

ONLINE ADMISSIONS-2020

It is the mandate of the State Government, Council and the Universities to provide good infrastructural and instructional facilities to the students studying in the Private Unaided Degree Colleges and thereon achieve quality in UG Education. With a view to achieve these objectives, the Council decided to introduce online admissions for UG Programmes in association with the affiliating Universities concerned from the academic year 2020-21.

A meeting with Vice Chancellors of the 10 affiliating Universities in A.P was held on 19.03.2020 to discuss and decide on the introduction of uniform online admission process for admission into conventional Under Graduate programs ie B.A., B.Com., B.Sc. from the academic year 2020-21. The AP Center for Financial Services and Systems (APCFSS), formerly known as CGG ie Center for Good Governance was entrusted with the Design, Development and Implementation of IT solution for Undergraduate (UG) admissions.



Memorandum of Agreement was entered by APSCHE with the 10 affiliating Universities, APCFSS and CCE on 27.10.2020

The Government of A.P, vide G.O.Ms.No.34 Higher Education (CE) Department Dt: 15-10-2020 has issued orders introducing online admission process for admission into Undergraduate Programmes in Arts, Sciences, Social Sciences, Commerce, Management, Computer Applications and Social work etc. including Honours, in all faculties in Government Degree Colleges, Government Autonomous Degree Colleges, Private Aided Degree Colleges, Private Unaided Degree Colleges and Private-Autonomous Degree Colleges.

As per 13.1 of rule 13 of the G.O 34 Dt: 15.10.2020 , the AP State Council of Higher Education is authorized to implement online admission process for admissions into under graduate courses ie BA, B.Com., B.Sc., etc. offered by the Degree Colleges in the State from the academic year 2020-21 through the **Online Admission Module for Degree Colleges (OAMDC)** of APCFSS.

Constitution of committees:

In accordance with the G.O Ms.No.34, A.P State Council of Higher Education has constituted the following committees:

- a) **Project Monitoring Unit (PMU)** to take policy decisions with regard to online admissions in Undergraduate Programmes
- b) **Online Admission Committee (OAC)** with the Convenor and other members for conduct of admissions process
- c) **State Level Coordination Committees (SLCCs)** for Online Admissions-2020 to coordinate online admission process and to address the grievances of the Colleges / Institutions and Students during the online admission process
- d) **District Level Coordination Committees (DLCCs)** in each of the 13 Districts of the state to redress all kinds of grievances of the students (grievances related to their admission procedure on OAMDC) and Colleges in coordination with their respective Universities

In order to provide assistance to the students in registering on the OAMDC, making web options, issues related to allotment of seats etc. the A.P State Council of Higher Education, in association with the Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, A.P has identified 52 Government Degree Colleges (GDCs) to serve as **College Level Helpline Centres (CLHLCs)**, 4 GDCs in each District, in all the 13 Districts of the state. The APSCHE has also requested the 10 affiliating Universities to set up University Level Helpline Centres (ULHLCs).

Meetings conducted by the APSCHE:

The APSCHE has convened meetings with the officers from the Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, A.P, and APCFSS on 17.10.2020 and 23.10.2020 to discuss the plan of action, identification of Helpline Centres, their operation, technical aspects related to online application form and exercise of web options.

An orientation session through video conferencing was held by APSCHE in association with the O/o CCE, A.P on 05.11.2020 to coordinators of all CLHLCs and ULHLCs on maintenance of Helpline Centres, their duties and responsibilities. A meeting of the PMU was held on 27.10.2020 to decide on the appointment of Convenor, dates of notification and other issues related to online admissions. A meeting with the Deans, CDC was also held on 18.11.2020 to discuss the preparedness for online admissions-2020, eligibility for newly sanctioned B.Voc programmes, confirmation of colleges and courses by the Universities, admission into integrated courses offered by Oriental Colleges, offering of UG Programmes in Hons with 4 year duration with an exit option after 3 years from 2020-21 etc. were discussed.

The date of notification, schedule for Online Admissions-2020 will be decided and issued soon after issuance of G.O on fee fixation for Conventional Degree Colleges by the Government.

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