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INDIAN ARMY NINETEENTH UNIVERSITY ENTRY SCHEME (19 UES) FOR PERMANENT COMMISSION IN THE ARMY JULY 2010-2011

(Aspiring women studying in final year keen to join through SSC (T) Women may also apply through UES)

The Indian Army is looking for a few good men. For the best and the brightest amongst you. For men with intellect, idealism and courage. Men who can lead and inspire others.

- Applications are invited from **UNMARRIED** male Engineering Degree students studying in Final Year or Pre-Final Year during academic session **July 2010-2011** for Grant of Permanent Commission in the Army in all Arms/Services.
- In addition to the Para 1 above, UES candidates studying in FINAL YEAR can exercise their option for following courses:-
 - TGC - 111 (Jul 2010) Terms and condition will be same as applicable to regular TGC-111 course and SSC (T)-35 course
 - SSC (T) - 35 (Oct 2010) Terms and condition will be same as applicable to regular TGC-111 course and SSC (T)-35 course
- In addition to the Para 1 above, UES candidates studying in PRE FINAL YEAR can exercise their option for following courses:-
 - TGC -113 (Jul 2011) Terms and condition will be same as applicable to regular TGC-113 course and SSC (T) -37 course

Terms and condition will be same as applicable to regular TGC -113 course and SSC (T) -37 course.
- SSG (T) -37 (Oct 2011)
- Unmarried female candidates studying in final year can exercise their option for SSC (T) W -6 only. (Terms and condition will be same as applicable to SSC (T) W -6) commencing in Oct 2010.

Note :

- Induction in above mentioned entries is an additional opportunity provided to candidates studying in pre final year (except women) and final year, otherwise, there is no change in existing terms .and conditions and procedure for induction into TGC/SSC(T) Men/Women entries.

(b) Combined merit list

- In case of final year.** Combined merit list will be prepared for the selected candidates who opt for TGC/SSC(T) men/SSC(T) Women alongwith candidates applying through regular notification of TGC-111, SSC(T)M -35 and SSC(T) W -06 course within the stipulated stream wise vacancies.
 - In case of pre final year.** Combined merit list will be prepared for the selected candidates who opt for TGC/SSC(T) men alongwith candidates applying through regular notification of TGC-113 and SSC(T)M -37 course within the stipulated stream wise vacancies.
 - Students studying in Final year and desirous to apply in AEC (Army Education Corps) are not eligible to apply since it pertains to Engineer Degree Courses only'
 - Candidates studying in the final year/ semester of technical degree examination (BE/B Tech) will be required to submit proof of passing to Rtg. Directorate latest by 16 Aug 2010 and in case of pre final year by **16 Aug. 2011** positive. A certificate from the pr.incipal/ head of the institution must be attached with the application form stating that the final year results will **be** declared before the above mentioned date".
 - Widows of Defence Personnel, (with / without children) issueless widow, issueless divorces are not eligible to apply through University Entry Scheme for SSC (Tech) Women -06 course (Oct 2010). Separate notification will be published in Feb 2010 for SSC (Tech) Women -06 Course in which they can apply.
- 5. VACANCIES - 60 (Only for UES)** (Civil -08, Electrical -08, Mechanical -06, Computer Science -07, Telecom -08, Electronics -07, IT -03, Architecture -03, Public Health Engg -02, Constr Engg -03, Industrial Engg & Mgt -03, Mining-02).

Note : (i) Vacancies of TGC, SSC (T) Men and Women and stream of engineering will be notified in regular notification.

- Final distribution of vacancies for different discipline will be decided by IHQ of MoD (Army) based on requirements.

6. CONDITIONS OF ELIGIBILITY

(a) Nationality: A candidate must either be: (i) a citizen of India, or (ii) a subject of Bhutan, or (iii) a subject of Nepal, or (iv) a Tibetan refugee who came over to India before the 1st January 1962 with the intention of permanently settling in India, Or (v) a person of Indian origin who has migrated from Pakistan, Burma, Sri Lanka and East African Countries of Kenya, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Malawi, Zaire, Ethiopia and Vietnam with the intention of permanently settling in India.

Provided that a candidate belonging to categories (ii), (iii), (iv) and (v) above shall be a person in whose favour a certificate of eligibility has been issued by the Government of India.

Certificate of eligibility will however not be necessary in the case of candidates who are Gorkhas subjects of Nepal.

(b) Age Limit

- UES - 19 (Final Year)** - Born between 02 Jul 85 and 01 Jul 91 - Not below 19 yrs and not over 25 yrs.
- UES - 19 (pre Final Year)** - Born between 02 Jul 86 and 01 Jul 92 - Not below 18 yrs and not over 24 yrs.
- TGC-111 (July 2010)** - Born between 02 Jul 83 and 01 Jul 90 - Not below 20 yrs and not over 27 yrs.
- TGC-113 (July 2011)** - Born between 02 Jul 84 and 01 Jul 91 - Not below 20 yrs and not over 27 yrs.
- SSC (Tech) Men** - 35 (Oct 2010) - Born between 02 Oct 83 and 01 Oct 90 - Not below 20 yrs and not over 27 yrs.
- SSC (Tech) Men** - 37 (Oct 2011) - Born between 02 Oct 84 and 01 Oct 91 - Not below 20 yrs and not over 27 yrs.
- SSC (Tech) Women** - 06 (Oct 2010) - Born between 02 Oct 83 and 01 Oct 90 - Not below 20 yrs and not over 27 yrs.

Note: Age limit mentioned above will be applicable at the time of commencement of course.

7. METHOD OF SELECTION

The Selection process to be followed is indicated below : (a) All applications as per format given in the websites are to be forwarded to respective Command Headquarters. (b) Preliminary selection of prospective candidates studying in the Final/Pre-Final Year (Engineering) will be made by a selection team detailed by Command HQ for holding preliminary interviews at University/College. (c) Since candidates are required to be under graduates during the selection process and must be graduates at the time of commencement of the course, applications of the Final year candidates graduating before April 2010 and after July 2010, similarly Pre-Final Year candidates graduating before April 2011 and after July 2011 will not be considered. Candidates whose University examination pattern does not permit applying for the UES are advised to apply for TGC/SSC (T) commencing at IMA Dehradun/OTA Chennai in Jan/Apr and Jul/Oct every year. TGC/SSC(T) courses are being notified in Employment News and other prominent News papers in April and Oct i.e. approximately 09 months before commencement of TGC course at IMA Dehradun and 12 months

before commencement of SSC(T) course at OTA Chennai. The decision of ADG Recruiting. Army HQ in the matter of shortlisting and forwarding of applications to Selection Centre for SSB interview will be final. (d) Duration of SSB interviews is five days excluding day of arrival. During their stay at SSB, candidates are put through Psychological Tests, Group Test and Interviews. (e) Candidates will be put through stage I of the selection procedure on the first day. Only successful candidates shall be retained for balance of the testing. Candidates who fail to qualify in stage I will be returned on the first day itself. Stage I are Psychologically oriented tests including intelligence tests. (f) Candidates who qualify at the SSB and are found medically fit by a Medical Board will be placed in order of merit. The final selection will be made in that order upto the number of vacancies available at that time. (g) Pre-final year candidates will be called in the year of their completion of degree, subject to their being medically fit at that time depending on availability of vacancies and their position in the merit. (h) Selected candidates of final year Engg degree will be granted Short Service Commission on probation in the rank of Lt from the date of their final selection. Similarly in the case of selected Pre-final year students they would be granted Short Service Commission on probation from the date of their joining the final year class. (j) After successful completion of degree course the candidates finally selected will be admitted for Pre-Commission training at Indian Military Academy (IMA), Dehradun for a period of 12 months commencing from July 2010 in case of final year students and July 2011 in case of Pre-Final year students.

MERIT LIST: IT IS TO BE NOTED THAT MERE QUALIFYING AT THE SSB INTERVIEW DOES NOT CONFIRM FINAL SELECTION. A MERIT LIST IS PREPARED FOR EVERY QUALIFICATION i.e. CODE SEPARATELY PURELY ON THE BASIS OF MARKS OBTAINED BY THE CANDIDATES AT SSB'S AND SUCH HIGHER EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION, PREVIOUS PERFORMANCES, NCC BACKGROUND ETC HAVE NO ROLE TO PLAY. COMBINED MERIT LIST WILL BE PREPARED FOR 19 UES (FINAL YEAR AND 18 UES PRE FINAL YEAR COURSE COMMENCING FROM JUL 2010. REMAINING CANDIDATES WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR MERIT ALONG WITH TGC ENTRY THE BATCH STARTING IN JUL 2010 AND SSC (TECH) COMMENCING IN OCT 2010 AND IN CASE OF PRE FINAL YEAR (19 UES) COMBINED MERIT WILL BE PREPARED ALONG WITH 20 UES FINAL YEAR COMMENCING FROM JUL 2011 REMAINING CANDIDATES WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR MERIT ALONG WITH TGC ENTRY BATCH WILL BE STARTING IN JUL 2011 AND SSC(T) COMMENCING IN OCT 2011, JOINING INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE ISSUED FOR PRE-COMMISSIONING TRAINING SUBJECT TO APPEARING IN MERIT LIST, MEDICAL FITNESS AND AS PER VACANCIES NOTIFIED FOR THE SUBJECT COURSE.

8. MEDICAL EXAMINATION:

(a) Candidates recommended by the Service Selection Board will undergo medical examination by a board of Male/female doctors/specialists/ gynecologist. However, there will be a lady medical officers. Only those candidates will be admitted to the Academy who are declared fit by the Medical Board. The proceedings of the Medical Board are confidential and will not be divulged to anyone. However the candidates declared unfit by the Special Medical Board (SMB), will be intimated by the President of the medical Board and Procedure for request for Appeal Medical Board (AMB) will also be intimated to the candidate. Unfit candidates should report for AMB within maximum 42 days. Candidates are advised in their own interest to appear for AMB well in time and should not wait for last date given by the SMB. Candidates are advised to note that Recruiting Directorate has no role to play in Appeal Medical Board. The procedure advised by medical authorities is strictly to be adhered to. Candidates declared unfit by AMB will be intimated by the president AMB about procedure of challenging the findings of AMB. The candidates will also be intimated that Review Medial Board (RMB) will be granted at the discretion of DGAFMS based on the merits of the case and that RMB is not a matter of right. Candidates will only be considered medially fit on receipt of the approved medical board proceeding from Directorate General, Medical Services, in Addl Dte Gen Rtg. (b) Pregnancy, if detected at any stage, after selectin at SSB or during training will debar the candidates from grant of commisson.

9. PHYSICAL STANDARD (MEN)

The minimum acceptable Height is 157.5cms. with correleated weight . For Gorkhas and individuals belonging to hills of North Eastern region of India, Garhwal and Kumaon, the minimum acceptable height will be 5 cm less. In case of candidates from Lakshadweep, the minimum acceptable height can be reduced by 2 cms.

(b) Physical Standards : (Women)

(i) Height and Weight : The minimum acceptable height and weight for women candidates is 152 cm and 42 kg with co-related height and weight. In case of candidates belonging to the North East and hilly areas like Gorkhas, Nepalese, Assamese and Garhwalis, the height will be relaxed by 5 cms and weight commensurate with reduce height.

(ii) To be passed fit, a candidate must be in good physical and mental health free from any disability like to interface with the efficient performance of duty.

10. Prospective candidates are advised to exercise and keep themselves physically fit, in order to avoid any injury due to the rigorous physical training at Indian Military Academy. In order to be able to adjust to the regime there, candidates are advised to achieve following standards before joining the IMA, if finally selected :-

(a) Running 2.4 km in 15 minutes. (b) Push Ups-13 Nos. (c) Sit Ups-25 Nos. (d) Chin Ups-6 Nos. (e) Rope Climbing-3-4 meters.

11. VISUAL STANDARDS : (a) (i) The minimum acceptable visual acuity are: Distant Vision (corrected) better eye 6/6, worse eye 6/18, myopia of not more than minus 3.50 including astigmatism. (ii) Candidates who have under-gone or have the evidence of having undergone Radial Keratotomy to improve the visual acuity will be permanently rejected: also candidates who have undergone Laser Surgery for correction of refractive error will be considered for commission in Army if they fulfill following criteria:-

(i) Uncomplicated stable LASIK/Excimer (PRK) laser procedure done for Myopia or Hypermetropia, with stable refraction for a period of six months after the procedure.

(ii) A healthy retina.

(iii) Corrected vision should be 6/6 in better eye and 6/9 in worse eye, with maximum residual refraction of ± 1.50 in any meridian for myopia or hypermetropia.

(iv) Axial length within permissible limits.

(b) To be passed fit, a candidate must be in good physical and mental health and free from any disability likely to interfere with the efficient performance of duty.

(c) **Visual Standards for Women :** The minimum acceptable visual acuity are: Distant vision (corrected) letter eye 6/6, worse 6/18, Myopia of not more than minus 5.5 including Astigmatism. Candidates who have undergone or have evidence for having undergone Radial Keratotomy to improve the visual acuity will be permanently rejected. Candidates who have undergone Lasik Surgery for Correction of reflective error are NOT acceptable.

12. ENTITLEMENT OF TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE: Candidates appearing for SSB interview for the first time for this entry shall be entitled for IInd class to and fro Railway/Bus fare.

13. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICES: (a) Candidates during the period of SSC will be given stipend at the rate of minimum basic pay of Lt. However the entire stipend will be paid in lumpsum only on reporting for

training at IMA. They will not be entitled to any other privilage or allowances or expenses in connection with tuition fee, test books, accommodation, messing and other allied services. (b) From the date of joining IMA they will be entitled to full pay and allowances and other benefits as admissible to regular officers. (c) Engineering graduates who possess the prescribed qualification will be granted two years ante-date for purpose of seniority, promotion and increments of pay. The ante-date will, however, be restricted to the date following that from which an officer of the normal regular course who passed out from the IMA approximately two years before him takes his seniority subject to the provision that in no case the ante-date granted be less than one year and eleven months.

14. PAY AND ALLOWANCES AND OTHER BENEFITS AS APPLICABLE: During the period of training the candidates will be given a stipend of Rs. 21,000/- p.m. (Rs. 15600/-) as pay in Pay Band plus Grade Pay Rs. 5,400/- on completion of training. Officer are commissioned as Lt. and entitled to the pay band Rs. 15,600/-39,000 with DA at present with other benefits like MSP transport allowance, furnished accommodation, free medical facilities. LTC 60 days annual leave, 20 days casual leave, canteen facilities, entitled ration as per scale, and certain other allowance based on place of posting etc. Army Group Insurance cover of Rs. 30 lakhs to the Gentlemen Cadets of IMA and OTA from the date of joining these institutes for pre-commission training. Regular officers on superannuation may be employed with the Army as re-employed officers upto the age of 58 years.

15. HOW TO APPLY

(a) Apply on plain paper (size 30x20 cms) as per format given in the website. (b) The envelope (white envelope) containing the application should be SUPERSCRIBED IN RED INK indicating clearly the branch of Engineering applied for. For example 'APPLICATIONS FOR 19 UES ENTRY; MECHANICAL ENGINEERING'. (c) Send your application so as to reach respective Command HQ at the following address on or before 31 Jul 2009 :-

- HO Northern Command (A Branch)**, C/o 56 APO- For students studying in the State of J&K.
- HO Western command (A Branch)**, Chandimandir, Pin-134107. For students studying in states of Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Delhi and Chandigarh.
- HQ South Western Command (A Branch)**, Jaipur (Rajasthan), PIN- 302012. For students studying in the state of Rajasthan.
- HQ Southern Command (A Branch)**, Pune (Maharashtra) PIN-411001. For students studying in states of Gujarat, Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Goa, Tamil Nadu, Daman, Diu, Dadra, Nagar Haveli, Pondicherry, Lakshadweep and Kerala.
- HQ Eastern Command (A Branch)**, Kolkata (West Bengal) Pin-700021. For students studying in the states of West Bengal, Sikkim, Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Manipur, Tripura, Meghalaya, Mizoram and Andaman & Nicobar.
- HQ Central Command (A Branch)**, Lucknow (UP) PIN-226002. For students studying in the states of Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Bihar, Orissa, Uttarakhand, Jharkhand and Chhatisgarh.

(d) Two unstamped self addressed envelop to receive an interview call letter should also be enclosed with the application.

16. COMMON MISTAKES RESULTING IN REJECTION OF APPLICATION:

(a) Photographs are not affixed/self attested (b) Matric/equivalent certificate for verification of date of birth is not attached and attested by Govt. Gazetted Officer. (c) Para 12 of the application is not completed (d) Application is not signed by the candidate. (e) Name of the candidate is not mentioned In the certificate issued by the Principal. (f) Specified branch is not mentioned. (g) Final year candidates graduating before April and after July 2009 will be rejected. (h) Any ambiguity/erasure/ attested/cuttings/false information/ concealment of information detected in the above certificates/application will result in the cancellation of the candidature of the candidates at any stage of selection.

17. CHANGE IN INTERVIEW DATES: Request for change of SSB interview dates will not be accepted. However under most unavoidable circumstances, such a change may be considered based on the circumstances of the case. This will be an exception rather than the rule. Requests for such change duly supported by a certificate from a Government Gazetted Officer alongwith one unstamped self addressed envelop should be sent to Selection Centre from where the callup letter for SSB interview has been received and NOT to Additional Directorate General of Recruiting well in time.

18. NOTES: (a) Application incomplete in any respect and/or without copies of mandatory certificate (s) will be rejected summarily (b) **Candidates who have qualified for UES-18 course in the SSB interview and Medical Examination as pre-final year students cannot apply for UES-19 course as final year students. Such candidates even if they apply for UES-19 course as final year students, should not attend SSB interview for the same and intimate the fact to Recruiting Dte (UES Entry), Integrated HQ of MoD (Army), West Block-III, RK Puram, New Delhi-66 to avoid disqualification.**

(c) Selection of candidates at Service Selection Board is no indicator of their final Selection. Joining Instruction to undergo Pre-commission training at IMA, Dehradun would be issued to the candidates as per overall order of merit disciplinewise, medical fitness and the number of vacancies available in each discipline. (d) Terms and conditions given in the advertisement are subject to change and should therefore be treated as guidelines only. (e) In your own interest you are advised to undergo a preliminary medical check up for wax in ears, DNS, Hydrocele/phimosis, defective colour vision, over weight/ under weight, under chest, piles, Gyanecomasties, Tonsillities and varicoceles before reporting for the SSB interview. (f) Before applying, candidates must satisfy themselves in their own interest that they will be able to submit educational certificates in support of passing the required Engineering degree to Addl Directorate General of Recruiting, West Block-III, RK Puram, New Delhi- 110066 by 01 July 2010 in case of Final Year students and by 01 July 2011 in case of Pre- Final year students. (g) Candidates not in receipt of a Call-up letter from any of the Selection Centre for SSB interview should presume that either their applications could not come in short list or found ineligible. No correspondence in this regard will be entertained. (h) Candidates withdrawn on disciplinary grounds from NDA, IMA and OTA are NOT eligible to apply for commission into Army.

19. The merit list will be displayed at the reception of Recruiting Directorate, Integrated HQ of MoD (Army), West Block-III, RK Puram, New Delhi-110066 in the last week of May 2010. For website general/merit list queries contact Recruiting Directorate Telephone No. (011) 26173215 and www.indianarmy.govt.in.

20. Format for common application form

(a) Format for common application form can be downloaded from the following Army websites:

- www.joinindianarmy.nic.in
- www.indianarmy.nic.in

(b) Candidates are required to adhere to detail instructions given in common application form.

IMPOTANT NOTE : A candidate is permitted to apply for one entry/discipline for above courses. Change of entry/qualification choice will not be entertained. (Candidates are advised to send only one application) Forwarding of double applications will result in outright rejection of applications and the candidature of such candidates will be cancelled.

LAST DATE FOR THE RECEIPT OF APPLICATION
BY HQ COMMAND IS 31 JULY 2009