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Cost of Application Form:

₹ 200/- for General & OBC Candidates

₹ 100/- for SC/ST/PwD/EWS Candidates

Exempted for PwDs/ PH(Divyangjan) Candidates having UDID card

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES FOR DISLI COURSE:

Sl.No.	ACTIVITY	TENTATIVE DATES
1.	Available of Information Brochure on SVNIRTAR website / Starting date of Application	30-07-2025
2.	Last date of receipt of Application form	14-08-2025
5.	Declaration of results for eligible candidates	18-08-2025
6.	Document verification & Admission of candidates	20-08-2025
7.	Commencement of class	21-08-2025

Information Brochure & Application Form can be downloaded from the Official website of SVNIRTAR <https://svnirtar.nic.in>

N.B.: Completed application form along with all required documents and Demand Draft (wherever applicable) should reach to:

The Director,
Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training & Research (SVNIRTAR)
Olatpur, PO: Bairoi, Dist: Cuttack-754010 (ODISHA)

1. THE INSTITUTE: - SVNIRTAR was established as an Autonomous Body under DEPwDs (DIVYANGJAN), Ministry Page 5 of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India in early eighties with the following aims and objectives.

- Human Resource Development in the field of Rehabilitation.
- Developing model service delivery system for People with Disability.
- Undertaking Research and Development in the field of rehabilitation.
- Undertaking Clinical and therapeutic services.
- Undertaking extension & outreach programs.

SVNIRTAR is located at Olatpur, PO-Bairoi, in the District of Cuttack, Odisha 30 kms away from Cuttack and Bhubaneswar. It has well-developed Departments in Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Prosthetics & Orthotics and Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. It has 150 bedded Hospital where surgeries are performed for correction of deformities, contractures, clubfoot and Hansen's disease and has made a name for itself in limb lengthening surgeries through Illizarov method. The Institution is strong in research and has a fair amount of published work. The faculties are of National and International repute. The Institute is running Bachelor's Degree programs in Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, BASLP and Prosthetics & Orthotics courses. SVNIRTAR also conducts Postgraduate courses like Diplome in National Board (DNB) in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Master of Physiotherapy, Master of Occupational Therapy and Master in Prosthetics & Orthotics. CBS Course with 1 Year duration is running at this Institute. For more information, please browse <https://svnirtar.nic.in>. In addition to above, the Ministry has also established Composite Regional Centers, District Disability Rehabilitation Centre, supporting to voluntary action programs and National Program for Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities under state sector scheme. For further information, website <https://socialjustice.nic.in> may be visited.

2. OBJECTIVES OF THE D.I.S.L.I PROGRAM

The Diploma in Indian Sign Language Interpretation aims to train professional quality interpreters for people who are Deaf and Hard of Hearing. The diploma will enable the trainees to acquire knowledge, skills and competencies in interpreting Indian Sign Language into other spoken languages and vice versa. An Indian Sign Language Interpreter is responsible for helping deaf individuals understand what is being said in a variety of situations.

Diploma in Indian Sign Language Interpretation (DISLI) is a course recognized by the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) and its main aim is to prepare skilled and efficient manpower to work effectively in the field of deaf education and rehabilitation.

After completion of DISLI course the interpreter may work in schools, colleges, institutes where the deaf population study and work and other places where interpreting services are required. This course will also help teachers of the deaf to effectively communicate with their students. An Indian sign language interpreter may be present to translate during an office meeting, in a courtroom, or at a political speech. Interpreters may also be used in one-on-one situations to help two parties communicate with each other. Indian Sign Language interpreters might use technology to provide services from a remote location.

ADMISSION BULLETIN

1. INTRODUCTION

The admission to Diploma in Indian Sign Language Interpretation (D.I.S.L.I.) program for the academic year 2025-26 offered by the SVNIRTAR would be done as per the application and admission procedure detailed in this bulletin. **The admission will be made exclusively on the basis of merit in the Senior Secondary (10+2) or equivalent.**

2. ELIGIBILITY CONDITION

2.1 A Candidate should have:

- (a) Senior Secondary (10+2) or equivalent with minimum 50% marks
- (b) Functional hands
- (c) Fluency in at least one language
- (d) Hearing in the normal range
- (d) No age bars

(The reservation and relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Central Government/ State Government, whichever is applicable)

2.2 DURATION OF THE PROGRAM

- The program shall be of 2 academic years
- The duration of the programme will be two academic years (400 days consisting of 2400 hours), distributed over four semesters, to be completed in maximum 3 years from the date
- One academic year is divided into two semesters. Each semester has 100 working days with 600 hours, excluding admissions and final semester examinations. Each semester will also have 10 days with 60 hours as Notional Hours. The theory hours will also include 60 hours of Employability skills.

2.3 NATIONALITY

Indian Nationals residing in India seeking admission as per eligibility are required to apply for the course.

3. SEATS AVAILABLE & RESERVATION NORMS

3.1 Vertical Reservation: Reservation will be made as per the Central Govt. norms i.e. SC- 15%, ST- 7.5% and OBC- 27% & EWS- 10% is kept vertically subject to production of Original Caste Certificate.

3.2 Horizontal Reservation:

Horizontal reservation seat will be allotted to meritorious Horizontal reserved category candidates from their respective category (i.e. UR/EWS/OBC/SC/ST) only when the same candidates are not available during allotment of seat as per the vertical reservation. If, Horizontal reserved category candidates are available during allotment of seat as per Vertical reservation in that case no horizontal reservation seat will be allotted.

3.2.1 PwD/ PH Reservation: Govt. of India Reservation Policy for PwD/PH (Divyangjan) candidates will be strictly followed in DISLI Course, subject to production of Original PwD/PH (Divyangjan)/UDID Certificate issued from Competent Authority.

3.2.2 The meritorious PwD/PH (Divyangjan) candidate from PwD/PH (Divyangjan) rank will get the chance and the seat will be deducted from the candidate's category (UR/EWS/SC/ST/OBC). 01 seat in DISLI Course is reserved for meritorious PwD/PH (Divyangjan) candidate as per Reservation Roaster for this Academic year i.e. 2025-26.

3.3 Reservation will be made as per the Central Govt. norms. The SC/ST candidates are required to submit Caste Certificate issued from appropriate authorities on the basis of which reservation is claimed. In case of non- availability of qualified candidates under one category (SC/ST), the vacant seats will be interchanged from the other category (SC/ST), in order of merit.

3.4 SEBC Certificate issued by Govt. of Odisha or any State Govt. BC certificates applicable for their concerned state will not be accepted. OBC Certificate (Non-Creamy layer) issued in Govt. of India format only and issued within one year before date of counseling will be accepted. Similarly in case of non-availability of qualified OBC candidates, the vacant seats will be filled-up by UR Category candidates in order of merit.

NAME OF THE INSTITUTE	COURSE NAME	TOTAL NO. OF SEATS	GEN.	EWS	SC	ST	OBC
SVNIRTAR, CUTTACK	DISLI	20	08	02	03	02	05

4. COURSE FEES:

Fees Details for Admission to DISLI Course per Year

- 1. Semester Fee - Rs. 10,000/- per semester (Rs. 8,000/- Training + Rs. 2,000/- Library Fee)**
- 2. Caution Money - Rs. 5,000/- (It will be refunded to the student after completion of the course).**

DISLI Course

1st Semester –

2nd Semester-

3rd Semester-

4th Semester-

Total Course Fees

Fees Detail

15,000/- (Semester Fee + Caution Money)

10,000/-

10,000/-

10,000/-

45,000/-

The above amount is applicable for the academic session (2025-26) which may change.

5. GENERAL RULES

- i) Medium of DISLI Entrance Test- 2024 and subsequent teaching shall be English only.
- ii) The candidates once selected in the course will have to deposit the course fee and caution money as per Institute norms. If candidate leaves the course in between due to any reason, the fee deposited will stand forfeited. However, caution money shall be refunded.
- i) The Course fee will be waived off for UDID card holder PwD students and parents or sibling of persons with disability.
- ii) Each Student will be paid stipend of Rs 2000/- PM for 10 months per year, for duration of 2 years.
- iii) Minimum 75% attendance in theory and practical is required as per RCI NBER guidelines. Working days are from Monday to Friday.
- iv) The Institute reserves the right to reject incomplete application form.
- v) The candidates should bring their original certificates at the time of counseling. Those who have deposited their original certificate in any other Institute/ University/ College/ Organization should bring a letter to this effect; otherwise, he/she will forfeit his/her right for admission.
- vi) The Institute is not responsible for non-receipt of application/enclosures within the notified date & time for any reason whatsoever including postal delay..
- vii) The candidates should scrupulously follow the rules of discipline and code of conduct as per the rules framed by the concerned Institutes from time to time.
- viii) Ragging (by the student admitted) in any form within and outside the campus is strictly prohibited. Violation will attract severe disciplinary action by Institute and initiation of cases under IPC and CrPC.
- ix) The hostel allotment is subject to availability & year to year basis depending on discipline/performance of student.
- x) The candidates admitted to hostel should have to follow the hostels rules framed from time to time and should maintain utmost discipline, decency and decorum in their behaviour with the staff, co-workers and co-students.
- xi) No student is allowed to stay in the hostel beyond the duration of the course he/she is enrolled for.

6. SUBMISSION OF FILLED-IN APPLICATION FORM

The filled-in, 'Application Form' complete in all respect should be submitted either by Online Mode or in a person or by posts so as to reach office of the DIRECTOR, Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training & Research, At: Olatpur, PO:Bairoi, Dist:Cuttack, Odisha -754010 within stipulated period.

DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED ALONGWITH THE APPLICATION FORM:

- I. Recent passport size photograph affixed on the applications should be self attested.
- II. Date of birth proof (Secondary School/Matriculation Certificate) issued by the affiliating board.
- III. 10+2 Mark sheet.
- IV. PwD/PH Certificate or UDID Card (For Candidates seeking Reservation under PwD/PH Category).
- V. SC/ST/OBC/EWS Certificate issued from appropriate authorities on the basis of which reservation is claimed.
 1. SEBC Certificate issued by Govt. of Odisha or any State Govt. BC certificates applicable for their concerned state will not be accepted. OBC Certificate (Non-Creamy layer) issued in Govt. of India format only) and issued within one year before date of counselling will be accepted.
 2. EWS Certificate issued within one year before date of counselling will be accepted.
- VII. The duly filled application form should attach with Demand Draft wherever applicable.

7. METHOD OF SELECTION /ADMISSION

- 7.1** The result of selected candidates will be available on the websites <https://www.svnirtar.nic.in> by stipulated date. The candidates are advised to appear for counseling based on result published on web-site. **It is also advised that candidate should give their e-mail address in their application form and be in touch to their e-mail box. Schedule of counseling will also be notified on web- site & notice boards of SVNIRTAR.**

7.2 Merit List

The admission will be made exclusively on the basis of merit in the Senior Secondary (10+2) or equivalent. In case of two or more candidates obtain equal merit of the eligibility, the inter-se-merit of candidates will be determined according to the following criteria: -

- (i) The candidates getting higher marks in Senior Secondary (10+2) or equivalent shall rank higher in the merit list.
- (ii) In case of tie in (i) above, the candidates securing higher marks in 10th shall rank higher.
- (iii) In case of tie in (i) & (ii) & above, the candidate elder in age shall rank higher.

7.2.1 IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The candidates will be called in the order of merit and shall be offered the seats available/vacant at his/her turn. Each candidate will have to select course subject (subject to eligibility) and from the available seat of the Institute.

- a) The parents/guardian shall not be allowed in counseling hall. However, the candidate may be given enough opportunity to consult his/her guardian prior to counseling.

At the time of counseling, the candidates have to produce original certificates and one set of self-attested photocopies thereof. One of original documents may be retained in the Institute/centre till the completion of the first-semester examination.

A candidate, who fails to appear in person on the notified date and time for counseling until unless allowed, shall forfeit his/her claim for a seat.

A candidate who is allotted a seat shall be admitted provisionally. He/She will be required to deposit the prescribed fee on the spot by Demand Draft.

8. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED IN ORIGINAL AT THE TIME OF COUNSELLING/ADMISSION:

Date of birth (Secondary School/Matriculation Certificate/Admit Card) issued by the affiliating board.

Certificate and mark sheet of the qualifying examination issued by the Board/University.

Conduct and Character Certificate from the head of the Institution from where the qualifying examination was passed or from principal of the college/school where the candidate has studied last.

Certificate of medical fitness to be signed by a Govt. Medical Board or medical board constituted by concerned institute.

Caste (SC, ST, OBC & EWS) certificate or Physically Handicapped certificate issued from competent authorities on the basis of which reservation is claimed. The Institute may constitute a medical board to assess disability/eligibility of candidate to pursue the said course. OBC & EWS certificates should be issued within 01 year before the date of counseling.

PwD Certificate or UDID card if candidate is a valid UDID card holder

Migration certificate in original form the respective regular School/University where he/she has studied last to be submitted as per requirement of university.

9. CAUTION MONEY

- 9.1** The candidates offered admission would have to deposit caution money as stated earlier. The caution money is refundable after recovering the losses/damages in hostel/Institute, if any, on the successful completion of the course.
- 9.2** However if a student discontinues on his/her own reason before completion of the course, the entire fee will be forfeited except caution money.

10. HOSTEL ACCOMODATION

Separate hostel facilities for boys are available in the premises. The hostel accommodation will be provided to outstation candidates preferably on their written request subject to availability of seats. Hostel allocation will be reviewed year-to year basis. However, hostel facility will not be available beyond the course duration irrespective of reasons.

11. ATTENDANCE

Students will have to fulfill criteria as per RCI NBER norms.

Minimum 75% attendance in theory and practical is required as per RCI NBER guidelines. Working days are from Monday to Friday.

12. DISCIPLINE

The candidates admitted shall be subject to strict discipline in the campus and hostel. Students are expected to maintain decorum, decency and disciplined behaviour throughout their pursuance of the course.

13. REFUND

In the event of the candidate withdrawing from the course, the entire fee and deposits paid at the time of admission stand forfeited and in addition, any sums expended by the Institute in training the candidate may have to be refunded by the candidate as per the terms and conditions of the Institute concerned.

14. PREVENTION OF RAGGING

RAGGING IN ANY FORM WITHIN AND OUTSIDE THE CAMPUS IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. If any incidence of ragging comes to the notice of the Authority concerned, the accused student will be given an opportunity to explain and if his/her explanation is found not satisfactory, the Authority would expel him/her from the Institution, as well as hostel, if he/she is a boarder. Cases against the accused student will be initiated as per rule.

15. INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION & SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM

19.1 General Notes: -

- (i) Candidates must retain a photocopy of the filled-in application form & DD, before submitting it for their personal records and future reference.
- (ii) Application form is to be filled up neatly and legitimately. Please ensure to write address and sign the application form only in the relevant box. The photograph of the size 3.5cm X 4.5cm must be against a light background.
- (iii) Information required in the relevant box is to be filled in Capital Letters only and tick () clearly the required information in the boxes wherever provided.
- (iv) Option for test centers filled once cannot be changed by the candidate. However, in unavoidable circumstances the examination centre may be changed by the competent authority of DISLI Entrance Test – 2024.
- (v) Please note that name, father's name and date of birth should as recorded as per High School or first Board/Matriculation examination certificate. Any deviation may lead to cancellation of your candidature, whenever noticed.

20.1 FOR ONLINE DOWN LOADED FORM:

Information Brochure & Application form can be downloaded from website- <https://svnirtar.nic.in>. A Demand Draft of ₹200/- for General, EWS & OBC and ₹100/- for SC, ST & PH candidates should send along with duly filled downloaded application form (hard copy) in favor of “Director, SVNIRTAR” payable at Cuttack. PH/ PwD candidates having UDID Card are exempted from Application fee.

IMPORTANT:

- **CANDIDATES ARE INSTRUCTED TO LOGIN THE SVNIRTAR WEBSITE <https://svnirtar.nic.in> IN FREQUENT INTERVALS FOR LATEST INFORMATION RELATED TO DISLI ENTRANCE TEST-2024, TILL COMPLETION OF ADMISSION PROCESS.**

CHECK LIST

1. Completed application form with recent Photograph, pasted in the space provided.
2. Completed Admit Card with identical passport size recent Photograph pasted in the space provided.
4. Retain the photocopy of the application form.

IMPORTANT NOTES

1. The candidate is advised to ensure correctness of his/her mailing address for correspondence with PIN CODE as all correspondence will be made by email only.
2. Incomplete application will be summarily rejected.
3. Application can be submitted online or in person to the office of the Director. SVNIRTAR, Olatpur, PO: Bairoi, Dist: Cuttack-754010. Alternatively, it must be sent by Registered/ Speed post, so as to reach on or before the closing date.

4. Complete information about the method of answering questions shall be given in the test booklet at the time of appearing in DISLI ENTRANCE TEST – 2024.
5. Candidates are instructed to login the official website of SVNIRTAR i.e. <https://svnirtar.nic.in> in frequent intervals for latest Information related to BASLP ENTRANCE TEST – 2023, till completion of admission Process. No personal or other mode of communication will be made individually.

Information Brochure and Application Form - DISLI ENTRANCE TEST – 2024
can be downloaded from <https://svnirtar.nic.in>

Interested candidates may send hard copy of their applications as per prescribed form which can be downloaded from the website <https://svnirtar.nic.in> . The application in prescribed format completed in all respects along with Demand Draft and other required documents should reach at the following address on or before closing date:

**The Director,
Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training & Research (SVNIRTAR)
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2. Caution Money - Rs. 5,000/- (It will be refunded to the student after completion of the course).

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1st Semester –	15,000/- (Semester Fee + Caution Money)
2nd Semester-	10,000/-
3rd Semester-	10,000/-
4th Semester-	10,000/-
Total Course Fees	45,000/-

Note: PwD candidates having UDID card with benchmark disability (40%) and the parents of PwDs are exempted from course fees.

Fees may be paid by Demand draft:

D.D. should be drawn in favour of “Director, SVNIRTAR” payable at Cuttack.

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