



National Institute of Technology Calicut

NITC Campus (Post) Calicut-673 601, Kerala

Notification for Admissions to Two Years Full-Time MBA Programme 2026-28 (Regular-CAT/Industry/Self sponsored)

NIT Calicut invites applications from eligible candidates for admissions to two-years full-time MBA programme (2026-28) offered by the Department of Management Studies (DMS) under Regular-CAT/Industry/Self sponsored.

MBA (Regular-CAT)

Prospective candidates should have acquired Bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized University or Institution with an aggregate minimum 60% marks (or CGPA 6.0/10) or equivalent for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC-NCL and 55% marks (or CGPA 5.5/10) or equivalent for SC/ST/PwD. They should have a valid Common Admission Test (CAT) score conducted by IIMs in 2025. The selection will be based on CAT score, exam & interview conducted by DMS. The total intake of regular students for the year 2025-26 would be 75. Reservation of seats for different categories shall be as per the directives from Government of India (given below).

Department	Programme	OC	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	OCPWD	OBPWD	SCPWD	STPWD	EWSPWD	Total
Management Studies	MBA	28	19	10	6	8	2	1	1	0	0	75

Abbreviations: OC – Open Category, OBC-NCL – Other Backward Classes-Non-Creamy Layer, SC – Scheduled Caste, ST – Scheduled Tribe, EWS – Economically Weaker Sections, PwD – Persons with Disability

MBA (Industry sponsored)

Prospective candidates should have acquired Bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized University or Institution with an aggregate minimum 60% marks (or CGPA 6.0/10) for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC and 55% marks (or CGPA 5.5/10) for SC/ST/PwD. In addition to the above qualifications, a minimum of 2 years of continuous industrial/research experience in the relevant organizations is also mandatory at the time of submitting application for candidates seeking admissions under the industry-sponsored category. The admission to MBA Programme under the industry sponsored category will be based on written test and/or Interview conducted by DMS. The total number of available seats under this category is five.

MBA (Self sponsored)

Prospective candidates should have acquired Bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized University or Institution with an aggregate minimum 60% marks (or CGPA 6.0/10) for GEN/GEN-EWS/OBC and 55% marks (or CGPA 5.5/10) for SC/ST/PwD. The applicants should have any valid MBA Admission Eligibility Test Score (such as XAT, MAT/ CMAT, CAT, KMAT or any national/state level admission test score). Final semester

under graduate students can also apply, provided their final semester marks are made available by 30th September 2026. The admission to the MBA Programme under the self-sponsored category will be based on a written test and/or personal interview conducted by DMS. The total number of available seats under this category is ten.

Fee structure

MBA Programme (Regular - CAT)

Sl. No	Fee Category	Monsoon Semester 2026-27	Winter Semester 2026-27	Monsoon Semester 2027-28	Winter Semester 2027-28
1	Tuition Fee*	75,000	75,000	75,000	75,000
Other Fees					
1	Registration Fee	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
2	Examination Fee	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
3	Students Activities Fee	600	600	600	600
4	Association and Cultural Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
5	Students Welfare Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
6	Career Development Fee	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200
7	Library Fee	4,000	-	4,000	-
8	Central Computing Facility Fee	600	600	600	600
9	Internet Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
10	Sports Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
11	Health Centre Facility Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
12	Annual Premium for Medical Insurance#	1,500	-	1,500	-
13	Campus Amenities Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
14	External Expert/ Seminar Fee	6,000	3,000	6,000	3,000
One Time Fees					
1	Caution Deposit	20,000	Not Applicable		
2	Admission Fee	5,000			
3	Campus Development Fee	25,000			
4	Alumni Affairs Fee	5,000			
5	Convocation Fee	5,000			
6	Identity Card & Miscellaneous Fees	1,000			
Total		1,61,100	84,400	1,00,100	84,400

Note:

* SC/ST students are exempted from payment of Tuition fees

Amount towards Annual Premium for Medical Insurance may vary year to year

MBA Programme (Sponsored/Self Sponsored)

Sl. No	Fee Category	Monsoon Semester 2026-27	Winter Semester 2026-27	Monsoon Semester 2027-28	Winter Semester 2027-28
1	Tuition Fee	1,50,000	1,50,000	1,50,000	1,50,000
Other Fees					
1	Registration Fee	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
2	Examination Fee	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
3	Students Activities Fee	600	600	600	600
4	Association and Cultural Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
5	Students Welfare Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
6	Career Development Fee	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200
7	Library Fee	4,000	-	4,000	-
8	Central Computing Facility Fee	600	600	600	600
9	Internet Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
10	Sports Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
11	Health Centre Facility Fee	1,200	-	1,200	-
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One Time Fees					
1	Caution Deposit	20,000	Not Applicable		
2	Admission Fee	5,000			
3	Campus Development Fee	25,000			
4	Alumni Affairs Fee	5,000			
5	Convocation Fee	5,000			
6	Identity Card & Miscellaneous Fees	1,000			
Total		2,36,100	1,59,400	1,75,100	1,59,400

Note:

Amount towards Annual Premium for Medical Insurance may vary year to year

For more information about the MBA programme, candidates are encouraged to visit <https://nitc.ac.in/departments/management-studies>

HOW TO APPLY?

The application can be submitted on-line through the Institute website www.nitc.ac.in following the steps given below.

1. Pay the registration fee. Payment has to be made through State Bank Collect (online) with the following link: <https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbcollect/icollecthome.htm?corpID=365553>, using **Net Banking/Credit Card/Debit Card** by choosing the payment category as **2026-27 MBA(Regular/Industry/Selfsponsor) Appn fee (Select Kerala → Educational Institutions → Director, National institute of Technology Calicut → 2026-27 MBA(Regular/ Industry/Selfsponsor) Appn fee)** . After successful completion of the fee payment, save the fee payment receipt for uploading along with the application form. Application fee is Rs.1000/- for OPEN/OBC/EWS candidates and Rs.500/- for SC/ST/PwD candidates. **Application fee is Non-refundable.**
2. Apply online using the following link: <https://mba.nitc.ac.in>
3. Register with your e-mail id and mobile number for creating a login in the online portal.
4. Upload colored scan copy of the following documents in the portal.
 - a. Mark sheet of Class X
 - b. Photo ID proof as per Govt. of India norms.
 - c. Mark sheet of Class XII (The candidates who have appeared for improvement has to upload both the original and the improvement mark sheets)
 - d. Grade/Mark sheets of qualifying examination for all semesters (Mark sheets of all semesters/years need to be combined to a single pdf for uploading/ Consolidated Grade (Mark) sheet with all subjects mentioned in it).
 - e. Degree/ Provisional certificate. If the result of qualifying degree is awaited, certificate of course completion from the institute/university last studied must be provided clearly indicating the date of completion of the course.
 - f. Degree Certificates of PG/PG Diploma/ Diploma, if any.
 - g. Certificates of work experience (if candidate possess experience for more than one year).
 - h. Certificates of academic and extracurricular achievements, if applicable
 - i. Copy of CAT admit card and CAT score card (2025).
 - j. Candidates in the OPEN category belonging to Economically Weaker Sections (OPEN-EWS) and candidates belonging to Other Backward Classes (Non-Creamy Layer), i.e., OBC-NCL, have to upload an undertaking in the prescribed format available in the NITC webpage.**
 - k. Candidates finally selected for MBA admissions (2026-27) at NIT Calicut under OBC-NCL category have to produce the recent OBC-NCL certificate at the time of admissions. Such certificate shall be issued by a competent authority (not below the rank of Tahsildar) indicating the status regarding Creamy Layer based on financial year ending March 31, 2026 (i.e., the certificate should have been issued on or after 1st April, 2026).**
(NOTE; Candidates may apply using an OBC-NCL certificate issued on or after **1st April 2025** for application purposes. **If a candidate is selected for admission, he/she must produce an OBC-NCL certificate issued on or after 1st April 2026.**)
 - l. Candidates finally selected for MBA admissions (2026-27) at NIT Calicut under OPEN-EWS category have to produce the recent EWS certificate at the time of admissions. Such certificate shall be issued from a competent authority (not below the rank of Tahsildar) based on financial year ending March 31, 2026 (i.e., the certificate should have been issued on or after 1st April, 2026).**
(NOTE; Candidates may apply using an EWS certificate issued on or after **1st April 2025** for application purposes. If a candidate is selected for admission, he/she must produce an EWS certificate issued on or after **1st April 2026.**)
 - m. If a candidate fails to produce the relevant category certificate as mentioned above at the admissions, his/her claim for reservation will be cancelled. Thereafter, such candidates will be considered under OPEN category if the seats are available as per rank during physical reporting.**
 - n. In the case of SC/ST candidate, Community Certificate issued from a competent authority (not below the rank of Tahsildar) has to be uploaded.
 - o. Certificate from the Medical Board of Govt. Medical Colleges/Dist. Head Quarters Hospitals, in the case of Persons with Disabilities (PwD), if applicable.
 - p. Recent PHOTOGRAPH (Maximum of 50 kB).

- q. For industry sponsored candidates, a Sponsorship certificate, signed by the Head/Competent authority of the Institution/organization/Company has to be uploaded in the prescribed format has to be uploaded.

Please note that there is no need to send the hard copy of the application to NIT Calicut

Notes:

1. If the original certificates are not in English/Hindi, English/Hindi version/translation of such certificates, duly certified by the Principal/Director or other competent authority of the graduating Institute, will be required during the verification of documents.
2. Standard format of the necessary certificates is available in the following link <https://nitc.ac.in/pg-formats-of-certificates>
3. Applications which are incomplete/defective/received late, will be rejected summarily and no correspondence will be entertained on such applications. The instructions for online submission of application are available in the online admission portal.

IMPORTANT DATES (TENTATIVE)

Sl. No.	Tentative Schedule	Dates
1	Official Notification	January 28 2026 (05:00 PM)
2	Last date for submission of completed application	March 30, 2026 (05:00 PM)
3	Publication of short-list of candidates selected for selection process	April 16, 2026 (Tentative)
4	Tentative dates of Selection process	April 27 - May 08, 2026 (Tentative)
5	Publication of results	May 15, 2026 (Tentative)
6	Admissions	May 28-29, 2026 (Tentative)

CONTACT DETAILS

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