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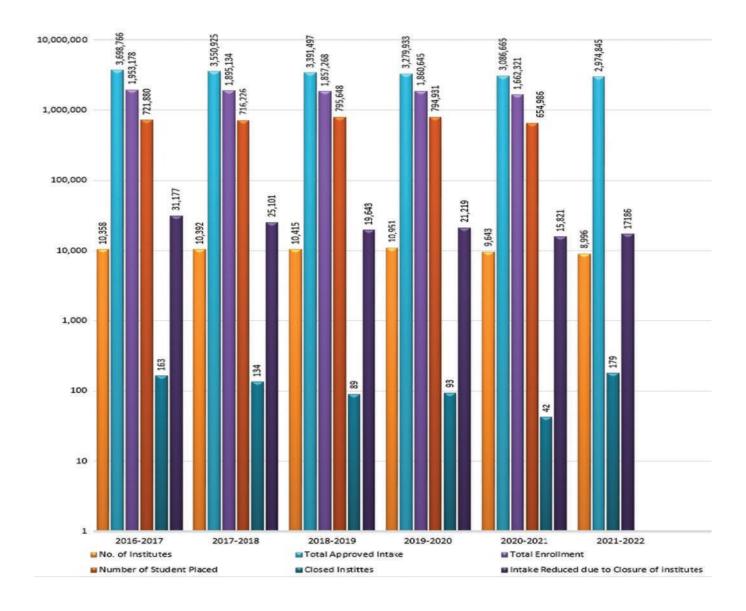
Atal Ranking of Institutions on Innovation Achievements (ARIIA)

ARIIA is an initiative of Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Govt. of India to systematically rank all major higher educational institutions and universities in India on indicators related to "Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development" amongst students and faculties.

9. Current Status of Technical Education

The growth of Technical Education in the Country before independence was very slow. The number of Engineering Colleges and Polytechnics in 1947 was 44 and 43 with an Intake capacity of 3200 and 3400 respectively.

Due to the efforts and initiatives taken during successive Five-year Plans and particularly due to Policy changes in the eighties to allow participation of Private and Voluntary Organizations in the setting up of Technical Institutions on self-financing basis, the growth of Technical Education has been phenomenal. Technical Education at all Levels in the Country is witnessing a consistent growth pattern marked by the setting up of new Technical Institutions and the improvement of the existing ones in tune with the quality assurance norms set by the regulating and accreditation agencies.



Release of Security Deposit

Procedure 7.51.1

- The Trust/ Society/ Company shall upload/ submit the following documents in AICTE Web-Portal for the release of the FDR/ RTGS.
- Application/ request letter of the Institution for FDR/ RTGS release
- Affidavit 6 with details of the Institution and Name of the Trust/ Society/ Company, FDR/ RTGS details (as per the standard format)
- Copy of FDR to be released, in a corpus fund made by RPGF, copy(s) of the Demand Draft (if any) submitted to AICTE for creation of RPGF/ Online payment proof for Security Deposit
- Regional Office after verification shall forward the same to the Approval Bureau, Public Grievance Redressal Cell (PGRC) and Vigilance Cell of AICTE to give their clearance for the release of the FDR.
- In case of FDR/ RPGF, upon clearance from all the above, NOC shall be issued to the Institution by the Regional Officer.
- In case of RTGS, the sanction order shall be issued by the Council.
- 7.51.2 If an Institution has any financial embezzlement with Government Bodies/ Banks, then Security Deposit shall not be released till the NOC from such body is received.
- In case an Institution/Trust/Society/Company violates the Security Deposit related norms, the 7.51.3 Council shall initiate appropriate penal action.
- 7.51.4 For the Institutions approved by AICTE and later converted into a Private University/Institution Deemed to be University by appropriate State/ Central Act, the release of Security Deposit shall be subject to no pending Complaints or Disciplinary Proceedings against such Institutions in addition to the submission of the above documents.
- 7.51.5 For the Institutions approved for Progressive Closure (Institutional/Program specific), Security Deposit (as applicable) shall be released upon the request from the Trust/ Society/ Company, subject to the submission of a Certificate from the affiliating University/Board stating that no students are studying in the Institution. Such a Certificateis not needed, if the Security Deposit is already matured.
- In case of grant of approval to the merger of Institutions, Security Deposit of the Child Institution(s) shall be released upon the request from the Trust/ Society/ Company, subject to the submission of a Certificate from the affiliating University/Board stating that no students are studying in the Institution.
- 7.52 Two Supernumerary seats shall be accorded by AICTE in its approved institutions for empowering Gifted & Talented students to seek admissions against these seats, which will provide a motivating and unique opportunity for such students in line with NEP recommendations.
 - AICTE shall devise norms for selection of Gifted & Talented Students under supernumerary quota and final admission shall be approved by AICTE.
- 7.53 To facilitate limited and conditional capacity creation based on the following guidelines: It is observed that a few institutions have reported more than 100% enrolments in 2021. A number of institutes have reported >80% enrolments. Extra capacities shall be permitted to institutions with good NIRF ranking (<100) that have reported >80% enrolments last three years as below:
 - 95-100% enrolments additional capacity of 25% be permitted i)
 - ii) 80-95% enrolments – additional capacity of 15% may be permitted

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