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News: Scheme of Scholarship and Fellowship for Promotion of Art and Culture

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- Scheme of Scholarship and Fellowship for Promotion of Art and Culture is being **implemented by Ministry of Culture**.
- This scheme has three components that **aim to support young artists, outstanding persons in different cultural fields, and those conducting cultural research**.

Components of the Scheme

Award of Scholarships to Young Artists in Different Cultural Fields (SYA)

- Provides a **scholarship for a period of 2 years to selected beneficiaries in the age group of 18-25 years**.
- Candidates should have **undergone training under any Guru or Institution for a minimum of 5 years**.

Award of Senior/Junior Fellowships

- Senior Fellowship is provided to select Fellows in the age group of 40 years and above for 2 years for cultural research.
- Junior Fellowship is provided to select Fellows in the age group of 25 to 40 for 2 years.
- Up to 400 Senior & Junior Fellowships are awarded in one batch year.

Award of Tagore National Fellowship for Cultural Research (TNFCR)

- Candidates are selected under two categories, Tagore National Fellowship and Tagore Research Scholarship, to work on cultural research by affiliation under different participating institutions in 4 different groups.
- Selection of Fellows and Scholars is made by the National Selection Committee (NSC).

Additional Component

- Under the scheme of “Project Grants to Individuals for Research in the Performing Arts”, the Sangeet Natak Akademi provides financial assistance to individuals on recommendation of the Advisory Committee.