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PRE-MERIT NOTICE

For the Information of All Applicants and Parents

The online submission of applications for admission into the Undergraduate Programmes (Semester-I) for the Academic Session 2026–27 has been completed, and the prescribed last date for submission of online applications has already expired. The merit list of selected candidates is scheduled to be published on **20th July, 2026 at 2:00 PM.**

In order to ensure transparency and to avoid confusion, misunderstanding and unnecessary representations after publication of the merit list, all applicants and their parents are requested to carefully note the following:

1. Admission shall be made strictly on merit in accordance with the Government of Arunachal Pradesh admission policy, the Rajiv Gandhi University guidelines, the College Prospectus and other applicable rules and regulations.
2. Minimum eligibility for Open (Non-Catchment) Category is:
 - a. Arts Stream: 55% marks in Class XII.
 - b. Science Stream: 60% marks in Class XII.
 - c. Commerce Stream: 45% marks in Class XII.
3. These percentages represent only the minimum eligibility for consideration under the Open (Non-Catchment) Category and do not guarantee selection.
4. For the Academic Session 2026–27, admission is based on CUET (UG)-2026 merit, subject to programme-specific eligibility, category, availability of seats and the preferences exercised by the applicant in the online application form.
5. Accordingly, a student securing even 90% marks in the Class XII examination may not secure admission if the candidate does not obtain the required CUET merit for the preferred Major programme.

Illustration: A candidate secures 90% marks in the Class XII examination and 300 CUET marks, and has applied only for B.A. (Major) Political Science. If the cut-off for Political Science is 301 CUET marks, the candidate will not be selected for Political Science, notwithstanding the high percentage secured in the Class XII examination.

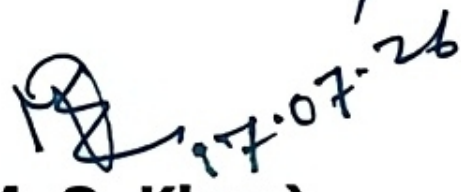
Further, if the same candidate did not apply for B.A. (Major) History while submitting the online application form, the College cannot consider the candidate for


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History, even if the cut-off for History is 200 CUET marks, since admission is processed only against the Major programme(s) opted for by the applicant in the online application form.

6. Separate merit lists are prepared for each Major programme under the Catchment Area and Open (Non-Catchment) categories in accordance with the Government policy. Accordingly, the cut-off may vary from subject to subject and category to category depending upon the number of applicants, merit and availability of seats.
7. The special one-time opportunity provided by the College for rectification of inadvertent errors in the online application form has already concluded. Since the online application process has closed, no request for correction of marks, category, catchment details, subject preferences, Major programme(s), or any other particulars shall be entertained.
8. Applicants and parents are advised to await the publication of the merit list and refrain from drawing conclusions solely on the basis of Class XII marks or by comparing individual cases without taking into account the applicable admission rules, category, programme-wise merit and seat availability.

This notice is issued in the interest of transparency and for the guidance of all applicants and parents.


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