

THAPAR POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE, PATIALA

(A Constituent Unit of Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology, Patiala)

First Round of Counselling and Document Verification for Admission to Diploma Programmes (Session 2026–27)

The First Round of Counselling for admission to Diploma Programmes for the Academic Session 2026–27 will be held on **05 June 2026** in the **Main Auditorium, Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology (TIET), Patiala**.

Candidates who will apply by June 1st, 2026 and fulfil the eligibility conditions as prescribed in the Institute Prospectus are eligible to participate in the counselling process.

Admission, document verification, and seat allotment will be conducted strictly on the basis of the **merit prepared from marks obtained in Mathematics, Science, and English in Class X (Matriculation Examination)** and subject to the availability of seats in the respective Diploma Programmes and category.

Tie-Breaking Criteria for Inter-Se Merit

In case two or more candidates obtain the same percentage of marks in the merit list prepared above, their inter-se merit shall be decided in the following order:

1. **Marks in Science (Matric Examination):** The candidate who has obtained higher marks in Science shall be given a higher rank.
2. **Marks in English (Matric Examination):** If the tie still persists, the candidate who has obtained higher marks in English shall be placed higher in the merit list.
3. **Date of Birth:** If the tie still remains, the older candidate (higher in age) shall be given preference over the younger candidate.

All admissions offered during the counselling shall remain provisional until successful verification of original documents and fulfilment of all eligibility requirements.

Counselling Process

1. Candidates will be considered for admission strictly according to their merit rank and availability of seats.
2. Candidates allotted a seat shall be required to deposit the applicable semester fee on the day of counselling to confirm their admission.
3. Failure to complete document verification and fee payment within the stipulated time may result in cancellation of the offered seat.

Counselling Schedule

Date: 05 June 2026

Venue: Main Auditorium, TIET, Patiala

TIMING (June 5, 2026)	CATEGORY	CRITERIA	VENUE
09:00 AM	SC/ST	All Eligible Candidates	Auditorium
11:00 AM	BC	All Eligible Candidates	
12:30 PM	All Other Reserved Categories	All Eligible Candidates	
2:00 PM	General Category	10 th MSE* Score > 80	
3:30 PM		10 th MSE* Score > 70	
4:30 PM		10 th MSE* Score > 60	
6:00 PM		Rest of the Eligible Candidates	

MSE – Percentage of (Mathematics + Science + English)*

(Candidates are advised to report at least 30 minutes before the scheduled reporting time along with all required documents.)

FEE TO BE PAID

Fee payable at the time of Admission (Excluding Hostel Fee) (Annual Fee + Semester Fee):

Annual Fee (payable every year) – Rs. 12000

Semester Fee:

Computer Science & Engineering

Category	Semester Fee
SC/ST/PH/Girl Candidates	Rs. 15,000
Other Candidates	Rs. 17,500

Other Branches

Category	Semester Fee
SC/ST/PH/Girl Candidates	Rs. 12,000
Other Candidates	Rs. 14,000

Documents Required for Verification

Candidates allotted seats in the First Round of Counselling are required to present the following **original documents** for verification and submit **one self-attested photocopy of each document**:

For Admission to 1st Year Diploma Programmes

1. Date of Birth Certificate
2. Class X Detailed Marks Certificate (Original)
3. Admit Card (for CBSE/ICSE Board candidates only)
4. Character Certificate issued by the institution last attended
5. Study Gap Proof (if applicable)
6. Five Passport Size Photographs

7. Category Certificate (if applicable)
8. Income Certificate (for SC candidates having family income less than Rs. 2.50 lakh per annum)
9. Income Certificate (for BC candidates having family income less than Rs. 8.00 lakh per annum)
10. Residence Certificate

Important Instructions

1. Candidates must report in person on the scheduled date and time.
2. Mere participation in counselling does not guarantee admission.
3. Admission shall be offered strictly on the basis of merit, fulfilment of eligibility conditions, successful document verification, and availability of seats.
4. Reserved category benefits can be availed only upon submission of a valid category certificate.
5. In case any information or document is found to be incorrect or incomplete, the candidature/admission shall be liable to cancellation.

Note: Any seat remains vacant in Reserve Category shall be transferred to General Category.

**Admission Committee
Thapar Polytechnic College, Patiala**