



Gujarat Technological University
(Established under the Gujarat Act No. 20 of 2007)
Chandkheda, Ahmedabad – 382 424 (Gujarat)

Guidelines for Admission in 5 Year Integrated – MSc Biotechnology
(Specialization: Industrial Biotechnology/Marine Biotechnology/Medical Biotechnology)
Academic Year 2022-23

- 1) Admissions to 5 Years Integrated MSc Biotechnology** program shall be given as under;
 - a) The approved seats shall be filled on the basis of merit list prepared by the GTU Admission Committee.

- 2) Seats Available for Admission**
 - a) For the purpose of admission to **5 Years Integrated MSc Biotechnology** course, available seats shall include;
 - b) All the sanctioned seats of the **5 Years Integrated MSc Biotechnology** in the SAST-GTU. For the Academic Year number of approved/sanctioned seats are 30.
 - c) Final decision is bind to Admission Committee of GTU.

- 3) Eligibility for Admission**
 - a) To seek admission in 5 Years Integrated MSc Biotechnology, a candidate shall have passed the qualifying examination (Standard XII - 10+2 pattern) with Biology as compulsory subject with minimum of 50% marks in General Category (45% marks in case of Reserved Category), computed on the basis of grand total or, cumulative grade point average as shown in the mark sheet of the Board (including practical marks). In case cumulative grade point average is shown in the mark sheet, the student shall be required to produce equivalence percentage certificate from the respective Board.
 - b) Admissions will be done on the merit basis based on the marks of Standard 12th (HSC) or University Entrance or CUET examination.
 - c) Students who have qualified 12th standard exams prior to current academic year are also eligible with other conditions remaining same.

- 4) Reservation of Seats**
 - a) For the purpose of admission, the seats shall be reserved for the candidates who are of Gujarat origin and falling under the following categories and in following proportion, namely;

i.	Economically Weaker Section(\$)	:	10%
ii.	Scheduled Castes	:	7%
iii.	Scheduled Tribes	:	15%
iv.	Socially and Educationally Backward Classes, including Widows and Orphan of any Caste	:	27%

Ref (\$): (1) Resolution No. EWS/122019/45903/A of Department of Social Justice and

Empowerment, Govt. of Gujarat dated 11-02-2019

(2) Resolution No. PRCH/102019/129/2 of Education Department, Govt. of Gujarat dated

08-03-2019

(3) Resolution No. EWS/122019/45903/A of Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of Gujarat dated 26/06/2020

- b) A candidate seeking admission on reserved seat shall be required to produce a Certificate of Caste / valid Income Certificate authorized by the competent authority. Provided that the candidate belonging to SEBC shall be required to produce a certificate to the effect of non-inclusion in Creamy Layer in addition to the caste certificate.
- c) As per the resolution of State Government (No. Sashap/122015/455246/A dated 12/06/2020), Candidates who have obtained Non Creamy Layer Certificate anytime in the period from 1/4/2016 to 31/3/2017 and its three year term has been completed on 31/3/2019 And then if the candidate has not got the certificate of non-creamy layer again, then those candidates do not need to get the certificate as this financial year 2020-21. It is decided by Government to extend the validity of these non-creamy layer certificates till 31/3/2021, which was completed on 31/3/2019.
- d) In addition, the candidate who has obtained the Non Creamy Layer Certificate at any time from 1/4/2017 to 31/3/2018 and its term is completed on 31/3/2020. It is decided by Government to extend the period for those certificates till 31/3/2021.
- e) As per the resolution of State Government (No. EWS/122019/45903/A dated 26/06/2020), the validity of EWS Certificate issued from 25/01/2019 to 12/09/2019 is extended for 3 years. To avail the benefit of extended validity of EWS certificate (issued from 25/01/2019 to 12/09/2019), the candidate is required to give undertaking to the Admission Committee that there is no increase in the family income and they are eligible as per the criteria decided by state government for availing the benefit of reservation. (As per Annexure 1)
- f) No caste certificate shall be valid unless it is duly stamped, signed and issued by the authority empowered by the Government of Gujarat.
- g) No certificate to the effect of non-inclusion in Creamy Layer shall be valid, unless it is duly stamped, signed and issued by the authority empowered by the Government of Gujarat.
- h) If a candidate of reserved category gets admission on unreserved seat in order of merits, he/she may be given admission on the unreserved seat according to his/her Preference and merit.
- i) The admission of a candidate from a reserved category on a reserved seat shall be valid subject to the verification of caste certificate issued to him/her by the authority empowered by the State Government in this behalf. In case the caste certificate is found to be invalid on verification, he/she shall not have right to claim his/her admission on a reserved seat and if he/she has already been granted admission, such admission shall be cancelled. Admission of such candidate may be continued in case of availability of vacant unreserved seats, subject to the condition of eligibility of merit.
- j) After granting admission to all the candidates of reserved categories on respective reserved seats, the reserved category seats remaining vacant shall be transferred to the other category as per Government of Gujarat norms.

5) Reservation For Physically Disabled Candidates:

Five percent (5%) of the available seats in each category shall be reserved, in accordance with the provisions of the section 32 of the rights of persons with Disabilities ACT, 2016 (49 of 2016) for the persons with benchmark disability who can perform the academic activities in the respective course. A candidate with disability shall have to submit certificate of disability issued and duly signed by the certifying authority.

Explanation: “person with disability” means a person suffering from not less than forty per cent (40%) of any disability as certified by a competent medical authority.

6) Reservation for the Children of Defence Personals and Ex-Servicemen:

- a) One percent (1%) of available seats **subject to minimum of 1 seat** shall be reserved for the children of Defense personnel and Ex-Servicemen, for admission.
- b) A candidate claiming admission against Ex-Servicemen category shall be required to submit a certificate to that effect duly issued by the Director, Sainik Welfare Board, Gujarat State or by the District Sainik Welfare Officer. In-Service Defence personnel shall be required to submit certificate to that effect duly issued by the Commanding Officer of the respective unit in which they are serving.
- c) The seats remaining vacant against the category of Defence Personnel and Ex-Servicemen shall be filled up from the merit list of unreserved category candidates.
- d) The children of Defence Personnel and Ex-Servicemen of Gujarat origin shall be included under the reserved category specified in this rule, if they have passed the qualifying examination from the schools located outside the Gujarat State.

7) Registration for Admission:

- a) The GTU/ SAST-GTU Admission Committee, by advertisement in the prominent newspaper/s widely circulated in the State, by web-site and by such other means, as the Committee may consider convenient; publish the date of registration, last date of registration etc., and such other information as may be necessary in this behalf.
- b) To get admission, a candidate shall fill-up the online form from the website i.e. <http://www.admission.gtu.ac.in/> within the given time period.
- c) A candidate has to upload the self-attested copies of requisite certificates and testimonies as specified in the application form.
- d) Upon selection through merit, a candidate shall require to make payment of semester fee 12500/- (Rupees Twelve thousand five hundred only) to be paid online through the GTU-Online SBI Portal and make payment **under “Tuition fees” with remark as SAST-GTU Integrated MSc Biotechnology**. The details are available on the link: <http://gtu.ac.in/ImpCircular/SBIPayment%20Instructions.pdf>.
- e) An acknowledgement receipt of the fees paid for the same shall be generated online. **It is required to upload this payment receipt in admission form and a copy must be carried by the candidate at the time of counselling.**
- f) Where a candidate has made more than one registration, the registration made at the latest stage shall be taken into consideration and the other registration shall be treated as cancelled.

8) Preparation of Merit List

- a) The merit list of the candidates, who have got their names registered under sub-rule 7(b) and who are found eligible for admission under these rules, shall be prepared by the GTU Admission Committee, on the basis of Percentage of Total Aggregate Marks obtained in the H.S.C. Examination (Std. 12th - 10+2 Pattern).
- b) A common merit list shall be prepared for the students passed in various groups (B or AB group) in Standard 12th viz. Science Stream. Merit list of the candidates belonging to the Reserved Category would be prepared separately.
- c) The criteria for deciding merit order in case of students having equal merit marks in H.S.C. Examination (Std. 12th - 10+2 Pattern) shall be in the following sequence, namely;
 - i. Percentage of marks obtained in S.S.C. Examination (Standard 10th)
 - ii. Percentage of marks obtained in Biology Subject (Standard 12th - 10+2 Pattern)
 - iii. Date of Birth (Candidate who is older in age shall be given priority)

1) Admission Procedure: The admission procedure shall be online the following manner:

- a) The merit list shall be displayed on the GTU admission portal www.admissions.gtu.ac.in.
- b) Allotment of seats shall be made on the basis of merit, category of the candidates and availability of seats.
- c) Students are required to report at the allotted institute for confirmation of admission and payment of the 1st Semester fees of Rs.12500 **within 3 days**.
- d) The seat will be treated as cancelled if the fees are not paid by the student with in the allotted time.
- e) The admission shall be given in first and second round. If the seats are vacant even after that, then the Institute shall be given the right to fill such seats on the basis of inter-se-merit.

9) Fees

1. A candidate who gets admission shall have to pay such fees, as may be determined/ approved/ finalized by Gujarat Technological University for the concerned institute.
2. In case the candidate who has paid the fees after getting admission and gets his/her admission Cancelled within one month of fees payment date, provided that the seat vacated by him/her is filled by another candidate, shall be paid back the fees paid by him/her after the completion of admission process after a deduction of nominal fees as administrative charges.

10) Documents to be uploaded with the application form

The candidate shall upload the self-attested copies of the following documents, namely;

- a) Marksheet : H.S.C. Examination (Standard 12th - 10+2 Pattern)*
- b) Marksheet : S.S.C Examination (Standard 10th)*
- c) Score card of University Entrance or CUET examination if applicable.
- d) Conversion Certificate of CGPA / Grade Point to Percentage, if applicable.
- e) School Leaving Certificate or Transfer Certificate.
- f) Caste certificate for a candidate belonging to Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST) and Socially and Educationally Backward Classes (SEBC), issued by the authority

- empowered by the Government in this behalf, if applicable.
- g) Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) certificate of the family, issued after 1st April of the relevant academic year, by the authority empowered by the Government in this behalf, if applicable [as per 4(d)].
 - h) Certificate of Physical Disability, issued and duly signed by the Civil Surgeon/Medical authority, in case of a Physically Handicapped candidate.
 - i) Certificate of Ex-Serviceman, duly issued by the Director, Sainik Welfare Board Gujarat State or by the District Sainik Welfare Officer, if applicable.
 - j) A copy of certificate of In-Serviceman duly issued by the Commanding Officer of the respective unit in which they are serving, if applicable.
 - k) Such other certificates as the GTU Admission Committee deem necessary.
 - l) **Admission From fees payment copy.***

* All attempt(s) certificate(s) are required in case of more than one trial in S.S.C and/or H.S.C. Examination(s).

- 11) Duration:** 03 + 02 years (06 Semesters for BSc.- Biotechnology degree, + 04 Semesters for IMSc.-Industrial Biotechnology/ Marine Biotechnology/ Medical Biotechnology degree).
- 12) Ineligibility for admission on production of false documents:** All the original documents are to be verified at the time of commencement of classes at the allotted institute, if any document(s) is/are found incorrect/false, the admission will be cancelled. Also legal actions will be taken against the student submitting false documents.
- 13) Vacant Seats:** In case the seats remain vacant after the completion of first round of admission process, such vacant seats shall be displayed on the official website. For the Vacant seats, students are required to fill the choice online through GTU admission portal for selection of Institute/College based on their preference.
- 14) Penalty:** Breach of any of the provisions of these rules and any directions issued by the Gujarat Technological University or as the case may be, by any person, shall be liable for penalty.
- 15) Interpretation:** In implementation of the provisions of these rules, if any difficulty or question arises as to the interpretation of any provision, the decision of the Gujarat Technological University shall remain final and in case of any controversy the process of ACPC (Admission committee for professional courses) for the admission will be adopted at the time when needed.

ANNEXURE 1

સામાજિક ન્યાય અને અધિકારીતા વિભાગના તા.૨૬/૦૬/૨૦૨૦ના ઠરાવ ક્રમાંક:
ઇડબલ્યુએસ/૧૨૨૦૧૯/૪૫૯૦૩/અ નું પરિશિષ્ટ

બાંહેધરીપત્રક (સાદા કાગળ ઉપર) :-

બાંહેધરી

આથી હું નીચે સહી કરનાર શ્રી/શ્રીમતી/કુ , ઉ.વર્ષ
..... જાતિ ધંધો સરનામું
આથી જાહેર કરું છું કે(EWS પ્રમાણપત્ર ઇસ્યુ કરનાર સત્તાધિકારી) દ્વારા
આપવામાં આવેલ આર્થિક રીતે નબળા વર્ગો(EWS) માટે પાત્રતા પ્રમાણપત્ર ક્રમાંક:
..... તા..... ધરાવું છું. જેની મુદત તા..... ના
રોજ પૂર્ણ થયેલ છે. સરકારશ્રીના સામાજિક ન્યાય અને અધિકારી વિભાગના
તા.૨૬/૦૬/૨૦૨૦ના ઠરાવ ક્રમાંક: ઇડબલ્યુએસ/૧૨૨૦૧૯/૪૫૯૦૩/અ થી આ પ્રમાણપત્રની
માન્યતા પ્રમાણપત્ર ઇસ્યુ થયા તારીખથી ૦૩ વર્ષ કરવામાં આવેલ છે, તે મારી જાણમાં છે. હાલ
જે આર્થિક રીતે નબળા વર્ગો(EWS) માટે પાત્રતા પ્રમાણપત્ર ધરાવું છું તેની મુદત પૂર્ણ થયેલ
છે ત્યારબાદથી પ્રમાણપત્ર રજૂ કર્યા સુધીમાં મારા કુટુંબની આવકમાં એવો કોઇ વધારો થયેલ
નથી કે જેના કારણે હું આર્થિક રીતે નબળા વર્ગો(EWS) પ્રમાણપત્ર મેળવવા માટેની પાત્રતા
ધરાવતો બંધ થાઉં. જેથી હું આર્થિક રીતે નબળા વર્ગો(EWS) માટેના સરકારશ્રી દ્વારા નિર્ધારિત
થયેલ અનામતના લાભો માટે પાત્ર કરું છું તેની સ્વયં કબુલાત કરું છું.

આથી હું બાંહેધરી આપું છું કે ઉપર મુજબની વિગત સત્ય છે. ભવિષ્યમાં ગમે ત્યારે
અધિકૃત અધિકારી દ્વારા ચકાસણી કરતાં ઉક્ત વિગત ખોટી માલુમ પડશે અથવા અનામતના
લાભ મેળવ્યા પહેલાં કે પછી પણ ખોટી માલુમ પડશે તો તે સંજોગોમાં મારી ઉમેદવારી/ પ્રવેશ/
નિમણૂક રદ થવા પાત્ર છે તેની મને જાણકારી છે અને તે સમયે પ્રવર્તમાન કાયદા અને અથવા
નિયમો હેઠળ મારી વિરૂધ્ધ પગલાં લઇ શકાય તેની મને જાણ છે અને તે મને બંધનકર્તા છે.

તારીખ : (અરજદારની સહી)

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