



PUROHIT COURSE

(2008 – 2010)

"One who leads others on the path of good by keeping others interest before his own is called a Purohit."



AN APPEAL

THE TRADITION

Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayanandaji desired the Hindus to be 'true practicing Hindus'. In order to do so, he started Gurukulas to train Acharyas who in turn could spread the message of Vedanta. In line with his vision, the Chinmaya Mission now proposes to start a Purohit Course to train 'Purohits' (Hindu Priests) with knowledge of Puja Vidhis, Shodasha Samskaaras, Vaidik Chanting, Sanskrit and Hindu Culture.

THE TEMPLE OF LEARNING:

This course will be conducted in the sylvan surroundings at the foothills of the Nilgiris at Chinmaya Vaidik Vidyapeeth, Chinmaya Gardens, Coimbatore.

THE SALIENT FEATURES:

- ❖ One and a half year's **residential course**.
- ❖ Starting on Vijayadashami, Oct. 9th 2008
- ❖ **Inauguration by Pujya Guruji Swami Tejomayanandaji**
- ❖ **No Course Fee**. Free accommodation, food, clothes, medical care and books will be provided by Chinmaya Garden Trust.

THE VEDAPUTRAS:

After completing the course, the Purohits may opt to work for the Chinmaya Mission, or pursue their individual goals.

THE VEDAPUTRA SCHEME (Vidya Daanam)

1. Sponsorship for 25 students for 1 ½ yrs. :	Rs. 12,00,000/-	US \$ 30,000
2. Sponsorship for 1 student for 1 ½ yrs.:	Rs. 45,000/-	US \$ 1,125
3. Sponsorship for 1 student for 1 yrs. :	Rs. 30,000/-	US \$ 750
4. Sponsorship for 1 student for 6 months:	Rs. 15,000/-	US \$ 375
5. Patron:	Rs. 10,000/-	US \$ 250
6. Donor:	Rs. 5,000/-	US \$ 125

THE BHIKSHA SCHEME (Anna Daanam)

1. Per day bhiksha :	Rs. 18,000/-	US \$ 450
2. Lunch bhiksha :	Rs. 12,000/-	US \$ 300
3. Dinner bhiksha :	Rs. 10,000/-	US \$ 250
4. Breakfast bhiksha:	Rs 5,000/-	US \$ 125

THE APPEAL

To educate a person is great. To provide education and livelihood is greater still. To impart education, livelihood, culture and religion to those who will in turn spread our religion and culture and aid our worship (the Purohit) is truly noble.

DO JOIN US IN THIS NOBLE SEVA, BY SPONSORING THE EDUCATION OF A PUROHIT.

THE DONATIONS:

- ❖ All amounts are covered under IT 80G.
- ❖ Cheques to be drawn in favour of 'Chinmaya Garden Trust' payable at **Coimbatore**.
- ❖ Donations within India may be transferred vide ICICI Bank A/c No.001601005298 (Trichy Road Branch, Coimbatore).
- ❖ Please contact us for 'SWIFT TRANSFER' from abroad indicating the currency & donor's PAN No.

OUR CONTACT DETAILS:

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VEDAPUTRA DONATION FORM

To,
Ajit Chaitanya

Hari Om!

I am happy to sponsor the education (vidya daanam) of a Vedaputra under
(please tick your option)

Category 1

Category 3

Category 5

Category 2

Category 4

Category 6

I am happy to sponsor the bhiksha (anna daanam) for the Vedaputras under
(please tick your option)

Full Day

Lunch

Dinner

Breakfast

Enclosed herewith is a Demand draft/Cheque for Rs. / \$ _____
(Indian Currency / any non Indian currency)

The donation may be instituted in the name of (write name in capitals)

With Prem & Om

Signature

Name _____

Address _____

Tel No. _____ Mob: _____

Email: _____

PAN No. _____