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# **DELHI UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS 2017**

## **A KICK START GUIDE FOR DU ASPIRANTS**

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# DELHI UNIVERSITY ADMISSION PROCESS FOR 2017-2018

For lakhs of students around the country and world, the start of Delhi university admission season came as a major respite. May 22 was decided as the date for beginning of registrations for undergraduate courses, while the last date for admissions is yet to be decided.

In a sigh of relief for students, Delhi University announced the dates for admission to its undergraduate as May 22 and post graduate courses as May 31. The admissions which were to start in mid or later part of April were

postponed due to official glitches. The process was to start before announcement of board results so that students could fill all other categories and till the result came.



## Early registrations

The varsity is starting the admission process at least two weeks earlier than previous years to avoid the rush and give students a good amount of time for the registration process. The last date for registration is yet to be finalized.

## Different dates for post graduation and courses requiring entrance exam

The courses which require students to pass an entrance test will start registrations on May 31. DU conducts entrance tests for courses such as Bachelor of Management Studies, BA (Hons) Business Economics, Bachelor of Business Administration (financial investment analysis) and the number of these undergraduate students goes up to 1600. Admission to PhD, MPhil and postgraduation courses will also start on May 31.

## Online registration

The admission process for all the courses will be online, including Sports, Extra Curricular Activities (ECA), Kashmiri Migrants, CW (Defence), and PwD categories. The students, after registering themselves on DU's admission portal, will be required to upload self-attested and scanned copies of their documents after following the instructions and then make the payment online.

## DU JAT 2017

The DU admission committee members have introduced 12 new centres for conducting DU Joint Admission Test (DU-JAT) across the country for the upcoming academic session this year.

The DU JAT is conducted every year for short-listing students for admissions to undergraduate programmes at Delhi

University's affiliated institutes. DU JAT 2017 is conducted for admissions to six colleges, offering Bachelor of Management Studies (BMS), and eight other colleges which offer B.A (Hons) Business Economics and BBA (FIA) programmes.

Increasing the number of centres which stood at six, namely: Bengaluru, Nagpur, Delhi, Jammu, Varanasi and Kolkata, last year, the students will now be allowed to appear in cities like Ahmedabad, Bhopal, Bhubaneshwar, Chandigarh, NCR, Guwahati,

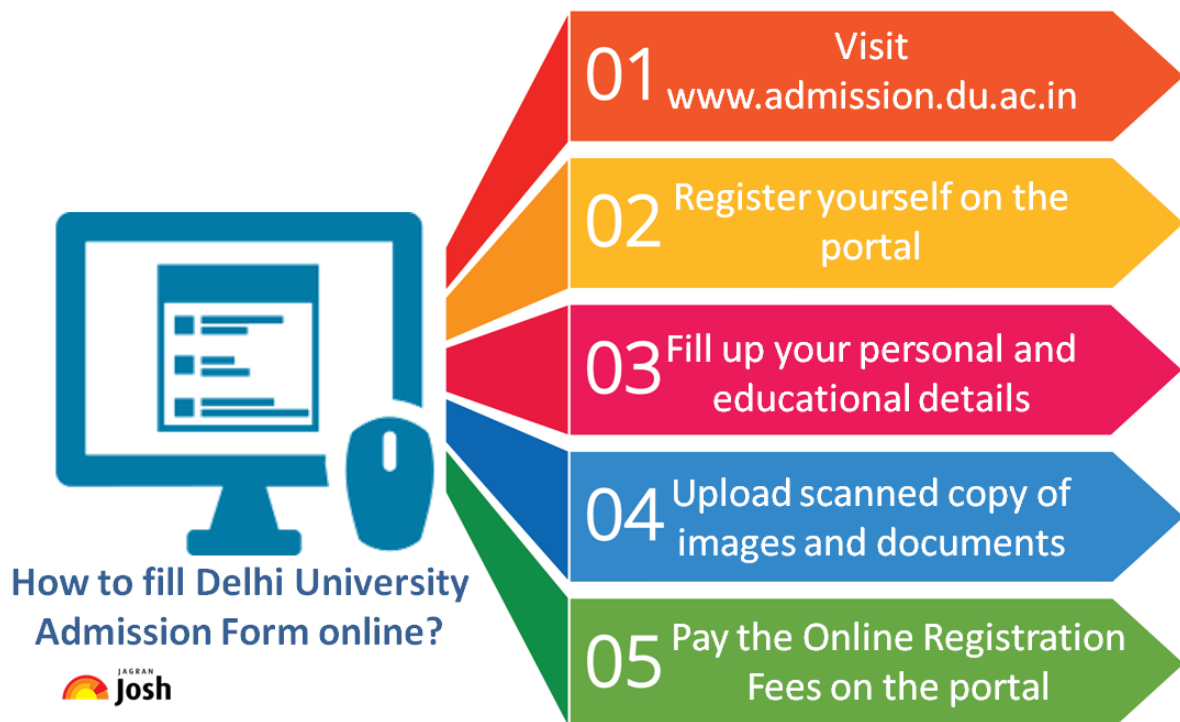
Hyderabad, Jaipur, Mumbai, Patna, Ranchi, Thiruvananthapuram.

### Admission criteria still undecided

The varsity has still not decided whether it will conduct an online entrance test for post graduate courses since the proposal got substantial back lashing from students. The Delhi university authorities will hold a standing committee meeting to finalise the admission criteria for various courses on May 16.

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# DELHI UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS 2017: HOW TO FILL ONLINE APPLICATION FORM?



Delhi University admissions which were supposed to start in late April, eventually began on May 22. While this delay has you glued to the university website, make sure your other preparations are on point by reading this guide to fill the university form and admission check-list.

The Delhi University Admissions 2017 season is upon us. Like every year, the DU Admissions 2017 are expected to be super competitive for this year as well, keeping in mind the increased interested and the new courses that are on offer. Students who are seeking

admission to their favourite Delhi University Colleges will have to be ready and prepared to tackle the challenge on online application process to ensure that they do not miss out on any deadlines.

For the benefit of the DU aspirants, we have compiled a simple step-by-step guide to help students complete the Delhi University Online Admission Application Form easily.

The first thing you will have to do to get into Delhi University, is to fill the form and here we give show you the steps to do that:

### Steps to fill online application form of Delhi University

- Go to the official website of Delhi university.
- Click on the relevant registration link.
- You will now be required to fill up your personal and educational details.
- Next, you shall be asked to upload the scanned images of photograph and signature.
- Also, you will be required to upload the self-attested copies of 10th and 12th class mark sheet and certificate.
- Choose between online or offline mode of payment. Online payment can be done through debit/credit card or net banking.
- After verifying all the details, click on the final submit button.
- After the registration, you will be sent a confirmation mail will be sent email address.
- Click on the confirmation link and make sure all the details are correct as any change in the application form will not be entertained by the university after final submission.

### Documents Required for DU Online Application Form

- Your passport size photograph.
- Scanned signature.
- Self attested copy of Class X Board Certificate (for the date of birth)
- Self attested Class XII Marks-Sheet, if result is announced. (In case Mark-Sheet is not issued by the Board then the self attested copy of the Mark-Sheet downloaded from the respective boards' website should be uploaded).
- Self attested copy of SC/ST/OBC/PwD/KM/CW Certificate, if applicable.
- Self attested copy of income certificate (for OBC non-creamy layer) Certificate, if applicable.
- Self attested copy of Sport Certificate(s) for last three years, if applicable.
- Self attested copy of Extra Curricular Activities Certificate(s), if applicable

## Important Dates for Delhi University Admission Season 2017

Events	Dates (Tentative)
Online Registration from	May 22 to second June 2017
Issue & Receipt of Forms @ Registration centres	First week of June 2017 to Third week of June 2017
Notification of Admission List by Colleges	Last week of June 2017
Admission and Payment of Fees	Last week of June 2017
Last date for admission in UG courses	Second week of August 2017

We hope that most of your confusions regarding DU registrations will be solved after reading this article and it will be easier for you to understand the process. For other details, keep following our section on Delhi University admissions.

# COMPLETE GUIDE TO DELHI UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE EXAMS

Delhi University cut-offs make headlines every year and understandably so. They reached 100 per cent in 2015, creating frenzy among the students. However, there are some courses (nine to be exact) for which students can avoid the entire ordeal and sit for an

entrance exam for a better shot at a seat in country's most prestigious university.

The list of courses which admit students through an entrance exam was increased from 8, to 9 in 2017 with BA (Hons) Music being the latest addition.

## DU Admissions 2017: Courses that will have entrance exam for Admissions

**Bachelor of Management Studies (BMS)**

**Bachelor of Business Administration (Financial Investment Analysis)**

**BA (Hons.) Business Economics**

**BA (Hons.) Humanities and Social Sciences**

**Bachelor of Elementary Education (B.El.Ed.)**

**Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Health Education & Sports: B.Sc. (P.E., H.E. & S.)**

**BA (Hons.) Multimedia and Mass Communication**

**B.Tech. (Information Technology and Mathematical Innovations)**

**BA (Hons.) Music**



## Eligibility Criteria for DU Admissions through Entrance Exams

Let us see in detail the requirements and criteria for entrances for the above mentioned courses.

*Bachelor of Management Studies,  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
(Financial Investment Analysis) and  
BA (Hons.) Business Economics  
(BMS/BA(FIA)/BBE)*

### Entrance

The admission process in Delhi University colleges for these programmes is through a centralised common entrance test known as Joint Admission Test (JAT). The candidate has to sit for a Group Discussion (GD) and Personal Interview (PI) for BBA-FIA and BMS courses.

However, for BBE the admission happens on basis of the marks obtained in JAT and the counselling process is usually held after 2-3 weeks post the exam.

### Selection criteria

The marks in both, qualifying board and the entrance exam.

### Colleges

- BMS: Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies (CBS), Deen Dayal Upadhyay College, Keshav Mahavidyalaya, Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Ramanujan College
- BA (FIA): Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies (CBS)
- BBE: Gargi College, Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, Shivaji College, Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa

College, Maharaja Agrasen College,  
College of Vocational Studies,  
Lakshmibai College

## *Bachelor of Elementary Education (B.El.Ed.)*

### Entrance

Bachelor of Elementary Education is a 4-year integrated course and the students who wish take admission in this course have to sit for an entrance test conducted by Central Institute of Education, Delhi University.

### Eligibility

Students must have passed Higher Secondary Exam from a recognized institute/board.

The aggregate marks of the candidate should not be more than 50 per cent.

### Colleges

Total number of seats in this category are 400, with participating colleges being:

- Aditi Mahavidyala
- Gargi College
- Jesus And Mary College
- Institute of Home Economics
- Lady Sri Ram College
- Mata Sundri College
- Miranda House College
- Shyama Prasad Mukherji College

## *BA (Hons.) Humanities and Social Sciences*

Instead of prescribing a fixed set of courses, BA (Hons.) Humanities and Social Sciences students get the opportunity to design their own degree. The admission is done to the Cluster Innovation Centre and the students are required to take some basic courses in semesters one and sixth to gain competence in core areas such as Art of Communication,

Innovation Management, Cultural Diversity in India and Legal Literacy.

In semesters two to five, students are given the freedom to choose courses to specialize in a particular stream such as Journalism, Historical Tourism, Counselling and Art and Design. This would equip them to choose appropriate professions for themselves.

### Entrance

Students have to give an entrance test to get into the through a written MCQ based entrance test which is conducted throughout the country.

### Eligibility

A student, currently appearing or passed with minimum aggregate marks at 10+2 level as mentioned below (category wise):

#### General Category

60% in any four subjects (including English / MIL)

#### OBC Category

54% in any four subjects (including English / MIL)

#### PwD / CW Category

57% in any four subjects (including English / MIL)

#### SC/ST Category

Passing marks (including English / MIL)

### Colleges

- Cluster Innovation Centre.

*Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, Health Education & Sports: B.Sc. (P.E., H.E. & S.)*

### Entrance

For admission in this course, the candidates have to choose one of these two streams:

- Admission through sports stream
- Admission through academic stream

In sports stream, the candidate will have to give a written exam, academic achievement, sports proficiency, physical fitness, playing ability, interview and medical examination.

Whereas, in academic stream, the candidate will have to give a written exam, academic achievement, academic proficiency, physical fitness and interview.

### Eligibility

Students must have passed Higher Secondary Exam from a recognized institute/board.

### Colleges:

- Indira Gandhi Institute of Physical Education and Social Sciences.

*BA (Hons.) Multimedia and Mass Communication*

### Entrance

All aspiring candidates are required to appear for the Entrance Test. The Entrance test is planned to test the basic skills required to meet curricular requirements of the Course. The test will be on General Awareness & Current Affairs and on English Comprehension, Grammatical and Analytical Skills and will be a multiple choice question test of 2 hours duration.

### Eligibility

BMMMC is open to students from all streams. Candidates are required to have a minimum best of four aggregate of 60%. Since the eligibility criteria announced to appear for the entrance test already factors in the Class 12 Board Examination result, there is no separate



weightage for those results in the final merit list.

### College

- Indraprastha College for Women.

*B.Tech. (Information Technology and Mathematical Innovations)*

### Entrance

A written MCQ based entrance test is conducted at centers identified by the university.

The written entrance test of two hours duration is based on mathematics, reasoning and analytical abilities at 10+2 levels.

The marking pattern is as specified by the university. In case, each course have to decide individually, there are 100 questions and for each correct answer a student scores + 4 marks and for each negative response there is -1 mark.

### Eligibility

Admission will be done according to the merit list prepared on the basis of the marks secured in the entrance test.

In case there is a tie in the merit list for the final seat, the criteria specified by the university rules shall be adopted to break the tie.

### College

- Cluster Innovation Centre

*BA (Hons.) Music*

### Entrance

Entrance Test, as is mentioned in Clause-I, above, is conducted by the Department, as per the schedule of admissions announced. A merit list is prepared on the basis of the

performance of candidates at the Entrance Test, details of which are notified on the Notice Board of the Department and admissions made, in order of merit, subject to availability of seats. Music being a performing art, admissions will be made strictly on the basis of merit of the performance at the Entrance Test and the candidate's aptitude on the concerned subject.

### Eligibility

Candidates seeking admission to the Bachelor with Honours in Music (Hindustani/ Karnataka) (Vocal/Instrumental) Music & Percussion Course must have passed any one of the following examinations with 45% or more marks in the aggregate with Music as one of the subjects: Senior School Certificate Examination (12-year Course) of the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi.

**OR**

Indian School Certificate Examination (12-year Course) of the Council for Indian School Certificate Examination, New Delhi.

**OR**

Intermediate Examination of any of the Indian Universities/Boards recognised by the University of Delhi.

**OR**

Any other examination recognised as equivalent to the Senior School Certificate Examination (12-year Course) of the Central Board of Secondary Education. New Delhi.

**OR**

Pre-University Examination (2-year Course) of an Indian University/board recognised by the University of Delhi.

**Note:**

1. Candidates who have not offered Music as one of the subjects at the last qualifying Examination and desirous of seeking admission to the Bachelor with Honours in Music (Hindustani/Karnatak) (Vocal/Instrumental) & Percussion Course, must have learnt Music for not less than three years in a recognised institution.

**OR**

Learnt Music for not less than three years from a well-known teacher/guru. Such candidates will be required to submit a certificate issued by the institution/teacher/guru, as the case may be to this effect.

2. The aggregate 45% marks requirement of any of the examinations mentioned above (clause 1) will be determined on the basis of one language (core/ elective) and three more elective subjects including Music.

3. List of institutions for grant of recognition in connection with the eligibility clause for admission to Bachelor with Honours in Music Sangeet Shiromani Diploma Course, in Hindustani Music:

a. Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth (main branches)

b. Gandharva Mahavidyalaya Mandal (main branches)

c. Prayag Sangeet Samiti (main branches)

d. Indira Kala Sangeet Vishvavidyalaya (main branches)

e. Bhartiya Vidya Bhavan (main branches)

f. Bhartiya Kala Kendra, New Delhi

g. Sangeet Bharati, New Delhi

h. Triveni, New Delhi

#### **Colleges**

- Daulat Ram College
- Hindu College
- Indraprastha College for Women
- Miranda House
- Ramjas College

We hope that after reading this article, DU entrances would seem to be less confusing to the students than before. The applications for these courses will start on May 31 so be prepared with all your documents for the mad race of admissions.



# 6 REASONS THAT WILL CONVINCEN YOU TO JOIN DELHI UNIVERSITY

The college entrance season is here and the fresh school pass outs are standing on the crossroads where they have to take possibly the most difficult decision of their lives till this point. They have to select the university, college and course which can fuel their ambitions and be the best choice, keeping in mid their inclinations and likings.

If you are planning to join Delhi University but can't take the plunge, we have some reasons that might convince you.

**Here are some reasons why you should join Delhi University:**

## Among The Best Universities In The World

Delhi University is famous not only in India but entire world for its academic excellence and commitment to quality education. A whole arena of opportunities opens up for students after their graduation and they can utilise the exposure to get good jobs and lead an informed life ahead. With a vibrant campus that offers excellent academic exposure to a variety of courses including offbeat academic honours programmes; Delhi University has it to compete with the best educational institutes in the world.

## Cultural Societies

While academics are taken care of by professors at Delhi University, students

themselves work very hard to make the campus vibrant with the help of several cultural societies. In fact, many claim that the Delhi University's cultural societies are at par with professional training institutes where you can learn an art form of your choice. From dancing to theatre and from debating to fashion, there is a society for possibly every activity, including unconventional ones like Sanskrit Literary Societies.

## Unmatchable Exposure

Owing to its great reputation, students from the world come to get education at Delhi University, thus providing an unparalleled exposure to the students studying there. You can find students from remote areas of the country and even abroad in the campus and communicating with them can add to your experience and increase your knowledge about different cultures. Moreover, many reputed college which part of DU's north and south campuses have student and faculty exchange programmes with international institutes and varsities.

So, if you always wanted to travel the world to meet new people, worry not! DU brings the world to you.

## College Fests

The Delhi University College Fests season is something every college student on campus waits for. The high level of competition and performances at these

festivals is hard to find anywhere. Apart from the student competitions, DU Colleges also invite famous Bollywood actors, singers, bands and artists to add to the glamour and entertainment quotient. Apart from all the fun and entertainment, these college festivals also offer a great opportunity to the students to learn the first lessons of management as organizers and volunteers for College Festivals.

Therefore, be it as an organizer or a visitor, DU's college festivals season is something that no student should ever miss.

### The DU Campus or Campuses (However you may like it)

Some of the best colleges of Delhi University are part of the north campus and surrounding streets of Kamla Nagar are the best *adda* for the students who are studying at the University. Popularly known by the urban slang 'Knags', Kamala Nagar is home to some of the best eateries and shopping outlets that students can enjoy. With city's most inexpensive eateries in the area, the life at the campus becomes easy and fun at the same time.

Just because we mentioned North Campus doesn't mean the South misses out on any campus fun. In fact, Delhi University's south campus is very popular

among the students as it is surrounded by some of the most happening places in the town. Be it Hauz Khas Village or HKV as most DUites like to call it or SDA Market; the party scene in South Campus is always on. If shopping is something that attracts you then you don't have to look any further. You can hit popular malls like Select CityWalk or if you are on a budget Sarojini Market and GK M Block will help you stay in style.

### Unconventional Courses

At Delhi University, there is something for everyone. You want to pursue BSc in Instrumentation or Polymer Science? No problem at all. The university flaunts such and many other eccentric courses. Apart from this, there are premium journalism and business courses for students. Plus being in the centre of India's political capital and close to the IT and multinational hubs of Gurgaon and Noida; the university has expanded its syllabus as well as pedagogy to suit the contemporary needs of the students.

These are just few of the reasons that make Delhi University the ideal student destination attracting young and dynamic students from across the country. If you have the right talent and are able to clear the cutoffs, there can't be a better place for you to be.



# TOP 10 DELHI UNIVERSITY COLLEGES YOU MUST TARGET TO GET IN

Listed amongst the top premium educational institutes in India, Delhi University has always been the first choice of students for undergraduate and post graduate courses. Established in the 1922, Delhi University is the first home for top colleges in India. Each centre in Delhi University has maintained high standards of education and has also carved a niche for themselves as centre of excellence in teaching and research in their respective areas.

along with Hindu College and St. Stephen's College, while Miranda is known for its enormous campus and student exchange programmes.

*Here is the list of top colleges which come under the aegis of Delhi University:*

## 1. St. Stephen's College

More often than not, a Google Search about Delhi University will throw up



If St. Stephen's College is known for its high cutoffs then Hindu college has a long list of Notable Alumni like the famous Director Imtiaz Ali and Ajay Jadeja. In 2014, LSR was at the top of the list of Top Arts Colleges of University of Delhi. Lady Shri Ram College for Women started in 1956 and today it has approx. 2000 studying in it. Ramjas College is one of the founding colleges of University of Delhi,

images of a red brick styled building. This

Indo-Saracenic Revival architecture building is none other than St. Stephen's College. St. Stephen's is the oldest college in Delhi, founded on 1<sup>st</sup> February 1881. Since then, the college has been the example of quality education that takes in youngsters and transforms them into professionals.



## 2. Hindu College

It is crime in DU's north campus to talk out St. Stephen's College without mentioning the Hindu College. This is again, one of the oldest colleges in Delhi, established way back in 1899. But, putting the rivalry aside, the Hindu has all the bragging rights in its kitty to claim the spot of being the best in the university campus. With perfect mix of academic and co-curricular activities, Hindu has surely cemented its position among the top 10.

## 3. Lady Shri Ram College For Women

Popularly known as LSR, the Lady Shri Ram College is an all women college based in South Campus in the hip and hap locality of Lajpat Nagar. With an overall NAAC score of 3.61 (the highest among all DU constituent colleges), LSR surely is the place to be if academics are your strong suit.

## 4. Miranda House

Without any doubts, Miranda House – the residential college for women, is one of the premier Women's Institutions of Delhi University. Miranda college campus has one of the most beautiful and largest campuses in Delhi University. Known for its active placement cell, Miranda House has International collaborations and exchange programmes for the students of different departments.

## 5. Hans Raj College

Another gem from the north Campus, Hans Raj College is one of the most well known DU Colleges in India. The college offers a variety of undergraduate

academic programmes in all the three streams - arts, science and commerce. With over 5000 students, Hans Raj is surely one of the biggest constituent colleges of Delhi University.

## 6. Ramjas College

One of the three founding colleges of University of Delhi, the Ramjas College has a rich legacy and heritage when it comes to academic excellence. This historic academic institution was established in 1917 and has been the pioneer of holistic education not only on DU campus but across India. The courses offered at Ramjas go above and beyond the limits of traditional academics covering personality development, skill development and igniting the entrepreneurial spirit of the students

## 7. Shri Ram College of Commerce

Fondly known as SRCC on campus, the Shri Ram College of Commerce has carved a niche for itself in the field of economics and commerce studies. The college has singular focus on Economics and Commerce and offers undergraduate and postgraduate courses in these fields. In addition to this, the college also offers PG Diploma in Management termed as "Post Graduate Diploma in Global Business Operations" (GBO).

## 8. Indraprastha College For Women

Indraprastha College for Women is popular as IP College and holds the honour of being the oldest women's college in Delhi. The institute started its journey in 1924, offering graduate and postgraduate level academic programmes in a variety of fields. One of the most distinct feats of IP College is that it is the



only college to offer Bachelor in Mass Media and Mass Communication (BMMMMC) degree in Delhi University.

### 9. Sri Venkateswara College

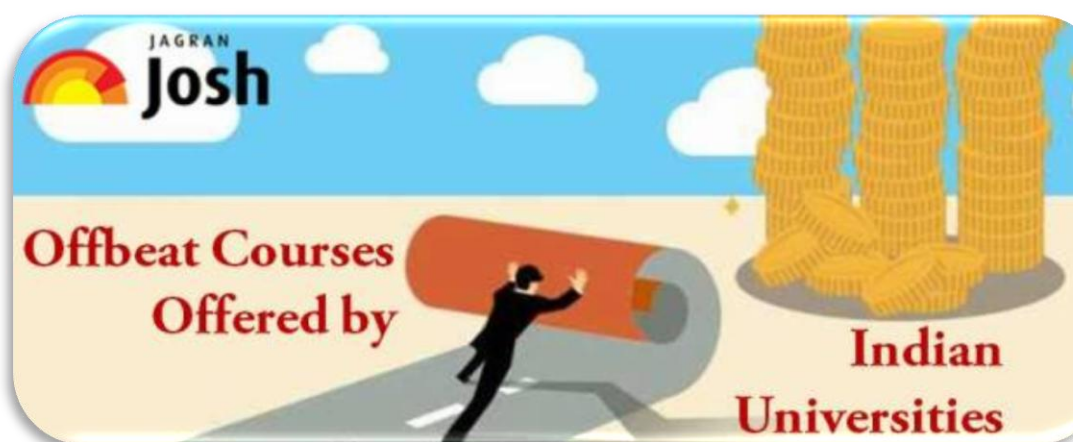
What started as an education avenue for South Indian students in Delhi, Sri Venkateswara College has emerged as a nationally renowned educational institute. The key USP of SVC is its distinct approach to handle varied and contemporary needs of the students. For this, along with focusing upon the core academics, the College has also developed vocational courses and skill development programmes. Backed by its efforts in the field, SVC has been recognized as the centre of excellence in the field of education.

### 10. Jesus & Mary College

Famous by its acronym JMC, the Jesus & Mary College is a women's only college of

Delhi University. The college is located in the prime locality of Chanakyapuri and is part of the university's south campus. The college has dedicated itself to holistic development of the students through participation in different projects. Students from JMC are encouraged to take up project work with different government and private colleges such as DMRC, HUDCO, the Planning Commission and others, as part of their academic endeavours.

Delhi University is without any doubt a premier educational institution of the country. The standard and the level of education of these colleges can be understood with the fact that six Delhi University colleges have made it to the list of the top 10 colleges in India under a national ranking released by the human resources development (HRD) ministry, with Miranda House being ranked at number one. If you are planning to join DU this year, these colleges should definitely be on your wish list.



# 5 MOST SOUGHT AFTER COURSES OF DELHI UNIVERSITY

Delhi University colleges and courses are talk of the town throughout the year but things become more intense during the admission season for obvious reasons. Here we list five of the most famous courses provided by the university. While some require a specific background in class 12, others don't. Read on make your mind regarding which course to take up.

There is a reason why Delhi University is considered to be India's best university. It not only boasts off a brilliant faculty but also provides hundreds of courses for students to choose from. There is a course for everyone no matter how varied their interests are.

However, of all these courses there are certain which have been in high demand for decades now. These programs see lakhs of aspirants every year lining up to get admissions despite sky-high cut offs. Here we discuss 5 of them:

## 1. English Honors:

Through the years, English honours has been one course which has gained immense interest among the students. The course requires them to read and analyze not only writers like Shakespeare but also ancient Indian authors. DU has scraped off the entrance test (CJET) and admission to this course happens through cut-off system itself now.

Career options: Students usually go into journalism, teaching or research after

graduating with English honors.

Top Colleges For English Literature in DU: Jesus & Mary College, LSR, Hindu, St. Stephens, Gargi College, Hans Raj College, Hindu College, Maharaja Agrasen College, Maitreyi College, Miranda House and Sri Venkateswara College

## 2. Political Science Honors:

If you spend a lot of your time discussing governance with your peers and are interested in the constitution and law of the nation, political science will be a well suited course for you. Political science is highly popular among students while applying for Delhi University. The political science is mostly a theory course that introduces you to the political setup of various countries in the world. As a student of Political science, you have study subjects like Schools of political thought, classical political philosophy, international relations, diplomacy, etc.

Career options: Political advisor, NGO, Civil Service, etc. Some other fields are teaching, journalism and social research. Alternatively, students also go for Masters in Political Science or International Relations.

Top Colleges For Political Science in DU: Lady Sri Ram, Hindu, Hans Raj, Daulat Ram College, Jesus & Mary College, Kalindi College, Kamla Nehru College, Kirori Mal College and Sri Venkateswara College.

## 3. Economics Honors

Economics honours is another sought after course at Delhi University. If you like playing with numbers and analyzing financial theories, this could be a perfect course for you. An economist plays a great role in the development of a nation and hence the perks of pursuing this course go beyond the monetary benefits.

Career options: Economics graduates can work with government enterprises, private firms, public undertakings, finance sector, banking firms and business journals who are constantly looking for economics experts.

Top Colleges For Economic Honours in DU: Shri Ram College of Commerce, Hindu, Hansraj, St. Stephens, LSR, JMC, KMC, Miranda House and Shaheed Bhagat Singh College

#### 4. B.Com Honors

Another course which attracts math geeks is B.Com honours which is famous for its ever rising cut-offs every year. A B.Com student has to study subjects like: Finance Accounting, Business Statistics, Micro Economics, Business Law, Corporate Accounting, Corporate Tax etc.

Career options: A B.Com graduate can work for any private or government institution as an expert in any of the above mentioned streams of commerce. They can also work as accounts or management executives. Many B.Com graduates opt for pursuing a career in auditing or banking.

Top Colleges For B.Com Honours in DU: SRCC, LSR, Hindu, Hansraj, Kirori Mal College, Venkateswara College and Indraprastha College for Women.

#### 5. Psychology Honors

You should take up psychology honours if you want to learn about the working of human

mind.

BA (Psychology) course involves study of mind processes, motives, reactions, feelings, conflict resolution, crisis management, groupthink, motivation and nature of the mind. In Delhi University, there are three options for students to choose from: BA (Hons.) Psychology. More details are provided here: [http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus\\_2015/B.A.%20Hons.%20Psychology.pdf](http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus_2015/B.A.%20Hons.%20Psychology.pdf)

BA (Hons.) Applied Psychology. More details are provided here: [http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus\\_2015/B.A.%20Hons.%20Applied%20Psychology.pdf](http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus_2015/B.A.%20Hons.%20Applied%20Psychology.pdf)

Psychology paper in BA (Programme). More details are provided here: [http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus\\_2015/B.A.%20Prog.%20Psychology.pdf](http://www.du.ac.in/uploads/Syllabus_2015/B.A.%20Prog.%20Psychology.pdf)

In BA programme, psychology is just a paper amongst many others.

Career options: Students can work as child psychologist, clinical psychologist, Counsellor, forensic psychologist, health psychologist, industrial psychologist, neuropsychologist, school psychologist, social Psychologist, social worker and sports psychologist etc.

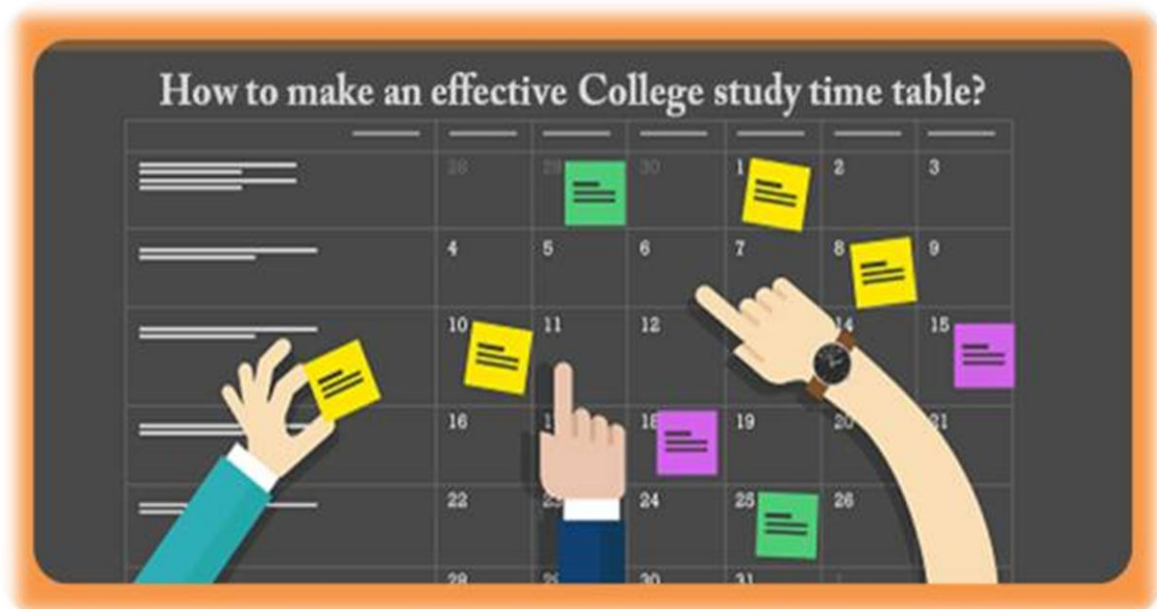
Top Colleges For Psychology Honours in DU: Lady Shri Ram College for Women (Basic Psychology), BR Ambedkar College (Applied Psychology), Daulat Ram College (Basic Psychology), Gargi College (Applied Psychology), IP College for Women (Basic Psychology), Kamla Nehru College (Basic Psychology), Sri Aurobindo (Evening) College (Applied Psychology), Keshav Mahavidyalaya (Basic Psychology), Jesus and Mary College (Basic Psychology)

#### 5. Journalism Honors

Journalism honours is an exclusive course provided only by 6 Delhi University colleges. The course requires students to understand and manifest various aspects of journalism, documentary making and radio projects. From shooting to editing, everything is part of the curriculum and students get an exposure like none other. Out of these six colleges, Indraprastha College for Women has the distinction of being the only college in India to provide BMMMC (bachelors of Mass Media and Mass Communication) course.

Career options: A Journalism graduate can go on to become a reporter, writer or a researcher. A lot of students also opt to do higher studies in movie making and script writing.

Top Colleges For Journalism Honours in DU: Delhi College of Arts And Commerce, IP College For Women, Kalindi College, Kamala Nehru College, Lady Shri Ram College for women and Maharaja Agrasen College.



# BEST PLACES TO EAT AT WHILE STUDYING IN DELHI UNIVERSITY

Admission to Delhi University not just opens the gate to a bright future but also to some restaurants which offer lip-smacking delicacies. Here we give you a comprehensive list of eating joints you cannot afford to give a miss while studying in Delhi University (or otherwise).

Someone once said that gluttony is an emotional escape! Oh, how we agree with that statement. Everything in life is about food, even the admission to country's best university.

Hanging out in Delhi University is incomplete without eating at the famous and age-old eating joints. Here we list some of the best places to it in and around North and South campus.

## **Momo's Point**

This is one of the oldest food joints to have cropped up in Kamala Nagar and is owned by Harsh, an alumnus of Hansraj College. As a student, Harsh would go to far corners of Delhi to satiate his momo cravings and it is then that he decided to open a restaurant which served momos. Initially, the menu only comprised off basic types of momos like steamed vegetarian, pork and chicken but with passing time, it changed to a more vibrant, elaborate one which now comprises of delicacies like honey chilli potatoes as well.

*Must try: Spicy chicken winglets and fried pork momos.*

## **Big Yellow Door**

Known for its quirky ambience, Big Yellow Door is known to everyone who lives around North Campus of Delhi University. The lovely ambience more than compensates for the small indoors. The place gets open early in the morning 8am till late night 11pm and is almost always crowded with people waiting in line for their turn to eat. Owing to its popularity, the restraunt recently opened its doors in the South Campus area of Satya Niketan where it has received an equal amount of love.

*Must try: signature BYD cheese 'bomb' burger and baked cheese nachos, peach ice cream soda and rocky road shake, chicken wings and white sauce pasta.*

## **Tom Uncle's Maggi Point**

Situated near Ramjas College, this eating joint is a maggi lover's paradise. The place offers innovative recipes involving maggi and the menu is elaborate and never ending. The place has been open for more than three decades now and generations of students vouch for its excellence. The place also serves sodas and other quick snacks that are regularly devoured by hungry students.

*Must try: Cheese Masala Maggi, Corn Masala Cheese Butter Maggi, Manchurian cheese maggi, Litchi slush*

## **Pg Men's Hostel**

Canteen at PG men's hostel, also known as PG men's mess or Anna's mess is the place to go

for, for eating delectable South Indian cuisine. The canteen is run by Shetty Anna and also serves mouth-watering South Indian food and filter coffee throughout the week. It is open for all students of North Campus and becomes a great hangout place before 8pm. Their biryani and chicken parathas are also popular among students. Every Saturday, the South Indian Canteen at the PG Men's Hostel serves the best chicken biryani in the North campus.

*Must try: Dalvadas, idlis, uttapams and four types of mouth-watering rice preparations - tamarind, curd, tomato and egg.*

### **Beeryani**

As the name suggests, this place is perfect for people who get excited by the idea of having biryani with beer. The rich aroma and flavor of the Biryani dishes are something you cannot afford to miss here. The low-cost menu also has Mughlai and North Indian cuisines for people. The place is opposite to IIT Main Gate and has some great deals for beer lovers as well.

The place also has some fun games for entertainment and free beer. For example, they once kept a competition of giving free tower of beer to those who could finish the first tower in 15 minutes.

*Must try: Bakr Burra Biryani, Murg Tikka Pulao, Subz Biryani*

### **Ricos**

Famous for its wooden decor and American, Lebanese, Mexican, Italian and Continental dishes, Ricos is another important hub for

Delhi University students, especially in North campus. It costs Rs 750 for two people and is known for its quality of food they offer and the ambience. Alcohol and no smoking are not allowed in the restaurant. It stays open till 11 pm and is situated in Hudson Lane, Kingsway Camp. It is said to be one of the best budget cafes in the area and has some amazing drinks to offer with main dishes.

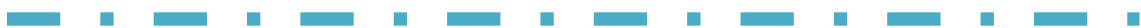
*Must try: Monster waffle, ceasar salad, chicken lasagna*

### **QDs Restaurant**

Brainchild of 2 innovative individuals, QD's strives to create an experience which is immersive, sensory, delicious and mouth-watering. The heavenly culinary concoctions at the restaurant transport you into a delectable journey of mystery and desire. The restaurant is situated in Satyaniketan market near south campus and serves North Indian and Chinese cuisines and is most famous for its tandoori momos. The dishes do not cost more Rs 500 for two people and it is for the same reason that it is so popular among the students.

*Must try: Chicken Tandoori Momos, Butter Chicken, Veg Tandoori Momos, Paneer Lababdar, Dim Sum, Lemonade, Chocolate MonsterShake.*

This list best eating joints in and around Delhi University campuses should be your ultimate destinations once you get over with the admission hassle. We have tried to give you a mix of restaurants from both north and south campus so that no one is left desiring for good food.





# 10 COLLEGE SOCIETIES THAT WILL CONVINCEN YOU TO JOIN DELHI UNIVERSITY TODAY

Every student dreams of a perfect University that offers a right dose of study and fun making learning fun and exciting. It's really important for a student to take part in extra-curricular activities and take out some time for themselves for their holistic growth and development. Therefore, cultural societies, clubs and co-

activities, but not many stand can a chance when compared to Delhi University. DU has carved its own niche when it comes to cultural societies, college fests and everything that students can dream off in a cultural society. So, if you needed another reason to apply to Delhi University Admissions this year, this



curricular activities should definitely be on one's radar while choosing their college of University this admission season.

While there are many who claim to offer the perfect combo of academic and other

may be it.

So, if you are planning to be a part of Delhi University then you must know about these 10 prominent cultural societies.

## 1. Abhivyakti - The Dramatics Society of Indraprastha College

Abhivyakti is one of the best dramatic societies of Delhi University. They are best known for tackling social issues in their own comical and satirical style. Chauraha, one of the most popular street play festivals of DU is organized by Abhivyakti along with Shruti, the annual fest of IP College.

Want to reward your inner actor with the perfect platform to bring out the superstar? Abhivyakti will help you do that and much more.

## 2. Nazaakat - The folk dance society of Gargi College

Nazaakat, the Folk Dance society of Gargi College, is best known for its vibrating *ghungroos*, colourful costumes, intricate choreography and the soul touching expressions of the group members. It is one of the best Folk dance societies that we have on the campus.

If your foot starts tapping to beats, you should not give this one a miss.

## 3. The Players - Theatre Group Society of Kirori Mal College

This theatre society has a golden history of 52 years. It is supposed to be the launch pad of many talents in Bollywood, including Kabir Khan, Satish Kaushik, Ali Abbas Zafar, Habib Faisal, Vijay Raaz. It hosts inter-college theatre festival annually. What they believe in, is "experiment and never settle for the conventional." Probably this makes them one of the best!

## 4. Ibtida - Hindu College

Ibtida is one of the best dramatic societies of Delhi University. With a rigorous three day long audition process, only the best make it to the society. Ibtida was founded by Bollywood director Imtiaz Ali during his student days at Hindu College. Ali directed a number of plays and performed on stage, as a part of this society.

This society also holds its annual theatre fest "Medina" which is a big hit in the university. Ibtida has performed in nine districts of Rajasthan in collaboration with the Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana.

## 5. Glitz-The Fashion Society of Kamala Nehru College

If ramp and catwalk are your things that attract you, this one might be for you. The Glitz is the official fashion society of Kamala Nehru College of DU. This society is for all the fashion lovers out there and has won several accolades for being one of the best on campus. Various publications have declared it to be the best Fashion Society in DU and it has won several awards to back this claim. Glitz society will help you boost your personality with great style and looks.

So, what are you waiting for, bring out the Super Model and head over to Glitz!

## 6. Lakshya - The theatre society of Kamala Nehru College

With just 16 members, this society believes that drama is a revolutionary art form. As the name suggests, the members of Lakshya have taken upon the mission to make theatre and drama the centre piece of the academic culture at Kamala Nehru College and Delhi University Campus in

general. With a tough and detailed audition process, the Lakshya has setup various parameters through which an applicant is judged, including confidence, acting ability, creative thinking, and experience in theatre and voice clarity. While getting into it might be a difficult task, the fruits thereafter are even more sweeter!

### **7. The Hans Raj Projekt**

Always believed yourself to be a rockstar? Well here's your chance to prove it to the world with the Hans Raj Projekt. The Hans Raj Projekt is a part of Swaranjali, the music society of Hans Raj College. This band is a perfect blend of energy, creativity and talent. The band was recently featured on a leading FM radio channel which has increased their fan following on DU campus while raising the stakes for all other bands on the campus. They have also performed at the World Music Day festival held at Ambience Mall, Gurgaon. Give it a change, the Projekt might turn you into a campus sensation overnight.

### **8. Geetanjali - The Indian Choir of Miranda House**

Music is a very integral part of the student lifestyle at Delhi University and Geetanjali – the Indian Music Society or Indian Choir from Miranda House is the perfect example of it. Geetanjali is a blend of two different streams of Indian Classical Music- Hindustan Music and Karnataka Music which adds melody to the life of students. Being a music society of a women only college, there is a hidden meaning message of women empowerment behind the melodious compositions brought out by Geetanjali.

### **9. PIXELS - The Photography Society of Hans Raj College**

Pixels is one of the most prominent societies in Delhi University. It was the first society in DU to ever host a photography exhibition at the Indian Habitat Centre. Plickture, the annual photography festival organized by Pixels attracts a large number of budding photographers across DU. It comprises of exciting competitions and a photography exhibition. If you are good at clicking anything including your own selfies, you should surely give this one a try!

### **10. GALORE- The Fashion Society of Maitreyi College**

Another DU campus sensation has been the GALORE – the fashion society of Maitreyi College College. While giving a platform to the students to express themselves through fashion, the society also empowers them to highlight social issues and causes through their art. Recently, Galore enlightened people on the issue of hunting and poaching of tigers. The society takes pride in the fact that their costumes are made by the society members within the college premises. Cultural Societies in Delhi University Colleges are much more than just being a fun activity, they do expand the horizons of the students while giving them an avenue to express themselves to the fullest. They also aid students in identifying their interests and equip them with the necessary skills and exposure to take one step towards transforming their passion into a career. The above mentioned top 10 cultural societies of Delhi University are just the tip of the iceberg and there are many others that you can explore when you join as a fresher.