The National Institute of Engineering
Mysuru – 570 008

Office of Dean (Academic Affairs)

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CIRCULAR

Attention students of B.E. V Semester:

[Students with USN: 4NI23XXXXX (Regular) and 4NI24XX4XX (Diploma Lateral Entry)]

Sub: Inviting applications for Registration to B.E. Honours Degree Programme (AY 2025-26)
Ref: VTU/MYS/VTU-COE/HMCS/50/2025-26/2637, Dated: 01.09.2025

Importance of B.E. Honours Degree Programme

Today, we are in a competitive world focusing on creating next generation engineers with ability to solve all types of problems in real world. Globalization is creating collaborative opportunities and competitive pressures requiring broadly educated engineers and business professionals. The objectives of enrolling into Honours degree program is to encourage advanced levels of study and multidisciplinary learning, specialize in a focused area of their interest.

In order to encourage and groom engineering students during their engineering program to become self-motivated independent investigators, critical thinkers, problem solvers, good communicators, team players, effective managers, life-long learners, as well as economically, environmentally, and socially aware, AICTE has introduced a scheme wherein each student has to earn 18 or more additional credits through Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs).
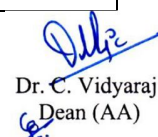
The Bachelor of Engineering degree with Honours earned with experiences, both inside and outside the classroom, will enhance, after graduation, all types of opportunities as professional engineers in the competitive world. The Graduates with Honours degree have access to higher-level positions and more advanced roles in chosen professionals.

The students satisfying the **ELIGIBILITY** conditions for B.E. Honours Degree Programme as mentioned in VTU Notification dated: 01.09.2025 have to register for the same only through online in VTU portal – https://online.vtu.ac.in/ by paying the prescribed fee on or before **30/09/2025; application received after the last date will not be accepted**.

Note:

1. VTU Notification is attached for detailed procedure and Eligibility for Registration.
2. The students who are registering for the B.E. Honours Degree Programme are not eligible for Minor Degree Programme.

> The detailed regulations of B.E. Honors Degree Programme are available on VTU website:
> https://vtu.ac.in/en/b-e-b-tech-regulations-honours/

Dr. C. Vidyaraj
Dean (AA)

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1. The Principal/ Vice Principal – for information
2. COE/ SDSC/ Registrar/ ADM./ ACCOUNTS/ Head-IQAC
3. HoDs of CIV / MEC / EEE / ECE / CSE / CSE(AIML)/ ISE/ Chairman Time Table Committee
4. North Campus / NIE website

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VTU/MYS/VTU-COE/HMCS/ 50 /2025 - 26 /2637

Date: 1 SEP 2025

NOTIFICATION

Subject: Inviting Applications for Registration to B.E. / B.Tech. Honours Degree Program – reg.

Reference: VTU/MYS/VTU-COE/HSMC/50/2025-26, dated 01.09.2025

The VTU Honours Degree Programme has been designed to enable bright and motivated students to go beyond the regular curriculum. An opportunity is provided to earn additional credits in advanced and emerging subjects/courses within the same domain of study. Through this programme, enhancement of knowledge, research ability, and industry readiness is envisaged. On successful completion, with the earning of 18 or more additional credits, a B.E./B.Tech. Degree with Honours shall be awarded, signifying higher academic achievement.

Eligibility for Registration:

1. Students shall be eligible to register for the B.E./B.Tech. Honours Programme at the 5th semester level by paying a one-time, non-refundable registration fee of Rs. 1,000/-.

2. The student shall have obtained a CGPA greater than 7.5 up to the 4th semester, having passed all the courses in the first attempt.

3. The student shall maintain a CGPA equal to or greater than 7.5 up to the 8th semester in order to be awarded the Honours Degree

4. Diploma lateral entry students and B.Sc. lateral entry students shall have completed the prescribed mandatory courses, if any, as per the regulations, by the end of the 4th semester in the first attempt only.

I. Procedure for Registration:

a. The students have to register online though https://online.vtu.ac.in
b. Click on the **Sign in** button on the top Right Corner.
c. For new User, Click on **Create an account.**
d. Fill your e-mail Id, Phone No, Name and Create a New Password
e. Click Sign Up, Enter OTP.
f. Login by entering your e-mail Id and Password.
g. You will be taken to the student dashboard. Click on **Academics** on the top right corner then **Click on Apply for Honour Degree.**
h. Fill up the details and submit form.

The Registration fees of Rs.1000/- shall be paid through registration portal only. No other payment mode is accepted and if made, the same will not refunded.

1. Registration is permitted only for regular and lateral entry students who are entering the 5th semester from the academic year 2025-26.
2. There shall be no restriction on the intake for registration to the B.E./B.Tech. Honours Programme.
3. Registration shall be in accordance with the regulations governing the award of 'Honours' in B.E./B.Tech. Degree programmes (refer: https://vtu.ac.in/en/b-e-b-tech-regulations-honours/

1	Commencement of Registration	01-09-2025
2	Last Date to Register	30-09-2025

4. Students are supposed to take the courses from the prescribed list from https://online.vtu.ac.in/ Students are required to complete 18 credits from their respective domain of the study.

5. The colleges are informed to advice and mentor the students with reference to the conditions prescribed by the University in its Regulations Governing the Degree of B.E/B.Tech. Honours 2020-21(visit: https://vtu.ac.in/en/b-e-b-tech-regulations-honours / for regulations).

The contents of this notification may be brought to the notice of all the concerned.

BY ORDER,

01/09/25

REGISTRAR

To,

The Principals of All Constituent, Affiliated and Autonomous Engineering Colleges under the ambit of VTU, Belagavi.

Copy to:

1. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor through the Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi for kind information.
2. The PS to Registrar, VTU, Belagavi for reference
3. The Registrar (Evaluation), VTU, Belagavi
4. The Finance Officer, VTU, Belagavi for kind information
5. The Regional Directors (I/c) of all the Regional Offices of VTU for circulation
6. The Directors (I/c), ITISMU, VTU, Belagavi – to upload on VTU website
7. The Special Officer, VTU – COE [HMCS], Mysuru.
8. All the concerned Special Officer and Case-workers of Academic Section, VTU, Belagavi.