Government Scheme Application Checklist (2025)

Use this printable checklist to ensure you have all documents and steps ready before applying to any government scheme online in India.

[] Aadhaar Card of Applicant (linked with mobile number)
[] PAN Card (if applicable)
[] Bank Account Details (linked with Aadhaar)
[] Caste Certificate (for reserved category schemes)
[] Income Certificate (from local authority)
[] Residential Proof (ration card, utility bill, etc.)
[] Passport-size Photograph (recent)
[] Mobile Number and Email ID (active)
[] Relevant Scheme-Specific Documents (e.g., LPG connection number, land records, disability certificate
[] Application Reference Number (note this after applying)
[] Screenshot or Printout of Application Form (for records)
[] Track Application Status Regularly on Official Portal
[] Keep SMS/Email Alerts Enabled for Updates

Tip: Always apply on the official website (e.g., pmuy.gov.in, pmkisan.gov.in, pmjay.gov.in) to avoid fraud. Never pay middlemen.