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FAQ's

Q1. What is the main objective of the CEDS ?

A1. The main objective of the Scheme is to facilitate certain selected universities to develop CEDS which will encompass the sports infrastructure as well as the sports sciences. The UGC will provide liberal grants to the selected universities for this purpose.

Q2. Which are the Target Group for the UGC in this CEDS ?

A2. The various target group includes all central Universities, centrally funded deemed to be Universities and State Universities receiving development assistance from the UGC, which have developed reasonable infrastructure for development of the sports and shown evidence of high quality capability, will be considered for UGC assistance under the scheme.

Q3. What is the nature of financial assistance under CEDS Scheme ?

A3. The nature of financial assistance under the scheme will be as follows:

1. The financial assistance of the university will be limited to a maximum of 25 crores for a period of five years.

2. The funding to the University will be project oriented and the university will submit a Detailed Project Report (DPR) indicating the major items of proposed expenditure under the scheme.
3. For conducting research in the field of sport sciences and sports
4. For meeting the salary of additional academic
5. For conducting faculty development
6. For creating new infrastruce/augmenting
7. The grant will be used as per budget and Action Plan finalized by the Expert Committee in ech case. Procedure for approval by the UGC.

Q4. What are the procedures for monitoring the progress made by each university under the scheme ?

A4. The progress made by each university under the scheme will be reviewed after the end of two years by the standing Committee at the UGC Headquarters. The university will make a presentation highlighting the activities undertaken and the grant utilized under the Scheme. If the standing Committee is not Satisfied with the progress of the work, it may recommend for constitution of an Expert Committee for on- the – spot inspection of the university.the standing committee will consider the Report of the Expert Committee and based on the Report, will take a decision to recommend to the Commission about continuation/discontinuation of the centre.

Q5. UGC has directed its affiliated Universities to start which new programmed ?

A5. The University Grants Commission has directed its affiliated Universities to start two new programmes in sports science. A two- year Master of Physical Education and sports (MPES).Sources informed that Physical Education is already being carried out in several institutes monitored by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) in order to encourage the learners to take up teaching as their profession.