



EMBASSY OF INDIA KATHMANDU

The Embassy of India, Kathmandu invites applications from Nepalese nationals for three-years Diploma courses in Engineering and Pharmacy in Indian Institutions under **Self-Financing Scheme** for the academic year 2024-25:

Diploma in Engineering / Diploma in Pharmacy Courses **under Self-Financing Scheme (SFS) 2024-25**

This Self-Financing Scheme is for pursuing Diploma in Engineering / Diploma in Pharmacy courses in India.

Eligibility Criteria :

Diploma in Engineering Courses : Applicants must have secured a minimum of 60% aggregate marks with at least 60% in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics separately and 50% in English in the qualifying examination (**equivalent to 10th standard of CBSE in India - Equivalence Certificate from AIU, New Delhi must be enclosed**).

Diploma in Pharmacy : Applicants must have secured a minimum of 60% aggregate marks with at least 60% in Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Botany & Zoology) separately and 50% in English in the qualifying examination (**equivalent to 10th standard of CBSE in India - Equivalence Certificate from AIU, New Delhi must be enclosed**).

The Last Date for submission of application for the scheme is 19 June 2024 (Wednesday).

How to Apply :

1. Separate application forms should be submitted for each course. The applicants may download the application form from the website of Indian Embassy www.indembkathmandu.gov.in. The form must be duly filled in (preferably typed) and the following documents (4 Copies - notary attested) are to be attached with the application form:

- (a) Application form, duly filled in, with candidate's recent photograph pasted at prescribed place in all the four copies;
- (b) First four pages of the passport;
- (c) Citizenship certificate with its translation in English;
- (d) Birth Certificate and its translation in English;
- (e) Character Certificate from the Head of Institution last attended;
- (f) Conversion of marks in percentage (%) from the Principal/Head of Institution last attended in a tabular format;
- (g) Certificates and Mark Sheets with percentage of marks of the qualifying examination i.e. 10th (A certificate from the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), New Delhi that the candidate's qualifying examination is equivalent to 10th standard of CBSE in India for the purpose of admission to Diploma in Engineering / Pharmacy Courses).

How to submit applications:

The candidates who possess minimum qualifications and are willing to join these courses, should submit their application forms (complete in all respect along with supporting documents) at **Education Wing, Embassy of India, Kathmandu between 10.30 am to 12.30 pm from Monday to Friday on or before 19 June 2024 i.e. last date of submission of application form.**

Applicants should carry all original documents at the time of submission of application form and he/she should be accompanied by either parent (father / mother) or guardian [duly authorized and declared as guardian by the parent(s)] to sign the undertaking.

Please Note :

1. All the four copies of the application form must be ink-signed. The recent passport size photo of the applicant must be pasted at the given space on all the four copies. The application forms with xerox of signature and/or photo will be rejected.

2. The applicants are advised that merely forwarding their application should not be treated as assurance of their selection. Only those applications that are complete in all respects and applicants meeting the requisite eligibility criteria will be processed for consideration.

3. Shortlisted candidates are expected to comply with admission formalities, fee structures and procedures of the respective colleges/universities. These may include specific medical examinations including HIV / AIDS test in India.

4. The list of location of Polytechnics/Institutions are enclosed at Annexure along with application form. However, the location of Polytechnics/Institutes may vary depending upon final allocation of the seats.

5. **The seats under these schemes are on Self-Financing Basis and the Ministry / Embassy or Government of India does not provide any financial aid/scholarships/concession to Foreign students selected under these schemes.**

6. **Candidates are required to submit the proof of their financial capacity (bank statement etc.) along with the application form.**

7. The Association of Indian Universities does not recognize the “Physical Science” equivalent to Physics & Chemistry. Such candidates may furnish separate marks for Physics & Chemistry failing which their applications will not be entertained at the time of application submission.

8. Applicants are advised to familiarize themselves with the procedures and fees etc. for obtaining the Equivalence Certificate from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) by visiting their website at <https://www.aiu.ac.in/evaluation.php>

9. Foreign students having PIO, OCI card and NRIs are not eligible to apply for these Self-Financing Schemes.

10. Applicants must ensure that percentage of marks mentioned in the application form are clearly indicated as such and not given in grades like A, B, C, D, E, etc. If grades are unavoidable, the marks obtained in percentages should be indicated invariably in brackets. The application without mentioning the percentage of marks will be rejected.

Important Information

The Embassy of India entertains applications directly from the applicants. The Embassy does not recognize or receive applications through any Education Consultants/Middle-men/Agencies. Students are advised to beware of such unscrupulous persons/agencies. Applications found to have been received through such agencies/persons are liable to be rejected.