

TAMIL NADU ENGINEERING ADMISSIONS, 2018

ADMISSIONS TO FIRST YEAR B. Arch. DEGREE COURSE

Information and Instructions to Candidates

Common Registration of Application to seek admission to University Department of Anna University, Government Aided Engineering College and for the seats surrendered by the Self – Financing Engineering Colleges under the unified Single Window Admission System for **INDIAN NATIONALS**.

1. ALLOCATION OF SEATS IN COLLEGES

Seats in B. Arch. Degree Course in University Department of Anna University in the School of Architecture and Planning Campus.

Seats in B. Arch. Degree Course in Government Aided Engineering College and seats surrendered by the Self-Financing Engineering Colleges.

(i) Seats in the Self-Supporting Course in Govt. Aided Engineering College

(ii) Seats surrendered by the Self-Financing Engineering Colleges

As a prerequisite for selection to B. Arch. Degree course the candidates should have qualified the National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA 2019) conducted by the Council of Architecture, New Delhi with validity as per the Council of Architecture norms.

A Candidate needs to register **only one application** for all the Colleges / Institutions mentioned above. Candidates seeking admission under special reservation should also give their option for Special Reservation category at the time of registration. The Special Reservation categories are given in Section 5.1 & 5.2 **on pages 4 to 6**.

2. Duration of the Programme

Five Academic Years comprising 10 Semesters.

3. ELIGIBILITY RULES

Candidates satisfying the eligibility conditions given below as on the last date prescribed for registration of online application are eligible to apply. Passing the qualifying examination after the last date of registration of online application shall not be considered.

Nativity of Tamil Nadu

- i) Tamil Nadu candidates who have passed VIII, IX, X, XI and XII Std. from schools situated in Tamil Nadu are eligible to apply. They need not produce Nativity Certificate for verification.
- ii) Tamil Nadu native candidates who have passed any of the VIII, IX, X, XI and XII Std. or their equivalent examination from schools situated outside Tamil Nadu can also apply. They should produce **Nativity Certificate only in electronic form/digitally signed e-Certificate** issued by the Government of Tamil Nadu at the time of original certificates verification at TNEA Facilitation Centre (TFC).
- iii) Children of Central Government Employees may also apply for admission, irrespective of their native, provided their parents or guardians (only if both parents are not alive) have been serving in Tamil Nadu continuously for the past **FIVE YEARS** at the time of submission of application. This should be supported by producing a certificate from the employer of the parent or guardian, to that effect at the time of original certificates verification at TFC.
- iv) Children of employees in Public Sector or Government recognised Institutions who at the time of submission of application for admission employed in Tamil Nadu continuously for the past five years may also apply irrespective of their domicile. A certificate from the employer stating that the person is a Permanent Employee of the Firm or Institution concerned with evidence like Income Tax return, PF Slips, etc. and is working in Tamil Nadu continuously for the past **FIVE YEARS** has to be produced at the time of original certificates verification at TFC.
- v) Sons and daughters of All India service Tamil Nadu cadre officers are eligible to apply. A Self declaration from the parent in this regard is to be produced at the time of original certificates verification.
- vi) Other State candidates who have studied VIII, IX, X, XI and XII Std. in Tamil Nadu are eligible to apply. They need not produce "Nativity Certificate".

Note:

1. Applications without proper Nativity Certificate of Tamil Nadu for Category (ii) without proper employer certificate for categories (iii) and (iv) & without self-declaration from the parent for category (v) will not be considered.
2. Category (vi) need not produce employer certificate / nativity certificate of Tamil Nadu.
3. Categories from (iii) to (vi) will be considered under "Open Competition".

Srilankan Tamil Refugee

As per G.O. (St) No. 172 Higher Education (J2) Dept. dated: 29.06.2010 candidates who are Srilankan Tamil Refugee studied in Tamil Nadu will be considered under open competition. They have to produce the following at the time of original certificates verification at TFC:

- (i) Identification certificate from the Head Quarters Tahsildar.
- (ii) Those who have not registered in the refugee camp should produce original passport, visa and letter registered with Police Station.

Qualifying Examinations and Eligibility**a) HSC (Academic) / Equivalent**

Candidates who have passed 10+2 or its equivalent examination with atleast the following minimum aggregate marks in Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics and also at least Minimum aggregate mark in all the subjects put together category wise.

S.No	Category	Minimum aggregate marks in Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics	Minimum aggregate mark In all the subjects put together
1	OC	50.00 %	50.00 %
2	All other reserved categories BC/BCM/MBC/DNC/SC/SCA	45.00%	45.00%

b) Diploma

Candidates who have passed 10+3 years Diploma (any stream) Examination recognized by Central / State Governments with Mathematics as compulsory subject.

Sl.No.	Category	Minimum aggregate mark in all the subjects put together
1.	OC	50.00 %
2.	All other reserved categories BC/BCM/MBC/DNC/SC/SCA	45.00%

c) International Baccalaureate Diploma

Candidates who have passed International Baccalaureate Diploma after 10 years of schooling, with Mathematics as a compulsory subject

Sl.No.	Category	Minimum aggregate mark in all the subjects put together
1.	OC	50.00 %
2.	All other reserved categories BC/BCM/MBC/DNC/SC/SCA	45.00%

Note:

1. When the candidates produce grade certificates, they have to produce the actual marks also otherwise, only the minimum marks applicable to the grades in the eligible subjects will be taken into account.
2. For the purpose of calculation of marks for eligibility in respect of sandwich Diploma candidates, the marks of all the other semesters in which there is no industrial training shall be considered.
3. For minimum eligibility, rounding of marks and normalized marks will not be considered.

Improvement Marks: As per the G.O. No. 184 HE (J2) Dept. dt: 09.06.2005 and G.O. (st) No. 143 HE (J2) Dept. dt: 06.05.2008 improvement marks obtained by the candidates including Other State candidates from 2006 onwards will not be considered.

National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) conducted by Council of Architecture, New Delhi.

NATA 2019 : The candidates should have obtained marks greater than or equal to the qualifying marks (70 out of 200) prescribed in **NATA 2019** score card. However, candidates must also secured a minimum of 30 in Maths and General Aptitude and 20 in drawing in addition to scoring 70 marks in aggregate to be declared as qualified.

4. ALLOCATION OF SEATS

Selection shall be available under seven categories namely Open Competition, Backward Class, Backward Class (Muslim), Most Backward Class & Denotified Class, Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Caste Arunthathiyars and Scheduled Tribe following the rule of reservation of the Government of Tamil Nadu as follows.

<u>69 % Rule of Reservation</u>	
Open Competition	31.00 %
Backward Class	26.50 %
Backward Class (Muslim)	3.50 %
Most Backward Class & Denotified Communities	20.00 %
Scheduled Caste*	15.00 %
Scheduled Caste Arunthathiyars*	3.00 %
Scheduled Tribe	1.00 %

4.2 (a) Tamil Nadu native candidates alone will be considered for communal reservation. The community recorded in the certificate of Tamil Nadu candidate should appear in the list of communities approved by the Government of Tamil Nadu (**Annexure – I on Page Nos. 24 – 30**).

4.2 (b) The applicants from Tamil Nadu State should have obtained permanent community certificate (for SC / SCA/ ST/MBC & DNC, BC and BC Muslim candidates) **either in permanent card format / electronic form / digitally signed e-Certificate issued by Govt. of Tamil Nadu** only from the authorities given below on or before the last date prescribed for registration of online application. Community Certificate obtained after the last date prescribed for registration of online application will not be considered.

Community	Issuing Authority
Scheduled Tribe	Revenue Divisional Officer / Sub-Collector of their native place (except Chennai) or P.A. (General) to Collector of Chennai. The Community Certificate card issued by Tahsildars upto 11.11.1989 is valid.
Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Caste (Arunthathiyars)	Tahsildar of Native Taluk of the candidate

Backward Class / Backward Class (Muslim) / Most Backward Class / Denotified Communities	Headquarters Deputy Tahsildar / Zonal Deputy Tahsildar / Deputy Tahsildar (Certificates)
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4.2 (c) Community Certificate obtained from **Other States** will not be considered for communal reservation.

4.2 (d) For communities linked with Districts (See Annexure-I) the candidates should obtain their community certificate in the respective districts except the communities mentioned in the G.O. (st) No. 95 BC, MBC & Minorities Welfare Department dt: 28.10.2009. Such of those community certificates obtained on or after 28.10.2009 will be considered. Community certificate obtained from other than the respective district will not be considered.

4.2 (e) Candidates who have not produced the Permanent Community [Card] Certificate or electronic form / digitally signed e-Certificate at the time of original certificates verification at TFC their application will be treated under "Open Competition" (OC) Category only.

The candidate is further informed that in the event of such a decision, the eligibility conditions & rules prescribed for OC Category will be applicable for such candidates and if such candidates do not satisfy the rules of 'OC Category' their applications are liable to be rejected. No correspondence in this regard will be entertained.

4.2 (f) ST / SC/ SCA / MBC & DNC / BC / BCM (BC Muslim) candidates are eligible for selection under Open Competition in addition to the reservations made for them.

5. Special Reservation

5.1 Special Categories

The special reservation categories and the quota for these categories are given in the Table. Since the special reservation applications are processed by separate committees, candidates should also pay Rs. 100/- for each special reservation category at the time of Registration. Candidates are instructed to produce appropriate certificates and supporting documents for special reservation claim at the time of Original Certificates Verification at TFCs. If appropriate certificates and documents are not produced, their claim under such categories will not be considered.

Only Tamil Nadu Native candidates are eligible for Special reservation.

Quota for Special Reservation Categories

Item No.	Category	Number of Seats
1.	Son's / Daughter's of Ex-Servicemen*	
2.	Persons with benchmark disabilities	
a)	Blindness and low vision	1 % #
b)	Deaf and hard hearing	1 % #
c)	Locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims and muscular dystrophy	1 % #
d)	Autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness	1 % #
e)	Multiple disabilities from amongst persons under clauses (a) to (d) including deaf-blindness in the programme identified for each disabilities	1 % #
3.	Eminent Sports Persons as per Annexure II*	

Note: # 1 % of total seats under Single Window System
Letter No: 10494/J2/2017-1 dt. 13.07.2017 from HE (J2) Dept.

* G.O. (Ms) No. 121 HE (J1) Department dt: 03.07.2012.

(i) Candidates claiming admission against the reservation of seats under Son's / Daughter's of Ex-Servicemen Category (Item No. 1) should produce the certificate in the format (Certificate No. III) from an officer of the Department of Ex-servicemen's Welfare of Tamil Nadu not below the rank of Assistant Director of Ex-servicemen's Welfare of the district in which the dependent is a native. **Candidates called for Certificates Verification should also produce discharge certificates and Ex-Servicemen ID card of their parent.**

(ii) Candidates seeking admission against reservation set apart for Visually Impaired, Hearing impaired (Deaf), orthopaedically Differently Abled Persons, Autism, Multiple disabilities (Item Nos. 2a to 2e) should produce the certificate from the **Medical Board (minimum 3 doctors) of the District** concerned certifying the nature and **extent of disability in percentage** and with regard to his/her suitability for admission to Engineering Colleges specifically mentioned under 5.2 and in the format (Certificate No. IV/V/VI/VII/VIII). Certificates obtained from an **individual Doctor** will not be considered. **Further, a separate medical Board for each category will examine the candidates with reference to their certificates, at the time of Original Certificates Verification at TFC.**

(iii) Candidates seeking admission against special reservation of seats under Eminent Sports Persons category (Item No. 3) should produce their original sports certificates along with appropriate forms as given in Annexure II at the time of Original Certificates Verification at TFC at Central Polytechnic College (CPT), Taramani, Chennai - 600 113 only.

(iv) Candidates seeking admission against seats under Special reservation categories (Item No. 1 to 3) **should also satisfy the eligibility rules mentioned in Item No. 3.** The candidates are also eligible for admission **under general counselling.**

5.2 Eligibility criteria for various disabilities

A. Norms for Visual Impairment (Certificate No. IV)

1. **"Blindness"** means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, after best correction—

- (i) total absence of sight; or
- (ii) visual acuity less than 3/60 or less than 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible correction; or
- (ii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 10 degree.

2. **"Low-vision"** means a condition where a person has any of the following conditions, namely:—

- (i) visual acuity not exceeding 6/18 or less than 20/60 up to 3/60 or up to 10/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with best possible corrections; or
- (ii) limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of less than 40 degree up to 10 degree.

B. Norms for Hearing Impairment (Certificate No. V)

1. **"Deaf"** means persons having 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.

2. **"Hard of hearing"** means person having 60 DB to 70 DB hearing loss in speech frequencies in both ears.

C. Norms for Locomotor Disability (Certificate No. VI)

1. **Locomotor disability** (a person's inability to execute distinctive activities associated with movement of self and objects resulting from affliction of musculoskeletal or nervous system or both), including—

2. **"Leprosy cured person"** means a person who has been cured of leprosy but is suffering from—

- (i) loss of sensation in hands or feet as well as loss of sensation and paresis in the eye and eye-lid but with no manifest deformity;
- (ii) manifest deformity and paresis but having sufficient mobility in their hands and feet to enable them to engage in normal economic activity;
- (iii) extreme physical deformity as well as advanced age which prevents him/her from undertaking any gainful occupation, and the expression "leprosy cured" shall be construed accordingly;

3. **"Cerebral palsy"** means a Group of non-progressive neurological condition affecting body movements and muscle coordination, caused by damage to one or more specific areas of the brain, usually occurring before, during or shortly after birth;

4. **"Dwarfism"** means a medical or genetic condition resulting in an adult height of 4 feet 10 inches (147 centimeters) or less;

5. **"Muscular dystrophy"** means a group of hereditary genetic muscle disease that weakens the muscles that move the human body and persons with multiple dystrophy have incorrect and missing information in their genes, which prevents them from making the proteins they need for healthy muscles. It is characterised by progressive skeletal muscle weakness, defects in muscle proteins, and the death of muscle cells and tissue;

6. "Acid attack victims" means a person disfigured due to violent assaults by throwing of acid or similar corrosive substance.

D. Norms for Autism, Intellectual Disability, Specific Learning Disability and Mental Illness (Certificate No. VII)

1. "Speech and language disability" means a permanent disability arising out of conditions such as laryngectomy or aphasia affecting one or more components of speech and language due to organic or neurological causes.

2. Intellectual disability, a condition characterized by significant limitation both in intellectual functioning (reasoning, learning, problem solving) and in adaptive behaviour which covers a range of every day, social and practical skills, including—

- (i) **"specific learning disabilities"** means a heterogeneous group of conditions wherein there is a deficit in processing language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself as a difficulty to comprehend, speak, read, write, spell, or to do mathematical calculations and includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, dyslexia, dysgraphia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia and developmental aphasia;
- (ii) **"autism spectrum disorder"** means a neuro-developmental condition typically appearing in the first three years of life that significantly affects a person's ability to communicate, understand relationships and relate to others, and is frequently associated with unusual or stereotypical rituals or behaviours.

3. Mental behaviour — "mental illness" means a substantial disorder of thinking, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, capacity to recognize reality or ability to meet the ordinary demands of life, but does not include retardation which is a condition of arrested or incomplete development of mind of a person, specially characterized by sub normality of intelligence.

4. Disability caused due to—

- (i) chronic neurological conditions, such as—
 - (a) **"multiple sclerosis"** means an inflammatory, nervous system disease in which the myelin sheaths around the axons of nerve cells of the brain and spinal cord are damaged, leading to demyelization and affecting the ability of nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord to communicate with each other;
 - (b) **"Parkinson's disease"** means a progressive disease of the nervous system marked by tremor, muscular rigidity, and slow, imprecise movement, chiefly affecting middle-aged and elderly people associated with degeneration of the basal ganglia of the brain and a deficiency of the neurotransmitter dopamine.
- (ii) Blood disorder—
 - (a) **"hemophilia"** means an inheritable disease, usually affecting only male but transmitted by women to their male children, characterized by loss or impairment of the normal clotting ability of blood so that a minor wound may result in fatal bleeding;
 - (b) **"Thalassemia"** means a group of inherited disorders characterized by reduced or absent amounts of hemoglobin.
 - (c) **"sickle cell disease"** means a hemolytic disorder characterized by chronic anemia, painful events, and various complications due to associated tissue and organ damage; "hemolytic" refers to the destruction of the cell membrane of red blood cells resulting in the release of hemoglobin.

E. Norms for Multiple Disabilities (Certificate No. VIII)

Multiple Disabilities (more than one of the above specified disabilities) including deaf blindness which means a condition in which a person may have combination of hearing and visual impairments causing severe communication, developmental, and educational problems.