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Admission Notification



CSIR-Central Food Technological Research Institute (CSIR-CFTRI), Mysuru (a constituent laboratory of Council of Scientific & Industrial Research, New Delhi) came into existence during 1950 with the great vision of its founders, and a network of inspiring as well as dedicated scientists who had a fascination to pursue in-depth research and development in the areas of Food Science and Technology.

The Institute has geared up its R&D and impact of the globalization has given very good dividends with a large number of externally funded projects from national and international agencies. The present scenario in the country is very vibrant with rising capital investment in food industry, which is expanding at a rapid pace in urban markets for processed foods, especially for the traditional foods through eco-friendly technologies.

The role of CSIR-CFTRI has always been on a high pedestal in the areas of Human Resource Development and R&D partnerships cherished through the international linkages with institutions, such as the Institute of Food Technologists (USA), United Nations University (Tokyo), European Economic Commission (Belgium), National Science Foundation (USA) and many more. CSIR-CFTRI is an ISO 9001:2008 and ISO 14001:2004 organization and NABL accredited for chemical and biological testing of samples.

These unique features of CSIR-CFTRI are of importance in building an everlasting partnership with industries and agencies for excellence in science and technology, sponsoring consultative research and business tie-ups for long term strategic research as well as unparalleled technology development in the area of food science and technology.

This vibrant scenario has consolidated CSIR-CFTRI to evolve its capabilities and to position itself as a global R&D hub with a firm commitment in reaching its R&D to people through adaptable, affordable and appropriate technologies.

M.Sc. Food Technology course was started in the year 1964 as a part of International Food Technology Training Centre (IFTTC) in the prestigious R&D Institute – the Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysuru. The vision of pioneers was to bring about revolutionary impact in the area of Food Science and Research. The students are the pillars and torch bearers of food processing industry in India and other countries. At present, the M.Sc. Food Technology degree is awarded by Academy of Scientific & Innovative Research (AcSIR).



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The Merit-cum-Entrance Examination system sees students getting admission to this course. There is also an intake of 1 seat from the Indian Army (who secures minimum qualifying marks in degree as well as Entrance Examination). M.Sc. Food Technology is an inter-disciplinary course aimed to foster the food industries with highly trained food technocrats. The extensive course curriculum amalgamated with hands-on-experience equips the students to address contemporary challenges and answer future emergencies in the food sector.

The in-depth knowledge gained by dissertation and investigation work in the second year gives the students an opportunity to add value and utility to existing processes and products through R&D. It further gives an impetus to sustainable development, address food security and food safety through human resource development.

The technical knowledge is further given a sound backing by a practical insight through industrial trips after first and third semesters.

Course Fee:-

The course fee per Semester will be Rs. 24,000/- (Rs. 48,000/- for sponsored candidates) and there will be four semesters.

Important Dates:-

Date	Day	Event
April 23, 2018	Monday	Start of Online Application
May 25, 2018	Friday	Closure of Online Application at 5 PM
June 8, 2018	Friday	Last date for receipt of hard copy of the application along with all documents and NEFT/RTGS details
July 8, 2018	Sunday	Entrance Examination at Mysore
July 13, 2018	Friday	Last date for receipt of Final Year Marks Card
July 25, 2018	Wednesday	Announcement of Result (on the web)
August 10, 2018	Friday	Admission for 2018-2020 Batch
August 13, 2018	Monday	Commencement of 1 st Year / 1 st Semester classes

Eligibility Criteria

Bachelor's Degree in Science / Agriculture / Engineering / Technology

Application Fee

Application Fee of **Rs. 354/- (inclusive of GST @ 18%) by SC/ST Students** and **Rs. 708/- (inclusive of GST @ 18%) by other students** may be paid by Transfer / NEFT / RTGS as per the bank details provided:-



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Name of the Beneficiary	Director, CFTRI
Account Number	64018311818
Name of the Bank	State Bank of India
Branch Name	CFTRI Branch
IFSC Code	SBIN0040055

Candidates are required to indicate the Account Number from which the Amount has been transferred / NEFT / RTGS done in the space provided for entering the Payment Details. **In-sufficient information leads to candidate's application being rejected.**

Candidates who are paying the Application Fee by cash in any State Bank of India branches need to pay Rs. 770/- towards Application Fee as there will be charges for Cash transactions which will be charged to CSIR-CFTRI by the respective banks. They are also requested to quote **Trace Number** which will be given by the **Cashier** of the respective banks. **Application Fee is Non-refundable.**

Minimum Marks Requirement

Degree

Students securing minimum 55% (General / OBC students / Defence Personnel) and 50% (SC/ST students) in the Degree Examination are eligible for admission to the course.

Entrance Test

Students securing minimum 50 marks (General / OBC students / Defence personnel) and 45 marks (SC/ST students) in the Entrance Examination will be eligible for admission to the course.

Entrance Test will be conducted at Mysore. Admit card will be generated immediately on filling the application form.

Reservation

Category	Reservation %	No. of Seats
General (UR)	50.00	15
Defence (Sponsored)	-	1
Other Backward Classes (OBC)	27.50	8
Scheduled Caste (SC)	15.00	4
Scheduled Tribe (ST)	7.50	2

Candidates claiming reservations under specific categories are required to provide attested documents as proof in support of their claims as per the format of Government of India.

Selection Process

Equal weightage of 50% out of the marks scored in degree as well as in Entrance Examination will be considered for the preparation of All India Merit list subject to reservation.



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Printout of application form along with relevant documents should reach **on or before June 8, 2018.**

Documents to be sent

- (1) Filled application form – print out with photo and signature
- (2) 10 / 12th Class marks card (copy)
- (3) Self-attested photocopies of All Semesters marks / grade cards of qualifying exam
- (4) Proof of Date of Birth (10th Marks Sheet)
- (5) Caste Certificate (copy)
- (6) Parent / Guardian's latest Income Tax Return filed or Income Proof (copy)
- (7) NEFT/Bank Transfer / RTGS transaction details

The above documents should reach to

The Coordinator
M.Sc. Food Technology
CFTRI
Mysuru – 570 020

For Online application, please visit www.cftri.com