

19. Documents For NRI / NRI Sponsored / OCI / PIO / Foreign Nationals Candidates

For claiming NRI/ NRI Sponsored / OCI / PIO / Foreign Nationals, candidates should submit the following certificates, whatever applicable.

- i. Candidate's parents resident certificate issued by the Embassy of that country complying with the Income Tax Rules / any other certificates to establish evidence that they are resident of that country / affidavit on Rs.100/- e-stamp paper to that effect.
- ii. Candidate's passport / VISA / Resident VISA.
- iii. Green card / Citizenship of the candidate.
- iv. If NRI Sponsored – with NRI Sponsor's acceptance certificate as Affidavit. (If applicable).
- v. Undertaking in the form of Affidavit from parent, if parent is not the Sponsor.
- vi. Income Tax Documents required as per the Income Tax Act 1961. (If applicable)

Note: For the purpose of verification e-document may be considered with regard to NRI ward certificate subject to submitting the original at the time of taking the admission.

20. NATIONALITY CRITERIA

A candidate seeking admission for Government Quota, Other State quota and Self-supporting quota through CENTAC should be an Indian National. However, French Nationals residing in the UT of Puducherry and covered by the terms of the Treaty of Cession shall be treated on par with Indian Nationals, for the purpose of admission to all the courses.

21. RESIDENCE CRITERIA (Applicable for Seats in Govt. Colleges and Govt. Quota Seats in Private Colleges)

An applicant is considered to be a Puducherry resident if he/she is an **Indian National** and satisfies at least one of the following criteria:

- 1) The candidate or whose parent (either Mother or Father or Both) or Guardian (in case of children who have lost both the parents) has been residing continuously in this Union Territory for at least five years preceding the date of application.
- 2) Those who have passed the SSLC / HSC or any other public examination and for that purpose had undergone academic studies continuously **for 5 successive classes immediately preceding the qualifying examination** (including the year of qualifying examination) in a recognized educational institution located in Pondicherry UT and having their residence in Pondicherry UT for 5 years continuously during that period. **Mere stay in places such as residential hostel would not amount to residence.**
- 3) Children of natives of U.T. of Puducherry who have declared any place in U.T. of Puducherry as their home town and so certified by their respective Heads of Office. Nativity Certificate in the prescribed format has to be enclosed. (G.O. Ms. No. 64 dated 25th May 2006).



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4) a) Children whose parents are Central/ State Government Servants/ Defense Personnel/ Central Paramilitary Forces/ Employees of Public Sector Undertakings wholly or substantially owned either by the Central Government or by the Puducherry Administration posted and serving in U.T. of Puducherry for at least a minimum continuous period of **three** years immediately prior to the last date of submission of application.

b) Children of the above said employees should have studied HSc of two years in any of the schools in the U.T. of Puducherry and should have passed the qualifying examinations (HSc) from the same school. (G.O. Ms. No. 04, Puducherry dated 09.02.2016 of the Chief Secretariat (Hr. & Tech. Edn.), Puducherry.

5. Children of Defence Personnel who were killed or disabled in action and children of Central Government Servants/ Pondicherry U.T. Government Servants/Defence Personnel/ Employees of Public Sector Undertaking wholly or substantially run either by the Central Government or by the Puducherry U.T. Administration who died while in the service in the Puducherry U.T.

6) French nationals residing in the Puducherry U.T. and covered by the terms of the "Treaty of Cession" shall be treated on par with the candidates who produce the prescribed Puducherry U.T. Residence Certificate. Such French Nationals will not be required to produce Residence Certificate; instead they should produce a "Certificate of Registration" issued for this purpose by the French Consulate at Puducherry. Children of these French Nationals shall not be considered for admission under the quota of non-resident.

All the above certificates will be scrutinized first by a committee appointed by the Secretary (Revenue), before final merit list is prepared. Tahsildars of various Taluks and Revenue Officers will be the Members of this Committee.

Note: 1. Candidates seeking admission under U.T. of Puducherry resident quota must furnish the Residence Certificate from Department of Revenue & Disaster Management, Puducherry and renewed from time to time.

2. Children of French Nationals under clause 6 above, shall not be considered for admission under the quota of non-resident.

22. RESERVATION OF SEATS

Reservation in admission to various courses for the candidates of the U.T. of Puducherry belonging to different categories is as given below. Further, SC / ST / BT / EBC / MBC / BCM / OBC candidates are also eligible for selection under Open competition / General category in addition to the reservations made to them.

SL.NO.	CATEGORIES	% OF RESERVATION FOR OHER REGIONS	% OF RESERVATION FOR MAHE
VERTICAL RESERVATION			
1	Open General	50 %	50 %
2	Other Backward Classes (OBC)	11 %	16 %
3	Backward Classes Muslims (BCM)	2 %	10%
4	Most Backward Classes (MBC)	18 %	7 %
5	Extreme Backward Classes (EBC)	2 %	NIL
6	Backward Tribes (BT)	0.5 %	0.5 %
7	Scheduled Caste (SC)	16 %	16 %
8	Scheduled Tribe (ST)	0.5 %	0.5 %

