

Dear all,

IIT Madras is offering a Merit-cum-means Scholarship for 02 Candidates from RGUKT Basar, Telangana for the Online program of diploma in programming or a diploma in data science.

Candidates from RGUKT Basar (E1 to E4) can apply for the same if interested (Please go through the complete details as shared below)

IIT Madras had launched BSc Degree & Diploma programmes in the areas of Programming and Data Science in June 2020. More than 10,000 students are currently enrolled and studying in this program.

Here are the various scholarship programs that we have & the eligibility to apply for the Qualifier exam. More details of the program are given below or you may go to: <https://www.onlinedegree.iitm.>

Eligibility to Apply

FOR THE JANUARY 2022 BATCH:

Eligibility for those who cleared class 12 or equivalent in 2019 or earlier:

1. The candidate must have studied Mathematics and English in class 10.
2. They should have cleared class 12 or equivalent in 2019 or earlier. **View list of accepted class 12 equivalents.**

No additional eligibility required to apply for the qualifier process or join the foundational courses after clearing the qualifying exam.

Eligibility for those who cleared class 12 or equivalent in 2020 or 2021:

1. The candidate must have studied Mathematics and English in class 10.
2. They should have cleared class 12 or equivalent in 2020 or 2021. **View list of accepted class 12 equivalents.**
3. The candidate should be:
 - (i) currently enrolled / previously enrolled in any Bachelor's Degree program in campus mode OR
 - (ii) completed 1 year (campus mode only) diploma OR
 - (iii) completed CA Inter

Note that applicants who cleared class 12 or equivalent in 2020 or 2021 may apply for the qualifier process with eligibility criteria 1 & 2 alone, but will be required to fulfil criterion 3 to join the foundational courses after clearing the qualifying exam.

Details of Scholarship to be offered to RGUKT Basar Students ::

1. Full scholarship for female students with family income \leq 5LPA to obtain a diploma/degree from IIT Madras BSc program (applies only to Local Chapter students) (applicable for RGUKT Basar)

Modalities

The entire tuition fees will be covered for female students coming from economically disadvantaged backgrounds with family income \leq 5LPA.

- Students will get full reimbursement of fees paid for the Qualifier, Foundation level courses, Diploma level courses, and for the Degree level courses.
- The scholarship will be given in the form of refund or reimbursement to the eligible students.
- The monetary value of the scholarship will be **INR 2.42 LAKHS**.

2. Scholarships to 2 students coming from economically disadvantaged backgrounds who pass the qualifier exam and become eligible to register to the Foundational level. (applies only to Local Chapter students) (applicable for RGUKT Basar)

Modalities

- The entire tuition fees will be given to two eligible students (male or female) to complete one diploma from IIT Madras, to start with.
- Students will get reimbursement of fees paid for the Qualifier, Foundation level courses and Diploma level courses for one Diploma.
- Scholarship will be given in the form of refund or reimbursement to the eligible students.
- The monetary value of the scholarship will be **INR 90,000**.

3. Fee waiver to students based on Family Income (applies to all students)

Modalities

For students from disadvantaged backgrounds, IIT Madras offers course fee waivers of up to 75%, making the program affordable for everyone. Another built-in flexibility is the program's pay-as-you-go model. The fee is paid every term is based on the number of courses registered in that term, providing significant financial flexibility.

For more details, please check here - [Academics - IIT Madras Online Degree Program](#)

Eligibility for the above scholarships (1 & 2): (applicable for RGUKT Basar)

- The students should be from a partner institution of IIT Madras.**
- The students have to apply and pass the qualifier exam.**

What are the steps for the student to avail the scholarship?

- Fill the application form on <https://onlinedegree.iitm.ac>. for the qualifier process. The last date to apply for this term is 15th December 2021.
- Watch the videos and submit assignments during the qualifier training period (date), become eligible and write the qualifier exam and pass it.

QUALIFIER CONTENT ACCESS FOR LEARNER: 27th December 2021

QUALIFIER EXAM DATE: 30th January 2022

- Once the selected student registers to courses in Term 1 of the foundational level, the qualifier fee will be refunded.
- When the student passes the first term and registers for courses in the next term, the fees paid for the courses passed in term 1 will be refunded. This will be repeated term after term till the students complete one diploma.

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About the Program :

IIT Madras, India's #1 ranked NIRF institute, launched Diploma programmes in the areas of Programming and Data Science in June 2020. More than 10000 students are currently enrolled and studying in this programme. Students enrolled in a full-time on-campus degree can also enroll in this program simultaneously to obtain this diploma from IIT Madras. In this way, as envisaged in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, students can graduate with their degree of specialization from the on-campus program and have the skill set of a data scientist or coder too.

Students can either do a diploma in programming or a diploma in data science or both. A learner has to complete the foundational level of 8 courses first and then 6 diploma level courses to get a single diploma (either in programming or data science) from IIT Madras. The course contents are offered online, but the quizzes and the end-term exams are conducted in-person, in centers across the country in an invigilated environment. The academic rigor remains the same as an on-campus program. To know more about the program, please visit: <https://onlinedegree.iitm.ac.>

If you have any queries, please write to opl@onlinedegree.iitm.ac.in

Please feel free to get back to the undersigned in case of any other queries:

Best wishes,

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