

ST. JOHN'S NATIONAL ACADEMY OF HEALTH SCIENCES,

BENGALURU

St. John's Medical College

MBBS Admission Bulletins 2023-2024

2. DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MEDICINE AND BACHELOR OF SURGERY (MBBS)

21 PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION, COUNSELLING AND ADMISSION FOR THE MBBS COURSE AT ST. JOHN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE, BENGALURU: ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

21.1 GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. St. John's Medical College is a not-for-a profit, Minority Institution belonging to the Roman Catholic Church in India established to train healthcare personnel committed to serve with integrity and compassion, especially the medically underserved in India.
- 2. St. John's Medical College (SJMC) is affiliated to the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka (RGUHS) and recognised by the National Medical Commission (NMC).
- 3. As per the Government of India policy, counselling for admission to the MBBS Course in St. John's Medical College for the academic year 2023-2024 will be conducted by the Karnataka Examination Authority (KEA). For information on registration, verification of documents and other counselling formalities, kindly refer to the KEA website (http://kea.kar.nic.in).
- 4. In keeping with the mission of the Institution to train healthcare personnel to serve in the medically underserved areas of the Country, all MBBS candidates to SJMC are required, as a precondition for admission, to execute a social obligation service bond to serve for two years in one of the designated hospitals or health centres in a medically underserved area of the country. Those who fail to fulfil the social obligation service commitment will have to pay the penalty stipulated by the Governing Board.
- 5. Admissions to St. John's Medical College are subject to the regulations and statutory enactments of the University, the National Medical Commission (NMC), and the Central and the State Governments.

21.2 ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR MBBS ADMISSIONS

- 1. Candidate must have completed 17 years of age on or before 31 December of the year of admission to the MBBS Course.
- 2. Candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Biotechnology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology taken together, at the final examination of the Pre-University Course or its equivalent. In respect to candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or Other Backward Classes the minimum marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry and Biology/Bio-technology, taken together, in the qualifying examination shall be 40% instead of 50%.
- 3. Candidate must have appeared in the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test UG 2023 (NEET UG 2023) and qualified for admission to the MBBS course as per the criteria laid down by the Government of India.
- **4.** Candidate must be an Indian Citizen with Indian domicile (resident of India for at least 7 years preceding application). There is no NRI quota in St. John's Medical College
- 5. If any of the certificates or information provided at the time of admission is subsequently found to be false, the allotted seat is liable to be cancelled and the candidate will have to pay up the entire course fee and bond penalty.

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	Category	Number of seats
1.	All India General Open Merit	10
2.	Institutional Staff Quota (Karnataka)	10
3.	Roman Catholic Christian Religious Sisters (Nuns)	20
4.	Roman Catholic Christian Tribals	10
5.	Roman Catholic Christians of Scheduled Caste Origin	10
6.	Native (Local) North Indian Roman Catholic Christians	10
7.	Roman Catholic Christians of Karnataka State	10
8.	Roman Catholic Christians All India Open Merit	60
9.	Karnataka State Open Merit	10
	Total	150

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Category 1: All India General Open Merit, includes all Indian Nationals irrespective of gender, religion, caste, community, region or any such affiliations.

Category 2: Institutional Staff Quota (Karnataka) includes children of currently employed permanent staff of St. John's National Academy of Health Sciences who have served the Institution for ten continuous years or more.

Category 3: Roman Catholic Christian Religious Sisters (Nuns) includes Religious Sisters (nuns) who are members of Religious Congregations in India recognized by the Roman Catholic Church.

Category 4: Roman Catholic Christian Tribals includes Roman Catholic Christians who are members of recognized Tribal Communities.

Category 5: Roman Catholic Christians of Scheduled Caste Origin includes Roman Catholic Christians belonging to communities of Scheduled Caste origin.

Category 6: Native (Local) North Indian Roman Catholic Christians includes all Roman Catholic Christians who are neither Tribal (Category 4) nor of Schedule Caste origin (Category 5) and who are NOT members of the states of Maharashtra, Gujarat, Goa and South Indian States of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana and Puducherry and who are NOT migrants or descendants of migrants to North India from the afore-mentioned States.

Category 7: Roman Catholic Christians of Karnataka State includes all Roman Catholics Christians who have domicile in the State of Karnataka as per the KEA criteria.

Category 8: Roman Catholic Christians All India Open Merit includes all Roman Catholic Christians of India who do not come under the reserved categories 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9.

Category 9: Karnataka State Open Merit includes all candidates irrespective of gender, religion, caste, community, region who have domicile in the State of Karnataka as per KEA criteria.

(Note: If any seat falls vacant in any of the Reserved Categories, it will be allocated to Category 8 - Roman Catholic Christians - All India Open Merit).

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Counselling for selection of MBBS students to St John's Medical College for the academic year 2023-2024 will, as directed by NMC, be conducted by the Karnataka Examination Authority (KEA). NEET-UG 2023 qualified candidates who wish to apply for MBBS admission to St John's Medical College should, therefore, register with the Karnataka Examination Authority as per the KEA Schedule. For detailed information on KEA notifications and information, please visit KEA website (http://kea.kar.nic.in) regularly.

21.6 ADDITIONAL ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS TO BE PRODUCED BY APPLICANTS TO ST. JOHN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE FOR THE KEA DOCUMENT VERIFICATION

Applicants to St. John's Medical College, Bengaluru must submit the following original documents in the prescribed format at the time of KEA document verification. These are in addition to the documents required by the KEA. For templates of the additional documents required for admission to St. John's Medical College, please refer Section 2.1.7.

1. All Applicants: Category 1 to 9

- a. Affidavit undertaking that they will execute a social obligation service bond to serve for two years in one of the designated hospitals or health centres in a medically underserved area of the Country after graduation (see Certificate format 1a in Section 2.1.7).
- b. Supporting document/s to prove residence in India for a period of at least 7 years prior to application for the MBBS course in the form of a study certificate issued by School/s in India stating that the candidate has studied for 7 continuous years including Standard XI and XII (see Certificate Template 1b in section 2.1.7).

2. Category Two: Institutional Staff Quota (Karnataka)

a. Eligibility Certificate from Director of St. John's National Academy of Health Sciences.

3. Category Three: Roman Catholic Christian Religious Sisters (Nuns)

a. Certificate in prescribed format from the Superior General/ Provincial of the applicant stating that the applicant is a bona fide Professed Religious (Nun) (see Certificate Template 2 in Section 2.1.7).

4. Category Four: Roman Catholic Christian Tribals

- a. Baptism Certificate attested by the Bishop of the applicant
- b. Certificate in prescribed format from the Bishop of the applicant stating that the applicant is a Roman Catholic Christian belonging to a Tribal Community in his Diocese (see Certificate Template 3 in Section 2.1.7).

5. Category Five: Roman Catholic Christians of Scheduled Caste Origin

- a. Baptism Certificate attested by the Bishop of the applicant
- b. Certificate in prescribed format from the Bishop of the applicant stating that the applicant is a member of the Roman Catholic Christian community of Scheduled Caste origin belonging to his Diocese (see Certificate Template 4 in Section 2.1.7).

6. Category Six: Native (Local) North Indian Roman Catholic Christians

- a. Baptism Certificate attested by the Bishop of the applicant
- b. Certificate from the Bishop of the applicant stating that the applicant is a Native (Local) North Indian Roman Catholic Christian belonging to his diocese (see Certificate Template 5 in Section 2.1.7).

7. Category Seven: Roman Catholic Christians of Karnataka State

- a. Baptism Certificate attested by the Bishop of the applicant
- b. Certificate from the Bishop of the applicant stating that the applicant is a bonafide Catholic belonging to his diocese in Karnataka State (see Certificate Template 6 in Section 2.1.7).
- c. Karnataka State Domicile Certificate as prescribed by Karnataka Examination Authority (KEA).

8. Category Eight: Roman Catholic Christians - All India Open Merit

- a. Baptism Certificate attested by the Bishop of the applicant
- b. Certificate from the Bishop of the applicant stating that the applicant is a bonafide Catholic belonging to his diocese (see Certificate Template 7 in Section 2.1.7).

9. Category Nine: Karnataka Open Merit

a. Karnataka State Domicile Certificate as prescribed by Karnataka Examination Authority (KEA).

21.7 TEMPLATES OF ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATES REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION UNDER THE ST. JOHN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE SEAT MATRIX CATEGORIES

<u>Template 1a for all Applicants to St. John's</u>: Format of Affidavit undertaking to execute a bond to serve in medically underserved areas in the Country for two years after graduation.

To be submitted on Rs. 100/- stamp paper at the time of KEA Document Verification

UNDERTAKING TO EXECUTE BOND TO DO SERVICE IN MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED AREAS

I (Name of Candidate) son/daughter of (Name of Father/Mother/Guardian)

AND

(Name of Father/Mother/Guardian) parent of (Name of Candidate) residing at (Permanent Address,) hereby declare as follows:

- 1. We understand that St. John's Medical College has a policy that requires its MBBS graduates, after completion of the course, to serve in one of its designated hospitals or health centres in a medically underserved area of the Country for a minimum period of TWO years. We understand that the penalty for failure to complete the 2 years social obligation service is Rs.25,00,000/-
- 2. If (*Name of candidate*) is admitted to St. John's Medical College, we undertake to execute a social obligation service bond to do two years of service in a medically underserved area as per the St. John's Medical College policy.
- 3. We understand that admission of (*Name of candidate*) to St. John's Medical College will be invalid, if the above-mentioned social obligation service is not executed.

What is stated above is true and correct and further we hereby undertake to act accordingly.

Date Deponent Signature of the Candidate

Place Deponent Signature of the Parent

<u>Template 1b for all Applicants to St. John's</u>: Format of Study Certificate to be issued by the Institution/s where the applicant has studied from Standard VI to Standard XII.

NAME, FULL POSTAL ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE INSTITUTION

This is to	certify	that Mr./N	Ms. (na	ame of app	licant),	has	studied	from	 standard to
		standard	in our	Institution	from .			to .	 academic
years.									

Name and Signature of the Head of the Institution

Institution Seal

<u>Template 2 for Reserved Category 3 Applicants</u>: Format of the Certificate for Roman Catholic Religious Sisters (Nuns)

To be issued on the Official Letter head of Superior General/Provincial

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR RELIGIOUS SISTERS

This is to certify that Sr. (name of applicant), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER (application number), residing at (applicant's permanent address) is a bonafide Professed Religious in the (name of Province) Province of the Roman Catholic Religious Congregation of (name of Congregation) in the State of (name the State).

I further certify that Sr. (*name of applicant*) has been permitted by the Congregation to apply for MBBS admission to St. John's Medical College, Bangalore.

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Superior General/Provincial with Date

<u>Template 3 for Reserved Category 4 Applicants</u>: Format of Bishop's Certificate for Roman Catholic Tribal

To be issued on Bishop's Official Letterhead

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR TRIBAL CATHOLICS

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (name of the applicant), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER(application number), residing at (applicant's permanent address) is a bonafide Roman Catholic Christian belonging to the (name of the parish) Parish in the Diocese/Archdiocese of (name of the Diocese) in the State of (name of the State).

I further certify that Mr./Ms. (*name of applicant*) belongs to a Roman Catholic Christian Tribal community in my Diocese.

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Bishop with Date

<u>Template 4 for Reserved Category 5 Applicants</u>: Format of Bishop's Certificate for Roman Catholic Christians of Scheduled Caste Origin

To be issued on Bishop's Official Letterhead

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIANS OF SCHEDULED CASTE ORIGIN

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (name of the applicant), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER(application number), residing at (applicant's permanent address) is a bonafide Roman Catholic Christian belonging to the (name of the parish) Parish in the Diocese/Archdiocese of (name of the Diocese) in the State of (name of the State).

I further certify that Mr./Ms. (*name of applicant*) is a member of Roman Catholic Christian Community of Scheduled Caste origin in my Diocese.

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Bishop with Date

<u>Template 5 for Reserved Category 6 Applicants</u>: Format of Bishop's Certificate for Native (Local) North Indian Roman Catholic Christians

To be issued on Bishop's Official Letterhead

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR NATIVE (LOCAL) NORTH INDIAN CATHOLICS

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (*name of the applicant*), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER (application number), residing at (*applicant's permanent address*) is a bonafide Roman Catholic Christian belonging to the (*name of the parish*) Parish in the Diocese/Archdiocese of (*name of the Diocese*) in the North Indian State of (*name of the State*).

I further certify that Mr./Ms. (*name of applicant*) is a Native North Indian Roman Catholic Christian and that he/she is neither a Tribal nor of scheduled caste origin nor a migrant or a descendant of migrants from Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat and South Indian states of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana and Puducherry

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Bishop with Date

<u>Template 6 for Reserved Category 7 Applicants</u>: Format of Bishop's Certificate for Roman Catholic Christians of Karnataka State

To be issued on Bishop's Official Letterhead

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN WITH KARNATAKA DOMICILE

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (name of the applicant), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER (application number), residing at (applicant's permanent address) is a bonafide Roman Catholic Christian belonging to the (name of the Parish) Parish in the Diocese/Archdiocese of (name of the Diocese) in the State of Karnataka.

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Bishop with Date

<u>Template 7 for Reserved Category 8 Applicants</u>: Format of Bishop's Certificate forRoman Catholic Christians-All India open Merit

To be issued on Bishop's Official Letterhead

ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE FOR ROMAN CATHOLIC CHRISTIANS ALL INDIA OPEN MERIT)

This is to certify that Mr./Ms. (*name of the applicant*), KEA APPLICATION NUMBER (application number), residing at (*applicant's permanent address*) is a bonafide Roman Catholic Christian belonging to the (*name of the parish*) Parish in the Diocese/Archdiocese of (*name of the Diocese*) in the State of (*name of the State*).

Name, Signature and Seal of the Applicant's Bishop with Date

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2.1.8.1 FEE CHART – MBBS 2023

1. First year fee to be paid in full to **KEA** at the time of admission.

	Amount in Rs.
Admission fee	32,700/-
Refundable deposits	14,000/-
Annual Tuition fee	6,50,000/-
Other fees	79,685/-
RGUHS fee (University)	12,000/-
Total fee payable to KEA at the time of admission	7,88,385/-

Note: For the mode of payment of the Admission and first year fee please check KEA website. Please DO NOT pay the Admission and first year fee to St. John's Medical College.

- 2. The Fee Structure is subject to revision from time to time by the Management and /or as per KEA/RGUHS/Government regulations.
- 3. Payment of fees from the second year onwards: As per current norms, annual fee for the batch starting from 2023 to be paid to the College from the 2nd year onwards is **Rs.7,29,685**. This annual fee is to be paid in 2 Installments, in January and July.

Mode of Fee Payment:

- Payment through Bank Card.
- Demand Draft in favour of St. John's Medical College payable at Bengaluru.
- Online transfer NEFT/RTGS (Details of UTR number to be emailed to *accounts.sjmc@stjohns.in*
- (Cash payment will NOT be accepted)

Bank Details for Online Transfer

- Account Holder: St. John's Medical College
- Bank Name: Bank of Baroda
- Account Number: 05210200000212
- IFSC Code: BARBOSTJOHN (note: fifth digit is Zero)

Please note:

- 1. The Annual Fee does not include Hostel and Mess fees.
- 2. Late payments will attract a penalty
- 3. Students with extended academic tenure because of failure will have to pay additional installments over and above the regular installments.
- 4. Refundable deposits should be claimed within three months of completing the rural bond, failing which the deposits would be forfeited by the students.

2.1.8.2 Fee Refund Policy on Discontinuation of the course:

Discontinuation of course before course commencement

Fees paid will be refunded after deduction of 10% as service charge

Discontinuation of course after commencement of course

Fees for the entire MBBS course will have to be paid along with the penalty for not doing the two year Social Obligation Service.

2.2 MBBS - COURSE DETAILS

2.2.1 Course Outline:

• The current curriculum for MBBS applicable from the Academic year 2019-20 onwards, is competency basedand focuses on the Medical Graduate being competent to perform tasks of a "primary care physician of first contact", after completion of training. The learner has to take responsibility for their own learning. The MBBS course is of four and a half years duration and is followed by one year of Compulsory Rotating Residential Internship.

The broad guidelines of the course are given below:

- The course begins with a **Foundation Course** sensitising the students to the health situation in India, the role of doctors in the community and basic principles of Communication & Ethics.
- The undergraduate course in medicine comprises of three Phases.
 - **Phase I-** The first stage of 12 months duration (Term 1 and 2) consists of the basic sciences:- Anatomy, Physiology and Biochemistry. This will be followed by **the 1**st **Professional Examination.** Passing in the First Professional Examination is compulsory before proceeding to Phase II training. Supplementary examination will be conducted shortly thereafter so that the students who pass can join the main batch. Those students who fail in the supplementary examination will have to appear in the subsequent year.
 - **Phase II**-The next stage is of 12 months duration (Term 3 and 4) and comprises of clinical and paraclinical subjects: Pharmacology, Pathology, Microbiology and Forensic Medicine. This will be followed by the **2nd Professional Examination.** A student, who fails in the 2nd Professional examination, can proceed with the training but shall not be allowed to appear in the 3rd ProfessionalPart I examination unless she/he passes all subjects of 2nd Professional examination.
 - **Phase III** The penultimate stage is of 12 months duration (Terms 5 and 6) and covers Ophthalmology, ENT and Community Medicine. This will be followed by the **3rd Professional Part 1 Examination**. A student, who fails in the 3rd Professional examination, can proceed with the training but shall not be allowed to appear in 3rd Professional Part 2 examination unless she/he passes all subjects of the 3rd Professional Part 1 examination.
 - **Phase IV** The last stage is of 12 months duration (Terms 7-9) and covers General Medicine, Paediatrics, Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery and Obstetrics & Gynaecology. It is to be noted that the students will be attending Clinical postings and lectures in these subjects from 3rd term itself. The end of 9th term will be followed by the 3rd **Professional Part 2 Examination.** A Student, who fails in the 3rd Professional Part 2 examination cannot proceed to the Internship unless she/he passes all subjects of 3rd Professional Part 2 examination.
 - 1. The clinical subjects to be taught during Phase II and III are Medicine and its allied specialties, Surgery and its allied specialties, Obstetrics and Gynaecology and Community Medicine.

- 2. Besides clinical postings as per schedule mentioned herewith, rest of the teaching hours will consist of didactic lectures, demonstrations, seminars, group discussions, etc. in various subjects.
- 3. Clinical skills will be taught not only at the bedside of the patients, but also in the well-equippedskills lab, use of simulated patients and paper-based cases.
- 4. In addition to teaching of the medical subjects mentioned above, Medical Ethics, Professionalismand Communication Skills will also be taught.
- 5. Research methodology will be taught and students will have ample opportunities to do research under the guidance of a faculty, which is entirely voluntary and student driven.
- 6. **The internship lasting 12 months** comprises of rotations in Community Health, Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Paediatrics, Orthopaedics, Emergency Medicine and short electives in various specialties. All these are as per the guidelines of the MCI/NMC

<u>Note:</u> The above mentioned course structure may be modified from the MBBS 2022-23 batches onwards. Kindly refer to the NMC/RGUHS websites for clarity.

2.2.2. Essentials to be eligible to appear for University examination

- **Course completion**: Satisfactory completion of the approved course of study in the subject/subjects for the prescribed duration.
- Attendance: Not less than 75% of the total classes conducted in theory and not less than 80% of the total classes conducted in practicals separately in a given subject to be eligible for the University examination in that subject/subjects.
- Internal Assessment (IA): Minimum of 40% marks to be obtained separately in theory and practical to appear for University examination. At least 50% marks of the total combined in theory and practical assigned for IA is to be obtained in a particular subject (The average of ALL internal assessment examinations will be computed in theory and practical separately. The internal assessment will include formative and summative assessment.)
- **Certifiable competencies**: Learners must have completed the required certifiable competencies for that phase of training and completed the logbook appropriate for that phase of training to be to be eligible for appearing at the final university examination of that subject.

Note: Refer Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences website www.rguhs.ac.in for further details of the course and exam structure

Checklist at the time of application to KEA

- 1. Application form duly filled as per KEA guidelines
- 2. All candidates -Affidavit undertaking to execute a bond to serve in a medically underserved area for a period of 2 years after graduation (Refer 2.1.7)
- 3. All candidates- Study certificate to be issued by Institution on Institution letterhead where the candidate has studied, in the prescribed format (Refer 2.1.7)
- 4. Category-specific eligibility document as specified under 2.1.7 (E.g., Baptism Certificate/ Bishop Certificate/Karnataka State Domicile Certificate etc