



'Incentive Scheme for Girl Students Studying in Agriculture'

Why In News?

On November 22, 2022, according to the information given by the Rajasthan Information and Public Relations Department, '**Incentive Scheme to Students studying in Agriculture**' is being run in the state to ensure the empowerment of women and their effective participation in the agriculture sector.

Key Points

- Under this scheme, with the aim of encouraging girls who choose agriculture as a subject for study, an amount ranging from **Rs 5,000 to Rs 15,000** is being given annually to girl students pursuing PhD in the Faculty of Agriculture from class 11th.
- The aim of the state government is that the girl child should study the latest techniques of the field of agriculture and get formal teaching-training, which will not only increase the income of their family, but they will also contribute to the prosperity of the state and the country.
- It is noteworthy that women play a leading role in the field of agriculture in the field of agriculture in the state from sowing to planting, drainage, irrigation, fertilizer, plant protection, harvesting, weed removal and storage.

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