

College of Home Science Nirmala Niketan Affiliated to the University of Mumbai (NAAC accredited A+ grade)

Department of Foods, Nutrition and Dietetics

ADMISSION NOTICE for the POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DIETETICS AND APPLIED NUTRITION 2022-2023 (SELF-FINANCED)

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- 1) B.Sc. With Home Science
- 2) B.Sc. with Microbiology / Biochemistry / Life Sciences / Biotechnology/ Zoology/ Botany/Chemistry
- 3) B.Sc. Chemistry along with Microbiology/ Biochemistry/Life Sciences/any Biological Sciences, BSc Nursing/Physiotherapy/B.P.Ed
- 4) Bachelors of Science (B.Sc.) Interdisciplinary Science with Biological Sciences at Third year.
- 5) Medical Graduates any discipline (MBBS, BAMS, BHMS, BDS).
- Learners of any gender are eligible to apply for admission to the course.
- Admission Criteria will be based on qualifying entrance examination.

The responsibility of checking the eligibility rests with the candidate. Please view the eligibility at https://www.nirmalaniketan.com/programmes-admission/msc-homescience.

Number of Seats and Reservation Policy: 20 Seats

Subject to qualifying on the entrance procedures, following is the reservation policy applicable:

50% seats for Christian Minority = 10 seats (Admitted candidates will need to submit a recent baptism certificate at the time of admission)

15% seats for Management = 3 seats

35% seats for Open Category = 7 seats

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Please note that there are three steps in the admission process:

- Submitting the online **College Application Form** & online <u>payment of fees for application</u> on the **OnFees.com portal**:
 - a) Complete the Application Form
 - b) Use the "Course Selection" option and select MSC-I Branch IB: Food Processing and Preservation
 - c) If you are applying for multiple branches, please select each of these branches in the "Course Selection" option.
 - d) Next, go to "Payment Summary". The application form fee for <u>each</u> branch is Rs. 300 plus a service charge. Please make the payment using one of the following options: Net Banking, UPI, Debit Card, or Credit Card.
 - e) You will now be able to access the Payment History.
 - f) Lastly, please download the form.

- Completing the University Pre-Enrolment Form on the University Portal (A separate pre-enrollment form has to be filled for EACH of the MSc programmes IA/IB/IC/PG Diploma Programme that you are applying for). The University Pre-Enrolment process has not yet been activated by the University of Mumbai. Please keep checking the college website for updates regarding the University Pre-Enrolment process. Once it is activated, please be sure to complete the Pre-Enrolment Form separately for each of the five branches to which you have applied (IA, IB, IC, II, & III) and to download each of these Forms. The University Pre-Enrolment Form is required to be submitted to the college during the final stages of the admission process.
- Uploading the University Pre-Enrolment Form and <u>Payment of Entrance Examination</u> <u>Fees</u> (Rs. 500 plus a service charge) on the **OnFees.com portal** (separate upload and payment for each **MSc programme IA/IB/IC/PG Diploma Programme** you have applied for) & finally an online **Entrance Examination** specific to the Department to which you are applying.

The Admission will be based on the **qualifying entrance examination** conducted for eligible candidates. The entrance examination will cover subject-related content viz. Biochemistry, Microbiology, Food Science, Physiology, Clinical Nutrition, Foods & Dietetics, Human Nutrition, Community Nutrition, Food Service Management and some basic general skills like Language skills, Mental Ability and General Knowledge.

Important: Dear potential applicants, like last year, the 2022-2023 academic year is an unusual year for all of us. Therefore, please note that you are eligible to apply for the PG Diploma programme even if your final semester examinations have not been held and/or even if your final semester results have not been declared. In case you have any questions, please do email the HOD at wibhahasija@nnchsc.edu.in and copied to admission@nnchsc.edu.in

You are advised to complete and submit your application form at the earliest.

Last date for acceptance of forms will be notified later, in compliance with the guidelines of the University of Mumbai.

Complete the Application Form, Select Branch(es), and pay the application fee at the following link:-

Admission Form

Links to the syllabus: Syllabus

Kindly check the college website (www.nirmalaniketan.com) for further updates.

Students **without** a B.Sc. degree specialising in Foods, Nutrition and Dietetics will be compulsorily required to do a **Bridge Course** which will be conducted soon after admissions have been finalized. Fees for the bridge course will be extra. Details will be provided to the admitted candidates.

Mrs. Vibha Hasija Department Head Dr. Anuradha J. Bakshi I/C Principal