

## FAQs - Edhi CA Talent Program

**Q. 1. Why Edhi CA Talent Scholarship Program was initiated?**

**A.** This scholarship was initiated with an objective to provide an opportunity to the brilliant students nationwide for achieving their dream of becoming a Chartered Accountant.

**Q. 2. I have just passed my F.Sc. Pre-Medical and have no Commerce background. Am I eligible to apply?**

**A.** Yes. ICAP encourages all the talented students of the six (6) disciplines comprising of Pre-Medical, Pre-Engineering, General Science, Humanities, ICS and ICOM to apply if they meet the eligibility criteria.

**Q. 3. I have decent marks in Intermediate exams. Is that a good enough criteria to apply?**

**A.** In order to apply, you should be amongst the top 20 position holders in the current year from your respective Board of Intermediate & Secondary Education.

**Q. 4. Two years earlier, I got 10<sup>th</sup> position in Intermediate in Board, can I apply for the Edhi CA Talent in the current year?**

**A.** No. Only those students who have passed their HSSC / Intermediate in the current year are eligible to apply.

**Q. 5. I got 3<sup>rd</sup> position in current Intermediate exams in my Board, will I definitely get this scholarship?**

**A.** Being a top 20 position holder, you are eligible to apply; however, scholarship is awarded to the shortlisted students as per stipulated criteria.

**Q. 6. Is there any selection quota e.g. region or income?**

**A.** Scholarship is purely merit based for all citizens of Pakistan including Azad Kashmir and Gilgit Baltistan.

**Q. 7. I am an A-Level student with good grades, can I apply?**

**A.** No, A-Level students are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

**Q. 8. When can I apply for Edhi CA Talent?**

**A.** Edhi CA Talent applications are invited from the eligible students starting September to November, however, keep visiting ICAP website for the announcement of last date to apply. It is advised not to wait for the last date and apply as soon as you get intimation through a 'Congratulation Letter' from ICAP.

**Q. 9. How do I apply for Edhi CA Talent Scholarship?**

A. If you meet the eligibility criteria, you can apply online through ICAP website.

**Q. 10. What documents I need to upload while applying online?**

A. Documents required to be uploaded include your recent photograph, CNIC/B-Form, matric marks sheet, inter mark sheet, letter of recommendation from your ex college and ICAP congratulation letter.

**Q. 11. I understand that other than being a top 20 position holder, I'd also be required to appear in the Edhi CA Talent Assessment Test.**

A. Your understanding is correct.

**Q. 12. How will I be informed to appear for the Edhi CA Talent Assessment Test?**

A. Once your application is evaluated and found in order, date of test would be announced over ICAP website and an Admit Card stating details including date, time and centre etc. would be issued.

**Q. 13. How the students are shortlisted for selection?**

A. Merit list is prepared on the basis of marks obtained in Matric, Intermediate and ICAP's administered Assessment Test.

**Q. 14. How would I know that I am selected?**

A. In case you are selected an offer letter to this effect would be issued at your given mailing address.

**Q. 15. As an Edhi CA Talent Full Scholarship holder, what types of benefits I'm entitled to and what performance and conditions are required for each support?**

A. Under this scheme you will be entitled to Enrolment Fee, Registration Fee, Examination/ Exemption fees (Once for each subject), Tuition Fee up to CAF level only, books allowance (limit apply) and monthly stipend & accommodation (following conditions apply):  
PRC: Pass all papers in fifteen months as per ICAP Education Scheme 2021  
CAF: Pass one paper in each attempt and whole stage in two years  
CFAP & MSA: Pass two papers in each attempt and full during the training

**Q. 16. I live in Karachi, am I entitled to accommodation allowance?**

- A. Accommodation allowance will only be given to such recipients of scholarship who are living in hostels or are on rent due to non-availability of RAETs in their home city/town for which they would have to provide appropriate supporting documents.

**Q. 17. I am Edhi CA Talent Partial Scholarship holder, what benefits would be available to me under this Program?**

- A. As a partial scholarship holder you will be entitled to pay only a nominal amount of Rs.1,500 against ICAP enrolment fee, no registration fee and Rs.500 against examination/exemption fee for each subject up to CAF level as against regular ICAP fees.

**Q. 18. I am a Partial Scholarship holder, is there any chance of conversion into full scholarship.**

- A. Only in case of non-acceptance of a Full Scholarship recipient, the next inline Partial Scholarship recipient may be upgraded to Full Scholarship.

**Q.19. When will we be issued CEN?**

- A. CEN is allocated within ten to fifteen working days after submission of online enrolment Form.

**Q. 20. How can I get further information?**

- A. You may send email at [catalent@icap.org.pk](mailto:catalent@icap.org.pk) or call at (92-42) 37515910-12 UAN: 111-000-422 for further information.

**Q. 21. What is the weightage of the questions asked in Edhi CA Talent Assessment Test?**

- A. Edhi CA Talent Assessment Test consists of three sections i.e. General Knowledge – 20 questions, Arithmetic & Logic – 40 questions, and English – 40 questions.

**Q. 22. What is the duration of the Assessment Test?**

- A. The duration of the Assessment test is 100 minutes.

**Q. 23. Is a calculator allowed in Assessment Test?**

- A. Calculator is not allowed in Assessment Test.

**Q.24. Will Applicants be provided a sheet for rough work?**

- A. A sheet will be provided for rough work. You will be required to submit the rough sheet to the invigilator after the completion of your exam. Additional sheets will not be provided in any case. However, a notepad is present within the exam software that can be used for rough working. Any working made in the rough sheet and notepad will not be considered for marking.

**Q. 25. Is there any negative marking in the Assessment Test?**

- A. There will be no negative marking in the Assessment Test.

**Q. 26. Is any practice Test available for Edhi CA Talent Program?**

- A. Yes, you can download how to run SAT Model paper and its zip file from the under-mentioned link(s):

<https://student.icap.org.pk/files/data/CATalentProgram/ca/HowtorunSATModelpaper.pdf>

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