

International / NRI / NRI sponsored Category Admissions

Who Can Apply?

Foreign nationals, PIO card holders, OCI (Dual citizens), NRI students, and NRI sponsored students can apply under the category of International students. 15% of the seats are reserved under this category. PIO and OCI card holders will be considered equivalent to NRI students for academic purposes.

Categories of International Students:

Foreign Students:

Foreign nationals holding a valid foreign passport including Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) Card holders.

Non-Resident Indians (NRI):

Non-Resident Indian students who have studied and passed the qualifying examinations (11th & 12th) from schools or colleges located in foreign countries (even if affiliated to the Central Boards of Secondary Education or Universities located in India). Dependants of NRI's studying in India will not be included as NRI students.

NRI Sponsored Category:

- a) A 'Non-NRI candidate' may also apply for admission under the 'NRI Sponsored Category', if the candidate fulfills the conditions prescribed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its order Dated.22.08.2017 passed in W.P. (C) No. 689 of 2017.
- b) Who is eligible to be a Sponsorer? *
 - (i) If the mother or father of the candidate is an NRI and residing abroad ordinarily; or

- (ii) If a first degree relation of the candidate is an NRI and residing abroad ordinarily and it would include real brother and sister; or
- (iii) If any of the 'nearest relations' of the candidate is an NRI and residing abroad ordinarily. Nearest relations would include:
 - (a) Real brother and sister of the father i.e., real paternal Uncle and aunt
 - (b) Real brother and sister of the mother i.e., real maternal uncle and aunt;
 - (c) Father and mother of the father i.e., paternal grandfather and grandmother;
 - (d) Father and mother of the mother i.e., maternal grandfather and grandmother; and
 - (e) First-degree paternal and maternal cousins

** The sponsorer must be a foreign national or hold NRI status.*