



NIFT

LATERAL ENTRY

ADMISSIONS 2014

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FASHION TECHNOLOGY

An Institute of Design, Management and Technology

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NIFT LATERAL ENTRY ADMISSION

NIFT lateral entry admission provides an opportunity of NIFT education to candidates who have completed their Diploma/Degree in relevant / related fields of Fashion Technology for direct admission to the third semester of UG programmes of NIFT.

The candidates who have acquired Diploma/Degree will compete at an All India Entrance Exam to get lateral admission in the 3rd semester of UG programmes of NIFT. The admission to these candidates will be strictly on merit which will be prepared based on the performance of candidates in written test, studio test/technology aptitude test, and a personal interview. The candidates selected through lateral entry will join the regular UG students of NIFT in their second year.

ELIGIBILITY & PROCESS

The candidates should possess a minimum of 3 years of relevant education after 10th resulting in Diploma/ Degree in courses related to Fashion / Apparels / Textile and Accessories / Home Science/ Handloom Technology / Products / Visual Communication / Graphic Design / Industrial Design / Interior Design / Multimedia Design / Apparel Technology / Leather or any other similar course from Central/State Government institute or AICTE / AIU / UGC recognized Institute/College/University or an institute whose courses in the opinion of Director General NIFT are well accepted in the industry as equivalent to above mentioned courses.

Students aspiring for lateral entry admission in UG programmes of NIFT can apply in the prescribed format available on NIFT website www.cmsnift.com against the vacant seats available (Annexure III) in various NIFT campuses. The printout of the duly filled-in application form along with all supporting documents including entrance examination fee through demand draft in favour of NIFT payable at the city where the candidate is taking the entrance examination should be sent to the Director of that NIFT Campus on or before the due date.

All shortlisted candidates will appear in the qualifying tests and a personal interview. A merit list will be prepared based on marks obtained by the candidates in written examination, studio test/TAT and a personal interview as per following weightage:

Design	Technology	Total
General Ability Test (GAT)	General Ability Test (GAT)	40
Studio Test	Technology Aptitude Test (GAT)	40
Interview	Interview	20

The candidates will be called for counseling regarding vacant seats in 3rd semester of different discipline across NIFT campuses as per merit.

The list of selected candidates will be uploaded on

www.nift.ac.in and www.cmsnift.com. The selected candidates will be given admission to regular UG programmes of NIFT after successful completion of all mandatory formalities as per NIFT Lateral Entry Admission (NLEA) Policy. Selected candidates will attend a NIFT Lateral Entry Orientation Programme at any of the NIFT campuses or the allotted NIFT campuses before commencement of the semester.

WHO SHOULD APPLY

Candidates having science background with a Diploma/ Degree in engineering may apply for Bachelors of Fashion Technology (Apparel Production) programme as well as Bachelors of Design Programme. Other candidates having aptitude for creativity / innovation / fashion design may apply for Bachelor of Design programme.

RESERVATION OF SEATS

Vacant seats for SC/ST/OBC (Non Creamy) have been indicated in the Annexure III.

The seats reserved for SC / ST / Physically Handicapped Candidates (PHP) in each programme are as under:

SC	As per vacancy of seats
ST	As per vacancy of seats
OBC (NON-CREAMY)	As per vacancy of seats
Physically Handicapped	3% Horizontal reservation for physically handicapped candidates cutting across all sections i.e. SCs, STs, OBCs Non-Creamy and General category. Campuses and programmes will be allotted on rotation, at NIFT's discretion.
State Domiciles	As per vacancy of seats

Category once filled up in the application form will not be changed at any stage.

The qualifying candidates need to meet the eligibility and admission requirements of NIFT. Requirements of each category are as follows:

SC/ST CANDIDATES

Candidates applying under this reserved quota will have to produce a Caste/Tribe certificate from the Competent Authorities of the respective States/Union Territories/ National Commission of Tribes.

OBC CANDIDATES

Candidates applying under this quota would have to satisfy the caste and creamy layer requirement details. National Commission for Backward Class (NCBC) website may be seen for reference:

(a) <http://www.ncbc.nic.in/backward-classes/index.html>

(b) <http://www.ncbc.nic.in/html/creamyayer.html>

Candidates applying under this quota would have to produce a caste certificate from the Competent Authorities of the respective States/Union Territories certifying that they do not belong to the creamy layer.

PHP CANDIDATES

Candidates seeking admission under physically handicapped quota must produce a Disability Certificate at the time of counselling issued by the Medical Board attached with the Vocational Rehabilitation Centre (VRC) working under the Ministry of Labour, Govt. of India. To prevent disappointment, candidates are advised to have themselves examined by VRC especially under following cases:

Visual Impairment	Visual acuity less than 6/60 (VH) or 20/200 (Snellen) with correcting lens (Blind by one or both eyes are not eligible)
Hearing Impairment	Hearing loss of 60 db or (HH) more, in both ears (100% hearing impairment are not eligible)
Mild Mental Retardation	I.Q. between 51 to 70 only

NIFT reserves the right to disqualify the candidature in case of inability of the candidate to perform for a particular programme. Certain subject in various programmes at NIFT have specific skill building and machine operating requirements and candidates seeking admission to NIFT in this category are requested to ascertain the same at the time of counselling with NIFT authorities to avoid disappointment.

NOTE:

The required certificate (s) for reserved categories / classes will be essential at the time of the counselling / admission and no provisional admission shall be granted for want of caste/category certificate from the local competent authority. Further, the caste/category certificate has to be in the name of candidate himself/ herself and not in favour of respective parents/ guardians.

In case of married women applying to any course under reserved category, she has to produce the caste certificate in her own name. Certificate in the name of husband / mother/ father is not acceptable.

FASHION DESIGN

The Fashion Design Department has been instrumental in bringing about a paradigm shift in design perception in India. It works closely with fashion professionals in order to evolve a unique fashion identity universally relevant and acceptable, for a global audience. With a three-pronged approach, the programme is strengthened with an increased relevance to the fashion industry in India and with a mission to create a global identity in design.

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design

DURATION: 4 Years

TEXTILE DESIGN

Textile Design forms the core of the whole business of fashion. The rapidly expanding activities in the export and domestic sectors of the Indian apparel and home fashion industry demands professional inputs in design and development of textiles and raw material, which is responsible for 60-80% of the cost of the product. Textile Design today is that strategic value adding activity that can make all the difference in transforming a fashion business into an economically viable and profitable proposition

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design

DURATION: 4 Years

LEATHER DESIGN

Leather Design Programme of NIFT is unique, as it offers advanced study in leather garments, goods & accessories, footwear and lifestyle accessories. The course is highly structured and extremely focused on the human resource requirement of the Indian leather industry, aiming at the development of a holistic professional

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design

DURATION: 4 Years

KNITWEAR DESIGN

Knitwear Design is a fast-growing global industry across product categories such as garments, accessories, home fashion, industrial design and medical equipment. In terms of fashion alone, it represents the backbone for casual wear, sportswear, performance apparel and intimate apparel, creating opportunities much beyond the scope of woven fabric.

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design
DURATION: 4 Years

ACCESSORY DESIGN

The one of its kind programme in the country, Accessory Design as a well-defined curriculum for developing integrated expertise in design methodology, materials and production processes, consumer behavior and market dynamics, trends and forecast interpretations, business practices and project management in the field of fashion and lifestyle accessories. A strong industry orientation is reflected in its credo "Design for Business", with the most successful industry education interface in student learning.

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design
DURATION: 4 Years

FASHION COMMUNICATION

The Department of Fashion Communication concerns itself with the unique identity of a fashion brand. With a multitude of prêt and luxury brands mushrooming in the Indian retail scenario, it has become essential for each one of them to develop an identity for maximum impact in the domain of Fashion and Lifestyle, creating a demand for Fashion Communication. One of the newest and most exciting avenues in the industry, it integrates course study in areas such as Graphic Design, Fashion Journalism, Visual Merchandising, Styling and Photography, Advertising, Public Relations and Space Design, creating professionals who can offer the most effective and financially viable communication solutions for the fashion and lifestyle industry.

DEGREE: Bachelor of Design
DURATION: 4 Years

APPAREL PRODUCTION

The four year Bachelor programme is multi-disciplinary, technology-oriented and is designed to meet the requirements of the ever-emerging challenges of the apparel industry. This programme has been designed keeping in mind the core apparel manufacturing technology, with best practices in Apparel Manufacturing. It prepares professionals who can significantly contribute to the fashion technology domain of the apparel industry.

Over the past 25 years, the Department of Fashion Technology has drawn its strength from industry responsive course curriculum, highly experienced faculty members, state-of-the-art infrastructure, and continuous interaction with the apparel industry.

DEGREE: Bachelor of Fashion Technology
DURATION: 4 Years

SEATS AVAILABLE

Seat/Vacancy Position in various disciplines at NIFT Campuses is given at Annexure III

ADMISSION CALENDAR

Activities

Announcement of vacant seats for NLEA and application form available online
Last date for submission of forms
Scrutiny of forms and short listing of candidates based on their eligibility
Names of short listed candidates uploded on NIFT Website
Written Examination & Interview
Display of Merit List
Counselling for Campus Allocation
Display of Final admission list
NIFT Lateral Entry Admission/Orientation

Timeline

28th March 2014
28th April 2014
5th May 2014
9th May 2014
22nd May 2014
4th June 2014
11th June 2014
17th June 2014
30th June 2014 onwards

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

DESIGN

General Ability Test (GAT)
Studio Test (STD)
Interview

TECHNOLOGY

General Ability Test (GAT)
Technology Aptitude Test (TAT)
Interview

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

Candidates are required to submit a Demand Draft drawn in favour of NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF FASHION TECHNOLOGY, payable at the city of the Campus selected for taking the entrance examination alongwith the duly filled-in NIFT Lateral Entry Admission form:

- General / OBC (Non Creamy) candidates : Rs.1100/-
- SC & ST or Person with disabilities categories : Rs.550/-

Application submitted without DD of the required amount will not be accepted.

Application completing all the aspect of requisite amount should be sent to the Campus Director, National Institute Of Fashion Technology, where the student intends to take the Entrance Examination. A list of NIFT Campuses is at Annexure I.

The applicant will apply online and take a print out of the form filled at www.cmsnift.com. The complete form i.e print out along with demand draft and documents listed in Annexrure II should reach on or before 28th April, 2014. Incomplete forms or forms received late will not be accepted. The Institute does not take any responsibility for delay or loss of forms or correspondence in postal transit or by courier. Students are advised to keep a photocopy of the application form / demand draft for future reference.

FEE STRUCTURE

Academic Fee Semester wise (In Rupees)	
TUITION FEE (NON-REFUNDABLE)	60500
LIBRARY FEE (PER YEAR) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	4000
MEDICLAIM & STUDENT DEVELOPMENT FEE (PER YEAR) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	2000
EXAM FEE (PER YEAR)	2000
TOTAL	68500
ONE TIME PAYMENTS	
SECURITY DEPOSIT (ONE TIME) (REFUNDABLE)	5000
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FEE (ONE TIME) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	2500
REGISTRATION FEE (ONE TIME)	5000
TOTAL	12500
TOTAL at admission Time	81000

Academic Fee for NRI (Per Year - consisting of two semesters) (In Rupees)	
TUITION FEE (NON-REFUNDABLE)	459800
LIBRARY FEE (PER YEAR) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	26500
MEDICLAIM & STUDENT DEVELOPMENT FEE (PER YEAR) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	17000
EXAM FEE (PER YEAR)	2000
TOTAL	505300
ONE TIME PAYMENTS	
SECURITY DEPOSIT (ONE TIME) (REFUNDABLE)	5000
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP FEE (ONE TIME) (NON-REFUNDABLE)	2500
REGISTRATION FEE (ONE TIME)	5000
TOTAL	12500
TOTAL at admission Time	517800

Note : As per decision of Finance & Audit Committee Meeting held on 28.09.2012, the Tuition Fee will be increased by a minimum of 10% every year. (Upon the approval being given by the Board of Governors, NIFT reserves the right to revise its fee for any academic year. The revised fee structure shall be applicable at all Campuses to all students including old batches from the notified date).

HOW TO APPLY

Aspirants are required to submit their forms to the NIFT Campus where the student intends to take the Entrance Examination along with the Application Fee and required documents as per Annexure II. The application must be addressed to Campus Director in an envelope indicating "Application for NIFT Lateral Entry Admission- 2014".

For any query an e-mail may be sent to nlea2014@nift.ac.in

NIFT CAMPUSES**NIFT BENGALURU**

NIFT Campus,
No. 21st, 16th Cross Street
27th Main Road, Sector I
HSR (Hosur Sarjapura Road) Layout,
Bengaluru – 560 102 (Karnataka)
T: (080) 22552565
F: (080) 25632566

NIFT JODHPUR

NIFT Campus,
Old Nagar Nigam Building,
Inside Sojati Gate,
Jodhpur - 342 001
T: 91-291-2640067,
F: 91-291-2640066

NIFT PATNA

NIFT Campus, 2nd Floor,
Udyog Bhawan
East Gandhi Maidan
Patna -800004 (Bihar)
T: (0612) 2675464, 2675089, 2675087
F: (0612) 2675035

NIFT BHOPAL

NIFT Campus,
M P Bhoj (Open) University Campus,
Kolar Road,
Bhopal-462016 (MP)
T: (0755) 2493636/736
F: (0755)2493635

NIFT KANGRA

NIFT Campus
Chheb, Kangra-176001 (HP)
T: (01892) 263872
F: (01892) 260872

NIFT RAEBARELI

NIFT Campus,
Doorbhash Nagar,
Sector - II,
Raebareli - 229 010 (UP)
T: (0535) 2702422/31
F: (0535) 2702423/24/29

NIFT BHUBANESHWAR

NIFT Campus,
IDCO Plot No-24
Opp. KIIT School of Mgmt.
Chandaka Industrial Estate,
Bhubaneswar – 751024, Odisha
T: (0674) 2305700, 2305701
F: 0674-2305710

NIFT KANNUR

NIFT Campus,
Dharmasala, Mangattuparamba,
Kannur - 670 562 (Kerala)
T: (0497) 2784780-83
F: (0497) 2784785

NIFT SHILLONG

NIFT Campus,
Old NEIGRIHMS Campus
'C' Block, Pasteur Hills,
Lawmali, Polo
Shillong - 793 001, Meghalaya
T: (0364) 2590240 /253
F: (0364) 2590676

NIFT CHENNAI

NIFT Campus,
Rajiv Gandhi Salai, Taramani,
Chennai – 600 113, Tamil Nadu
T: (044) 22542759
F: (044) 22542769

NIFT KOLKATA

NIFT Campus,
Plot No. 3B, Block - LA,
SEC-III, SALT LAKE CITY,
Kolkata-700098 (WB)
T: (033) 23357332
F: (033) 23355734

NIFT GANDHINAGAR

NIFT Campus
Gh-O Road, Behind Info City,
Near DAIICT
Gandhinagar-382007, Gujarat
T: (079) 23265000, 23240832,
23240834
F: (079) 23240772

NIFT MUMBAI

NIFT Campus.
Plot no 15, Sector 4, Kharghar,
Navi Mumbai - 410210 (Maharash-
tra)
T: (022) 27745549, 27747000,
27747100
F: (022) 27745386

NIFT HYDERABAD

NIFT Campus,
Opposite Hi-tech City,
Cyberabad Post,
Madhapur, Hyderabad-500 081 (AP)
T: (040) 23110841/42/43, 23110630.
F (040) 23114536.

NIFT NEW DELHI

NIFT Campus
Hauz Khas,
Near Gulmohar Park
New Delhi
T: (011) 26867704, 26542148/49/59
F: (011) 26542151

LIST OF DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

S.No. Documents

1. Photograph (2 Passport)
2. Attested copy of 10th class mark sheet
3. Attested copy of 10th class certificate
4. Attested copy of 3 yr Diploma / Degree on the basis of which the candidate is seeking admission.
5. Attested copy of marksheets of 3 yr Diploma / Degree on the basis of which the candidate is seeking admission.
6. Attested copy of 10+2 certificate and marksheet, if applicable
7. Attested copy of SC certificate*
8. Attested copy of ST certificate*
9. Attested copy of PHP certificate*
10. Attested copy of VRC certificate*
11. Attested copy of OBC certificate in prescribed format*

* In case of an applicant is applying for a reserved seat

Vacancy positions for NIFT Lateral Entry Admission 2014

S.No.	Discipline	Campus	Non-NRI Seats				NRI Seats	State Domicile Seats	Total
			Gen.	OBC	SC	ST			
1	B.Des (FD)	Bengaluru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Bhubaneshwar	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Chennai	0	0	1	0	2	0	3
		Gandhinagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Hyderabad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Kangra	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
		Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Kolkata	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Mumbai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Patna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Raebareli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Shillong	0	0	1	0	0	2	3
2	B.Des. (LD)	Chennai	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
		Kolkata	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Raebareli	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
3	B.Des (TD)	Bengaluru	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
		Bhubaneshwar	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
		Bhopal	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
		Chennai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Gandhinagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Hyderabad	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
		Kangra	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Jodhpur	0	0	0	2	0	1	3
		Kannur	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
		Kolkata	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
		Mumbai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patna	0	0	0	2	0	1	3		
4	B.Des (KD)	Bengaluru	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Chennai	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
		Hyderabad	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
		Kannur	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
		Kolkata	1	0	0	0	4	0	5
		Mumbai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Kangra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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ANNEXURE III - Vacancy positions for NIFT Lateral Entry Admission 2014 (continued)

5	B.Des (AD)	Bengaluru	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
		Bhubaneshwar	1	1	2	0	0	4	8
		Bhopal	1	0	1	1	0	2	5
		Chennai	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
		Gandhinagar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Hyderabad	1	0	2	0	1	0	4
		Jodhpur	0	0	1	2	0	0	3
		Kolkata	2	0	0	0	5	0	7
		Kangra	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Mumbai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Raebareli	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Shillong	6	3	5	1	0	5	20
6	B. Des (FC)	Bengaluru	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
		Chennai	0	0	2	2	0	0	4
		Gandhinagar	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
		Hyderabad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Kangra	0	0	0	1	0	3	4
		Kannur	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
		Kolkata	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
		Mumbai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	B.F. Tech	Bengaluru	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
		Chennai	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
		Gandhinagar	0	0	0	1	4	0	5
		Hyderabad	0	0	1	0	5	0	6
		Jodhpur	2	0	0	2	0	2	6
		Kangra	2	0	1	0	0	1	4
		Kannur	0	2	0	0	0	2	4
		Kolkata	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
		Mumbai	0	0	1	0	5	0	6
		New Delhi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Patna	0	1	1	1	0	2	5
		Total	19	9	26	16	71	37	178