



**University of Delhi
Central Institute of Education (Department of Education)**

Faculty of Education

Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Special Education- (Mental Retardation)

Prospectus

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(offered only at **Lady Irwin College**)



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INTRODUCTION

Faculty of Education(Central Institute of Education)

The Faculty of Education, University of Delhi, also known as Central Institute of Education (CIE), is one of the first major institutions of professional learning and research in Education that was established immediately after independence. The first Prime Minister of India, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru and the first Education Minister, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, took considerable interest in the establishment of this institution in 1947 and its progress in its early years. Maulana Azad visualized the function of CIE not merely to 'turn out teachers who will be 'model teachers', but to evolve into a research centre for solving new educational problems of the country'. Over the past few decades, CIE has grown into a pace-setting institution in Teacher Education and Research in Education. Recognized as the Institute of Advance Studies in Education (IASE) and having launched the Maulana Azad Centre for Elementary and Social Education (MACESE), CIE has shaped its unique philosophy which finds reflection in all its academic programmes.

The Faculty of Education offers various academic and professional programmes:

- A full-time professional teacher education programme of the duration of two academic years, after graduate or post-graduate studies, leading to a Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree. This programme is offered, at present, at *Department of Education (CIE), 33 Chhatra Marg, University of Delhi, Delhi 110007, Lady Irwin College (LIC), Sikandra Road, New Delhi 110001, Maharshi Valmiki College of Education (MVCE), Geeta Colony, Delhi 110031 and Shyama Prasad Mukherji College for Women (SPMC), West Punjabi Bagh, New Delhi 110026.*
- A full-time professional teacher education programme of the duration of two academic years, after graduate or post-graduate studies, leading to a Bachelor of Education (Special Education- Mental Retardation), leading to a Bachelor of Education (B.Ed) degree. This programme is offered, at present, at *Lady Irwin College (LIC), Sikandra Road, New Delhi 110001.*
- A full-time professional programme of four years, after 12 years of schooling, in elementary teacher education, leading to a Bachelor of Elementary Education (B.El.Ed.) Degree. This programme is offered at eight affiliated colleges of the University of Delhi.
- A full-time advanced programme in Education, of the duration of two academic years, leading to a Master of Education (M.Ed.) Degree.

Interested candidates may contact Lady Irwin College or visit their website: www.ladyirwin.edu.in.

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- A full-time pre-doctoral research programme of one calendar year and a part-time programme for duration of 18 months for teachers and other educational practitioners, leading to the degree of Master of Philosophy - M.Phil. (Education).
- A doctoral research programme leading to Doctor of Philosophy - Ph.D. (Education).
- In-service programmes for teachers and other educational practitioners are also offered by CIE.

Lady Irwin College

Lady Irwin College is a constituent college for women, in University of Delhi. It was established under the patronage of Lady Dorothy Irwin, by men and women concerned with national issues and the education of women. Among them were the Maharanis of Baroda and Bhopal, Sarojini Naidu, Rajkumari Amrit Kaur, Annie Besant, Kamala Devi Chattopadhyay, Margaret Cousins and Sir Ganga Ram Kaula to name a few. The college has been a template for over 200 colleges and schools offering the discipline of Home Science in India and neighbouring countries, providing guidance in development of curricula, programmes and infrastructure. Lady Irwin College is celebrating 87 glorious years this year.

Over the years, the college has added bachelors', masters' and doctoral degrees in the field of Home Science. It also provides facilities for community outreach programmes, inter-college and international exchanges and networking, workshops and seminars, public events, sports and recreation. Since its inception, the staff and students of the college provide research advice and community extension services in nutrition, resource management, human development, and textiles and clothing.

It has been offering B.Ed. for students of Home Science since 1952, and B.Ed. Special Education (MR), for students from all streams since 2007.

The college has a prestigious program 'The Raj Kumari Amrit Kaur Child Study Center' that houses Play school, Crèche, Early intervention center in disabilities and day care. It is a true example of inclusive education from formative years which provides an excellent opportunity for observations for the students of the Department of Education.

The buildings of the college have been classified and protected as heritage sites. The college has well equipped laboratories and classrooms and library with about 55,000 books and periodicals. The campus is wi-fi enabled and covered with CCTV surveillance.

The Lady Irwin College Hostel is well equipped with modern facilities and can accommodate about 200 students from undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral programmes.

NO. OF SEATS

There are total **38** seats. Reservations according to University rules apply.

Lady Irwin College admits only **women** candidates.

ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS

A. ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS FOR B.ED. SPECIAL EDUCATION (MENTAL RETARDATION) PROGRAMME*

Candidates with at least 50% either in Bachelor's Degree and/or in the Master's Degree in Science/Social Science/Humanities/Commerce, Bachelor's in Engineering or Technology with specialization in Science and Mathematics with 55% marks or any other qualification equivalent thereto, are eligible for admission to the Programme.

(* as per the NCTE Norms and Regulations, 2014-notified in Gazette of India and RCI norms 2015)

AND

B. ELIGIBILITY FOR CHOOSING THE TEACHING SUBJECT

The candidate will have to choose only one subject (within a subject category) from Table 1 which she **must** have studied in the qualifying degree i.e., Bachelor's Degree or Master's Degree for at least 200 marks and obtained at least 50% in this subject. This subject will henceforth be referred to as the teaching subject in the B.Ed. Programme. Candidates are advised to carefully study Table 1, showing the subjects offered in the various subject categories

Relaxations and Concessions:

1. The minimum eligibility requirement for the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates will be that they must have passed the qualifying school/degree examination. Provided that the minimum eligibility for admission to post-graduate Courses be the minimum pass marks of the qualifying examination concerned of the University of Delhi. In the case of Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates who had passed the last qualifying examination from other Universities, they should have secured at least the same percentage of pass marks at the qualifying examination as prescribed for the equivalent examination of Delhi University for purposes of admission to the Post-graduate course of this University.
2. Other Backward Classes (OBC), Children/Widows/Wives of Armed Personnel, including Para-Military Personnel, killed/disabled in Action (C/WAP) Persons with Disabilities (PWD) category candidates will be allowed a concession of 5%marks in the **minimum eligibility requirements of the programme** and the **teaching subject** as per University of Delhi norms.

TABLE 1

Subject category	Subjects
A) Sciences	Science
B) Languages	Hindi English
C) Social Sciences	Social Science
D) Mathematics	Mathematics

REGULATIONS FOR ADMISSIONS

- (i) *Rounding off fractions in deciding the eligibility percentage is not allowed.*
- (ii) *Candidates who have applied for revaluation/Improvement of examination results or have appeared in supplementary exams (to take re-appear examination) will not be considered for provisional admission.*
- (iii) *Mere successful registration by the candidate does not entail right to sit in the Entrance Examination unless the payment of entrance test fee made by the candidate is verified and satisfied by the B.Ed. Admissions Committee.*
- (iv) *All those candidates who have appeared in the final year examination and whose results are awaited may also apply. **However, they are required to produce a provisional certificate, necessary mark sheets of the required qualifications, and other documents, at the time of respective counseling and admission.***

The candidates who do not have their results of the qualifying degree shall not be allowed for provisional admission. However, they will be considered for admission in the subsequent admission lists, provided seats are available.

As per the observations made by the Hon'ble High Court in the matter of University of Delhi Vs. Akansha Gupta & Ors. In LPA 903/2013, for those courses wherein admissions are based on the rank in the entrance examination, the candidates will be eligible for admission only if they have the results of their qualifying degree examinations.
- (v) *Subject Categories selected in the form by the candidate shall not be changed thereafter.*

- (vi) *In case of any disparity regarding the choice of teaching subject, the decision of the B.Ed. Admissions Committee shall be final and binding.*
- (vii) *Permission to students to apply under General/SC/ST/OBC Category as well as CW, PWD Category etc. The candidates applying for admission to various courses shall be permitted to apply simultaneously under Gen/SC/ST/OBC Category as well as Children of War Widows, Person with Disability and other categories for which reservations /concession is admissible.*

RELAXATIONS/ CONCESSIONS AND RESERVATIONS

Relaxations/Concessions and Reservations would be as per the University guidelines for post graduate admissions, given below:

1. Relaxations/Concessions

(a) Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe

The minimum eligibility requirement for the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates will be that they must have passed the qualifying school/degree examination. Provided that the minimum eligibility for admission to post-graduate Courses be the minimum pass marks of the qualifying examination concerned of the University of Delhi.

In the case of Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates who had passed the last qualifying examination from other Universities, they should have secured at least the same percentage of pass marks at the qualifying examination as prescribed for the equivalent examination of Delhi University for purposes of admission to the Post-graduate course of this University. That where the admission is based on screening/written test, the Scheduled Caste/Tribe candidates would also be required to take the test but their merit list will be drawn separately.

Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates while applying for admission will be required to submit a certificate in their own name, from a competent authority, as listed below, to the effect that he/she belongs to a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe.

- District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/ Deputy Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/ First Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of First class Stipendiary Magistrate)
- Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
- Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.
- Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/ or candidate's family normally resides.
- Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (for Lakshdweep).

(b) Other Backward Classes

The OBC candidates shall be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility in the qualifying examination and in the minimum eligibility (if any) in the admission entrance test to the extent of 10% of the minimum eligibility marks prescribed for the General Category candidates. For example, if the minimum eligibility for admission to a course is 50% for the General Category candidates, the minimum eligibility for the OBCs would be 45% i.e. (50% less 10% of 50%). All those OBC candidates who meet the minimum eligibility marks in the qualifying examination and the minimum eligibility marks (if any) in the entrance test shall be eligible for admission in the order of their merit, keeping in view the availability of seats reserved for them.

The OBC candidates who belong to the 'Non-Creamy Layer' and whose castes appear in the Central List of the OBCs, as on date, only shall be eligible to be considered for admission under the OBC Category on the basis of a valid OBC certificate.

(c) Persons with Disabilities (PwD)

The PWD candidates with not less than 40% disability shall be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility in the qualifying examination and in the minimum eligibility (if any) in the admission entrance test to the extent of 5%.

(d) Children/Widows of the eligible Armed Forces Personnel (CW Category) including Para Military Forces:

A concession of 5% marks in the minimum eligibility requirements in the qualifying examinations.

(e) The candidates belonging to the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, and Persons with Physical Disability shall be charged the admission form/entrance examination fee at **concessional rates**.

2. Reservations

(a) Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Other Backward Classes:

Reservation of seats shall be in the following manner:

Scheduled Caste = 15% of total intake in each course

Scheduled Tribe = 7½% of total intake in each course

Other Backward Classes = 27% of total intake in each course

(Remaining seats will be open for all.)

The seats reserved for the SC/ ST shall be filled by the SC/ ST candidates only. However, in the case of non-availability of the eligible candidates the reserved seats may be interchanged between the SC & ST. If still any seat remains unfilled, the same shall be left vacant. The seats reserved for the OBCs shall be filled with the OBC candidates only. Only if OBC candidates possessing the minimum eligibility marks are not available in the OBC category then the vacant OBC seats shall be converted into General Category seats in accordance with the admission schedule notified by the University.

(b) Supernumerary Seats:

- (i) Persons with Disabilities (PwD)=5% of total intake
(1% each for the persons with low vision or blindness, hearing impaired and locomotor disability or cerebral palsy, including dyslexia* (interchangeable in case of non-availability of candidates in the sub-categories).

*As per circular letter no. Aca. I/2015-2016/PwD/533, dated 05.06.2015

- (ii) Children/Widows of the eligible Armed Forces Personnel including Para Military Forces: (CW Category) =5% of the seats in each course.

As per the guidelines approved by the Academic Council, admissions of candidates belonging to CW category, have to be made in the following order of priorities:

- I. Widows/ Wards of Defence personnel killed in action;
- II. Wards of serving personnel and ex-servicemen disabled in action;
- III. Widows/ Wards of Defence personnel who died in peace time with death attributable to military service;
- IV. Wards of Defence personnel disabled in peace time with disability attributable to the military service; and
- V. Wards of Ex-servicemen personnel and serving personnel including personnel of police forces who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards; Category-V (Gallantry Awards) include: ParamVir Chakra, Ashok Chakra, Sarvottam Yudh Seva Medal, MahaVir Chakra, Kirti Chakra, Uttam Yudh Seva Medal, Vir Chakra, Shaurya Chakra, Yudh Seva Medal, Sena, Nau Sena, Vayu sena Medal, Mention-in--Despatches, President's Police Medal for Gallantry, Police Medal for Gallantry.

Authorities Competent to issue educational concession certificates under CW category:-

- Secretary, Kendriya, Sainik Board, Delhi
- Secretary, Rajya Zila Sainik Board
- Officer-in-Charge, Records Office
- 1st class Stipendiary Magistrate

- Ministry of Home Affairs (for Police personnel in receipt of Gallantry Awards)

(iii) Foreign Nationals = 5% seats in each course in Departments / Colleges.

Admissions of Foreign Nationals will be as per the guidelines of the University of Delhi. The candidates may contact Foreign Students Registry for the same.

PROCESS OF SELECTION

ENTRANCE TEST

All admissions to the B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme 2020 will be made through an Entrance Test. The written Entrance Test will be of two hours duration. The Question Paper shall consist of 100 Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) questions from four areas:

Section A: General Knowledge

This section will contain questions that would test the candidates' general knowledge and awareness of social, political, environmental, and economic issues. The section will also contain questions to examine the perspectives and analysis of and responses to teaching-learning situations.

Section B: Reasoning

This section will assess the mathematical, logical, and verbal reasoning abilities. It will also assess candidates' abilities to analyse and interpret data and find solutions to problematic situations.

Section C: Subject Knowledge up to class X

This section will contain questions based on understanding and application of concepts in Science, Social Science and Mathematics up to secondary level.

Section D: Language Proficiency

This section will assess comprehension in **both English and Hindi**.

TABLE 3

Scheme of Written Entrance Test			
Section	Content	Type & Medium	Marks
A	General Awareness	Multiple-Choice English or Hindi	17
B	Reasoning	Multiple-Choice English or Hindi	18
C	Subject Knowledge up to class X	Multiple-Choice English or Hindi	45
D	Language Proficiency (in English and Hindi)	Multiple Choice English and Hindi	20
		Total Marks	100

PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION

A. Display of List

On the basis of their performance in the entrance test, depending on their rank in the merit list of their respective category candidates will be required to contact admission at Lady Irwin College.

Display of name in the counseling list does not indicate final selection for admission. The general merit list will comprise of candidates of all categories in the order of merit. No one will be excluded from the same. In other words, it will also include SC/ST/OBC candidates if they come in the general merit. A list of candidates selected will be prepared *strictly in order of merit*, based on their performance in the Entrance Test. ***In case of a tie, the candidate older in age shall rank higher.*** Candidates should check Lady Irwin College website for regular updates on Schedule of B.Ed. Special Education Admissions.

Admission Formalities

The successful candidates will have to complete the admission related formalities within the stipulated period. If they fail to do so, the offer will be withdrawn and the seats will be allotted to candidates next in the merit list during the subsequent counseling. **Their selection will stand automatically cancelled without any further notice.**

The candidates who do not have their results of the qualifying degree shall not be allowed for provisional admission. However, they will be considered for admission in the subsequent admission lists, provided seats are available.

As per the observations made by the Hon'ble High Court in the matter of University of Delhi Vs. Akansha Gupta & Ors. In LPA 903/2013, for the those courses wherein admissions are based on the rank in the entrance examination, the candidates will be eligible for admission only if they have the results of their qualifying degree examinations.

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING ADMISSION

1. The candidates selected for admission to the B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme, are required to complete the admission related formalities within the stipulated period of time including payment of the requisite fee.
2. Admission to B. Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme will be considered complete subject to the following:
 - (a) Payment of fee at the concerned institution within the prescribed time-limit
 - (b) Submission of two latest passport size photographs of the candidate and all requisite original certificates & documents along with attested photocopies as specified in Table 4.

Table 4

Documents required for Admission

- I. **High School/Secondary School Certificate for verification of date of birth.**
- II. **A detailed Statement of Marks in Graduation Parts - I, II, III and in case of Postgraduates also the Master's Degree Statement of Marks.**
- III. Provisional certificate or degree of the qualifying examination.
- IV. Relevant certificates/documents from a competent authority, establishing the candidate's claim for reservation, for candidates belonging to reserved categories.
- V. Character Certificate from the institution last attended or any gazette officer (valid for six months from the date of issue).
- VI. In the case of candidates in service, a No Objection Certificate from the employer and a letter of sanction of study leave for a period of two years.

Please arrange documents in the serial order mentioned above.

A candidate, who fails to submit any of the above-mentioned documents at the time of admission, will not be entitled to admission.

3. B.Ed. Special Education (MR) is a two-year full-time programme. B.Ed. students are not permitted to take up any employment (full-time or part-time). As per A.C. Resolution 40 dated 24/04/1997, no student of the University shall be permitted to pursue two-degree courses simultaneously either from the University of Delhi or from other University except the part-time diplomas/certificates of the University of Delhi.
4. The employed candidates admitted to the B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme will have to produce valid sanction of leave from the employer.

5. All the selected candidates admitted to the B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme are required to join the programme on the opening day of the new academic session, as notified in the Prospectus.
6. Once the admissions have been notified as closed after filling the seats, admissions shall not be re-opened.
7. All admissions are subject to the approval of the University of Delhi.
8. If at any stage, after verification, it is found that the furnished information is wrong or inaccurate, or Certificate(s)/documents produced are fake, the consequences may lead to cancellation of the Test result, admission, and examination, forfeiture of the tuition fee, degree and even prosecution in appropriate cases.

BRIEF DETAILS OF THE B.ED. SPECIAL EDUCATION (MR) PROGRAMME FOR 2019-21 SESSION

Programme Structure: The B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme of the University of Delhi consists of Theory course and Practicum as detailed below in table5.

TABLE 5

B.Ed. Special Education (MR)

YEAR WISE STRUCTURE

FIRST YEAR

Course	Course title
A1	Human Growth and development
A2	Contemporary India and Education
A3	Learning, Teaching and Assessment
A4	Stream Based Pedagogy (any one from Part –I to Part- IV
A5	Pedagogy of School Subjects any one from Part-I to Part V
B 6	Inclusive Education
B7	Introduction to Sensory Disabilities (VI, HI, Deaf-blind)
B8	Neuro Developmental Disabilities (LD,MR/ID, ASD)
B9	Introduction to Locomotor & Multiple Disabilities (CP, MD)
C 12	Assessment and Identification of Need
	School Experience Programme (SEP)
E 1	Practical :Cross Disability & Inclusion
E 2	Practical :Disability specialization

SECOND YEAR

Course	Course title
B 10	Skill Based Optional Course (Cross disability and Inclusion) any one
B 11	Skill Based Optional Course (Disability specialization) any one
C 13	Curriculum Designing, Adaptation and Evaluation
C 14	Intervention and Teaching Strategies
C 15	Technology and Disability
C 16	Psycho- Social and Family Issues
D 17	Reading and Reflecting on text
D 18	Performing and Visual Arts
D 19	Basic Research and Basic Statistics
	School Experience Programme (SEP)
F 1	Main Disability in Special School (Related to area C)
F 2	Other Disability Special School
F 3	Inclusive School

TIMINGS: All students are expected to remain in the respective institutions for the entire day, as per the working hours of the respective institutions. During SEP days, all students are expected to be in the school for the entire duration of the school hours.

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION AND EXAMINATION: For Foundation Courses the medium of instruction can be either Hindi or English as per the option of the candidate. For Pedagogy and Optional Courses facilities exist for instruction in a bilingual mode. The medium of examination is either English or Hindi for all the courses. The same medium should be used by a candidate for all the examinations.

HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION: Lady Irwin College also has hostel facilities for their students.

Caution: If after verification, it is found that the information or certificate(s) produced is/are false, criminal proceedings will be initiated against the concerned person in addition to the cancellation of admission of the candidate and forfeiture of the tuition fees etc.

Disputes, if any, arising out of or relating to any matter whatsoever, concerning the process of admission shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the competent court in Delhi only.

CONTACT DETAILS

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Visit the website <http://doe.du.ac.in> regularly for updates on admit card, results, admission lists and related information.

For other information: www.ladyirwin.edu.in

Academic Session for the B.Ed. Special Education (MR) Programme is likely to commence on September 01, 2020.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Regarding correction in names/ details/ subjects in the online form – Helpdesk

Ans. Dear Candidate, Regarding corrections in the application form, please contact the Help Desk/ Grievance Redressal to be updated soon.

Q. What are the college Admission requirements?

Ans. Student should check if she meets the eligibility criteria for the course and submit the required testimonials. All admissions are done on merit basis of Entrance Exam.

Q. What is the eligibility criterion for Admission.

Ans. Eligibility Criteria is uploaded on DU portal. Admissions are done on merit basis of Entrance Exam

Q. How many seats are available in B.Ed. Special Education (MR).

Ans. Refer to the PG Bulletin for details of total number of seats and category-wise seat distribution.

Q. I am a student of B.Sc. from Outside Delhi. Do I need to sit for the Entrance exam for Admission.

Ans. It is mandatory to appear in the Entrance Exam.

Q. Can students who have taken a gap year apply for Admission.

Ans. Yes. Students who have taken a gap year can apply for Admission.

Q. How can a student apply for more than one course?

Ans. Register yourself and then login in the PG portal of DU. You have to fill in the necessary details after login. On the homepage of your profile, "Apply Online" option will be available. Click on it. After filling one form, you can again click on "apply online" for another course. Fees of each course will be paid separately.

Q. In case of non-availability of eligible candidates, can EWS seats be converted to UR?

Ans. Please visit University of Delhi website for such information.

Q. Is there a single form for B.Ed. and B.Ed. Special Education?

Ans. Dear Candidate, B.Ed., B.Ed. Special Education, B.El.Ed. are different programs and you have to apply separately and their entrance tests will also be separate. The admission schedule as well as steps to fill forms are available at the website of Delhi University.

Q. What is the last date of filling of B.Ed. admission form?

Ans. For details, Regularly visit DU website.