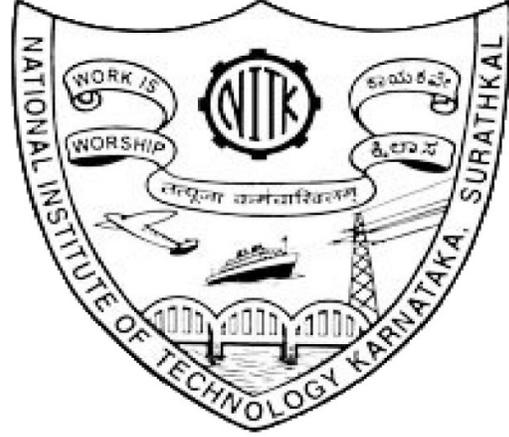


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NITs, IITs, SPAs

and

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राष्ट्रीयप्रौद्योगिकीसंस्थानकर्नाटक , सुरत्कल

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National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal

Mangalore– 575025 INDIA

IMPORTANT DATES

Registration and Submission of online application	–	Sept. 20 to Oct.25, 2020
Last date for receipt of SAT Subject Test Score	–	Oct.27, 2020
First round of Seat Allotment	–	Nov.03, 2020
Confirmation by candidates who have been allotted a seat in Round 1	–	Nov.03–Nov.05, 2020
Second Round of Seat Allotment	–	Nov.09, 2020
Confirmation by candidates who have been allotted a seat in Round 2	–	Nov.09-11, 2020
Third Round of Seat Allotment	–	Nov.15, 2020
Confirmation by candidates who have been allotted a seat in Round 3	–	Nov.15-17, 2020
Physical reporting to allotted Institutes for admission by candidates who have been allotted a seat in Rounds 1, 2 and 3. In case the situation does not permit physical reporting at the admitting institutes, then reporting and admission would be done online.	–	Nov.17-Nov.19, 2020
Internal Sliding	-	Nov.21, 2020
Announcement of vacant seat matrix for Spot round	–	Nov.23, 2020
Choice refilling and new applicants registration for Spot Round (If payment is made by SWIFT then it should be paid by 18 th Nov. 2020)	–	Nov. 24-26, 2020
Spot Round against vacant seats & Spot Round Allotment	–	Nov.28, 2020
Physical reporting to allotted Institutes by candidates who have been allotted a seat in Spot Round 3. In case the situation does not permit physical reporting at the admitting institutes, then reporting and admission would be done online.	–	Nov.29-Dec.02, 2020

SAT Score Time Line

The last date for receipt of SAT scores for DASA-2020 is as follows:

October 27, 2020 for Round 1, 2 and 3

November 25, 2020 for Spot Round

All the dates are as per Indian Standard Time (IST)

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Greetings from DASA 2020 and NITK, Surathkal. Admissions for Foreign Nationals/Persons of Indian Origin (PIOs)/Non- Resident Indians (NRIs)/ Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) under Direct Admission of Students Abroad (DASA) Scheme of Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Government of India for Undergraduate programmes in Engineering/Architecture/ Planning for the Academic year 2020-21 to National Institutes of Technology (NITs), Indian Institutes of Information Technology (IIITs), Schools of Planning and Architecture (SPAs), and other premier Technical Institutions in India.

1. ADMISSIONS UNDER DASA SCHEME 2020-21

From time immemorial, India has been recognized as an international centre for learning. Indian Universities and Institutes of higher education and research have made a significant contribution in science and technology and have played a pioneering role in transforming the country into a knowledge society. India can claim its position as one of the leading countries providing affordable higher education to its people as well as to students and scholars from countries all over the world. Students find the entire learning experience innovative and challenging by being part of a dynamic ecosystem, rich in tradition and cultural diversity. They acquire a perfect blend of aptitude, skills and values, and become competent and competitive to face the challenges of a globalized world.

The Technical Institutions which are participating in DASA 2020 have established themselves among the top ranked Institutions in the country. Their enviable reputation is due to the high standards of teaching and research, and the exciting career pathways provided to students. The NITs and IIITs are declared as Institutes of National Importance by an Act of Parliament and the other Institutions are Deemed Universities. All Participating Institutions are autonomous. A degree from any of these Institutions enjoys considerable merit and recognition, besides opening up wonderful opportunities for pursuing international careers in architecture, engineering and technology. The alumni have excelled themselves in various fields of science, technology and management in various parts of the world.

Admission to Foreign Nationals/Persons of Indian Origin/ Non-Resident Indians/Overseas Citizen of India to undergraduate programmes in premier Technical Institutions is being offered under DASA scheme of MHRD since the academic session 2001-02. MHRD has entrusted the coordination of the admission process under DASA scheme for the academic year 2020-21 to NITK Surathkal vide official order (F.No.37-2/2019-TS.III dated: 30th December 2019).

Those seeking admission under DASA scheme have to apply online, fill an online application form and make fee payment through SWIFT /E-Payment/NEFT/RTGS transfer on or before 23:59 (IST), 25th October, 2020. Further, online application and documents should be uploaded to DASA website through the portal only. Applicants should also arrange to send SAT Subject Test Scores directly from College Board, USA, to National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal (Institute Code: 6530) so as to reach Coordinator, DASA 2020, DASA Office, Admission Cell, Office of the Dean (Academic), National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal – 575025 (Karnataka) INDIA on or before 23:59 HRS (IST) 27th October, 2020.

1.1 Participating Institutions

The provisional list of participating institutions which are covered under DASA scheme 2020 for admission to Under Graduate programmes in Engineering/ Architecture/ Planning are as follows :

National Institutes of Technology (NITs)/Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology (IIEST)

1.	National Institute of Technology, Agartala, Tripura	www.nita.ac.in
2.	Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology Allahabad	www.mnnit.ac.in
3.	National Institute of Technology, Arunachal Pradesh	www.nitap.ac.in
4.	Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh	www.manit.ac.in
5.	National Institute of Technology, Calicut, Kerala	www.nitc.ac.in
6.	National Institute of Technology, Durgapur, West Bengal	www.nitdgp.ac.in
7.	National Institute of Technology, Goa	www.nitgoa.ac.in
8.	National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh	www.nith.ac.in
9.	Malaviya National Institute of Technology, Jaipur, Rajasthan	www.mnit.ac.in
10.	National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, Punjab	www.nitj.ac.in
11.	National Institute of Technology, Jamsshedpur, Jharkhand	www.nitjsr.ac.in
12.	National Institute of Technology, Kurukshetra, Haryana	www.nitkr.ac.in
13.	National Institute of Technology, Manipur	www.nitmanipur.in
14.	National Institute of Technology, Mizoram	www.nitmz.ac.in
15.	Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, Nagpur, Maharashtra	www.vnit.ac.in
16.	National Institute of Technology, Patna, Bihar	www.nitp.ac.in
17.	National Institute of Technology, Puducherry, Karaikkal	www.nitpy.ac.in
18.	National Institute of Technology, Raipur, Chhattisgarh	www.nitr.ac.in
19.	National Institute of Technology, Rourkela, Orissa	www.nitrkl.ac.in
20.	National Institute of Technology, Sikkim	www.nitsikkim.ac.in
21.	National Institute of Technology, Silchar, Assam	www.nits.ac.in
22.	National Institute of Technology, Srinagar	www.nitsri.net
23.	Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology, Surat, Gujarat	www.svnit.ac.in
24.	National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal, Karnataka	www.nitk.ac.in
25.	National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli, Tamilnadu	www.nitt.edu
26.	National Institute of Technology, Warangal, Telangana	www.nitw.ac.in
27.	National Institute of Technology, Meghalaya	www.nitmeghalaya.in
28.	National Institute of Technology, Uttarakhand	www.nituk.ac.in
29.	Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur	www.iiests.ac.in

Indian Institutes of Information Technology (IIITs)

30.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Allahabad, UP	www.iiita.ac.in
31.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Design and Manufacturing, Jabalpur, MP	www.iiitdmj.ac.in
32.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Design & Manufacturing, Chennai	www.iiitdm.ac.in
33.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Vadodara, Gandhinagar, Gujarat	www.iiitvadodara.ac.in
34.	Atal Bihari Vajpayee Indian Institute of Information Technology & Management, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh	www.iiitm.ac.in
35.	Indian Institute of Information Technology Sri City, Chittoor, Andhra Pradesh	www.iiits.ac.in
36.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Una, Himachal Pradesh	www.iiitu.ac.in
37.	Indian Institute of Information Technology, Kottayam	www.iiitkottayam.ac.in
38.	Indian Institute of Information and Technology, Sonapat	www.iiitsonepat.ac.in

Schools of Planning and Architecture (SPAs)

39.	School of Planning and Architecture, Bhopal	www.spabhopal.ac.in
40.	School of Planning and Architecture, Delhi	www.spa.ac.in
41.	School of Planning & Architecture, Vijayawada	www.spav.ac.in

Other Premier Technical Institutions

42.	Punjab Engineering College (Deemed to be University), Chandigarh	www.pec.ac.in
43.	Delhi Technological University, Delhi	www.dce.ac.in
44.	Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology, Delhi	www.iiitd.ac.in
45.	Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal, Punjab	www.sliet.ac.in
46.	National Institute of Foundry and Forge Technology, Ranchi, Jharkhand	www.nifft.ernet.in
47.	Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University, Gandhinagar	www.pdpu.ac.in
48.	National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Aurangabad	www.aurangabad.nielit.gov.in
49.	Netaji Subhas University of Technology Delhi	www.nsit.ac.in
50.	Tezpur University, Assam	www.tezu.ernet.in
51.	Indian Maritime University	www.imu.edu.in
52.	Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Katra, Jammu and Kashmir	www.smvdu.ac.in
53.	The University Institute of Engineering of Technology (UIET), Punjab University,	www.uiet.puchd.ac.in

	Chandigarh	
54.	The University Institute of Chemical Engineering & Technology(UICET), Punjab University, Chandigarh	www.uicet.puchd.ac.in
55.	UIET Panjab University Swami SarvanandGiri Regional Centre (UIET PUSSRC), Hoshiarpur, (Punjab)	www.ssgpurch.puchd.ac.in
56.	Charotar University of Science and Technology(CHARUSAT), Gujarat	www.charusat.ac.in
57.	Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, New Delhi	www.igdtuw.ac.in
58.	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal, Karnataka	www.manipal.edu/mit.html
59.	School of Engineering, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi	www.jnu.ac.in

The candidates are advised to visit the website of DASA-2020 for the final list of participating Institutes. They are also advised to visit the websites of the respective Institutes for detailed information about their institution.

NOTE: Some Institutes offer 5 year dual degree programmes B.Tech. + M.Tech./MBA in various disciplines.

2. ADMISSION DETAILS

2.1 Eligibility Criteria

2.1.1. Age

Only applicants born on or after October 01, 1995 are eligible. Date of birth as recorded in the Secondary Education Board / University Certificate [Class X or equivalent] or any certificate issued by the Government authorities only will be taken as authentic.

2.1.2. Academic Eligibility

Applicant must have passed the qualifying examination, i.e. Senior Secondary [10+2] or equivalent [See Appendix- I] from any system of education as recognized by the Association of Indian Universities (www.aiuweb.org).

AND

Applicant should have completed successfully Mathematics, Physics and one of the subjects from (Chemistry, Bio-technology, Computer Science, Biology) in 11th AND / OR 12th, as applicable in the respective boards.

AND

Applicant must have secured a minimum of at least 60% aggregate marks (average of all subjects of qualifying examination taken together) or 6.50 CGPA (on a 10 point scale) or equivalent in the qualifying examination. In case, CGPA on a different scale is awarded OR if only grades are awarded, percentage/CGPA equivalence provided by the principal examination authorities will only be considered. If such an equivalence certificate from the principal examination authorities is not produced, then the application of such candidate is liable to be rejected. Applicants appearing for the qualifying examination with the above-mentioned subjects in the academic year 2019-20 and expecting their final results latest by November 30,2020 may also apply.

AND

Applicant should have a minimum total valid score of 1800 in SAT Subject Tests (Subjects: Mathematics Level 2, Physics and Chemistry). SAT subject test score has to be sent directly through College Board,USA to NITK Surathkal (Institute Code: 6530). Internet downloaded score cards are not acceptable. Applicants at the time of registration for SAT Subject Tests should indicate Institute code 6530 for sending their scores to NITK Surathkal. Applicants who have taken multiple attempts in SAT Subject Tests can send valid score to NITK Surathkal directly through College Board, USA. The best valid score in each subject will be considered for

arriving at the total score which will be used for merit list preparation. SAT Subject Test scores received till 27th October,, 2020 only will be considered for preparation of merit lists for Round 1, Round 2 and Round 3.

For more details on SAT Subject Tests, visit website: www.collegeboard.com.

Note: For Architecture, No candidate shall be admitted to architecture course unless she/he has passed an examination at the end of the 10+2 scheme of examination with at least 50% aggregate marks in physics, chemistry and mathematics and also at least 60% marks in aggregate of the 10+2 level examination or passed 10+3 diploma examination with mathematics as compulsory subject with at least 60% marks aggregate.

2.1.3. Residential Requirement

All foreign nationals studying in any country including India or Indian nationals studying abroad who fulfill prescribed admission criteria shall be eligible.

Prescribed admission criteria for Indian Nationals shall be at least two years of education, inclusive of 11th& 12th or equivalent (not beyond), in a foreign country during the last 8 years and must pass the qualifying examination from abroad.

2.2 Reservation for Children of Indian Workers in Gulf Countries (CIWG) and its fee structure

5% supernumerary seats (within 15% of supernumerary quota of DASA) are reserved for Children of Indian Workers in Gulf (i.e., 1/3rd seats from DASA quota is reserved for CIWG). The students getting admitted to NITs and IEST Shibpur under CIWG category shall pay tuition fee of Rs.1,25,000 per annum either in INR or equivalent USD. The students taking admissions in Institutions other than NITs and IEST Shibpur under CIWG category, shall pay tuition fee at the same level as the Indian resident students at the respective Institutes either in INR or equivalent USD.

Countries under CIWG are:

1. Bahrain
2. Iraq
3. Iran
4. Kuwait
5. Oman
6. Qatar
7. Saudi Arabia
8. United Arab Emirates

Essential Documents:

- ❖ For CIWG quota, there has to be proof of either parent working in a gulf country. As the proof that either of the parent is working in gulf country, the candidate has to produce all the following documents:
 - Copy of the passport of the parent working in the gulf.
 - Copy of Parent's visa with a validity on any date in the year 2020.
 - Copy of Parent's Work Permit with a validity on any date in the year 2020.
 - Certificate from the company/organization as proof that parent is working in gulf country as per Appendix III of UG Brochure.
- ❖ If a parent has been working in gulf till any date in the year 2020, then the certificate (Appendix III) may state the same
- ❖ Eligibility of CIWG will be same as that of NRIs.
- ❖ CIWG candidate has to make a payment of USD 300 as registration fee (non-

refundable) and INR ₹ 62,500/- towards tuition fee for one semester (either in INR or equivalent USD) to DASA 2020. The candidates taking admissions in Institutions other than NITs and IEST Shibpur under CIWG category, shall pay the balance tuition fee as applicable, at the time of admission in those Institutions either in INR or equivalent USD. For information regarding the tuition fee, please visit the website of the allotted Institute or contact them.

- ❖ The vacant seats if any, out of 5% supernumerary seats reserved under CIWG quota shall be reverted to other category of DASA-2020.
- ❖ Any change in the tuition fee from competent authority from time to time will be applicable to CIWG also.

NOTES:

1. NRI candidates who are eligible for CIWG Category will have the option to be considered for other seats of DASA as well. In order to avail this option, the candidates have to deposit same initial fee as applicable to DASA (Non-SAARC) category candidates.
2. These candidates will be shown both CIWG and all other DASA seats as two different options for each Institute and branch during the academic program choice filling. They can fill their choices for both types of seats in order of their preferences out of all available seats under CIWG category as well as all other seats of DASA.
3. In case, final admission is given in CIWG Category, balance amount of fee will be refunded.
4. CIWG category candidates who have not opted to be considered for other seats of DASA category, will be shown the seats available in CIWG category only.

2.3 Fee Payment & Refund Rules

2.3.1. Fee Structure

Table 2.3.1. Registration Fee and First Semester Tuition Fee payable to DASA2020 before submission of online application for different admitted categories are as under

Admission Category	Registration Fee (Non-Refundable)	Tuition Fee (For First Semester only) payable to DASA 2020	Total Amount paid along with the Application Form	In case the payment is done in INR total amount to be paid with Application Form
CIWG	US \$ 300/-	INR ₹ 62,500/-	INR ₹ 62,500/- + US \$ 300/-	INR ₹ 84,790/-
DASA (Non-SAARC)	US \$ 300/-	US \$ 4000/-	US \$ 4300/-	INR ₹ 3,19,490
DASA (SAARC)	US \$ 300/-	US \$ 2000/-	US \$ 2300/-	INR ₹ 1,70,890

*For information regarding the balance tuition fee (for candidates taking admissions in Institutions other than NITs and IEST Shibpur under CIWG category) and any additional fee to be paid to the admitting institute at the time of admission, please visit the website of the allotted institute or contact them.

Foreign Nationals, who are nationals of SAARC countries, are eligible for 50% Tuition Fee waiver provided they have passed the qualifying examination in SAARC countries. They are required to pay an amount of US\$ 2,300 [US Dollars two thousand and three hundred only] along with the application form (i.e. US\$ 2,000 towards first semester tuition fee and a nonrefundable registration fee of US\$300).

Parents, living in India or abroad & also applicants from Nepal and Bhutan can pay prescribed fees under DASA scheme either in US Dollars or in Equivalent Indian Rupees.

Tuition Fee for subsequent semesters of study: The tuition fee of **INR ₹ 62,500** (or as applicable to the candidates taking admissions in Institutions other than NITs and IEST Shibpur under CIWG category) / **US\$ 4,000 / US\$ 2,000** (as applicable) for the subsequent semesters of study is to be paid by the admitted applicants, directly to the concerned Institution, as per rules of the admitting Institution.

Hostel Accommodation and other Expenses: Hostel fee and other expenses, which may typically range from US\$400 – US\$800 per annum and may vary from Institute to Institute, are required to be paid by the applicant directly to the Institution at the time of admission. Applicants are advised to visit the websites or contact concerned authorities of the respective Institutes for detailed information regarding hostel accommodation, its availability and other expenses. DASA 2020 is not responsible for arranging Hostel or other facilities at the individual Institutes.

2.3.2. Fee Payment

The applicants who fulfill the admission criteria specified at 2.1 above (under sub clauses 2.1.1, 2.1.2 and 2.1.3), should submit the application form online along with the requisite registration fee and first semester tuition fee as indicated in Table 2.3.1. The fee can be paid through SWIFT /E-Payment/NEFT/RTGS Transfer. The full payable amount shall be paid in one transaction, i.e., only one transaction id. to be provided for the entire payable amount.

Any transaction charges towards SWIFT /E-Payment/NEFT/RTGS should be borne by the applicant.

A. Details for payment through SWIFT Transfer

(i).	Amount (USD	:	
(ii).	Value Date	:	
(iii).	Intermediary Institution	:	--
(iv).	Account with Institution	:	Corporation Bank, Baikampady Branch
(v).	Beneficiary Customer-Account-Name	:	DASA-2019
(vi)	Account Number	:	510101006781570
(vii)	Bank Address	:	Vishwa Kamala Building Mani Road, Baikampady, Karnataka 575010, India

- (viii). SWIFT Code : CORPINBB133
- (ix). Remittance Information : Fee for DASA 2020 UG Course
Applicant ID
Applicant Name
Passport No. & Country
- (x). Details of Charges : OUR

B. Details for Electronic Payment (E-Payment):

For E-payment, applicants shall access the on-line portal developed by NITK Surathkal which will be interlinked with Corporation Bank Payment Gateway for receiving online payment of fee through their credit/debit card. On successful completion of the transaction a Transaction ID would be generated automatically and will appear in the application form. Applicants are also advised to note the Transaction ID separately for future reference

C. NEFT/RTGS

Beneficiary Name : DASA-2019

Beneficiary Email : dasa2020@nitk.edu.in

Account Type: Current A/C

Account Number : 16284(Fixed) +Student Applicant ID

IFSC Code : CORP0000633 (*0 in the IFSC code is numerical ZERO)

IMPORTANT:

While transferring the money through SWIFT /E-Payment/NEFT/RTGS Transfer, all Bank transaction charges should be borne by the applicant. In the SWIFT payment form at field 71A: Details of Charges, type as 'OUR'. Applicants are advised to ensure that all Bank charges are paid by themselves.

*Further, for making online payment (particularly for applicants making payment through SWIFT transfer), it is advised that the payment **should be initiated at least three days (or even earlier if needed)** before the closing date of online application to ensure the payment reaches DASA account before the closing date of online application. In case, the payment does not reach to the DASA account before the closing date due to any delays in the process, DASA will not be responsible and such applicants will not be considered for seat allocation.*

Note: Any transaction charges towards SWIFT /E-Payment/NEFT/RTGS Transfer, **should be borne by the applicant.**

2.4 Refund of Fees and mode of refund

The registration fee of US\$ 300 is non-refundable.

2.4.1. Refund Rules

Refund will be regulated as follows:

- a. Applicants who withdraw their application, on or before 25th October, 2020.
OR
Applicants who are not allotted a seat as per their choices indicated due to non-availability of desired

course/ Institution.

OR

Applicants who are found to be not meeting the eligibility criteria at the time of processing the application will be allowed **full refund** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.

- b. Applicants, who withdraw after 25th October, 2020.
OR
Applicants, who are allotted any seat as per their choices, and do not accept the allotment (decline or no response within the prescribed time limit), will be allowed a **refund of 50%** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.
- c. Applicants, who accept the seat allotted and later on change their decision, by not joining or applicants who have been provided provisional admission and rejected at the time of admission for want of academic eligibility, **will not be considered for any refund** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.
- d. Applicants, who withdraw their admissions in the first semester after joining the Institutions or could not submit academic or other documents in time, **will not be considered for any refund** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.
- e. Applicants, who had not submitted their qualifying exam results at the time of submission of application, may be provisionally allotted a seat based on their merit based on SAT Subject Test scores. If they take provisional admission in an Institute, they shall submit their results later within a specified date (November 30, 2020). If they are found not qualified based on their (10+2) or equivalent exam results on that date, then such applicants **will not be considered for any refund** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.
- f. Applicants who are allotted a seat in Spot round as per their choices and do not accept the allotment (decline or no response within the prescribed time limit) will not be **considered for any refund** of tuition fee component paid along with the application.

Note: Such applicants, who have not submitted their qualifying exam results at the time of submission of application, shall give an undertaking (online) with the application stating "I may be allotted a seat based on my SAT Subject Test score. I shall submit my qualifying examination grades at the time of admission or within the specified date i.e., 30th November 2020. In case, if I am unable to submit the grades within the stipulated time/ or not meeting the academic eligibility, I am liable for termination / forgo my seat from the admitted institute and willing to forfeit the tuition fee paid along with the application."

2.4.2. Mode of Refund

All refunds will be through SWIFT/NEFT/RTGS transfer only. The applicant should submit online the request for Cancellation of Application/ Allotment/ Admission for DASA 2020 and refund remittance particulars. All eligible refunds will be processed as per DASA-2020 policy after the admission process is over.

Note:

- (i) *The registration fee of US\$ 300 in all cases will be non-refundable.*
- (ii) All refund requests will be processed only after the completion of the entire admission process.
- (iii) *Refund will be made only in US Dollars to applicants who have paid the initial fee in US Dollars and in Indian Rupees to those who have paid fee in Indian Rupees. **Transfer charges as applicable will be deducted from the amount to be refunded.***
- (iv) *In the case of applicants who have made the initial payment in US Dollars through Swift, the equivalent foreign exchange (USD) of the Indian Rupees (INR)*

credited to DASA's bank account at the time of payment of fees only would be considered to compute the eligible amount. The maximum refund will be limited to the eligible refund amount in USD.

- (v) Request for refund through email or other means will not be considered.

For refund of the fee through SWIFT, following information/details will be required to make an outward remittance to the candidate eligible for refund

BENEFICIARY CUSTOMER Bank Account Details	*Name of Account Holder _____ *Account Number _____ *SWIFT Code _____ *Name of Bank _____ *Complete Address of the Bank and Telephone Number _____ *IBAN Number _____ (Mandatory for Banks in Middle East/GCC/Europe)
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For refund of the fee through NEFT/RTGS, following information/details will be required to make an outward remittance to the candidate eligible for refund:

1. BENEFICIARY NAME	
2. BENEFICIARY BANK NAME & ADDRESS	
3. BENEFICIARY ACCOUNT NUMBER	
4. BENEFICIARY BANK IFSC CODE	

2.5 Submission of Application

The submission of application is a two stage process, both of which are essential.

- a. Online application (www.dasanit.org) and submission of required documents online (scanned and uploaded). No hard copy of application or supporting documents needs to be sent.
- b. SAT subject test score to be sent to NITK Surathkal through College Board, USA (**Institute Code 6530**)

Online Application

We recommend the use of Google Chrome or Mozilla Firefox browser while using the DASA admission portal. Internet Explorer (IE) is not recommended.

The Online process involves the following steps:

2.5.1. Registration:

Create an account at www.dasanit.org by entering the following details to register:

- (i) Email ID (valid email ID to which a web link will be mailed to complete the registration process). This will be your username.
- (ii) *Captcha* words (in the space provided).
- (iii) Once correct details are entered, click **Create my account**.
- (iv) An email will be sent to your email address with a link to complete the registration. Check your email and click the web link.
- (v) Enter Applicant ID (given in the email).
- (vi) Enter Password (preferably a combination of uppercase, lowercase, number and symbol to be chosen by the applicant).
- (vii) Confirm Password.
- (viii) Once correct details are entered, registration is complete.
- (ix) Applicants are advised to note the Applicant ID and password for future logins (for completing the application form and checking the status of the application ,etc) and to keep it confidential.

2.5.2. Application filling and submission:

- **The candidates are advised to read the information brochure carefully and visit our website www.dasanit.org regularly for updates.**
- **Scanned copies of all relevant documents in JPG format must be ready to upload**

Once an account is created, applicants should **Login** using **email address** and **Password**.

Applicants can enter any number of choices in the order of preference which can be of any combination of Institutes and/or courses of their choice in the order of priority from the list of courses available.

The recommended sequence and detailed instructions for filling the application form will be uploaded on the portal once the application process starts. Applicants are required to upload the following:

- (i) Latest passport size photograph in JPG format (size ~ 3.5cmx3.5cm, file size < 100kB).
- (ii) Scanned signature of applicant in JPG format (file size<100 kB).
- (iii) Scanned copies of relevant documents in JPG /JPEG format (the size of each such file <500 kB Colour/B&W/Gray Scale).

Applicants may use any image editing software like Microsoft Office Picture Manager or Microsoft Paint to resize the photograph and documents. The photograph will appear on admission order hence use a photograph with sufficient clarity and contrast. All the scanned documents should also be clearly readable.

Applicants are advised to click **Preview Application Form** button to preview the form and ensure that all the required details have been provided correctly. In case, there are some corrections to be made, applicants can click the '**Edit the Application Form**' button and edit the application. After ensuring that all the data provided are correct and in the required format the applicant should click the **Submit the online application Form** button to submit the online application. The submitted online application **should be downloaded and saved** by making use of the **Download Application Form** button. Applicants should keep copy of the submitted online application form for their records and print if required. However, the applicants are not required to send the hard copy of application form and documents to DASA office.

Note:

- (i) ***If an applicant is unable to fill the online application in one session, he / she can save and continue it in subsequent sessions and complete it.***
- (ii) ***Once the online application is submitted, the applicant will not be able to modify any of the data in the application form.***

Submission of the online application along with required documents

The process to be followed during the submission of the application is given below:

Submit the application form through online portal with scanned copies of the following documents (**Please ensure that name of the candidate should be exactly same in the passport, qualifying exam and SAT score**):

- ❖ Applicant's Passport (Nationals of Nepal who do not have a passport, copy of Authenticated Citizenship Card has to be submitted*).
- ❖ Proof for date of birth (Secondary Education Board / University Certificate [Class X or equivalent] or any certificate issued by the Government authorities).
- ❖ Mark Sheet of 10th, 11th and 12th (or) Equivalent examination(s).
- ❖ Certificate from School authorities (in the format given in Appendix-II on letter head of the school) as proof of completion of 11th and 12th Standard or equivalent. #
- ❖ Percentage/CGPA equivalence provided by the principal examination authorities, in case CGPA on a different scale than that specified is awarded OR if only grades are awarded.
- ❖ Proof of 2 years of education (11th and 12th or equivalent) in foreign country in case of NRI (School leaving certificate/Mark sheets/Study Certificate as in appendix IV).
- ❖ Applicant applying under CIWG quota, has to produce all the following documents:
 - Copy of the passport of the parent working in the gulf.
 - Copy of Parent's visa with a validity on any date in the year 2020.
 - Copy of Parent's Work Permit with a validity on any date in the year 2020.
 - Certificate from the company/organization as proof that parent is working in gulf country as per Appendix III of UG Brochure

#In case, 12th standard or equivalent is not completed yet, the candidate has to give an undertaking in the online application.

Eligible applicants who have appeared/are appearing for the qualifying examination during the academic year 2019-20 can also apply by submitting the completed application form along with the registration fee, first semester tuition fee and other documents. **In any case, the applicants are to ensure that the online application is completed along with required documents before 23:59 HRS (IST) 25th October, 2020. Provisional admission given based on SAT score will be deemed to be cancelled if the applicant is not able to produce the required documents for academic eligibility within the specified time.**

Note:

- (i) *The transcripts / marks / grade sheets of the qualifying examination should be self-attested.*
- (ii) *If any supporting documents are in languages other than English or Hindi, authenticated translated copy of the documents in English or Hindi must also be provided.*
- (iii) *Incomplete/illegible applications and documentary evidences in any respect would be summarily rejected without any communication to the applicants.*
- (iv) *The applicant should ensure that the application is submitted timely. DASA 2020 Coordinating Institute, NITK Surathkal shall not be responsible for delays in online submission, if any.*
- (v) *A copy of the qualifying exam marks card is to be provided to the DASA office as soon as it is available.*
- (vi) *Applicants should submit the original marks card of the qualifying examination and all other documents at the time of admission at the allotted Institute or submit it within the dates specified by that Institute.*
- (vii) *Please mention full name of applicant & DASA 2020 Application ID in all correspondence.*

Original documents are to be produced at the time of admission at the allotted institute. The admitting institute will be responsible for verification of documents and ensuring that all required documents as per rules are available.

*** Authentication of citizenship card for applicants from Nepal**

Applicants applying under DASA Scheme 2020 from Nepal should submit (online) a copy of the authenticated residence proof (Passport or Citizenship card) along with the online application form, to be eligible for considering their application. Applicants can contact Embassy of India in Kathmandu, Nepal or Embassy of Nepal at New Delhi for verification and authentication of the residential proof certificates. Applicants should submit authenticated residential proof documents at the time of admission failing which the provisional admission granted would be cancelled. Hence applicants from Nepal applying under DASA Scheme 2020 are strongly advised to start the authentication process immediately by contacting the office of Embassy of Nepal at New Delhi or Embassy of India in Kathmandu, Nepal at the earliest, so that they will be able to submit the authenticated residential proof certificates at the time of admission.

2.6 Last Date for Submission of Online Application form

Last date for Submission of completed application form along with required fee and supporting documents at DASA website is 23:59HRS (IST) 25th October, 2020.

The applications of applicants whose SAT Subject Test scores are not received, for any reason whatsoever, by 27th October, 2020 will not be considered for allotment of seats in the first three rounds. However, their application may be considered for allotment of seats in Spot round against the seats remaining vacant.

2.7 Seat allotment procedure

Seat allotment will be strictly based on valid SAT Subject Test scores and the choices given by the applicant in the order of their merit and priority taken together.

2.7.1. Consideration of SAT Subject Test Scores

Only those applicants whose valid SAT subject test scores have been received by NITK Surathkal directly from College Board would be considered for the preparation of merit list subject to their satisfying all other requirements. In case of applicants who have made multiple attempts, the best of the valid individual subject scores communicated by College Board will be used to compute the total SAT subject test scores.

2.7.2. Preparation of Merit List

A merit list of all the eligible applicants would be drawn **on the basis of total SAT Subject Test scores only**. Only those applicants, whose valid SAT Subject Test scores have been received by NITK Surathkal, on or before 27th October, 2020 directly from College Board, will be considered for merit list preparation and seat allotment. If the SAT Subject Test scores (total) of two or more applicants are same, the inter se merit of such applicant shall be determined as follows:

1. Marks obtained in SAT Subject Test for Mathematics Level 2 followed by Physics.
2. The total mark obtained with all the three papers of SAT attempted on the same date.
3. The total mark obtained with all the three papers of SAT attempted on two different dates.
4. The total mark obtained with three papers of SAT attempted on three different dates.
5. In case the tie is not broken by the above considerations then the date of birth of the applicants will be compared and older applicant will be given higher merit.
6. In case the tie is still not broken, then the female applicant will be given higher merit.

The decision of DASA 2020 Core Committee in this regard shall be final and binding on all concerned.

2.7.3. Allotment of Institutions and Courses

Based on the merit list drawn as above, the allotment of Institution and course would be made as per the choices indicated by the applicant in his/her application form. An applicant appearing higher on merit list would get higher priority in allotment of course / Institution of his / her choices as compared to an applicant appearing lower in the merit list. In case, Institute/course of first preference indicated by the applicant is not available, he/she will be allotted the 2nd preference (Institute / course) and so on. Such of those applicants who have not been allotted any seat will be indicated as *Not allotted* in the allotment list. In such cases, the applicants will be eligible for Round 2, Round 3 and Round 4 of allotment against vacancies.

All selected Foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required

documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country. It will be the responsibility of the candidate to arrange appropriate visa.

2.7.3.1 First Round of Allotment (Round 1)

All eligible applicants would be considered for first round of allotment. First round of allotments shall be displayed on DASA 2020 applicant portal (www.dasanit.org) on 3rd November, 2020. **No individual allotment letters/email will be sent to applicants who get a seat allotment.** The applicants are strongly advised to check the web announcements on allotments. DASA 2020 Coordinating Institute, NITK Surathkal would not be responsible for any delay in checking the applicant portal by the applicants. Applicants who are allotted seat in Round 1 are required to confirm their options on or before **23:59 HRS (IST) 5th November, 2020.**

Applicants who are allotted their first choice of Institute/ course in Round 1, would have two options

Press Accept if you are accepting the allotted Institute/Course and the Provisional Admission Letter would be generated. Please download and print the **Provisional Admission Letter**, sign it and submit it to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19, 2020). All selected Foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.

Press **Decline** if you do not wish to accept the allotted Institute/Course and Seat Cancellation/ Withdrawal letter would be generated. By pressing **Decline** you lose your right for any further seat allotment in Round 2 and Round 3. You are eligible to re-register for Spot Round. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. All eligible refunds will be processed after the completion of the admission process (after spot round) and no requests for refund before this will be considered.

Applicants who are allotted any choice of Course/Institute other than the first choice in Round 1, would have three options

- (i) **Press Accept** if you are satisfied with the currently allotted seat and do not want your higher preference choices to be considered in Round 2 allotment. The **Provisional Admission Letter** would be generated in this case. Please download and print the Provisional Admission Letter sign it and submit it to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19, 2020). All selected Foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.
- (ii) **Press Accept & Upgrade** if you are accepting the currently allotted seat but are interested to be considered in Round 2 allotment for up gradation of Institute/ course as per the original choices given at the time of filling the application. The **Provisional Allotment Letter** would be generated in this case. If the applicant gets a seat that has higher preference in his/her list of choices in Round 2, **the applicant will automatically forfeit his/her claim on the seat previously allotted i.e. the applicant cannot have the liberty of choosing between the seats allotted in successive rounds.** In case, no up gradation takes place due to unavailability of vacancies in the higher choices during Round 2, the allotment in Round 1 will be retained.
- (iii) Press **Decline** if you do not wish to accept the allotted Institute/Course and Seat Cancellation/ Withdrawal letter would be generated. By pressing **Decline** you lose your right for any further seat allotment in Round 2 and Round 3. You are eligible to re-register for Spot Round. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. All eligible refunds will be processed after the completion of the admission process (after spot round) and no requests for refund before this will be considered.

Those applicants, who fail to confirm their options on or before 23:59 HRS (IST) on 5th November, 2020, would be presumed to be not interested for admission in the allotted Institution/ course and would also, lose their right for any further seat allotment in Round 2 and Round 3. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment again in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. They are eligible to re-register for Spot Round.

2.7.3.2 Second Round of Allotment (Round 2)

All eligible applicants who were not allotted a seat in the first round and all those who had opted for **Accept**

&Upgrade in first round would be considered for seat allotment in the second round as per inter se merit. Second round of allotments shall be displayed on DASA 2020 applicant portal (www.dasanit.org) on 9th November, 2020. **No individual allotment letters/email will be sent to applicants who get a seat allotment.** The applicants are strongly advised to check the web announcements on allotments. DASA 2020 Coordinating Institute, NITK Surathkal would not be responsible for any delay in checking the applicant portal by the applicants. Applicants who are allotted seat in Round 2 are required to confirm their options on or before **23:59 HRS (IST) on 11th November, 2020.**

Applicants who are allotted their first choice of Institute/ course in Round 2, would have two options

Press **Accept** if you are accepting the allotted Institute/Course and the Provisional Admission Letter would be generated. Please download and print the Provisional Admission Letter, sign it and submit it to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19). All selected foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.

Press **Decline** if you do not wish to accept the allotted Institute/Course and Seat Cancellation/ Withdrawal letter would be generated. By pressing **Decline you lose your right for any further seat allotment in Round 3.** You are eligible to re-register for the Spot Round. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. All eligible refunds will be processed after the completion of the admission process (after spot round) and no requests for refund before this will be considered.

Applicants who are allotted any choice of Course/Institute other than the first choice in Round 2, would have three options

- (i) Press **Accept** if you are satisfied with the currently allotted seat and do not want your higher preference choices to be considered in Round 3 allotment. The Provisional Admission Letter would be generated in this case. Please download and print the Provisional Admission Letter sign it and submit it to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19). All selected foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.
- (ii) Press **Accept & Upgrade** if you are accepting the currently allotted seat but are interested to be considered in Round 3 allotment for upgradation of Institute/ course as per the original choices given at the time of filling the application. The Provisional Allotment Letter would be generated in this case. If the applicant gets a seat that has higher preference in his/her list of choices in Round 3, the applicant will automatically forfeit his/her claim on the seat previously allotted i.e. the applicant cannot have the liberty of choosing between the seats allotted in successive rounds. In case no up gradation takes place due to unavailability of vacancies in the higher choices in Round 3 allotment, the allotment in Round 2 will be retained.
- (iii) Press **Decline** if you do not wish to accept the allotted Institute/Course and Seat Cancellation/ Withdrawal letter would be generated. By pressing **Decline you lose your right for any further seat allotment in Round 3.** You are eligible to re-register for the Spot Round. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. All eligible refunds will be processed after the completion of the admission process (after spot round) and no requests for refund before this will be considered.

Those applicants, who fail to confirm their options on or before 23:59 HRS (IST) on 11th November, 2020, would be presumed to be not interested for admission in the allotted Institution/ course and would also, lose their right for any further seat allotment in Round 3. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment again in subsequent round for other eligible applicants. They are eligible to re-register for the Spot Round.

2.7.3.3 Third Round of Allotment (Round 3)

All applicants who were not allotted a seat in the second round and all those who had opted for Accept and Upgrade in Round 2 would be considered for seat allotment in the third round as per inter se merit. Third round of allotments shall be displayed on DASA 2020 applicant portal (www.dasanit.org) on 15th November, 2020. The applicants are strongly advised to check the web announcements on allotments. DASA 2020 Coordinating

Institute, NITK Surathkal would not be responsible for any delay in checking the applicant portal by the applicants. Applicants who are allotted seat in Round 3 are required to confirm their options on or before **23:59 HRS (IST) on 17th November, 2020**.

Applicants who are allotted a seat in Round 3 would have four options

- (i) Press **Accept** if you are accepting the allotted Institute/Course and the Provisional Admission Letter would be generated. Please download and print the Provisional Admission Letter sign it and submit it to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19, 2020). All selected foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the Provisional Admission offer letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.
- (ii) Press **Decline** if you do not wish to accept the allotted Institute/Course and Seat Cancellation/Withdrawal letter would be generated. You are eligible to re-register for the Spot Round. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. All eligible refunds will be processed after the completion of the admission process (after spot round) and no requests for refund before this will be considered.

Those applicants, who fail to confirm their options on or before 23:59 HRS (IST), 17th November, 2020, would be presumed to be not interested for admission in the allotted Institution/ course. The seat so vacated would be available for re-allotment in subsequent rounds for other eligible applicants. They are eligible to re-register for Spot Round.

2.7.3.4 Provisional admission letters and reporting to allotted Institutions

Only the list of applicants, who are allotted specific Institutions/ courses as per the allotment list and from whom the acceptance of the seat allotment has been received within the specified time frame, will be forwarded to concerned Institution for granting provisional admission. Applicants are strongly advised to check the status of their allotment on the specified dates without fail. Provisional Admission Letter is to be submitted to the Allotted Institute at the time of Admission (November 17-19, 2020).

After three rounds of allotment, provisionally selected applicants have to report to allotted Institutes for admission on the specified dates during November 17-19, 2020. All admissions would be subject to the verification of original certificates / documents and satisfactory physical fitness, as prescribed by the concerned Institutes during the time of admission. Not reporting at the allotted Institute during the specified period entails cancellation of the allotted seat.

2.7.4. Internal Sliding

All the participating Institutes would be requested to conduct internal sliding on November 21, 2020 on the basis of inter-se merit and choice for internal sliding indicated by the applicant at the time of admission for vacancies that exist in the particular institute on completion of admission process. After the internal sliding is completed, the participating Institutes will notify the vacancy status to DASA Office at NITK Surathkal.

2.7.5. Spot Round

Seats remaining vacant after the internal sliding in respective Institutes will be displayed on the DASA 2020 website on November 23, 2020. Applicants who have not got any allotment in the earlier rounds and those who were not eligible for allotment in the earlier rounds and have become eligible later can register for Spot round. Applicants who have declined their allotments or withdrawn/cancelled their applications are eligible to re-register for Spot round after paying a re-registration Fee of US\$ 300 (US Dollars Three hundred only). Applicants who have got admitted to the allotted Institute have to withdraw their admission before internal sliding if they would like to participate in Spot Round. New applicants who meet the academic and residential eligibility requirements are also eligible to apply. Interested applicants who wish to participate in this Spot round must send SAT scores through College Board to NITK Surathkal (**Institute Code 6530**) so as to reach NITK Surathkal on or before November 25, 2020. **Valid SAT subject test scores of SAT subject tests administered by College Board on or before November 25, 2020 will be considered for Spot Round.**

The online portal will be opened for modifying choices and payment of required fees for registered & eligible applicants from November 24, 2020 to November 26, 2020. The fees can be paid through SWIFT /E-

Payment/NEFT/RTGS transfer. For making online payment, it is advised that the payment should be **initiated at least three days** (or even earlier if needed) before the closing date of online application to ensure the payment reaches DASA account before the closing date of online application. In case, the payment does not reach to the DASA account before the closing date due to any delays in the process, DASA will not be responsible and such applicants will not be considered for seat allocation. **Spot round is will be conducted on November 28, 2020.**Please note that applicants who meet all the eligibility requirements of DASA 2020 and have all required original documents should only participate in this SPOT admission round. Those applicants provisionally selected for admission through the Spot round would have to report for admission in allotted Institutes **between November 29 – December 02, 2020.** **Applicants who are allotted a seat in Spot round as per their choices and do not accept the allotment (decline or no response within the prescribed time limit) will not be eligible for any refund.**

3. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Following information is for the benefit of applicants who are taking admission in an Institute:

3.1 Visa Requirement

All selected Foreign nationals must obtain a valid student visa as applicable to their category issued by the Indian Missions abroad. The visa can be obtained by producing the provisional admission letter and other required documents at the Indian Missions located in their respective country.

3.2 Medical Examination

The applicants, in their own interest, are advised to ensure that they are medically fit to pursue the prescribed course of study. The applicants would be required to submit the Medical Certificate from an authorized medical practitioner in their home country or India for general fitness. Alternatively, the applicants would be required to undergo a medical fitness test at the time of reporting at concerned Institute. Please note that if the applicant is not medically fit, his / her admission is likely to be rejected.

3.3 Reporting at the Institute

Applicants who have been provisionally allotted a seat in an Institution in the first three Rounds have to report for admission in these Institutions during November 17 – 19, 2020. The start of the academic session for 2020-21 would be announced later by the respective Institutes. The details regarding the documents / certificates to be submitted at the time of reporting at the Institute can be checked with respective Institutes. Applicants should submit the original marks card of the qualifying examination at the time of admission at the allotted Institute or submit within the dates specified by that Institute. **Not reporting at the allotted Institute during the specified period entails cancellation of the allotted seat.**

3.4 Branch Change

Applicants are advised to contact or visit the respective Institutes for the details of branch change at the end of first year. DASA 2020 will not be responsible for any branch change after all DASA 2020 admissions are over.

3.5 Academic Regulations, Placement and Internship

Potential applicants should visit the websites of individual Institutes or directly approach the authorities of the concerned Institutes for details on academic regulations, placement and opportunities for internship.

3.6 Accommodation

Most of the Institutes are residential and the applicants are required to reside in the campus. The hostels are well-equipped with amenities such as reading room, dining hall, etc. Potential applicants should visit the websites of individual Institutes or directly approach the authorities of the concerned Institutes for details of fees, residential requirements, etc.

3.7 Medium of instruction

English is the medium of instruction at all the Institutes.

3.8 SPDC SCHEME

There is scholarship programme for Diaspora children, for higher and technical education in India. For further details please visit this link www.edcilindia.co.in

4. OTHER GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Applicants are advised to read all instructions carefully, before filling the online application form.
- The application forms must be filled in English only. Application forms, filled in languages other than English will be summarily rejected.
- Upload recent photograph (3.5 cm x 3.5 cm) while filling application form.
- Fill the fee payment details and attach documentary evidence of payment as applicable.
- Upload scanned copies of other supporting documents, as already specified in the preceding sections.
- If any supporting documents are in languages other than English or Hindi, authenticated translated copy of the documents to English or Hindi, issued by Indian embassy/consulate of the respective country must also be uploaded.
- Applicants who are nationals of Nepal but do not have a passport, need to submit copy of Authenticated Citizenship Card.
- Applicant can fill up as many choices as he/she wishes. Please see the DASA website for details about the Institute and Courses offered under DASA 2020 Scheme.
- Applicant's name should be consistently same in SAT score as well as passport and other certificates.

Note: All decisions of DASA 2020 Core Committee regarding admissions under DASA Scheme 2020 shall be final and binding. Disputes if any, relating to the admissions under DASA Scheme 2020 coordinated by NITK Surathkal shall be subject to jurisdiction of The High Court of Karnataka, Bangalore, India only.



APPENDIX – I

Details of Qualifying Examination

For admission to undergraduate courses in Engineering/Architecture/Planning, Universities/ Institutes in India require the applicants to have completed at least 12 years of schooling (equivalent to 10+2 system of Indian Education). Applicant should have completed successfully Mathematics, Physics and one of the subjects from (Chemistry, Biotechnology, Computer Science, Biology) in 11th and / or 12th, as applicable in the respective boards.

The following foreign examination have been recognized by Association of Indian Universities (AIU) as equivalent to +2 stage qualification of an Indian Board giving access to the Bachelor Degree programme at Indian Universities. In case applicants qualification is not listed, they need to apply to AIU for an equivalence certificate. (For details Visit Association of Indian Universities website <http://www.aiuweb.org/Evaluation/evaluation.asp>).

1. 12 years Baccalaureate Certificate of Chad, Gabon, France and Tunisia.
2. International Baccalaureate Diploma awarded by International Baccalaureate Organization Geneva, Switzerland.
3. 12 years General Secondary Education Certificate of the Ministry of Education Bahrain, Egypt, Jordan, Kuwait, Oman, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates and other Gulf countries.
4. GCE/IGCSE/GCSE examinations of the approved British Examination Bodies, with Minimum 5 (Five) subjects in A, B, C Grades including English at ORDINARY ('O') Level and 2/3 subjects at ADVANCED LEVEL has been equated with +2 stage qualification. Candidates intending to join Professional courses are required to have passed the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, and Biology/Mathematics in ADVANCED LEVEL & English at AS LEVEL.
5. 12 Year High School Diploma from accredited Schools of USA.
6. 6. Intermediate/Senior Secondary/Higher Secondary examinations of the approved Boards in Pakistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan and Nepal.
7. 7. 12 year Secondary Stage qualification of National Examinations Board of the Ministry of Education, Ethiopia, Sudan.
8. 12-year Secondary Stage examination conducted by various Provinces in * Canada and Australia.
9. ** GCE "Ordinary and Advanced" level examination of the Department of Education, Government of Sri Lanka, Singapore, Hong Kong & Mauritius.
10. 12 year STPM examination of Malaysia.
11. 12 year Secondary Stage qualification of Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Republic of Vietnam and Yemen Arab Republic
12. "Abitur" examination of Germany.
13. *** 12 year High School Diploma awarded by the accredited American Schools/International Schools in other countries following American System of Education.
14. Pre University Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Iran.
15. 12 year Secondary School Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Islamic Republic of Afghanistan.
16. 12 Year Secondary School Certificate Examination of the Ministry of Education, Islamic Republic of Iraq.
17. 12 Year Senior School certificate Examination of West African Examinations Council (WACE) in A, B, C Grades on a scale of 1-4 (A-1, B-2, B-3, C-4) conducted in the countries of Nigeria etc.
18. EXAMEN D'ETAT of the Ministry of Primary, Secondary & Professional Education in the Democratic Republic of Congo.
19. 12 year Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with more than 5 (Five) subjects in the Grades 'A' 'B' & 'C' of the Kenya National Examinations Council, Nairobi, Kenya.
20. Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with minimum 2 (Two) Principal Passes & 2(Two) Subsidiary Passes of the National Examinations Council of Tanzania.
21. Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education Examination with minimum 2 (Two) Principal Passes & 2(Two) Subsidiary Passes of the Uganda Examinations Board.

- * Candidate having passed Ontario Secondary School Diploma of the Ministry of Education, Ontario should have acquired minimum 6 (Six) "U/M " (University Preparatory Courses).
- ** Candidates having passed O and A level Examinations should fulfill the same conditions as prescribed at Sr. No. (4).
- *** High School Diploma awarded by the American Schools in USA and other parts of the world should be accredited either by the State Departments of Education OR by Six Regional Accrediting Agencies in USA:
 1. Middle States Association of School and Colleges.
 2. New England Association of School and Colleges.
 3. North Central Association of School and Colleges.
 4. Northwest Association of School and Colleges.
 5. Southern Association of School and Colleges.
 6. Western Association of School and Colleges.

(AIU does not accept High School Diploma pursued through ONLINE/ DISTANCE Mode).

Disclaimer: The above information has been obtained and reproduced from the website of AIU and due care has been taken. However, it is the applicant's responsibility to check and verify the above information for latest update from the AIU website.



APPENDIX – II

Certificate from School as proof of completion of 11th and 12th Standard orequivalent
(on School letter head)

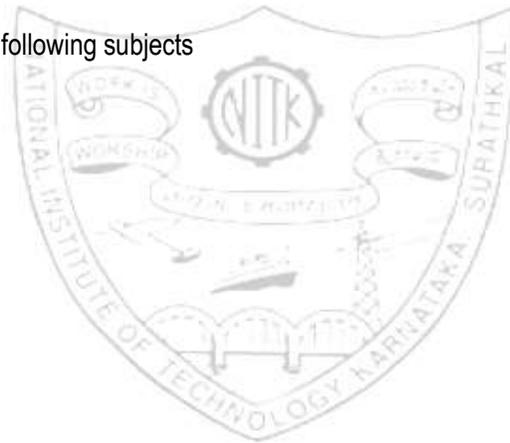
Date:

Study Certificate

This is to certify that S/o or D/o was a bonafide student of this institution from(Month & Year) to(Month & Year) from Class.....to Class.....

He/she appeared/is appearing for the Examination conducted by (Board) in (Month) 20..... (Year) in the following subjects

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.



The medium of instruction in Class XI and XII was

Signature and seal with date

Name of the Head of School/Institution

Note: School name and complete address must be given clearly in the letter head. In case it is not in English or Hindi, provide translated version with required signature and seal.

APPENDIX – III

Certificate from the company/organization as proof that parent is working in gulf country (For CIWG category only)

Date:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that father of / mother of
..... (select any one of the following as appropriate)

(1) is presently working in (Company name & address) since (date/month/year)

(2) was working in ----- (Company name & address) from
(date/month/year) to (date/month/year).

He/she is an Indian citizen & his/her passport number is

Signature and seal with date,

Name of the company/organization

Address of the company

Note: If the second option is ticked, then the parent would have worked till any date in the year 2020

In case it is not in English or Hindi, provide translated version with required signature and seal.

APPENDIX – IV**Certificate from School as proof of education (on School letter head)**

Date:

Study Certificate

This is to certify that S/o or D/o was a bonafide student of this institution from(Month& Year) to(Month& Year) (from Class.....to Class.....).

Signature and seal with date

Name of Head of School/Institution

Note: School name and complete address must be given clearly in the letter head. In case it is not in English or Hindi, provide translated version with required signature and seal.

