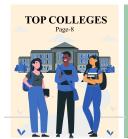
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### Maharashtra SSC Result 2024 Announced

The Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education has declared the results for the class 10th examinations conducted in March 2024. The results were made available online on Monday, May 27th, at 1 PM.

This year, the class 10th written exams took place from March 1st to March 26th across nine divisional boards: Pune, Nagpur, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, Mumbai, Kolhapur, Amravati, Nashik, Latur, and Konkan. A total of 16,09,445 students from 23,272 schools registered for the examinations. Among these students, there were 8,59,478 male students, 7,49,911 female students, and 56 tertiary students. The exams were held at 5,086 main centers across the state.

Students can check their results on the following websites:

mahresult.nic.in scresult.mkcl.org sscresult.mahahsscboard.in results.digilocker.gov.in

The Maharashtra State Board ensured that all necessary arrangements were made for the smooth conduct of the examinations and the timely declaration of results. The board's efforts have facilitated a seamless process for students, parents, and educators to access the results.

The declaration of results marks a significant milestone for the students who have worked diligently throughout the academic year. It also highlights the commitment of the Maharashtra State Board to maintaining a transparent and efficient examination system. As students eagerly check their results, the board continues to support their educational journey, providing

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necessary guidance and resources for future academic endeavors. The board has also taken measures to ensure that students who have not performed as expected have access to supplementary exams and counseling services. This ensures that all students have a fair chance to succeed and improve their academic standings. The proactive approach of the board in addressing student needs and concerns underscores its dedication to fostering a supportive and inclusive educational environment.



# Free Higher Education for Girls

Girls in Maharashtra will now have the opportunity for free higher education. This includes a total of 642 courses such as engineering, medical, and pharmacy. According to Chandrakant Patil, the state government will cover 100% of the educational fees for economically backward category girls. This facility will be available to girls from families with an annual income of less than eight lakh rupees, as well as to girls from other backward classes. Consequently, there will be an increase in girls' enrollment in the coming academic year. Chandrakant Patil also noted the need for a special campaign to further boost these enrollments. After the 12th grade, many bright girls are forced to drop out of school due to their family's financial difficulties. Unable to afford the cost of further higher education, many parents

marry off their daughters after the 12th grade. As a result, the number of girls pursuing higher education is decreasing. However, the state government has now found a concrete solution to this issue. The government will cover the fees for as many as 642 higher education courses. Along with CBSE and private universities, all public and private institutions will provide free coaching to female students as part of the free education program. Starting from June 2024, the state government will bear the expenses for all girls' college and school fees. Although medical and engineering are expensive fields, girls from low-income families will also be able to pursue education in these fields. In June, the free admission process for girls will commence in all public and private institutions in Mumbai, Pune, and Nashik. -VidyarthiMitra News Desk

## Delhi High Court Requests NTA Feedback Regarding NEET Applicant's Torn OMR Sheet Appeal

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The Delhi High Court has requested the National Testing Agency (NTA) to respond to a plea filed by a 19-year-old National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) candidate concerning a tom Optical Mark Recognition (OMR) sheet. Justice C Hari Shankar issued notice to both the NTA and the central government regarding the petitioner's case and instructed the preservation of her original OMR sheet. The OMR sheet, a pre-printed security document containing personal details like name and date of birth, is crucial for exam proceedings. The court's order, dated May 20, mandates that the original OMR sheets related to the petitioner be preserved, with a hearing scheduled for disposal on July 8, 2024. The petitioner, represented by advocate Tanvi Dubey, asserted that during the NEET UG 2024 exam on May 5, she discovered that her seal cover, the first page of the

