a special education school shall not exceed the amount determined by the Minister.

(2) The total value of all awards given by a special education school in a year shall not exceed the grant determined by the Minister for the purpose in that year.

(3) The Achievement Award for Special Education School shall be paid to every pupil who is given the Award at the end of the academic year in respect of which he is given the Award.

PART XB

EDUSAVE CHARACTER AWARDS

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

**Pupils eligible for Edusave Character Awards**

**38C.** A pupil shall be eligible for the Edusave Character Award in any academic year if he —

(a) is —

- (i) enrolled in any Government school, Government-aided school, independent school, Government junior college, Government-aided junior college or specified educational institution; or

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

- (ii) a full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

(b) is a citizen of Singapore; and

- (c) being a pupil mentioned in paragraph (a)(i), has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year;

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

- (d) being a pupil mentioned in paragraph (a)(ii), has demonstrated good conduct, as determined by the Institute of Technical Education; and

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

- (e) has demonstrated exemplary character and outstanding personal qualities through the pupil's behaviour and actions, as determined by the educational institution in which the pupil is enrolled.

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

### **Value and payment of Edusave Character Awards**

**38D.**—(1) The value of the Edusave Character Award shall be as specified in item 11 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Character Award is to be paid to every pupil who is given the Award as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is given the Award and, in any event, is to be paid —

- (a) no later than in the month of June in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 38C(a)(i); or
- (b) no later than in the month of December in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil mentioned in regulation 38C(a)(ii).

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

## PART XC

### EDUSAVE SKILLS AWARDS

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

#### **Pupils eligible for Edusave Skills Awards**

**38E.** A pupil is eligible for the Edusave Skills Award if he —

- (a) is enrolled in any specified educational institution or is a full-time pupil of any polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education;
- (b) is a citizen of Singapore;
- (c) has demonstrated excellent professional skills and other relevant qualities throughout his course of study, as determined by the specified educational institution, polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education (as the case may be), by reference to criteria including (but not limited to) any of the following:
  - (i) his performance in any internship, traineeship, industrial attachment or final year project;
  - (ii) any of his achievements in any competition, conference or other platform requiring application of course-specific skills;



- (d) being a pupil of a specified educational institution —
- (i) is enrolled in the penultimate or final academic year of his education at the specified educational institution; and  
*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
  - (ii) has attained at least a good grade for conduct in that year; and
- (e) being a pupil of a polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education —
- (i) is studying in the penultimate or final year of his course at the polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education (as the case may be); and  
*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*
  - (ii) has demonstrated good conduct, as determined by the polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education (as the case may be).

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

### **Value and payment of Edusave Skills Awards**

**38F.**—(1) The value of the Edusave Skills Award is specified in item 12 of the Schedule.

(2) The Edusave Skills Award is to be paid to every pupil who is given the Award as soon as practicable after the completion of the selection process for the academic year in respect of which he is given the Award and, in any event, is to be paid —

- (a) no later than 30 June in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil of a specified educational institution; or
- (b) no later than 31 December in the following academic year, in the case of a pupil of a polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education.

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

PART XI

MISCELLANEOUS

**Savings**

**39.** Any person awarded any scholarship or bursary, or given any award, under any of the following revoked Regulations:

- (a) the Education Endowment Scheme (Edusave Scholarships) Regulations (Rg 2, 2001 Ed.);
- (b) the Education Endowment Scheme (Edusave Merit Bursaries) Regulations (Rg 5, 2001 Ed.);
- (c) the Education Endowment Scheme (Good Progress Awards) Regulations (Rg 7, 2001 Ed.);
- (d) the Education Endowment Scheme (Awards for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service) Regulations (Rg 8, 2003 Ed.);
- (e) the Education Endowment Scheme (Application of Income of Endowment Fund) Regulations 2007 (G.N. No. S 291/2007),

shall be deemed to have been awarded the like scholarship or bursary, or given the like award, under these Regulations.

THE SCHEDULE

Regulations 11, 24(1), 27(1),  
31(1), 36(1), 38(1), 38D(1) and  
38F(1)

VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIPS, BURSARIES AND AWARDS

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
1	11	<p><b>Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools</b></p> <p>Where a pupil is awarded the Edusave Scholarship for Independent Schools, for each year of the pupil's secondary education, or the pupil's secondary and pre-university education, or the pupil's pre-university education, as the case may be:</p>	<p>The lower of the following:</p> <p>(a) a sum of \$2,400;</p> <p>(b) a sum calculated in accordance with the formula <math>A - B - C</math>, where —</p> <p>(i) A is the total amount of that pupil's school fees and leave of absence fees (if any) for an academic year;</p> <p>(ii) B is —</p> <p>(A) where the pupil is eligible to receive a Subsidy — the amount of the Subsidy received or to be received by that pupil for that year; or</p> <p>(B) where the pupil is not eligible to receive a Subsidy — the total amount of school fees and standard miscellaneous fees that pupil would have had to pay for that year had that pupil been enrolled in a Government secondary school or Government-aided Secondary School, a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college, as the case may be;</p>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Item	Regulation	Description	Value
			<p>(iii) C is —</p> <p>(A) where the pupil is enrolled in a specialised independent school and is granted a scholarship by that specialised independent school — the amount of the scholarship received or to be received by that pupil to defray the cost of school fees payable for that year;</p> <p>(B) where the pupil is enrolled in a specialised independent school and is not granted a scholarship by that specialised independent school — zero; or</p> <p>(C) where the pupil is enrolled in an independent school that is not a specialised independent school — zero;</p> <p>(iv) “Subsidy” means a subsidy of the cost of a pupil’s school fees payable for an academic year, that is granted to the pupil under the Independent School Bursary offered by the Ministry or the Financial Assistance Scheme offered by a specialised independent school; and</p>

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Item	Regulation	Description	Value
		(v) “specialised independent school” refers to the School of the Arts or the Singapore Sports School.	
2.	[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]		
3.	[Deleted by S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]		
4.	[Deleted by S 588/2010 wef 15/10/2010]		
5.	[Deleted by S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]		
6		<b>Edusave Scholarship for Secondary Schools</b>	
	24(1)	—	\$500
7		<b>Edusave Scholarship for Primary Schools</b>	
	27(1)	—	\$350
8		<b>Edusave Merit Bursary</b>	
(a)	31	Where awarded to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in —  (i) primary one;	\$200

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Item	Regulation	Description	Value
(b)	31	(ii) primary two; or (iii) primary three:  Where awarded to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary four; (ii) primary five; or (iii) primary six:	\$250
(c)	31	Where awarded to any pupil undergoing secondary education — (i) in a Government secondary school or a Government-aided secondary school; (ii) in a Government junior college or a Government-aided	\$350

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
<i>(d)</i>	31	junior college as part of an integrated programme; or  (iii) in an independent school:  Where awarded to any pupil undergoing pre-university education in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college:	\$400
<i>(e)</i>	31	Where awarded to any pupil enrolled in any specified educational institution or any full-time pupil of any polytechnic or the Institute of Technical Education:	\$500
9		<b>Edusave Good Progress Award</b>	
<i>(a)</i>	36	Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary	\$100

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Item	Regulation	Description	Value
(b)	36	school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary two; or (ii) primary three:  Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary four; (ii) primary five; or (iii) primary six:	\$150
(c)	36	Where given to any pupil undergoing secondary education — (i) in a Government secondary school or a Government-aided secondary school; (ii) in a Government junior college or a	\$200



THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
<i>(d)</i>	36	Government-aided junior college as part of an integrated programme; or  (iii) in an independent school:  Where given to any pupil undergoing pre-university education in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college:	\$250
<i>(e)</i>	36	Where given to any pupil enrolled in any specified educational institution or any full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education:	\$400
10		<b>Edusave Award for Achievement, Good Leadership and Service</b>	
<i>(a)</i>	38	Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary	\$200

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Item	Regulation	Description	Value
(b)	38	school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary one; (ii) primary two; or (iii) primary three:  Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary four; (ii) primary five; or (iii) primary six:	\$250
(c)	38	Where given to any pupil undergoing secondary education — (i) in a Government secondary school or a Government-aided secondary school;	\$350

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
(d)	38	(ii) in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college as part of an integrated programme; or  (iii) in an independent school:	\$400
(e)	38	Where given to any pupil undergoing pre-university education in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college:  Where given to any pupil enrolled in any specified educational institution or any full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education:	\$500
11		<b>Edusave Character Award</b>	
(a)	38D	Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary	\$200

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THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
<i>(b)</i>	38D	school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary one; (ii) primary two; or (iii) primary three:  Where given to a pupil enrolled in a Government primary school or Government-aided primary school in — (i) primary four; (ii) primary five; or (iii) primary six:	\$350
<i>(c)</i>	38D	Where given to any pupil undergoing secondary education — (i) in a Government secondary school or a Government-aided secondary school;	\$500

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

<b>Item</b>	<b>Regulation</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>
(d)	38D	(ii) in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college as part of an integrated programme; or  (iii) in an independent school:	\$500
(e)	38D	Where given to any pupil undergoing pre-university education in a Government junior college or a Government-aided junior college:  Where given to any pupil enrolled in any specified educational institution or any full-time pupil of the Institute of Technical Education:	\$500
12		<b>Edusave Skills Award</b>	
	38F	—	\$500

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*[S 176/2019 wef 01/04/2019]*

*[S 666/2017 wef 01/01/2018]*

*[S 599/2016 wef 25/11/2016]*

*[S 608/2012 wef 01/01/2012]*

*[G.N. Nos. S 753/2007; S 554/2009]*

*[S 824/2024 wef 30/10/2024]*

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY  
EDUCATION ENDOWMENT AND SAVINGS SCHEMES  
(SCHOLARSHIPS, BURSARIES AND AWARDS)  
REGULATIONS  
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This Legislative History is provided for the convenience of users of the Education Endowment and Savings Schemes (Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards) Regulations. It is not part of this Scheme.

**1. G. N. No. S 753/2007 — Education Endowment And Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries And Awards)  
Regulations 2007**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2008

**2. G. N. No. S 554/2009 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2009**

Date of commencement : 15 November 2009

**3. 2010 Revised Edition — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
Regulations**

Date of operation : 31 January 2010

**4. G. N. No. S 588/2010 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2010**

Date of commencement : 15 October 2010

**5. G.N. No. S 608/2012 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2012**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2012

**6. G.N. No. S 759/2014 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2014**

Date of commencement : 21 November 2014



**7. G.N. No. S 643/2015 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2015**

Date of commencement : 1 November 2015

**8. G.N. No. S 599/2016 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2016**

Date of commencement : 25 November 2016

**9. G.N. No. S 666/2017 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2017**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2018

**10. G.N. No. S 117/2018 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2018**

Date of commencement : 1 March 2018

**11. G.N. No. S 176/2019 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2019**

Date of commencement : 1 April 2019

**12. G.N. No. S 668/2019 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2019**

Date of commencement : 2 October 2019

**13. G.N. No. S 960/2020 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2020**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2021

**14. G.N. No. S 898/2021 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2021**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2022

**15. G.N. No. S 790/2022 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2022**

Date of commencement : 7 October 2022

**16. G.N. No. S 919/2022 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2022**

Date of commencement : 1 January 2023

**17. G.N. No. S 824/2024 — Education Endowment and Savings Schemes  
(Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2024**

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