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2026 Diyanet Scholarship Program

1. Please find enclosed a copy of Note Verbale No. Z-2026/85811980/41346131, dated 28th January 2026, received from the Embassy of Türkiye in Colombo, along with a poster on the Diyanet Scholarship Program, which informs that the 2026 applications for the Diyanet Scholarships have begun, and Sri Lankan students wishing to pursue their studies at international Imam Hatip High Schools or Technology Faculties in the Republic of Türkiye can submit their applications until **28 February 2026**.
2. As per the above communication, candidates can obtain further details on the eligibility criteria, application procedures, and available programs, and can submit their applications through the following website: <https://diyanetburslari.tdy.org/>
3. The Embassy of Türkiye in Colombo has requested this Ministry's assistance in forwarding the above information to the relevant ministries, institutions, and authorities. The Ministry may also share the details of the scholarship program with pertinent academicians, students, and relevant institutions in Sri Lanka, to facilitate their participation in and utilization of the scholarship opportunities.
4. Forwarded for your information and action as appropriate.

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The Embassy of the Republic of Türkiye presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Employment and Tourism of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and has the honour to inform that the 2026 applications for Diyanet Scholarships has recently begun and Sri Lankan students that are willing to pursue their studies at International Imam Hatip High Schools or Theology Faculties in Türkiye can submit their applications until **February 28, 2026**. A poster on the scholarship program is attached herewith.

Candidates can obtain further information on the eligibility criteria, application procedures and programs and submit their applications through <https://diyanetburslari.tdv.org/>.

It would be much appreciated if the esteemed Ministry could kindly forward the above information and the enclosed poster to the relevant Ministries, institutions and students that might be interested in the Diyanet Scholarships program, at the earliest.

The Embassy of the Republic of Türkiye avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Employment and Tourism of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Colombo, January 28, 2026

Encl.: As stated.

Ministry of Foreign Affairs,
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