



**CONSULATE GENERAL OF INDIA
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The Consulate General of Republic of India, Erbil presents its compliments to the Department of Foreign Relations, Kurdistan Regional Government, Erbil and has the honor to inform the esteemed Department that the Government of India has announced scholarships under the Atal Bihari Vajpayee General Scholarship Scheme from Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR), New Delhi for the Academic Year 2024-25.

Students from Kurdistan Region of Iraq may apply for the scholarship directly on ICCR's A2A Scholarship Portal www.a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in. The important timelines for the application of the scholarships are attached herewith.

The Consulate General of Republic of India, Erbil avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Department of Foreign Relations, Kurdistan Regional Government, the assurances of its highest consideration.



Department of Foreign Relations,
Kurdistan Regional Government,
Erbil.
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Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR), New Delhi, India announces 50 scholarship slots for the students for AY 2024-25 under Atal Bihari Vajpayee General Scholarship Scheme (A1201) (formerly General Scholarship Scheme)

2. Consulate General of India is pleased to announce Atal Bihari Vajpayee General Scholarship Scheme (A1201) (formerly General Scholarship Scheme) from Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR), New Delhi for Academic Year 2024-25.

3. Applications are invited to all the students of Kurdistan region of Iraq directly on ICCR'S A2A Scholarship portal www.a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in . The revised timeline is as follows:

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| 04 April, 2024 | Opening of Portal www.a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in for inviting applications from interested candidates |
| 31 May, 2024 | Last date for applicant to submit application on the portal www.a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in |
| 30 June, 2024 | Last date of Universities to inform the decision (if confirmed, intimation to the Embassy. If rejected, intimation to students) |
| 15 July, 2024 | Last date for allocating scholarship and generating Offer Letters by Indian Mission abroad |
| 25 July, 2024 | Last date of acceptance by students |
| 10 August, 2024 | In case of availability of scholarship slots, Indian Mission to offer scholarship to other students who were not considered in the first round) |
| 20 August, 2024 | Second-round students to convey their acceptances |

4. For further information, please visit www.a2ascholarships.iccr.gov.in or visit to education corner at <https://cgierbil.gov.in/>
