

वास्तुकला परिषद्
Council of Architecture

वास्तुविद् अधिनियम, 1972 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार का एक स्वायत्त सांविधिक निकाय
(An Autonomous Statutory Body of Govt. of India, under the Architects Act, 1972)

Ref. No.CA/5/2023/Academic/Circular-Eligibility
July 19, 2023

1. TO ALL SECRETARIES OF HIGHER/TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN STATES/UTS OF INDIA
2. TO ALL DIRECTORS OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN STATES/UTS OF INDIA
3. TO ALL THE HEADS OF ARCHITECTURAL INSTITUTIONS IMPARTING RECOGNIZED ARCHITECTURAL QUALIFICATIONS IN THE COUNTRY
4. TO ALL THE UNIVERSITIES AWARDING B.ARCH./M.ARCH. DEGREE IN THE COUNTRY

Sub:- Amendment/ Relaxation in B.Arch. Eligibility Criteria for academic session 2023-2024 – reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Council of Architecture, with the approval of the Central Government, has amended / relaxed the eligibility for admission to 1st year of 5-year B.Arch. Degree Course as prescribed under Regulation 4 of the Council of Architecture (Minimum Standards of Architectural Education) Regulations 2020, for the academic session 2023-2024. The amended eligibility is stated as under:

“(1) No candidate shall be admitted to architecture course unless she/he has passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with Physics and Mathematics as compulsory subjects along with either Chemistry or Biology or Technical Vocational subject or Computer Science or Information Technology or Informatics Practices or Engineering Graphics or Business Studies with at least 45% marks in aggregate or passed 10+3 Diploma Examination with Mathematics as compulsory subject with at least 45% marks in aggregate.”

(Note : The above relaxation shall be valid for the admission in academic session 2023-2024 only, irrespective of the year in which a candidate has passed 10+2 or 10+3 examination.)

“(2) The candidate needs to qualify an aptitude test in architecture conducted either by NTA (i.e. JEE) or “NATA” conducted by the Council of Architecture.”

The same has been published in the Official Gazette of India on July 19, 2023 and has come into effect from the date of publication in the Gazette. A copy of the said notifications is attached herewith for your ready reference.

As per the above Regulations, the institutions shall give weightage of 50 per cent. marks for aptitude tests and 50 per cent. marks in the qualifying examination for admission into B.Arch. course. The reservation of seats and relaxation in percentage of marks obtained in the qualifying examination for admission of the candidates belonging to reserved categories shall be as per the reservation policy of Central Government or the respective State Governments.



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It may be further stated that the classes for 1st year 5-year Architecture degree course shall not commence later than the 1st working day in the month of September, 2023 and all admissions must be completed before the said date.

In view of the above, all the admission authorities, universities and institutions imparting B.Arch. degree course in the country are required to follow the above eligibility criteria for admission into 1st year of 5-year B.Arch. degree course **for the academic session 2023-2024.**

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'R.K. Oberoi', written over a circular stamp or seal.

R.K. Oberoi
Registrar

Encl. : as above.