# DARJEELING POLYTECHNIC, KURSEONG

## **INFORMATION AND ADMISSION GUIDELINES 2022**

Darjeeling Polytechnic established in the year of 1964, presently offers three-year Diploma Courses in Civil Engineering (DCE), Electrical Engineering (DEE) and Computer Science and Technology (DCST). The various Diploma Courses are approved by AICTE and recognized by West Bengal State Council of Technical Education. The Institute boasts of being the first Technical Institute in the three hills subdivisions of Darjeeling District and has been catering to the needs of the aspiring students for the past fifty years. It has an illustrious alumnus which has been made possible by the sincere effort and dedication of the faculty and staff of the Institute.

#### **LOCATION:**

The Institute is located on the outskirts of Kurseong Town, one of the sub-divisional headquarters of Darjeeling District. It is on the west side of the town and can be approached via M. V. Road and the Kurseong Bypass Road. It is at a walking distance from Kurseong Railway Station.

#### **COURSES OFFERED:**

The following are the courses offered at present:

- 1. Three Years Full Time Diploma in Civil Engineering
- 2. Three Years Full Time Diploma in Electrical Engineering
- 3. Three Years Full Time Diploma in Computer Science & Technology

The above-mentioned courses are run with proper laboratory facilities and Workshop.

The courses are presently run according to the Semester System where each year's course is divided into two semester and candidates will have to appear in the Board Examination after completion of each semester. The exams are normally held during the months of December & May.

#### **INTAKE:**

#### **SEAT AVAILABILITY FOR FIRST YEAR:**

STREAM	NUMBER OF SEATS
Diploma in Civil Engineering	60
Diploma in Electrical Engineering	60
Diploma in Computer Science & Technology	60

#### **SEAT AVAILABILITY FOR VOCLET / ITI CANDIDATES:**

STREAM	NUMBER OF SEATS
Diploma in Civil Engineering	06
Diploma in Electrical Engineering	06
Diploma in Computer Science & Technology	06

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#### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION:**

#### 1. For 3 years Diploma:

Candidates must have passed secondary or equivalent examination with English, Physical Science and Mathematics with **35** % marks (without rounding up) in aggregate (excluding additional subject). Mathematics, Physical Science (Science) and English are mandatory subjects in the qualifying examination and a candidate must acquire at least pass marks in all the three subjects as per his/her secondary board.

#### For Lateral Entry to 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Diploma scheme of AICTE:

Maximum 10 % of sanctioned intake will be filled on super-numerary basis from the students passing 12<sup>th</sup> examination of WBSCTVE&SD (Vocational Education Division) **OR** 10th + (2 years ITI) with appropriate specialisation **OR** passed 10+2 Science with Mathematics / Biology as one of the subject. ITI candidates must possess original marksheet or pass certificate at the time of Admission.

## 2. Candidates must satisfy medical fitness prescribed below.

Medical certificate(s) from Registered Medical Practitioner(s) are to be produced by the candidates at the time of selection for the purpose.

**Medical Fitness:** candidates seeking admission to the course should possess good health and physique with sound mind. They should not be suffering from any disease or have any mental infirmity.

## Allowable Defects in Eyesight:

- (a) Myopia or Myopic Astigmatism: Total strength of correcting lens not exceeding 3.5 Dioptre and acuteness of vision after correction (a) 6/9 in one eye (b) 6/6 in another.
- (b) Hypermetropia not exceeding 14 Dioptre or Hypermetropic Astigmatism: strength of correcting lens not exceeding 4 Dioptre and acuteness of vision after correction (a) 6/9 in one eye (b) 6/6 in another.

### 3. Candidate must be a resident of Darjeeling District or Kalimpong District

## AGE (for 1st year admission only):

There is no upper age limit; however, the candidates should **not be born after 01.07.2007** (not below 15 yrs)

#### **MODE OF SELECTION:**

Selection for admission to all seats of the Full Time Diploma Courses will be made on the basis of marks obtained in the Madhyamik or its equivalent examination as approved by WBSCT&VE&SD / Government of West Bengal from time to time.

30 % of total seats in each branch will be filled up by the candidates of Districts of Darjeeling and Kalimpong including Siliguri Sub-Division of Darjeeling District. 50 % of these seats will be reserved for female candidates. Female seats will be converted to male seats in case of non-availability of sufficient number of Female candidates.

70 % of total seats in each branch will be filled up by the candidates of three Hill Sub-Divisions of Darjeeling District viz. Mirik, Kurseong, Darjeeling (Sadar) and Kalimpong District under GTA.

The admission of candidates belonging to SC, ST and Physically Challenged categories will be as per existing Government norms. Candidates must produce a Provisional Certificate / Application receipt issued by the S.D.O. Office if original is not issued along with Father's certificate.

Note: 5% of the total intake will be awarded TWF (Tuition Fee Waiver) as per existing government norms and conditions.

### **HOW TO APPLY:**

- 1. Eligible Candidates must apply online through links provided in the websites given below.
- 2. After successful online submission of the Application Form, a copy of the response form received in their respective email must to be printed.

NOTE: Information submitted will be treated as final. No further corrections will be entertained.

- 3. The printed application form with recent **Passport sized photo** and self-attested photocopy of
  - i) Marksheet (Madhyamik / Equivalent OR Vocational / ITI / HS) as applicable
  - ii) Admit Card of Madhyamik / Equivalent OR Birth Certificate
  - iii) SC / ST Certificate if applicable (if NOT issued then application receipt & parent's caste certificate)
  - iv) Residential Certificate issued by BDO/SDO (Gram Panchayat / Municipality certificate NOT accepted)
  - v) Medical Certificate (format given below)
- vi) Anti-Ragging Affidavit (on Rs 10 NJ Stamp) one by student & one by parent / guardian. (format given below)

along with applicable fees has to be submitted at Darjeeling Polytechnic on the day of Admission

- 3. Other supporting documents are REQUIRED at the time of admission. However, **eligibility documents mentioned above**, **in ORIGNAL** have to be produced for verification and a set of photocopies of those documents have to be submitted at the time of counselling / admission.
- 5. Publication of **Merit List with the Seat Allotment Result** will be made available tentatively on the **2<sup>nd</sup> of September 2022** in the websites and the Institute Notice Board.
- 6. Schedule of Counselling cum Admission will be declared online in due time.

Applicants are advised to keep a close touch with these websites for information

1) www.webscte.co.in

2) http://polytechnic.wbtetsd.gov.in/darjeelingpoly

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