Terms and conditions for CSIR-Nehru Science PDF

The terms and conditions for CSIR-Nehru Science Postdoctoral Fellowship will remain the same as those applicable to CSIR Research Associateship (RA) till further notification.

In addition to the rules as applicable to CSIR RAs, CSIR-Nehru PDF will also be governed by the followings:

- Appointing CSIR laboratory will bear 20% of the annual expenditure from its internal resources.
- 20% of the fellowship amount will be paid as lump sum at the end of completion of 1st and 2nd year, respectively.

Contingency Grant

An annual contingent grant of Rs.3,00,000/- per fellow is provided to a CSIR-Nehru PDF. For less than one year, the contingent grant will be admissible on pro-rata basis. Part of this grant may be utilized in the interest of research work, purchase of books, etc. and 25% of the contingency grant can be used for domestic and international travel including per diem expenses. The unspent balance of contingency grant at the end of a financial year will be treated as lapsed and no carry forward to the next year is allowed, thereby restricting contingency expenditure to a maximum of Rs. 3,00,000/- in a year. Further, request (claim) for release of contingency grant of the previous financial year(s) will not be entertained.

Important Note: CSIR reserves the right to modify any of the conditions/guidelines mentioned above any time