

Telangana Council of Higher Education:: Hyderabad
TG PGEC / TG PGECET-2026 ADMISSION
M.E./ M. Tech./ M. Arch
Detailed Notification for Web Based Counselling

The GATE qualified and eligible candidates of 2024, 2025 and 2026, and TG PGECET-2026 qualified and eligible candidates are informed to attend TG PGEC / TG PGECET Web Based Counseling for admission to **M.E./ M. Tech./ M. Arch** programs for the academic year 2026-2027 following the instructions given below and as per the schedule given:

a. Schedule for – TG PGEC / TG PGECET-2026 ADMISSIONS

S.No.	Event Schedule	Date	
1	Issue of Notification	25.06.2026	
2	Online Registration cum verification: Online payment along with uploading scanned copies of certificates for verification	02.07.2026 to 09.07.2026	
3	Physical verification of Special category certificates (CAP & PH / Sports and Games / NCC) by slot booking (Refer to Point No. c) Note: As per Schedule Venue: Directorate of Admissions, Osmania University, Hyd.-007	07.07.2026 to 09.07.2026	
		NCC	07.07.2026
		SPORTS and GAMES & CAP	08.07.2026
		PH	09.07.2026
4	Display of verified list of eligible registered candidates & call for corrections if any through e-mail	12.07.2026	
5	Exercising Web options- Phase I	13.07.2026 to 15.07.2026	
6	Edit of web options-Phase -I	16.07.2026	
7	List of Provisionally selected candidates will be prepared College wise and will be placed in the website (Phase-I)	19.07.2026	
8	Reporting at concerned colleges for Verification of Original Certificates along with Tuition Fee payment Receipt (if any).	20.07.2026 to 24.07.2026	

- Candidates are hereby informed that they should satisfy the admission rules prescribed in the related G.O. MS. No.153 dated:22-08-2007 besides satisfying the eligibility criteria of the respective universities and should be prepared to pay the tuition fee as applicable.
- The leftover seats after allotment for GATE candidates are only available for TG PGECET candidates.
- This notification itself is a call for web counseling. No separate call letters are sent to the individual candidates.
- Mere attending of the web counseling does not guarantee a seat in any college.
- All candidates are required to register online at <http://pgecetadm.tgche.ac.in> on Scheduled Dates and furnish all information in the application form. **All the entries should be correct, and the candidates are solely responsible for any incorrect entry.**
- All the candidates are required to pay a non-refundable processing fee Rs. 1200 (Rupees: Twelve Hundred only) towards **Registration cum Verification** process. For SC/ST Candidates, the fee is Rs. 600 (Rupees: Six Hundred only) the fee must be paid online through Credit Cards/Debit Cards/Internet Banking in favour of '**The Secretary, TGCHE**'.

- In respect of reimbursement of Tuition Fee will be as per guidelines issued vide G.O.Ms.No. 08 and 09 dated 06-06-2026 Scheduled Castes Development (EDN.A1) Department and further guidelines issued by Government from time to time.
- **Telangana Haritha Nidhi:** As per G.O. Ms No 17; dated 18th February, 2022 an amount of Rs 100/- will be collected under the head “Telangana Green Fund” from students who secured seats in Professional Courses along with the tuition fee.
- Special categories i.e., PHC/CAP/NCC/Sports (SG) certificates, shall be verified during First Phase of counselling only on scheduled date and time. No further Certificate Verification for Special Categories after schedule date. No Certificate Verification for Special Categories in Second Phase.
- Allotments for NCC/Sports categories will be made in subsequent phases only after due verification from the concerned authorities.
- The Candidate once allotted seat shall note that if they exercise options in Second phase and a seat is allotted as per the options, the vacated seat will be allotted to next meritorious candidate and hence they will have no claim on previous allotment.
- If the candidate does not pay the prescribed Tuition Fee within the schedule mentioned, the provisional allotted seat automatically stands cancelled and he / she shall not have any claim on the provisionally allotted seat.
- Physical reporting of the candidate at the allotted college is mandatory in every phase.
- It is mandatory to exercise options afresh for Each phase. First phase options will not be considered for Second phase.
- Dropouts/Cancellations are not permitted after Second Phase Allotments.

b. Eligibility:

1. The candidate should be of Indian Nationality.
2. The candidate should belong to the State of Telangana.
3. The candidate should satisfy the local/Unreserved status requirements as laid down in the regulations of admission. (Ref. G.O. Ms.No.153 dated 22-08-2007)
4. Candidate should have passed the qualifying examination and secured not less than 50% marks (45% in case of BC/SC/ST categories) for **Engineering including Technology courses.**

c. Helpline Centers for Special Category (CAP / NCC / PH / Sports):

Candidates are required to book the slot online for special category certificate verification to avoid gathering of many candidates at the same time.

The Help line Centers:

Date	Name of the Help Line Center	Special Category
07.07.2026	Directorate of Admissions, Osmania University, Hyderabad- 500007	NCC
08.07.2026	Directorate of Admissions, Osmania University, Hyderabad- 500007	SPORTS and GAMES & CAP
09.07.2026	Directorate of Admissions, Osmania University, Hyderabad- 500007	PH

d. Certificates to be uploaded at the time of Registration and filling application form

The GATE / TG PGECET qualified, eligible candidates have to scan and upload all

original certificates for verification. The candidates shall upload scanned copies of the following Original Certificates for verification.

1. GATE Score card /PGECET Rank Card.
2. Original Degree / Provisional Certificate (PC) & Consolidate Memorandum Marks (CMM) of qualifying Examination.
3. Intermediate/Diploma/10+2 Certificate.
4. SSC pass certificate or its Equivalent for proof of Date of Birth.
5. Bonafide (Study) certificates from Class IX to Graduation.
6. Residence certificate for preceding 7 years of the qualifying examination i.e. Graduation in respect of candidates who have **private study** without any institutionalized education (Distance / Open education mode).
7. Latest Integrated community (Caste) certificate issued by the competent authority in case of BC/SC/ST candidates issued after 02.06.2014, if applicable.
8. Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) Reservation (applicable only to OC (candidates): *As per the Guidelines issued in G.O.Ms.No.244, General Administration (SER.D) Department, Government of Telangana, dated. 24.08.2021. Candidates should produce EWS Certificate issued by MRO/ Tahsildar valid for the year 2026-27, (if applicable).
9. Transfer Certificate (TC)
10. Latest Income Certificate on or after 01.01.2026, if applicable.
11. In respect of non-local candidates in order to consider them for allotment under **unreserved seats** the following certificates need to be submitted:

Residence Certificate: Candidates who has resided in the State of Telangana for a total period of 10 years excluding periods of study outside the State; or either of whose parents have resided in the State of Telangana for a total period of 10 years excluding periods of employment outside the State.

(OR)

Employer Certificate: Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of the State of Telangana or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local bodies, Universities and other similar Quasi Public Institutions within the State of Telangana at the time of applying for GATE/GPAT/TG PGECET- 2026 examination.

(OR)

Candidate who are spouses of those in the employment in the State of Telangana or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local bodies, Universities and Educational Institutions recognized by the Govt. or University or Other Competent authority and similar Quasi Govt. Institutions within the State of Telangana at the time of applying for GATE /TG PGECET- 2026) examination.

12. The Muslim and Christian Minority Candidates should upload the "TC" of the SSC containing Minority status (or) in the absence of TC, a Certificate mentioning

minority status issued by the Head of the Institution in which the student studied/appeared for SSC or its equivalent examination.

Note:* Any false or incorrect information furnished in the online application form and subsequently detected at any stage of the admissions process will render the admission of the candidate null and void.

*** The Convener reserves the right to cancel the admission of the candidates at any stage if / when it is detected that admission is against the rules.**

e. Special Category:

Certificates to be produced by PH / CAP / NCC / Sports and Games (SG) categories: The following original certificates whichever is applicable are to be scanned and uploaded.

1. PH-Certificate issued by the certifying authority as per directions issued in G.O.Ms.No.2 HE Dept, Dt 28.01.2026. Candidates with 40% and above specified disability are only eligible.
2. CAP (Children of Armed Forces Personnel): Candidates whose parents are domiciled in the State of Telangana based on the permanent address/home town declared by them while joining the service and as recorded in their Service Register are alone eligible to be considered under "CAP" Category.
 - a. Children of Armed Forces (CAP)- 2% (two percent) for the children of armed persons i.e., Ex-Servicemen, Defence Personnel including the Children of Border Security Force and Central Reserve Police Force who are Domiciled in Telangana State based on the Permanent address/ Home town declared by them while joining the service and as recorded in their Service Register.
 - b. The Ex-Servicemen have to produce the Children of Armed Forces Personnel (CAP) certificate issued by respective Regional Sainik Welfare Officer as per Appendix-"A" Attached with supporting documents to establish the Permanent address/ Home town declared by Ex-Servicemen while joining the service and as recorded in their Service Register in accordance with GO, such as Certificate from Records Office, Education Certificates of Ex-Servicemen, etc.
 - c. Serving Defense Personnel including CRPF and BSF Personnel should submit a Children of Armed Forces Personnel (CAP) certificate issued by unit Commanding officer (not less than the rank of a Colonel/ equivalent in Navy and Air Force Commandant in CRPF/BSF) as per Appendix- "B" Attached along with original and attested copy of Service Register where the Permanent address/ Home town declared by them while joining the service is mentioned along with the education certificates of the Serving Defence personnel.
 - d. The retired CRPF and BSF Personnel have to produce the Children of Armed Forces Personnel (CAP) certificate issued by their respective competent authority as per Appendix-A along with supporting documents to establish the Permanent address/ Home town declared by them while joining the service and as recorded in their Service Register in accordance with GO, such as Certificate from Records Office, Education Certificates of CRPF/BSF

personnel, etc.

3. NCC - Certificates issued by competent authorities.
4. Sports and Games (SG) – Sports Achievements / Testimonials along with the Form- I, II, III & IV (formats provided in the website) duly certified / attested by the Concerned State Sports Associations recognized by the SATS which are categorized according to level of the Championships as laid down in G.O. Ms. No. 02, Youth Advancement, Tourism & Culture (Sports) Department, dated: 22-09-2020, which are essential during Scrutiny.

Note: The candidate seeking admission under special categories (NCC / CAP / PH / Sports and Games) have to appear in person (physically present) for verification before the relevant competent authority and are required to bring the following certificates for the support of verification along with relevant special category original certificate and 2 sets of photo copies.

- (i) Degree/Provisional Certificate & Consolidate Memorandum of Marks (CMM) of qualifying Examination.
- (ii) 10+2 / Intermediate/Diploma Certificate and memorandum of marks.
- (iii) SSC Pass Memo or its Equivalent for proof of Date of Birth.

f. Procedure For Exercising Web-Options:

1. After successful online certificate verification, the verified list of Registered & Eligible candidates will be displayed on the notified date on the website.
2. In case of any discrepancies in the verified candidates data kindly report the same to the helpline center or through email service available in the website. Any claim after the allotment of seats will not be entertained.
3. Candidates can exercise web options by clicking WEB OPTIONS link which will be available on the notified dates.
4. Web options can be accessed only through Desktops or laptops. Do not use mobile phones or Tabs for exercising web options.
5. If the candidate is exercising options from Internet Centre, make sure that proper LOGOUT is done after saving the options for safety of candidate's information.
6. Candidates have to enter his/her login credentials (created at the time of registration for online certificate verification) to access the web options.
7. Candidates are advised to see that the college/course of your choice is as per your priority carefully selecting the first choice, second choice and so on. Once he/she is satisfied with the priority list the options can be freezed.
8. Options cannot be edited after freezing. However, edit of options will be made available on the notified date.
9. Candidate has to exercise as many options as possible to avoid disappointment of not getting a seat.
10. Candidates are advised to take the printout of the final freezed options.

g. Certificate verification and counseling:

1. The preliminary certificate verification will be done based on scanned copies of

- original documents uploaded and as per norms.
2. In case of any doubt, enquiry will be done over phone to establish the veracity and correctness of documents. Hence, candidates are required to respond to the phone calls from the verification officer.
 3. Procedure for exercising options will be made available on the website i.e. <http://pgecetadm.tgche.ac.in> well before the commencement of the option entry.
 4. List of Provisionally selected candidates will be prepared College wise and will be placed on the website i.e. <http://pgecetadm.tgche.ac.in> and SMS will be sent to the valid mobile number furnished in the online application.
 5. The candidate has to pay tuition fee through online mode (**Credit card/Debit card/Internet banking**).
 6. Final allotment of seat for admission is subject to satisfactory verification of all original certificates at reported college and producing of fee paid receipt.
 7. Candidates must report to the concerned college and produce all original certificates within the stipulated time.
 8. Allotment order will be printed at the college as also joining report, which has to be submitted at the college along with original T.C.
 9. Candidates must submit two sets of attested copies of all certificates at the respective colleges, one set is meant for submission to the office of the Convener.
 10. If the candidate cancels his/her admission tuition fee will be forfeited as mentioned below:
 - After first phase, full tuition fee will be refunded.
 - 50% of the amount after final phase and before cutoff date notified for cancellation in allotment order and 100% thereafter.

h. Rules of Reservation for admission.

Admissions will be made as per rules of reservations in vogue at the time of Counseling.

1. The candidates should satisfy the local / unreserved status requirements as specified in G.O.Ms.No. 15 Higher Education (TE) Department dated 27-02-2026
Admission to **85% of the convener quota seats shall be reserved in each course in the Educational Institutions in the State for the local candidates of O.U. Area** as specified in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulations and Admissions) Order, 1974 as subsequently amended and **the remaining 15% of the seats shall be unreserved seats, as follows:**
 - (i) All the candidates eligible to be declared as local candidates of O.U. Area.
 - (ii) Candidates who have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding periods of study outside the State or either of whose parents have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding periods of employment outside the State;
 - (iii) Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of this State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporation, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar quasi-Public Institution within the State; and
 - (iv) Candidates who are spouses of those in the employment of the State or Central Government Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies Universities and educational Institutions recognized by the Government or a University or Other competent authority and similar other quasi-Government institutions within the State.
2. Cent-percent (100%) of seats in University College and 70% of the sanctioned

intake of seats in unaided (affiliated), non-minority and minority professional institutions will be filled by the Convener TG PGECET-2026 Admissions.

3. Reservation for various categories:

- a. Categories (as per G.O.Rl.No.:550 dated 30.07.2001, G.O.Ms.No.33 dated 08-02-2021 and G.O.Ms.No 10 Scheduled Cates Development (POA.A2) Department dated 14-04-2026)

Reserved Categories	SC			ST	BCA	BCB	BCC	BCD	BCE	EWS#
	Group-1	Group-2	Group-3							
Percentages	1	9	5	10	7	10	1	7	4	10

#Addition seats - Over and above sanctioned intake of convener quota seats and not applicable to minority institutions.

- b. Special Categories (as per Go.Ms.No.130 dated 06.09.2000, Memo.No.4020/TE/A2/2019-2 dated 17.09.2019, Go.Ms.No.02 dated 22.09.2020 and G.O.Ms.No 2 Higher Education (TE) Department dated 28-01-2026)

Special Categories	PH (PWD)	CAP	NCC	Sports and Games
Percentages	5	2	1	0.5

Note: Candidates are advised to visit the website <http://pgecetadm.tgche.ac.in> regularly for update's/ information regarding schedule, seat allotment procedure etc.

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