



CAET 2025

Candidates must fulfill all the criteria listed below to be eligible for CAET.

Nationality

- UAE Nationals appearing or completed Grade 12.
- International students (not citizens of India or UAE).
- UAE residents of Indian origin, and have completed last 5 years of schooling (Grade 8-12) in UAE.

Performance in Grade 12 (or equivalent)

Must have a minimum of 75% marks or equivalent in AT LEAST TWO of the following subjects: Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics; and a minimum of 80% aggregate marks or equivalent in the class XII board examination.

The aggregate is calculated by taking average of marks scored in five subjects: Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, a language, and one more subject other than the above four.

Age / Date of Birth:

Candidates should have been born on or after 01 October 2000. Two-years age relaxation may be applicable as per UAE national policy.

Number of Attempts:

Maximum of two attempts at admission in two consecutive years, 2024 & 2025

A candidate should have appeared / should be appearing for the Class/Grade XII (or equivalent) examination for the first time in either 2025 or 2024. Candidates whose first appearance in Class/Grade XII examination in 2023 and earlier years are NOT eligible. One year relaxation will be given to UAE Nationals who served one-year compulsory military service, if supported by a valid certificate.

Prior Admission to IIT:

A candidate should NOT have been admitted to any IIT earlier, irrespective of whether the candidate continued in the program or accepted and then vacated an IIT seat.