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## RTE 25% Admission Process for 2026–27 Begins in Mumbai from February 17

The Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC) has officially announced the commencement of the 25% admission process under the Right to Education (RTE) Act for the 2026–27 academic year, starting from Tuesday, February 17, 2026.

Under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009, children belonging to economically weaker and disadvantaged sections will be admitted to unaided and self-financed schools (excluding minority institutions) through an online centralized system. Selected students will receive free education up to Class VIII.

### 5,939 Seats Across 323 Schools

As per BMC's Education Department:

- 4,558 seats are available in 252 Maharashtra State Board schools
- 1,381 seats are available in 71 schools affiliated to other boards.

In total, 5,939 seats are reserved across 323 schools in the BMC jurisdiction.

### Online Application Window

Parents can apply online from February 17 to March 10, 2026 through the official portal:

<https://student.maharashtra.gov.in>

Applications can be submitted for Pre-Primary or Class I admissions under the 25% RTE quota. Uploading all required documents during the application process is mandatory.

### School Selection Guidelines

The RTE portal will display schools located within 1 km of the child's residence. Parents must:

- Select up to 10 schools carefully
- Note that children already admitted earlier under RTE 25% are not eligible to apply again.

### Lottery and Admission Process

After the application period ends, the date for the online lottery (draw of lots) will be announced. Parents whose children are selected must keep original and attested copies of all uploaded documents ready for verification at the time of admission.

The BMC Education Department has urged parents to complete the process within the stipulated timeline to ensure their child's eligibility under the RTE scheme.

## FYJC Admissions to Commence Promptly After Std X Board Exams

In a significant move aimed at ensuring a smoother academic transition for students, the State Education Department has announced that the First Year Junior College (FYJC) admission process will commence promptly after the conclusion of the Std X board examinations.

Commissioner of Education Sachindra Pratap Singh confirmed that the department has taken proactive steps to avoid the delays and confusion experienced during last year's admission cycle. The revised strategy is designed to provide students and parents with clarity, predictability, and reduced stress.

### Key Changes Introduced This Year

To streamline the FYJC admission process, the Education Department has announced several improvements:

- **Early Admission Schedule:** Detailed timelines, seat allocation rounds, and cut-off dates will be released in advance to ensure clarity.
- **Clear Eligibility Guidelines:** Students will receive transparent information on stream-wise marks requirements, subject prerequisites, and reservation norms.
- **Quota & Reservation Transparency:** Prior disclosure of minority, management, in-house, sports, and special category quotas.
- **Document Preparedness:** Advance notification of required documents, including marksheet, leaving certificate, caste/category certificates, domicile, and Aadhaar.

### Upgraded Online System

Officials confirmed that the FYJC admission portal has been strengthened with technical enhancements and expanded server capacity to prevent disruptions.



# SCHOOL AND HIGHER EDUCATION

## IITs Open New Courses in 2026 That Don't Require JEE Scores

New Delhi: In a major change for students and professionals, several Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) have launched courses and programmes in 2026 that do not require the traditional JEE scores for admission, making elite technology and skill education more accessible.

Traditionally, admission to IITs for undergraduate engineering programmes has been through the Joint Entrance Examination (JEE), one of the toughest exams in the country. But this year, the institutes are offering certificate, executive and online courses that can be joined without JEE or JAM exam results, opening opportunities for students from diverse academic backgrounds and working professionals.

### Top IIT Programmes Without JEE Scores in 2026

✓ IIT Delhi – Executive Programme in Robotics  
A five-month online course starting on March 14, focusing on robotics and AI applications, especially suited for working professionals.

✓ IIT Guwahati – Genetic Engineering & Applications  
An online course covering gene structure, recombinant DNA technology and biomedical research fundamentals.

✓ IIT Kharagpur – Engineering Mathematics  
A self-paced online course that strengthens fundamentals in topics like calculus, linear algebra and differential equations.

✓ IIT Madras – Thermodynamics (NPTEL)  
A detailed online thermodynamics course ideal for students and science learners seeking strong conceptual knowledge in thermal sciences.

✓ IIT Bombay – Python Programming (Swayam)  
A comprehensive coding course for beginners and advanced learners in Python, helping build essential software development and automation skills.

### Who Can Apply?

- Students who didn't clear or didn't take JEE Main/Advanced
- Graduates and professionals seeking new skills
- Learners from non-engineering backgrounds interested in AI, data science, robotics or coding

### Why This Matters

These programmes aim to democratise access to IIT education and expertise, especially in high-demand cutting-edge fields such as:

- Robotics
- Artificial Intelligence (AI)
- Machine Learning
- Genetic Engineering
- Software Development

It also reflects a broader shift in education, where skill-based, short-term and certification courses are becoming as important as traditional degree paths for career growth.

## CBSE Class 12 Maths Paper 2026 Focuses on Calculus, Vectors and Probability

With the CBSE Class 12 Board Exams 2026 well underway, the board has officially highlighted Calculus, Vectors and Probability as some of the most important and high-weightage topics in the Mathematics question paper — information confirmed from the CBSE sample papers and marking schemes released for this year's examination.

These topics are expected to form a significant portion of the question paper and are projected to be high-impact areas for student scoring, according to educators and official board guidance documents.

### Why These Topics Are Important

◆ **Calculus**

- Includes Differential and Integral Calculus
- Major focus on applications, rates of change and area/volume problems
- Vital for students planning careers in Engineering, Economics and Data Science.

◆ **Vectors**

- Core in 3D geometry and coordinate mechanics
- Questions often involve vector product, direction ratios and applications
- High scoring and concept-based

◆ **Probability**

- Applies to random events, distributions, conditional probability
- Frequently featured in both short answer and long answer questions
- Useful for Commerce, Statistics and Computer Science students

### Official Board Guidance

According to the CBSE Class 12 sample paper and marking scheme released in late 2025:

- ✓ Calculus contributes a large chunk of weightage
- ✓ Vectors appear in both Section B and C of the Maths paper
- ✓ Probability is often part of higher-order thinking questions (HOTS)

This shift shows that application-based and reasoning questions from these chapters are now prioritized. The official sample papers are now considered the best representation of what students can expect in the actual board question paper.

### Exam Strategy for Students

Students are advised to:

- ✓ Focus first on conceptual clarity in Calculus and Vectors
- ✓ Practice previous years' board questions + sample papers
- ✓ Solve probability problems involving real-life situations
- ✓ Attempt all high-weightage questions first during the exam

### What Experts Say

Education experts say:

“Calculus, Vectors and Probability are consistently appearing in high-marks questions, and CBSE's recent sample papers confirm this trend for the 2026 Maths board exam.”

This official emphasis means students who master these 3 topics are much more likely to score higher marks in the maths board paper.

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## CBSE NSQF Skill-Based Board Exams to Be Held Along with 2026 Board Tests

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) will conduct NSQF (National Skills Qualifications Framework) skill-based subject examinations as part of the Class 10 and Class 12 Board Exams 2026, giving students a powerful mix of academic learning and job-oriented skills.

These vocational papers—covering areas such as Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Information Technology, Retail, Healthcare, Electronics, Automotive and Tourism—will be held within the main CBSE board examination window, the same period in which other theory papers are conducted.

### What is NSF?

N. S. Q. F. It is India's National Approved Framework for Skill Education, implemented jointly by the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship. This allows school students to learn industry-relevant skills and gain recognised qualifications while completing regular schooling.

### N. S. Q. F. When will the exam take place?

CBSE follows a single, integrated schedule for all the subjects of the board. According to:

N. S. Q. F. The theory papers will be conducted during the main board exam window (February-March 2026) along with other subjects.

Practical / skill tests - which carry more weightage - are usually scheduled before theory exams and are conducted by schools as per CBSE guidelines.

Important: CBSE releases the official schedule for all the subjects

(including vocational / skill papers) that are close to the exam. The school then informs the students of the exact practical dates.

### N. S. Q. F. How are the subjects assessed?

Principle: ~30%

- Practical / Skill Test: ~70%

Students must pass both components to qualify.

### Will NSQF appear on the CBSE marksheet?

Yes. The skill subject is printed on the CBSE marksheet and is treated on par with academic subjects for:

- Promotion to Class 11 / 12
- College admissions
- Government and private sector jobs
- Apprenticeships and polytechnic pathways

### Why NSQF matters for students

- Job-ready skills alongside academics
- Nationally recognized certification
- Better employability and multiple career options
- A strong backup pathway after school

Bottom line: With NSQF embedded in the 2026 CBSE Board Exams, students can graduate not only with marks—but with market-ready skills that open doors to higher studies, apprenticeships, and employment across India.

## NMMS Result 2026 for Maharashtra Expected in February



Mumbai: The National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship (NMMS) 2025–26 Result and Merit List for Class 8 students in Maharashtra is expected to be released in February 2026, bringing crucial financial relief to thousands of meritorious students from economically weaker sections.

The NMMS is a flagship scholarship scheme of NCERT, implemented at the state level by the Maharashtra State Council of Examination (MSCE), Pune. It aims to reduce school drop-outs after Class 8 and support students through secondary and higher secondary education.

### What the Result Will Show

The February 2026 Merit List will publish:

- Student's name
- Roll number
- MAT & SAT scores
- District-wise and category-wise rank
- Scholarship eligibility status

Only candidates who clear the state-level cut-off in both Mental Ability Test (MAT) and Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) will be selected.

### Scholarship Benefit

Students who make it to the NMMS Merit List 2026 will receive:

- ₹12,000 per year (₹1,000 per month)
- Paid from Class 9 to Class 12
- Directly credited to the student's bank account after verification

This support helps cover books, uniforms, travel, tuition and learning resources.

### What Happens After the Result

After the merit list is released:

1. Schools verify student details and documents.
2. Selected candidates' bank/KYC data is validated.
3. Scholarship is disbursed through DBT (Direct Benefit Transfer).

Students are advised to keep their bank details, Aadhaar and school records ready to avoid delays.

### Why NMMS Matters

- Encourages continuity in education after Class 8
- Rewards academic merit
- Supports families with limited income
- Builds a strong foundation for Class 9–12 and beyond

Bottom line: With the NMMS Result 2026 expected in February, thousands of Maharashtra's Class 8 achievers are set to receive a four-year financial lifeline that will help them stay in school, excel academically, and pursue their dreams.

# SCHOOL AND HIGHER EDUCATION

## NCERT Launches Free Online Physics Course for Class 12 Students on SWAYAM

The National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has launched a free online Physics course for Class 12 students on the government's SWAYAM platform, covering the full Class 12 Physics syllabus in an accessible and structured format. This initiative is part of NCERT's effort to provide high-quality, digital learning resources to students across India, especially those preparing for board exams.

The programme is designed as a Massive Open Online Course (MOOC), enabling students to learn at their own pace with interactive modules, video lectures, downloadable study materials and self-assessment tools.

### Course Structure & Content

- The Physics course runs for approximately 24 weeks, covering all major topics included in the CBSE Class 12 Physics syllabus.
- Topics include electrostatics, current electricity, magnetism, electromagnetic induction, wave optics, atomic structure, semiconductors and communication systems, among others.
- Each module brings video explanations, multimedia support and self-evaluation quizzes, making concepts easier to grasp.

The course is structured to help students understand both fundamental theories and applications, with rich content designed by expert NCERT faculty.

### Enrollment & Access

- The free course is open for enrolment on the SWAYAM portal ([swayam.gov.in](http://swayam.gov.in)), and students can register without any fees.
- Once registered, learners can access all modules, lectures and resources online and complete the course at their own pace within the scheduled weeks.
- Upon submitting platform assessments, students may also be eligible for a certificate of completion (subject to meeting SWAYAM assessment criteria).

### Benefits for Students

This initiative aims to:

- Provide free, high-quality physics education to all Class 12 students in India, including those in remote areas.
- Help students strengthen conceptual clarity and improve board exam readiness.
- Enable learners to study at their own pace and revisit difficult topics through videos and practice questions

### Context & Educational Push

NCERT's online courses on SWAYAM are part of a larger push by the Ministry of Education to expand digital learning access nationwide, aligning with broader goals to support remote, flexible and affordable education.

The Physics course adds to a suite of free online classes offered for Class 11 and 12 across subjects like Chemistry, Mathematics, Biology and more, giving students a complete digital learning ecosystem.

📌 This free NCERT SWAYAM Physics course equips students with essential knowledge, tools and confidence to tackle board exams and competitive applications alike — all from their devices at no cost.

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## CBSE Board Exams 2026 Start From February 17 — Admit Cards Released, Advisory Issued

The Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) has announced that the Class 10 and Class 12 board examinations for 2026 will begin on February 17, 2026, and has released admit cards along with important instructions for students, parents, and schools ahead of the exams. This year, an estimated over 46 lakh students are expected to appear across India and in 26 countries abroad.

### Exam Dates & Schedule

- Start Date: February 17, 2026
- Class 10 Main Exam Period: February 17 to March 11, 2026 (Phase I)
- Class 12 Exam Period: February 17 to April 10, 2026
- Second Phase/Optional Exams (Class 10): May 15 to June 1, 2026

Exams for both classes will be conducted in pen-and-paper mode at designated centres across the country and abroad.

### Admit Cards: How They Are Issued

The CBSE admit cards for Class 10 and Class 12 board exams have been released on the official Pariksha Sangam portal and schools are responsible for:

- Downloading the admit cards through the portal
- Verifying details such as name, roll number, exam centre and subjects
- Printing and distributing them to students ahead of the exams

Students cannot download the admit card themselves — they must receive the printed hall ticket from their school authorities. Without this document, entry to the exam hall will not be allowed.

### Admit Card Details Students Must Check

Admit cards will typically include:

- Student's name and photograph
- Roll number and admit card ID
- School and exam centre details
- Subject names and subject codes
- Exam dates and timings
- Important exam instructions

It is essential that students verify all information and report any errors to school authorities in advance.

### Important Advisory Ahead of Exams

CBSE has issued a strict advisory for exam day conduct:

- Examination will begin at 10:30 AM each day.
- Students must reach their exam centres by 10:00 AM, as no entry will be allowed after this time.

- Schools and parents are urged to plan travel in advance, considering possible traffic disruptions due to national or local events.

Students are also advised to visit their exam centres before exam day to avoid confusion and reach early to complete security checks smoothly.

### Guidelines for Exam Day

Although the official NDTV article focuses on admit cards and timing, other recent updates indicate that:

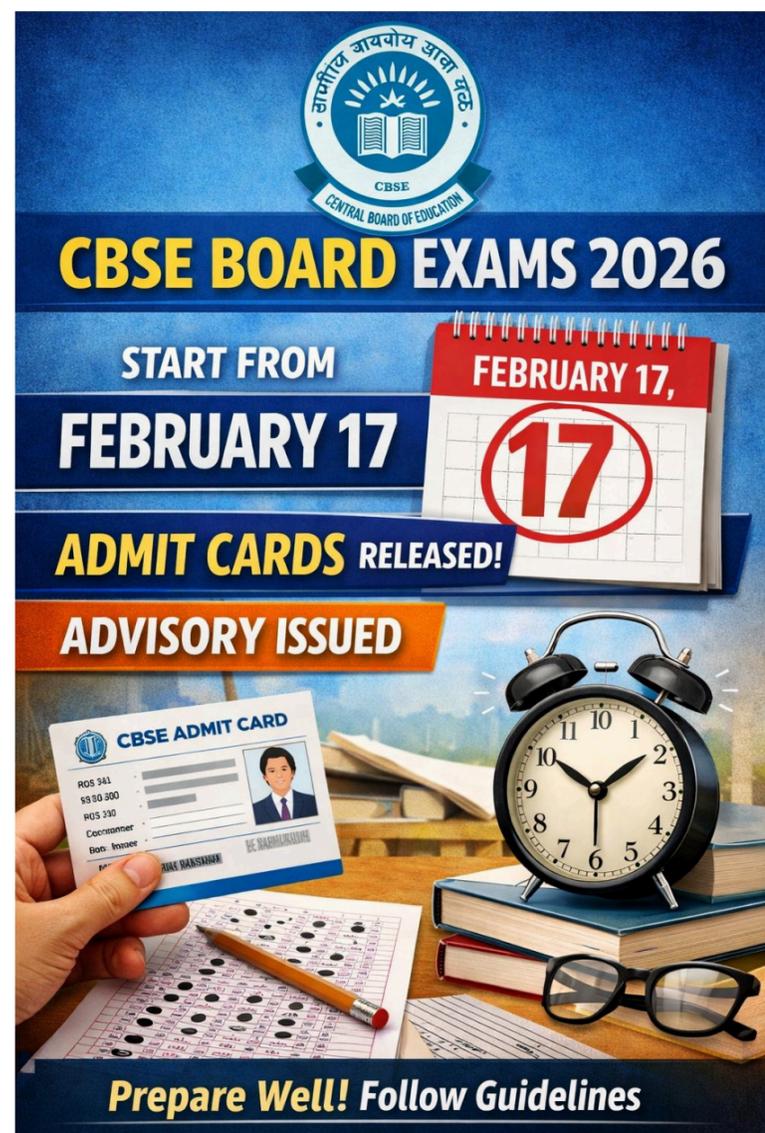
- CBSE has released exam-day guidelines, including reporting time and permitted items.
- A live webcast has been scheduled to clarify exam rules, including details on the On-Screen Marking (OSM) system being introduced for Class 12 evaluation.

### Final Note

With board exams just days away, students are advised to:

- Collect and check admit cards carefully
- Reach exam centres well before the entry deadline
- Follow all exam day rules and instructions
- Stay in touch with teachers and school staff for updates

The release of admit cards and official advisories marks a crucial phase in the CBSE Board Exam 2026 cycle, helping students prepare logistically and mentally for one of the most important academic milestones of their school life.



# INSIGHTS INTO THE EDUCATIONAL WORLD

## NISM Introduces Advanced Certificate Programme in Data Science for Securities Markets

Mumbai: The National Institute of Securities Markets (NISM), an academic and capacity-building arm of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), has launched an Advanced Certificate Programme in Data Science for Securities Markets, aimed at building high-end analytical and technology skills among finance and market professionals.



This certification programme is designed to help learners apply data science, machine learning, deep learning and big-data technologies to real-world problems in the stock market, derivatives, risk management, surveillance, and portfolio analytics.

### What the Certification Includes

Participants will gain hands-on experience through:

- Data Science Lab – for building and testing predictive models
- Simulation Lab – for analysing trading strategies and market behaviour
- Bloomberg Lab – to work with live financial data and market analytics tools
- 2-Day Campus Immersion – for direct interaction with faculty and industry experts

### Who Should Enroll

This programme is ideal for:

- Students and graduates in finance, economics, engineering, statistics or data science
- Stock market professionals, analysts and traders
- Fintech and investment aspirants
- Anyone who wants to combine technology with capital markets

### Why This Certification is Important

With stock markets becoming increasingly data-driven, there is a growing demand for professionals who understand both finance and advanced analytics. This NISM certification helps learners:

- Gain industry-relevant data science skills
- Improve career opportunities in trading, investment, fintech and risk management
- Get trained by an institute backed by India's securities market regulator (SEBI)

## Free 3-Month MBA-CET 2026 Training Programme Launched for Maharashtra Aspirants

Education Risk Management Solution has announced a Free 3-Month Training Programme to help students prepare for the MBA-CET 2026, one of Maharashtra's most important entrance exams for MBA and MMS admissions.

The initiative aims to support students from all backgrounds by offering structured exam preparation, mock tests, and career guidance at no cost, helping aspirants improve their chances of securing seats in top management institutes across the state.

### What the Free Programme Offers

Under this training initiative, enrolled students will receive:

- Extensive online lectures covering all MBA-CET sections
- Offline mock tests to build exam-day confidence
- Exclusive online study material designed as per the latest CET pattern
- Free career counselling to guide students on MBA colleges and specialisations

The programme focuses on building strong fundamentals in Quantitative Aptitude, Logical & Abstract Reasoning, Verbal Ability, and Data Interpretation.

### Who Can Benefit

The free training is ideal for:

- Final-year graduation students
- Working professionals planning to pursue an MBA
- CET repeaters aiming to improve their scores
- First-time MBA-CET aspirants seeking structured preparation

### Why This Matters

With competition for MBA seats rising every year, access to quality coaching often becomes expensive. By offering a zero-fee, three-month training programme, Education Risk Management Solution is helping make MBA-CET 2026 preparation more accessible and inclusive for students across Maharashtra.



# THE EDUCATIONAL WORLD

## IIM Lucknow Launches India's First AI-Driven UG & Tech-MBA Programmes; JEE Advanced Made Mandatory for BS Admissions

IIM Lucknow has announced a landmark expansion into undergraduate and technology-focused management education with the launch of three Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Business Analytics programmes.

The announcement was made by Dharmendra Pradhan at the Bharat Bodhan AI Conclave 2026 held at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi.

This move marks the first time an Indian Institute of Management will offer an undergraduate degree, positioning IIM Lucknow at the forefront of India's AI-driven higher education reform. The programmes aim to create a "future-ready talent ecosystem" by combining deep technology skills with business leadership.

### New AI Academic Pathways (Point Format)

- BS in AI & Business Analytics  
Duration: 4 Years  
Launch Session: 2026–27  
Target Group: Class 12 students through JEE Advanced
- Tech MBA  
Duration: 2 Years  
Launch Session: 2027–28  
Target Group: Postgraduate students focused on technology and management
- Integrated BS + Tech MBA  
Duration: 5 Years  
Launch Session: 2026–27  
Target Group: Students looking for a seamless undergraduate to postgraduate pathway

### Key Highlights & Admission Rules

A major highlight of this reform is that admission to the 4-year BS programme will be based on JEE Advanced ranks, a selection route traditionally reserved for IITs. This ensures that students entering the programme have strong mathematical, analytical, and problem-solving skills.

The curriculum has been structured to bridge cutting-edge AI innovation with real-world business applications, making graduates industry-ready from day one. The initiative is also aligned with national goals under the IndiaAI Mission and Digital India, focusing on building India's own "sovereign AI" capabilities.

### Vision for Viksit Bharat 2047

Addressing the conclave, Minister Dharmendra Pradhan said that India's AI ecosystem must be inclusive, ethical, and nationally self-reliant. He emphasized that these new academic programmes will shift education from rote learning to high-order problem-solving, helping India achieve its goal of becoming a developed nation by 2047.

"We must ensure that AI is designed to empower our students and teachers while remaining sovereign by capability," the Minister stated.



## Keiser University Launches American Bachelor's Degree in Business Analytics for Indian Students

Keiser University, through its Centre in India, has opened admissions for its Bachelor of Arts in Business Analytics, allowing Indian students to earn a fully accredited American degree while studying in India.

This international undergraduate programme is designed to provide students with global-standard education in data-driven business, analytics, and decision-making, without the need to travel abroad or apply for a student visa.

### Programme Highlights

The Bachelor of Arts in Business Analytics is aimed at students who have completed Class 12 or equivalent and want to build a career in data, finance, marketing analytics, and business intelligence.

### Key features include:

- American degree awarded by Keiser University (USA)
- Study in India at the university's Centre in India
- No travel and no visa required
- Cost-effective international education
- Industry-focused curriculum in business, data analytics, and digital tools

### Eligibility

- Students must have passed Class 12 or equivalent from a recognized board.

### Why This Programme Matters

With the rapid rise of data analytics and AI-driven decision-making in global industries, demand for professionals skilled in business analytics is growing fast. This programme enables Indian students to access U.S. university education and international credentials while remaining in India, significantly reducing the cost and logistical barriers of overseas study.



# THE EDUCATIONAL WORLD

## World-Class UK MSc Finance Degree Now Available in Mumbai

### About

The University of York, one of the United Kingdom's leading research-driven universities and a member of the prestigious Russell Group, has launched its MSc Finance programme in Mumbai through its international campus University of York Mumbai.

Admissions are now open for the 2026 Postgraduate intake, giving Indian students access to a globally recognised UK master's degree without relocating abroad.

### Programme Highlights

The MSc Finance programme is designed to prepare students for global careers in banking, investment, corporate finance, fintech and financial analytics. It follows the same academic structure, assessment standards and faculty oversight as the UK campus.

### Key features include:

- UK-designed curriculum
- Industry-focused case studies
- Data-driven financial analysis
- Exposure to international finance practices
- Globally recognised degree certificate

### Why This Programme Matters

With finance roles becoming increasingly global and technology-driven, the MSc Finance from the University of York equips students with critical thinking, financial modelling, risk analysis and strategic decision-making skills. Being a Russell Group university, York is known for strong research output, academic reputation and graduate employability.

### Who Can Apply

- Commerce, Management, Economics, Engineering and related graduates
- Final-year students planning postgraduate study
- Professionals looking to upgrade into global finance careers

### Benefits for Indian Students

- Study a UK master's degree in Mumbai
- Save on overseas living costs
- International faculty & curriculum
- Pathway to global job opportunities
- Strong academic and industry credibility

### Admissions Status

Applications for PG Programmes 2026 are currently open, and students are encouraged to apply early to secure seats.

## IBM-Backed Data Science Programme Launched to Train Indian Professionals in Just 5 Months

### About

Leading ed-tech firm Imarticus Learning, in collaboration with global technology giant IBM, has launched a fast-track Data Science Associate Programme aimed at preparing Indian students and working professionals for careers in data analytics and artificial intelligence.

The industry-oriented programme offers IBM Certification in Data Analytics with Generative AI, allowing learners to gain globally recognised credentials in just five months.

### Programme Highlights

The new training programme is designed to meet the rapidly growing demand for data professionals across industries such as banking, IT, healthcare, e-commerce and consulting.

### Key features include:

- Duration: 5 months
- Certification: IBM Data Analytics with Gen AI
- Mentorship: Experts from global companies like Meta, Apple, Netflix and Google
- Tools Covered: 10+ industry-standard analytics and AI tools
- Certifications: 3 IBM-backed credentials

### Why This Programme Matters

With organisations worldwide adopting AI-driven decision-making and big-data technologies, the demand for skilled data scientists and analytics professionals is rising sharply. This programme equips learners with practical skills in data handling, machine learning, analytics, and generative AI, making them job-ready in a short time.

### Who Can Apply

- Graduates and final-year students
- Working professionals from IT, engineering, commerce and science backgrounds
- Career-switchers aiming to enter data science and

### AI roles

#### Career Opportunities After Completion

Successful candidates can explore roles such as:

- Data Analyst
- Data Scientist
- Business Intelligence Analyst
- AI & Gen-AI Associate
- Analytics Consultant

## IIT JAM 2026: Last-Minute Preparation Strategy to Maximise Your Score



With the Joint Admission Test for Masters (IIT JAM) 2026 scheduled to begin on February 15, aspirants nationwide have entered the final crucial phase of preparation. Organized by IIT Bombay, the competitive exam serves as the gateway to postgraduate programmes in premier institutes across India.

### Key Last-Minute Tips for Aspirants

- **Avoid Learning New Topics:** Experts strongly advise candidates not to start any new subjects or theories at this stage, as last-minute learning can create confusion and lower confidence.
- **Focus on Mock Tests:** Practising full-length mock tests under timed conditions is emphasised as the best way to sharpen exam skills, improve speed, and reduce exam-day anxiety.
- **Review Past Papers:** Going through previous JAM question papers helps familiarise students with the question pattern and frequently tested concepts.
- **Error Analysis:** After each mock test, candidates are urged to analyse mistakes thoroughly rather than simply attempting more tests — this builds strategy awareness and avoids repeating errors.
- **Stay Healthy:** Maintaining proper rest, nutrition, and a positive mindset are crucial in the final days, as stress and fatigue can reduce focus and recall ability.

### Why This Phase Matters

According to education experts, the days just before IIT JAM are less about learning new material and more about consolidating strengths. By prioritising revision, solving mock tests, and identifying weak areas for targeted practice, aspirants can maximise their potential score. With the examination just around the corner, disciplined study habits and smart revision techniques remain the core strategies for success in IIT JAM 2026.



# EXAMINATION NOTICES

## CUET PG 2026 Subject-Wise Exam Time Table Released; Exam from March 6 to 27

The National Testing Agency (NTA) has officially released the subject-wise time table for the Common University Entrance Test – Postgraduate (CUET PG) 2026, the national entrance exam for postgraduate admissions in central and participating universities across India. Over 4,11,000 candidates have registered for the exam, which will be held in Computer-Based Test (CBT) mode across multiple dates and shifts in March 2026.

The detailed timetable, listing dates, subjects and shift timings, is available for download on the official NTA CUET PG website ([exams.nta.nic.in](https://exams.nta.nic.in)).

### Exam Dates & Schedule

- Exam Start: March 6, 2026
- Exam End: March 27, 2026
- Total Shifts: 44 shifts across various dates
- The schedule covers 157 subjects, ensuring students know exactly when each paper will be conducted.

The exams are spread over several dates, including March 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 24, 25 and 27.

### Shift Timings & Format

NTA is conducting the CUET PG exam in multiple daily shifts, and the official schedule highlights the following pattern:

- Shift 1: 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM
- Shift 2: 12:30 PM to 2:00 PM
- Shift 3: 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Each shift consists of a 90-minute exam, and subjects are allotted to slots to ensure there are no clashes for candidates who have chosen multiple papers.

### How to Download the Time Table

Candidates can check and download the CUET PG 2026 subject-wise time table by:

1. Visiting the official NTA CUET PG website: [exams.nta.nic.in/CUET-PG](https://exams.nta.nic.in/CUET-PG)
2. Clicking on the 'Subject-Wise Schedule for CUET PG 2026' link
3. Saving or printing the PDF with dates, shift details and subject codes for reference.

### City Intimation & Admit Card

The exam city intimation slip will be released approximately 10 days before the first exam — expected around February 24–25, 2026. Admit cards for individual shifts will be available ahead of each exam date once the city centers are finalised.

### Language & Accessibility

The CUET PG question papers will be conducted primarily in English and Hindi, with certain language papers offered in other regional languages. Some specialised papers such as advanced science or language studies may have specific language instructions as per the official schedule.

### Importance for Candidates

With the subject-wise time table now released, aspirants can:

- Plan revision schedules subject by subject
- Avoid clash of exams if appearing for multiple papers
- Prepare according to shift timings and dates
- Focus on time management and mock test practice



## JEE Main 2026 Session 1 Result to Be Declared on February 16 — No Re-Evaluation Allowed

The National Testing Agency (NTA) has confirmed that the JEE Main 2026 Session 1 results will be announced on February 16, 2026. This result covers the first session of India's largest undergraduate engineering entrance examination, conducted for courses such as BE/BTech, BArch, and BPlanning across participating government and private institutions.

Originally expected by February 12, the result announcement was postponed to February 16 to ensure accuracy following review of objections raised against the provisional answer key.

### Exam Overview & Timeline

- Exam Period: January 21–29, 2026
- Mode: Computer-Based Test (CBT)
- Sessions: Morning (9 AM–12 PM) and Afternoon (3 PM–6 PM) shifts
- Provisional answer key and response sheets were released in early February, with objection windows open until February 6.

The results will include the JEE Main scorecards showing candidates' subject-wise and total percentile marks. The final answer key is expected to be published on or before the result date on the official NTA portal.

### How to Download Your Result

Students can check and download their scorecards once results are released by following these steps:

1. Visit the official JEE Main websites: [jeemain.nta.nic.in](https://jeemain.nta.nic.in) or [nta.ac.in](https://nta.ac.in)
2. Click on the link for "JEE Main Session 1 Result 2026"
3. Enter your Application Number and Password/Date of Birth
4. Submit to view your result
5. Download and save the scorecard PDF for future admissions and counselling use.

### Re-Evaluation & Re-Checking Policy

The NTA has clarified that no re-evaluation or re-checking requests will be accepted after the result declaration. Once declared, the scorecards and merit lists will be considered final, and no correspondence regarding score changes will be entertained. Candidates found involved in Unfair Means Practices (UMP) during the exam will have their results withheld.

### Admission Pathway After Results

The JEE Main scores serve as the basis for:

- Admission to NITs, IITs, GFTIs and many other engineering colleges
- Eligibility for JEE Advanced, for those aiming for Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs)
- Shortlisting and counselling in various state and central admission processes

Candidates should keep checking the official portals and counselling bodies' notifications for JoSAA and other counselling registration dates.



## EXAMINATION NOTICES

### CAT 2026: India's Premier MBA Entrance Exam to Open Doors to Top Business Schools

The Common Admission Test (CAT) continues to remain India's most important gateway to management education, enabling lakhs of aspirants to secure admission into the prestigious Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) and over 1,200 leading B-schools across the country. Conducted annually, CAT plays a decisive role in shaping the future of students aspiring to build careers in business, leadership and entrepreneurship.

#### What is CAT?

CAT is a national-level, computer-based examination designed to assess candidates on their verbal ability, logical reasoning and quantitative aptitude. Unlike traditional academic tests, it evaluates analytical thinking, problem-solving skills and decision-making ability — all essential for management education.

#### Who Can Apply?

Candidates holding a bachelor's degree in any discipline with at least 50% marks (45% for SC, ST and PwD categories) are eligible to apply. Final-year undergraduate students can also register. There is no age limit or restriction on the number of attempts.

#### Exam Pattern

The CAT exam consists of three sections:

- Verbal Ability & Reading Comprehension (VARC)
- Data Interpretation & Logical Reasoning (DILR)
- Quantitative Ability (QA)

The test is held for 120 minutes, with each section allotted 40 minutes, and includes both multiple-choice and type-in-the-answer questions.

#### Selection Process

CAT scores are used by all IIMs and many top business schools such as FMS Delhi, MDI Gurgaon and SPJIMR Mumbai to shortlist candidates. Final admission depends on a combination of CAT percentile, academic performance, work experience, written ability test and personal interview.

#### Why CAT Matters

With India's growing demand for skilled managers in sectors like finance, consulting, technology, analytics and entrepreneurship, CAT provides a powerful pathway to high-quality management education and lucrative career opportunities. Graduates from IIMs and leading MBA colleges regularly secure placements with global corporations, startups and consulting firms.

As the competition grows stronger every year, CAT remains the most trusted and prestigious exam for students aiming to enter India's top business schools and become the next generation of corporate leaders.

### CMAT 2026 Result Expected in Mid February — Key Updates for MBA Aspirants

The CMAT (Common Management Admission Test) 2026, one of India's premier national-level MBA entrance exams, is expected to declare its results in February 2026. Conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA), CMAT provides a gateway for admission into over 1,200 AICTE-approved management institutes, including top private and government B-schools.

#### Exam Overview

CMAT 2026 was held in late January as a computer-based test, assessing candidates on Quantitative Techniques, Logical Reasoning, Language Comprehension, and General Awareness. The exam is a key pathway for students aspiring to pursue MBA, PGDM, and management-related courses across India.

#### Result and Next Steps

- Expected Result Date: February 2026
- Official Portal: Results will be available on the NTA CMAT website.
- Use of Score: CMAT scores are used by participating institutes for shortlisting candidates for group discussions (GD) and personal interviews (PI), which form the final selection process.

#### Why This Matters

With increasing competition among management aspirants, the CMAT score plays a crucial role in determining admission to leading B-schools, impacting career opportunities in sectors such as finance, consulting, marketing, operations, and analytics.

NTA has urged all candidates to regularly check the official CMAT portal for updates and ensure they have their login credentials ready to access the results promptly.



# EXAMINATION NOTICES

## NTA's NCET-ITEP 2026 Opens Gateway to 4-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme

NTA (National Testing Agency) has started accepting applications for admissions in niche 4-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP) in selected Central / State University / Institutions including IITs, NITs, RIEs, and Government Colleges. The admission is granted on the basis of merit obtained in National Common Entrance Test (NCET) which is scheduled to be conducted on 17 Apr 2026.

The application deadline is **10 Mar 2026**.

**Course(s) covered by NCET programmes:** BA-BEd, BSc-BEd, BCom-BEd (4 Year Integrated)

### About the 4 Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme

The 4-year integrated B.Ed. will be a dual-major holistic bachelor's degree, in Education as well as a specialized subject (such as language, history, music, mathematics, computer science, chemistry, economics, art, physical-education, etc.). Beyond the teaching of cutting-edge pedagogy, the teacher education will include a grounding in sociology, history, science, psychology, early childhood care, and education, foundational literacy and numeracy, knowledge of India and its values / ethos / art / traditions, and more.

**Stage Specialization (5+3+3+4)** : Each student will specialize in one of the following school stages which will qualify them to become teachers of that Stage: i) Foundational Stage Specialization (for teaching Pre-School to Grade 2) ii) Preparatory Stage Specialization (for teaching Grades 3 to Grade 5) iii) Middle Stage Specialization (for teaching Grades 6 to Grade 8) iv) Secondary Stage Specialization (for teaching Grades 9 to Grade 12).

**List of Universities/Institutions:** There are 223 participating Universities / Institutes (including IITs, NITs, RIEs), offering approx. 16,950 seats.

**Counseling** : Candidates who will be appearing in NCET will participate in the Counselling / admission process of any Central / State University / Institution (IITs, NITs, RIEs, and Govt. Colleges) which have been granted recognition by NCTE for ITEP for the academic session 2026-27. University/ Institution / Govt. College may fill up the vacant seats thereafter from the pool of NCET qualified candidates

**NATIONAL TESTING AGENCY**  
**NCET-ITEP 2026**  
4-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme

**Exam Date**  
17 April 2026

**Application Deadline**  
10 March 2026

**Applications Open**  
For admissions in 4-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)

**Courses covered by NCET Programmes**  
• BA-BEd, BSc-BEd  
• BCom-BEd (4 Year Integrated)

**Selection Based on NCET:**  
National Common Entrance Test

- ✓ B.Ed. with a specialized subject (language, history, mathematics, etc.)
- ✓ P.BET Stage Grades Pre-School to 2
- ✓ Middle Stage Grades 6-8
- ✓ Middle Stage Grades 6-8
- ✓ Secondary Stage Grades 9-12

223 Institutions offering approx. 16,950 seats in selected Central / State Universities / Institutions.

**Apply Now at: [ncet.samarth.ac.in](https://ncet.samarth.ac.in)**  
Note: Admission strictly through merit obtained in NCET.

## Indian Statistical Institute UG Admission Process 2026 Begins

The Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), a premier institution known for its excellence in Statistics, Mathematics, and Data Science, is accepting applications for its undergraduate programs for the 2026-27 academic session. Students aspiring for a career in data science, statistics, or mathematics can now apply for ISI's highly regarded UG programs.

### Programs Offered:

ISI offers three undergraduate programs for 2026 admissions:

- 3 Year Bachelor of Statistics (Hons.) (B.Stat) – Kolkata Campus
- 3 Year Bachelor Mathematics(Hons.)(B.Math) – Bengaluru Campuses
- 4 Year Bachelor of Statistical Data Science (Hons.) (B.SDS) – Kolkata, Delhi, and Bengaluru Campuses.

### Selection Process

- **For B.Stat (H) and B.Math (H):** Admission is based on performance in the ISI entrance test and interview.
- **For B.SDS (H) :** Selection is based on JEE (Mains) 2026/2025 or CUET UG 2026/2025 (Maths & English).

**Commerce and Humanities students also eligible :** Worth noting that students from all subject streams are eligible for admission as long as they have successfully completed 10+2 years of Higher Secondary Education (or its equivalent) with Mathematics and English as subjects of study.

### Key Dates to Remember

Last Date to Apply: 13 March 2026 (28 May 2026 for B.SDS)

ISI Entrance Exam: 10 May 2026

### Exam Date Clash - A Concern for Many Students

Students applying for ISI should be aware that the entrance exam coincides with several other major entrance tests, including Symbiosis SITEEE, Symbiosis SET -BBA -BSc -Economics, Punjab Univ PU -CET-Biotech.

This scheduling conflict may require students to make strategic decisions regarding their preferred career paths and prioritize exams accordingly.

Applicants must register on the ISI Admission Portal and complete the application form online.

**ISI UG ADMISSIONS 2026-27**  
The Indian Statistical Institute, a premier institution for Statistics, Mathematics & Data Science, now accepting applications for its undergraduate programs.

**Programs Offered:**  
• 3 Year Bachelor of Statistics (Hons.) (B.Stat) – Kolkata Campus  
• 3 Year Bachelor of Mathematics(Hons.) (B.Math) – Bengaluru Campus  
• 4 Year Bachelor of Statistical Data Science (Hons.) (B.SDS) – Kolkata, Delhi, and Bengaluru Campuses.

**Selection Process**  
For B.Stat (H) and B.Math (H):  
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**Apply Now: [isiadmission.net](https://isiadmission.net)**  
\* Applicants must register & complete the form online at ISI Admission Portal.

## Welingkar Opens Admissions for PGDM and MMS Programmes at Mumbai and Bengaluru Campuses

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

Welingkar (WE School), officially known as S. P. Mandali's Prin. L. N. Welingkar Institute of Management Development & Research, has announced the opening of admissions for its flagship PGDM and MMS programmes for the upcoming academic session at its Mumbai and Bengaluru campuses.

The admission drive is being supported by Edumanthan Consultancy, which is guiding students through counselling, application, and seat allocation processes.

### Programmes on Offer

Students can apply for a wide range of industry-focused management programmes, including:

- PGDM (Core)
- PGDM (E-Business)
- PGDM (Business Design)
- PGDM (Rural Business Administration – RBA)
- PGDM (Media & Entertainment)
- PGDM (Rural Management)
- PGDM (Retail Management)
- MMS (Mumbai University Programme)

These programmes are designed to cater to diverse career paths in corporate management, digital business, rural development, retail, media, and entrepreneurship.

### Campuses Covered

- Welingkar Mumbai
- Welingkar Bengaluru

Both campuses are known for their innovation-driven curriculum, strong industry linkages, and experiential learning approach.

### Why Choose Welingkar

Welingkar (WE School) is among India's leading B-schools, known for:

- Industry-oriented PGDM programmes
- Strong placement records
- Contemporary specialisations aligned with new-age careers
- Active corporate and startup engagement

The institute focuses on preparing students for leadership roles in a fast-changing business environment.

### Admissions & Support

Students seeking admission can connect through Edumanthan Consultancy, which is offering:

- Career counselling
- Programme selection guidance
- Application and admission assistance

With admissions now open at Welingkar Mumbai and Bengaluru, this is a major opportunity for MBA and PGDM aspirants to secure a seat in one of India's most respected management institutions for the upcoming academic year.



# ADMISSION NOTICES

## NMIMS Opens Admissions for Online MBA 2026 with Multiple In-Demand Specialisations

NMIMS, through its Centre for Distance and Online Education, has officially announced the opening of admissions for its Online MBA 2026 programme. The programme is designed for working professionals, graduates, and aspiring managers who want to pursue a globally recognised MBA degree through 100% online learning.

The NMIMS Online MBA offers a flexible and industry-aligned curriculum that allows students to study from anywhere while gaining a management qualification from one of India's most respected universities.

### Programme Highlights

- Programme: Online MBA
- Mode: 100% Online
- Academic Year: 2026 intake
- University Status: UGC-entitled, NAAC A+ accredited
- Recognitions: NIRF ranked, QS-recognised, WES approved

Students can choose from 5+ in-demand specialisations, enabling them to tailor their MBA to high-growth sectors such as marketing, finance, business analytics, operations, and more.

### Why NMIMS Online MBA Stands Out

The NMIMS Online MBA is designed to combine academic excellence with flexible learning. With live online lectures, recorded sessions, digital study material, and continuous evaluation, students can continue their jobs while upgrading their qualifications.

The programme is supported by industry-ready curriculum, ensuring that graduates gain practical skills required by today's employers.

### Who Can Apply

The Online MBA is ideal for:

- Working professionals looking to upgrade their career
- Fresh graduates aiming for management roles
- Entrepreneurs and business owners seeking strategic knowledge
- Professionals who want a recognized MBA without leaving their job

With admissions now open for 2026, the NMIMS Online MBA provides a powerful opportunity for learners to gain a top-tier MBA degree with complete flexibility and strong academic credibility.



## ISFB–Imarticus Launches CFA-Focused Bachelor's Programme in Finance & Business at Mumbai Campus

ISFB in collaboration with Imarticus has opened admissions for India's only CFA-focused Bachelor's Programme in Finance & Business, aimed at students completing Class 12 and seeking a career in finance, investment, and global business.

The three-year, full-time undergraduate programme will be conducted at Hiranandani Knowledge Park, Powai, Mumbai, offering students a globally aligned finance curriculum integrated with CFA and ACCA pathways, industry exposure, and strong placement support.

This unique programme is designed to combine academic learning with professional certification, ensuring that students graduate with both a bachelor's degree and advanced finance credentials.

### Key Features of the Programme

- Degree Offered: Bachelor's in Finance & Business
- Duration: 3 Years
- Mode: Full-time, On-Campus
- Location: Powai, Mumbai

Students enrolled will receive CFA-aligned training along with an option to pursue ACCA, preparing them for international careers in finance, investment banking, corporate finance, and consulting.

### Industry & Career Advantages

The programme promises strong career outcomes through:

- BBA with CFA/ACCA Integration
- Placement opportunities with Fortune 500 companies
- Real-world business exposure and corporate mentorship

In addition, a ₹25 crore venture fund has been created to support student founders and start-ups, encouraging entrepreneurship and innovation among undergraduates.

### Global Exposure & Immersion

To provide international and national exposure, students will participate in academic immersions at:

- IIM Visakhapatnam
- SP Jain

These immersion programmes will help students understand global business practices, leadership, and financial markets.

### Why This Programme Stands Out

This CFA-focused bachelor's programme is being positioned as India's first of its kind, blending:

- Professional finance certifications
- Undergraduate degree education
- Industry placements
- Entrepreneurial funding
- International academic exposure

With this initiative, ISFB and Imarticus aim to create a new generation of globally competitive finance professionals straight after Class 12.

# ADMISSION NOTICES

## Masters' Union Opens Admissions for 16-Month MBA-Equivalent PGP in Technology & Business Management

Masters' Union has announced admissions for its 16-month Post Graduate Programme in Technology & Business Management (PGP-TBM), an MBA-equivalent, full-time, on-campus programme based in Gurugram. The programme will commence in June 2026, with the Round 4 application deadline set for March 1, 2026.

Designed to meet the demands of today's digital and technology-driven economy, the PGP-TBM combines business strategy, leadership, and advanced technology education to prepare students for high-growth careers across consulting, product management, data, finance, and entrepreneurship.

### Strong Placement Outcomes

According to the latest cohort data released by Masters' Union, the programme has delivered impressive career results:

- Average CTC: ₹33.39 lakh per annum
- International Placements: 30 offers, with packages going up to ₹1 crore
- Salary Growth: 3.03× jump compared to pre-MBA salary levels

These outcomes position the PGP-TBM among the most competitive technology-driven management programmes in India.

### Programme Highlights

- Programme Name: Post Graduate Programme in Technology & Business Management (PGP-TBM)
- Duration: 16 months
- Mode: Full-time, On-campus
- Campus: Gurugram
- Start Date: June 2026
- Next Application Deadline: March 1, 2026

The curriculum is designed to blend business fundamentals with emerging technologies, enabling graduates to lead in roles that require both managerial decision-making and technical understanding.

### Why PGP-TBM Stands Out

The Masters' Union PGP-TBM is built for professionals and fresh graduates seeking fast-track leadership roles in India's evolving corporate and startup ecosystem. With a shorter 16-month duration, global-level compensation outcomes, and strong international placements, the programme is emerging as a high-impact alternative to traditional two-year MBAs.



# ABROAD EDUCATION

## Indian Students Get New Gateway to Study at UK's Russell Group Universities

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

Indian students aspiring to study in the United Kingdom now have a powerful new opportunity, as Texas Review, a leading global education consultancy, has announced expanded study-abroad counselling and admission support for those targeting the UK's elite Russell Group universities for upcoming academic intakes.

The Russell Group represents the most research-intensive and academically prestigious universities in the UK, similar to the Ivy League in the United States. These universities are globally respected for cutting-edge research, world-class faculty, industry partnerships, and high graduate employability.

Through this initiative, Indian students will receive end-to-end admission guidance, from university selection to visa processing, making it easier to secure a seat in top UK institutions based on academic profile, career goals, and budget.

### Top Russell Group Universities Covered

Texas Review will guide students for admission into the following leading UK universities:

- University of Cambridge
- University of Oxford
- Imperial College London
- University of Manchester
- University of Birmingham
- University of Bristol
- University of Nottingham
- University of Exeter
- Newcastle University
- University of Leeds
- Cardiff University
- University of York
- University of Southampton

These institutions are consistently ranked among the world's top universities and attract students from over 150 countries every year.

### Why Russell Group Universities Matter

Russell Group universities account for over two-thirds of the UK's research funding and produce some of the world's most influential academic and technological breakthroughs. Many Nobel Prize winners, global CEOs, scientists, economists, and political leaders have graduated from these institutions.

A degree from a Russell Group university significantly increases access to:

- High-paying jobs in the UK and Europe
- Global corporate and research careers
- PhD and post-graduate research opportunities
- Long-term UK work visas and settlement pathways

### Budget-Based Study Options for Indian Students

Understanding financial challenges, Texas Review is helping Indian students plan their UK education within realistic budgets. Students can now target Russell Group universities under:

- ₹20 lakh budget options
- ₹30 lakh budget options

(depending on course, scholarships, and university)

With scholarships, part-time work, and affordable universities, studying in the Russell Group is becoming more accessible for middle-class Indian families.

### What Texas Review Provides

Under this initiative, students will receive complete guidance for:

- University and course shortlisting
- Application & Statement of Purpose (SOP) support
- Scholarship and financial planning
- IELTS, test preparation and profile building
- Visa documentation and interview guidance
- Pre-departure and accommodation support

This ensures a smooth, error-free, and stress-free admission journey.

### UK Student Visa & Career Benefits

With the UK Graduate Route Visa, Indian students can stay back and work for up to 2 years after completing their degree (3 years for PhD). Russell Group graduates are highly preferred by employers in:

- Technology
- Finance
- Consulting
- Research
- Healthcare
- Business & Management

This provides students with international career exposure and long-term return on investment.

### Why This Initiative is Important

With rising global competition for top universities, expert guidance has become essential. Texas Review's Russell Group admission drive offers Indian students a direct gateway to the UK's most powerful academic network, helping them turn their study-abroad dreams into global

## Heriot-Watt University Opens Admissions for MSc International Business Management with Finance in Dubai

### About

UK-based Heriot-Watt University, through its Edinburgh Business School, has announced admissions for its MSc in International Business Management with Finance at its Dubai Campus for upcoming academic intakes. The programme is designed to prepare students for leadership roles in the global business and financial sectors.

### Programme Overview

The MSc International Business Management with Finance combines international business strategy, financial management, global markets and corporate decision-making, making it ideal for students who want careers in multinational companies, banking, consulting and international trade.

Key focus areas include:

- Global business strategy
- Corporate finance and investment
- International trade and markets
- Risk management and financial planning
- Leadership and managerial skills

### Why Study in Dubai

Dubai has emerged as one of the world's fastest-growing business hubs, connecting Asia, Europe and Africa. Students studying at Heriot-Watt's Dubai campus benefit from:

- International exposure
- Strong links with multinational companies
- Access to internships and job opportunities in the Middle East
- A multicultural academic environment

### Who Can Apply

- Graduates from business, commerce, finance, economics, engineering and related disciplines
- Final-year students awaiting results
- Professionals seeking international business and finance careers

### Career Opportunities

After completing the MSc programme, students can pursue careers as:

- International Business Manager
- Financial Analyst
- Investment Consultant
- Corporate Finance Executive
- Business Development Manager
- Global Strategy Consultant

### Global Recognition

Degrees from Heriot-Watt University are globally recognised, giving graduates strong opportunities to work in the UK, UAE, Europe, Asia and other international markets.

# ABROAD SCHOLARSHIP

## Indian Students Get Scholarship-Backed Entry to Top French Business Schools

### About

TFM Overseas Education Consultants has launched a special early-application scholarship initiative for Indian students seeking admission into top French business schools. This programme allows students to apply early and secure tuition fee scholarships, priority admissions, and visa support for the upcoming academic intakes.

### Participating Business Schools

Students can apply to leading French institutions including:

- NEOMA Business School
- KEDGE Business School
- SKEMA Business School
- Rennes School of Business

These schools are globally ranked and known for MBA, MSc in Management, International Business, Finance, Marketing and Entrepreneurship programs.

### Scholarship Benefits

Selected early applicants can receive:

- Tuition fee scholarships
- Reduced cost of education
- Priority offer letters
- Higher visa success rate
- Access to paid internships and placements

### Who Can Apply

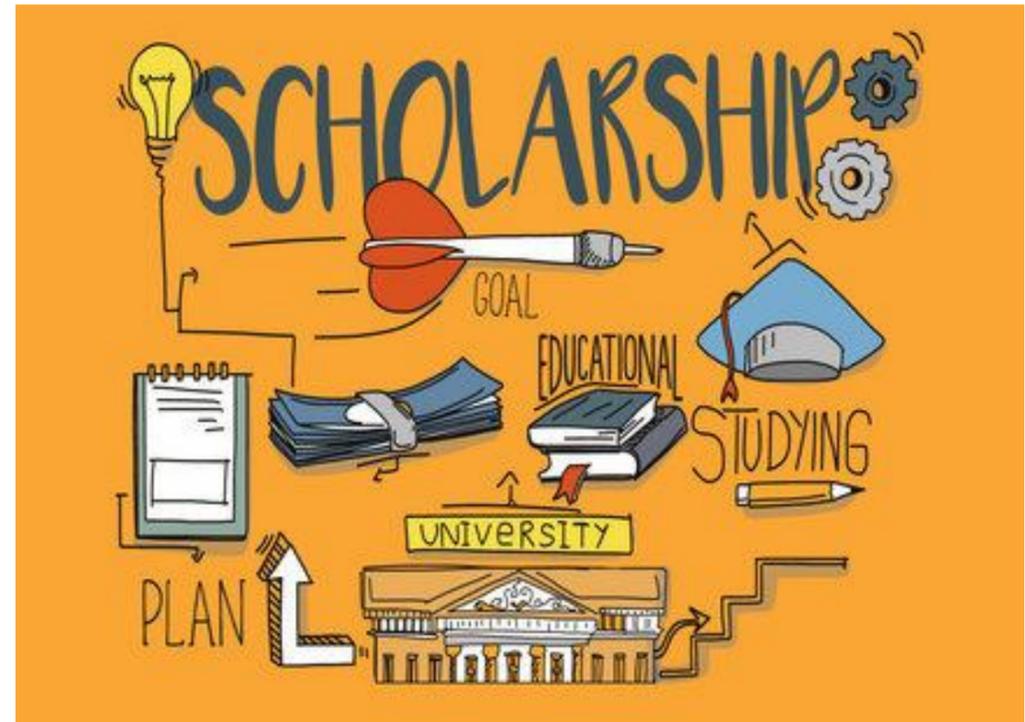
- Final-year students
- Graduates
- MBA & Management aspirants
- Commerce, Engineering and Business background students

### Why Study in France

- English-taught MBA & MSc programs
- Affordable tuition compared to UK & USA
- Post-study work visa
- Paid internships
- Access to European job market
- Degrees recognised worldwide

### What TFM Provides

- University & course selection
- Scholarship application support
- SOP & profile building
- Admission processing
- Visa guidance
- Pre-departure support



### Key Advantage

Early applicants get better scholarships, faster admission processing, and greater chances of acceptance into top French business schools.

### Final Note

With this France Business School Scholarship Drive, Indian students now have a direct, affordable, and globally recognised pathway to build international careers in business, finance, management, consulting and entrepreneurship.



# ABROAD SCHOLARSHIPS



-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Ireland International Education Scholarship 2026-27 is an initiative by the Ireland Government in partnership with Irish higher education institutions (HEIs) and managed by the Higher Education Authority. This scholarship aims to support top-performing international students who wish to study at NFQ levels 9 or 10 (master's, postgraduate diploma or PhD) in Ireland. The selected students will get up to €10,000 (approximately ₹10,90,070) for the period of one year.

## Eligibility

To be eligible, an applicant must:

- be domiciled in non-EU/EEA
- be a graduate
- have conditional or final offer at the time of application

## Non-Eligibility:

- Prospective candidates who have previously held a GOI-IES scholarship are not eligible to apply.
- In the context of the continued aggression of Russia in Ukraine, Russian and Belarussian nationals are not eligible to apply.

## Benefits

The selected candidates will receive up to €10,000 (approximately ₹9,08,450) for one year.

## Required Documents

- Previous year marksheet
- Valid passport
- Offer letter of the course



## How can you apply?

Eligible applicants can apply for the scholarship through the following steps:-

- Step 1: Click on the 'Apply Now' button.
  - Step 2: Click the 'Register' button and fill in the required registration details. (Note - If already registered, log in using Gmail/Mobile number/Email ID)
  - Step 3: Scroll down the page.
  - Step 4: Click on the 'Click here to apply' link.
  - Step 5: Fill in the required details.
  - Step 6: Click on the 'Submit' button.
- Note: Applicants are required to upload at least two references via the online portal.

## Important Dates

Application Deadline: 12th March 2026

## Selection Criteria

The students will be selected based on the fulfilment of the eligibility criteria.

## Terms and Conditions

- The HEA will not accept references submitted outside of the online application portal.
- Generic or vague statements should be avoided in the personal statement and in the descriptions of academic achievements and work experience.

## Contact Details

Higher Education Authority (HEA),  
Government of Ireland  
3 Shelbourne Buildings, Crampton Avenue,  
Shelbourne Road, Ballsbridge,  
Dublin 4, Ireland D04 C2Y6

Email ID: [goi-ies@hea.ie](mailto:goi-ies@hea.ie) | Phone  
Number: +353 1 231 7100

Source: <https://hea.ie/policy/internationalisation/goi-ies/>

# SCHOLARSHIPS

## BGM Foundation Announces Pashu-Seva Scholarship 2025–26

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

### About

BGM Foundation has officially launched the Pashu-Seva Scholarship Program 2025–26 to support Indian postgraduate students pursuing studies in veterinary science, agriculture, dairy, and livestock management.

The scholarship is aimed at strengthening rural livelihoods, animal welfare, and professional excellence by providing financial assistance to deserving students so they can complete their higher education without financial stress.

### Application Window

- Last Date to Apply: February 16, 2026
- Academic Session: 2025–26
- Mode of Application: Online (through the official scholarship portal of BGM Foundation)

### Eligibility

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Must be an Indian citizen
- Must be enrolled in a full-time postgraduate (PG) course
- Must have scored at least
  - 50% marks in the previous qualifying examination
  - 45% for priority categories
- Annual family income should not exceed ₹8 lakh

### Eligible Fields of Study

The scholarship is open for postgraduate students from the following areas:

- Veterinary Science & Animal Husbandry
- Dairy Science & Livestock (Horned Cattle) Management
- Agriculture & Fodder Management
- Para-Veterinary and allied disciplines

### Scholarship Benefits

Selected candidates will receive annual financial assistance as follows:

Course	Type	Scholarship Amount
Graduation	General	₹36,000 per year
Post-Graduation	Professional	₹75,000 per year

The amount is provided to help cover tuition fees, study material, and academic expenses.

### Selection Criteria

While the scholarship is open to all eligible students, preference will be given to:

- Female students
- Persons with Disabilities (PwD)
- Orphans and children of single parents
- First-generation college students
- Students from government schools
- Candidates from rural areas and aspirational districts

### How to Apply

Eligible students must:

1. Visit the official website of BGM Foundation
2. Register and fill out the Pashu-Seva Scholarship 2025–26 application form
3. Upload required documents such as:
  - Proof of admission
  - Academic certificates
  - Income certificate
  - Identity proof
4. Submit the application before February 16, 2026



## J N Tata Endowment Opens Loan Scholarship Applications for 2026–27 Overseas Studies

### About

J N Tata Endowment, established in 1892, has announced the opening of its Loan Scholarship Programme for the 2026–27 academic year. The prestigious, merit-based initiative supports Indian students who wish to pursue Master's, PhD, and Post-Doctoral studies at recognized institutions abroad.

The endowment covers a wide range of disciplines including science, engineering, social sciences, management, law, commerce, and fine arts.

### Application Window

- Last Date to Apply: March 15, 2026
- Academic Session Covered: 2026–27
- Study Location: Overseas only (studies in India are not eligible)

### Eligibility

Applicants must fulfill the following criteria:

- Must be an Indian citizen
- Must be below 45 years of age as on June 30, 2026
- Must have at least 60% marks from a recognized Indian university
- Must be admitted or applying for a full-time PG, PhD, or Post-Doctoral programme
- Undergraduate, distance, and online courses are not eligible
- Students already studying abroad can apply if at least one academic year remains in their course after July 2026
- Admission offer can be submitted later if not available at the time of application

### Scholarship Benefits

- Loan Amount: Up to ₹20 lakh
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4. Final Selection – Final list announced (usually by mid-July 2026) after verification of financial and guarantor documents

### How to Apply

Eligible candidates must apply online through the official portal of J N Tata Endowment and upload the following grayscale PDF documents:

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- Selection Documents:
  - Statement of Purpose (max 800 words)
  - Resume
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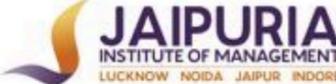

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# FUN SCHOOL

Learn. Think. Smile

## PAGE 1: PRIMARY SCHOOL PAGE (Class 1-4)

Theme: Fun • Curiosity • Basic Thinking • Creativity

### GK Fun

Q. What is the national flower of India?

Q. How many months are there in a year?

### Maths Magic

Q.  $3+4 = ?$

Q. What comes after 100?

### English Corner

Q. Fill in the blank:  
She \_\_\_ to school every day.

Q. Opposite of happy is \_\_\_\_\_.

### Fun Riddle

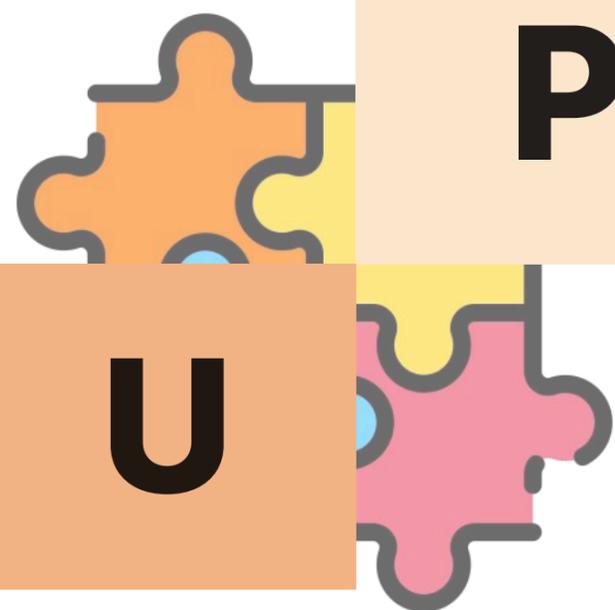
Q. What has keys but cannot open any doors?

## CAREER GUIDANCE CORNER

Career Options After Class 12

### Science Students

- Engineering (BE / BTech)
- Medical (MBBS / BDS / Nursing)
- Biotechnology
- Computer Science / IT
- Research & Data Science



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## PAGE 2: MIDDLE SCHOOL PAGE (Class 5-8)

Theme: Logic • Curiosity • Skills • Awareness

### General Knowledge

Q. What is the capital of India?

Q. Who wrote the Indian National Anthem?

### Mathematics

Q. Find the value of  $12 \times 8$

Q. What is the perimeter of a square with side 6 cm?

### Science & Nature

Q. Which organ helps us to breathe?

Q. What do plants need from sunlight to make food?

### English Fun

Q. Make a sentence using the word "honest".

### Brain Teaser

Q. I have keys but no locks, space but no room, and you can enter but you cannot go outside. What am I?

## ANSWERS class 1-4

### GK Fun

Answer: Lotus  
Ans: 12 months

### Maths Magic

Ans: 7  
Ans: 101

### English Corner

Ans: goes  
Ans: sad

### Fun Riddle

Ans: A piano 🎹

## ANSWERS

### General Knowledge

Ans: New Delhi  
Ans: Rabindranath Tagore

### Science & Nature

Ans: Lungs  
Ans: Energy

### Mathematics

Ans: 96  
Ans: 24 cm

### English Fun

Ans: The honest person.

### Brain Teaser

Ans: A keyboard

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## STUDENT CORNER

### Did You Know?

- The human brain can store information equal to millions of books.
- Reading for just 20 minutes a day improves vocabulary and focus.

### Student Achievement Tip

**"Consistency is more important than intelligence."**



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## QUESTIONS

### Riddle: 1

I have many lines but I cannot sing,  
I help you write almost everything.  
Students use me every day in class.

**Answer: Notebook**

### Riddle: 2

I am small but full of power,  
I help you solve problems hour by hour.  
Numbers listen when I am near.

**Answer: Calculator**

### Riddle: 3

I am not a teacher, yet I help you learn,  
With letters and words on every turn.  
I help you read and understand.

**Answer: Dictionary**

### Riddle: 4

I make a loud sound to start the day,  
Calling students to work and play.  
When I ring, classes change as well.

**Answer: School bell**

### Riddle: 5

I show how well you've tried and grown,  
With grades and comments clearly shown.  
Parents and teachers read me with care.

**Answer: Report card**

### Riddle: 6

I am slim and held in your hand,  
I help you write, draw, and understand.  
Filled with ink, I help you do well.

**Answer: Pen**

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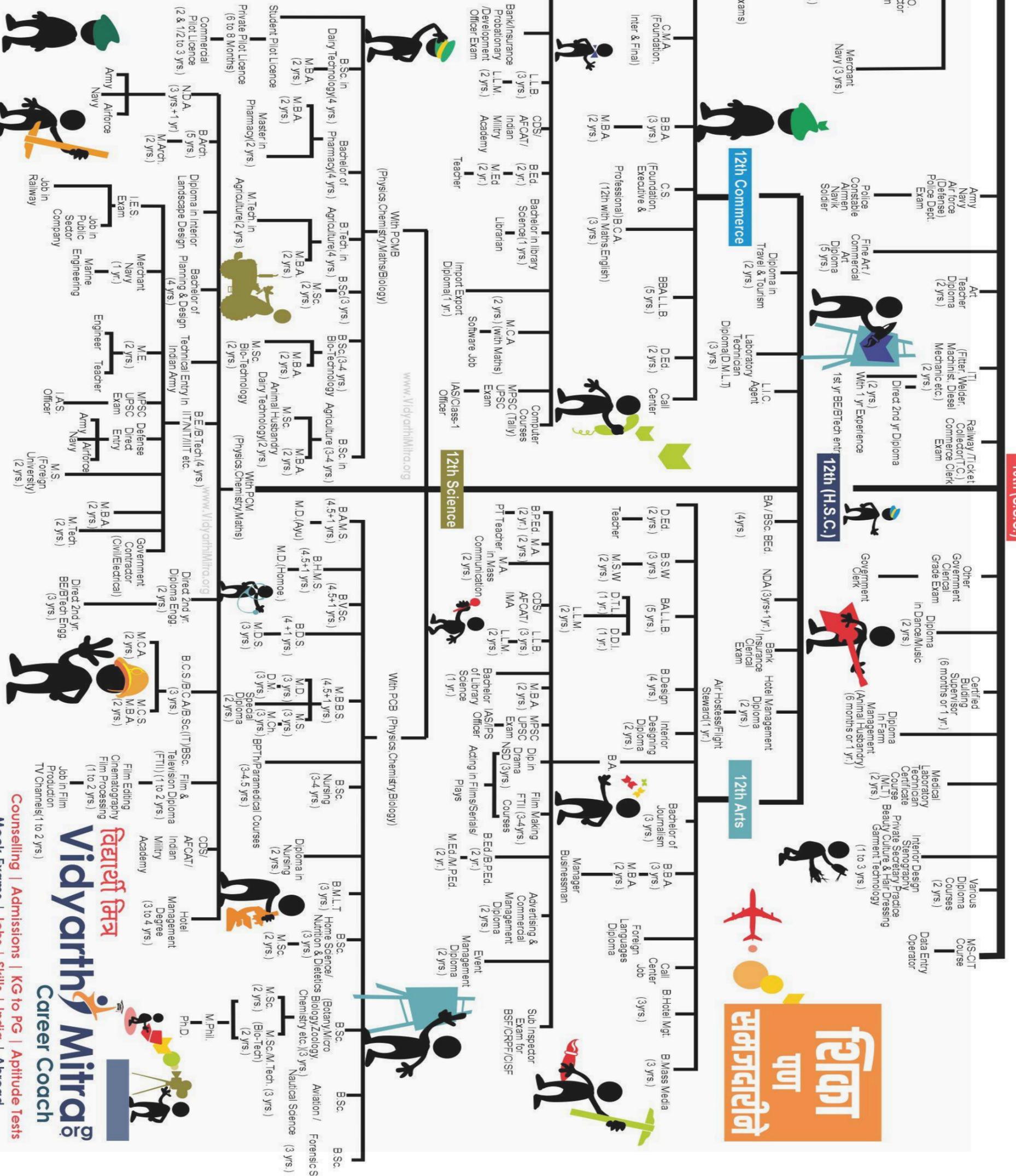


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