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Press Release

'Propagation of Hindi Abroad' (PHA) scholarship offered by the Central Hindi Institute, Agra

The Kendriya Hindi Sansthan (KHS) i.e. Central Hindi Institute, Agra is offering scholarships to foreign nationals under the 'Propagation of Hindi Abroad' (PHA) scheme for the Academic Session 2023-24. The academic year of the Institute is from 1st August to 30th April.

2. International students can apply for the following courses at the KHS:
 - i. Certificate in Hindi Language Proficiency
 - ii. Diploma in Hindi Language Proficiency
 - iii. Advanced Diploma in Hindi Language Proficiency
 - iv. Post Graduate Diploma in Hindi
3. The qualification is schooling equivalent to 12th standard in India i.e. STPM in Malaysia, or college education, and with basic skills in computers. The candidate must have a minimum written and oral proficiency in Hindi and English, and their age should be between 21 to 35 years.
4. Students admitted under the PHA Scheme are provided Economy Class airfare (to and fro) by the KHS. The Institute will provide transportation from Delhi airport to the campus and vice-versa. Scholarship of Rs.6,000/- per month is given to the students in addition to a Book Grant of Rs.1,000/- per annum. Students have to pay other fees such as an Enrolment Fee of Rs.100/-, an Examination Fee of Rs.250/-, a Hostel Maintenance Deposit of Rs.300/- per month, and a one-time refundable Library Security Deposit of Rs.1,000/-, etc.
5. For more information regarding the PHA 2023-24 and the application kindly contact the Education Wing, High Commission of India, Kuala Lumpur by phone (+60 3 4021 8939) or email <edu.kl@mea.gov.in>.
6. Candidates should submit their Application Forms **in person** along with the Undertaking Form, and medical report (Certificate of Physical Fitness) and copies of other relevant documents to the 'Education Wing, High Commission of India, Kuala Lumpur' by **20th March 2023**. Two Letters of Recommendation are also required, one from the First Secretary / Second Secretary in this Mission, and another from a Hindi expert / Linguistic expert or a Lecturer / Professor in a University in Malaysia.

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