



Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) B.Sc. (Economics)

1. How can I access information about the admission process and eligibility?

Answer: All admission-related information is regularly updated on the institute's website and published in comprehensive brochure. Prospective students are encouraged to monitor the institute website for the latest updates.

2. What is the difference between B.Sc. (Economics) and BA (Economics)?

Answer: The B.Sc. (Economics) program offers a more quantitative and analytical approach, emphasizing mathematical and statistical methods in economic analysis. It provides stronger foundations in econometrics and mathematical economics, preparing students for advanced research and technical roles. The curriculum is designed to develop both theoretical understanding and practical applications of economic concepts.

3. What is the intake capacity of the B.Sc. (Economics) program?

Answer: The program accommodates 150 students, distributed across different divisions to ensure optimal learning environments and personalized attention.

4. What is the reservation criteria of GIPE?

Answer: For B.Sc. (Economics), GIPE adheres to the reservation criteria established by the Central Government of India.

5. Does GIPE have hostel facilities for students?

Answer: Yes, GIPE provides hostel accommodation with limited capacity. Rooms are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, with priority given to students from outside the city. Early application is recommended to secure accommodation.

6. Can a candidate apply through both OCI and CUET?

Answer: No, candidates must choose either the OCI or CUET pathway for their application.

7. Do you have an exit option as proposed under NEP?

Answer: Yes, in alignment with NEP guidelines, we offer flexible exit options after each academic year, allowing students to receive appropriate certification based on their completed study duration.

8. Is mathematics compulsory for B.Sc. (Economics)?

Answer: Our curriculum is thoughtfully designed to accommodate students from diverse academic backgrounds. Since mathematical concepts are integral to economics, our program provides comprehensive support and foundational courses to ensure all students can excel, regardless of their previous mathematical exposure.

9. What is the eligibility criteria for B.Sc. (Economics)?

Answer: Candidates willing to seek admission to the B.Sc. (Economics) Programme at GIPE must secure at least 60% marks in aggregate (50% marks for candidates from SC/ST category) in their 12th Standard board examination or equivalent examination. Candidates who have appeared for the HSC examination during 2023-24 and whose results are awaited shall also be eligible to apply. However, the admission shall be provisional till the eligibility criteria is fulfilled.

10. Do GIPE have Management Quota?

Answer: No, GIPE doesn't have any Management Quota, the admission is purely based on merit rank and preferences to the respective program.

11. Is there any scholarship or free ship given by GIPE?

Answer: No, GIPE does not give any scholarship or free ship. Students can apply on their own for the State and National Scholarships whichever they are entitled for in their graduate program. The institute will help them with documentation support purposes.

12. Is Non Creamy Layer certificate required along with the OBC Certificate?

Answer: Yes, OBC Certificate issued for Central Government purpose along with Non Creamy Layer certificate issued for current financial year is mandatory to seek reservation in that quota otherwise such student will be listed in general category.

13. What is the time of conduct of Lecture in GIPE?

Answer: Generally, the lecture timings for B.Sc. (Economics) lectures are from 7.30 am to 2.00 pm, with a break from 9.45 am to 10.15 am. If required, lecture timings can be extended beyond the usual schedule.

14. I am currently pursuing a bachelor's degree from another university. Can I still be admitted and complete my second degree from GIPE?

Answer: GIPE offers a full-time program, so the attendance requirement is 75%, along with other activities as per the program's requirements. Students must take note of this before enrolling for an additional course with similar attendance criteria.

15. Is the admission application fee refundable?

Answer: No, It is non-refundable.

17. From where do I get the information about fee structure?

Answer: Kindly read the brochure to know about the fee structure.