

## Indian Institute of Technology, Bhubaneswar B.Sc. B.Ed. (Secondary Stage) Four-Year Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP)

## Clarification Regarding Allocation of Major for the Academic year 2025-26

As per the Application Procedure published by the institute for ITEP admissions, 2025-26, the allocation of major was to be done on the following basis:

"The valid applications will be ordered according to their NCET total marks and seat allocation will be done based on the student's preference after verifying the minimum eligibility criteria. In case multiple students have opted for the same major (in the order of preference) and have their NCET total marks are equal, the candidate with more marks in 'Teaching Aptitude' will be given higher preference. If the tie continues, the candidate with higher marks in 'General Test' will be given a higher preference. If the tie continues, the candidate who is older will be given higher preference. If the tie continues, both candidates will be allocated the same major."

In light of NCET 2025 score being provided in terms of subject-wise percentiles, **this is amended** as **follows**:

"The valid applications will be ordered according to the **weighted sum of their NCET 2025 subject-wise percentiles** and seat allocation will be done based on the student's preference after verifying the minimum eligibility criteria.

The weighted sum (WS) is calculated as follows:

Percentile in Domain-Subject<sub>1</sub> + Percentile in Domain-Subject<sub>2</sub> + Percentile in WS = Domain-Subject<sub>3</sub> + Percentile in General Test + 0.8\*(Percentile in Language<sub>1</sub> + Percentile in Language<sub>2</sub> + Percentile in Teaching Aptitude)

In case multiple students have opted for the same major (in the order of preference) and have equal weighted sum, the candidate with higher percentile in 'Teaching Aptitude' will be given higher preference. If the tie continues, the candidate with higher percentile in 'General Test' will be given a higher preference. If the tie continues, the candidate who is older will be given higher preference. If the tie continues, both candidates will be allocated the same major."