# Right to Education (RTE)



According to the <u>RTE</u> (**R**ight **T**o **E**ducation) act, <u>most</u> of the non-government schools located in different cities of Maharashtra state will reserve 25% of seats for the eligible applicants belonging to the **weaker section of the society** and provide **FREE** admission/education to them in entry-level classes till 8th class.

#### What is RTE

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE) is the process of providing free and compulsory education to each and every child with the intention to improve the basic education literacy of economically backward classes/disabled students.

## Eligibility for RTE Admissions

- For admission in the 1<sup>st</sup> standard, the child should be in the age group of 5 years 10 months to 6 years 10 months. <u>Some</u> <u>schools provide admission in Jr. Kg. as well.</u>
- Child's Family income should not exceed more than 1 lakh/annum from all the sources of income (Income Certificate is Required)
- 1st preference will be given to schools within 1 km & 2nd preference to schools within 1-3 km range from your residence. E.g., residents of Behram Baug (Jogeshwari) are eligible for free admission at City International School, Jankidevi Public School, etc.

#### Documents Required for RTE

- Income Certificate issued by the Tehsildar Office
- Birth certificate of the applicant for eligibility of age
- Aadhaar card or Aadhaar Enrolment number of the applicant and Aadhaar card of the applicant's parent for address proof

#### Admission Process

To Fill the form use this <u>link</u> (Maharashtra)

### • Important links

- Step by step procedure
- Age limitation
- Document Required
- o Parents Manual

RTE Maharashtra online admission registration begins **tentatively** in **mid-February** and ends in **mid-March. Register** here

If you need assistance filing the form, please contact **Muman Welfare** Foundation Office (+918291700568)