

TCS placement drive

TYBA/TYBSc students are required to apply for this Placement Drive.

Providing skills as well as employment opportunities to students of Higher Education Institutions to empower them and prepare for the future is one of the recommendations of the new **National Education Policy (NEP 2020)**.

With this goal in mind, **Training, Internship & Placement (TIP) Cell of Goa State Higher Education Council and Directorate of Higher Education** along with **Tata Consultancy Services** is coordinating a **Placement Drive**.

The students from Higher Education Institutions in the State of Goa graduating in 2023 from **Arts, Commerce & Science (except IT & Computer Science)** streams can register for the Placement Drive.

The participants must register for the drive using the link <https://nextstep.tcs.com/campus/#/>. The last date for registration is **20th January 2023**. The test will be held on **3rd February 2023** either at TCS iON Center or at a college. This will be informed later. Student eligibility criteria can be found in the attached **Annexure I**.

Annexure I

A. Eligibility Criteria:

Courses & Discipline: 2023 Year of Passing Graduates from Arts, Commerce & Science Streams. BCom, BA, BSc(Except IT & CS),BBA, BBM, BMS, BAF, BBI from a recognized university / college.

Course Types: Only full-time courses will be considered (part-time / correspondence course will not be considered). Candidates who have completed their Secondary and / or Senior Secondary course from NIOS (National Institute of Open Schooling) are also eligible to apply if the other courses are full-time

Highest Qualification: Candidates should have completed the course in the stipulated course duration (i.e., No extended education 3 years course should have been completed in the stipulated 3 years time only)

Backlogs: Only one backlog is permitted for the candidates from the 2023 year of passing, however all pending backlogs should be completed within the stipulated course duration.

Gap / Break in Education: It is mandatory to declare gaps in education if any in the TCS Application Form. Overall academic gap should not exceed 24 months until highest qualification. Relevant document proof, as applicable, will be checked for gaps in education

Work Experience: Any experience before graduation or any part-time experience is not required and hence will not be considered relevant for the recruitment process.

Age: Minimum age - 18 years and Maximum age - 28 years

B. Steps to complete the Application Process

Step 1. Logon to the TCS Nextstep Portal <https://nextstep.tcs.com/campus/#/>

Step 2. Register and Apply to the Drive

Scenario A: If you are a **registered user under TCS Nextstep Portal, 'BPS' category**, kindly **login** with your TCS Reference ID (CT / DT reference number) and proceed to complete the **application form**. Upon submission, kindly click on **'Apply for Drive'**

Scenario B: If you are a **new user**, kindly click on **Register Now**, choose category as **'BPS'**, register and create your TCS Reference ID (CT / DT reference number). Login with the TCS Reference ID and submit your **application form** and click on **'Apply for Drive'**

Step 3. Select your mode of test (In-Centre), choose your preferred test centre, **select 2 joining locations of your preference** and then click on Apply. Please Note, test centre once selected cannot be changed.

Step 4. To confirm your status, check **'Track Your Application'**. The status should reflect as **'Applied for Drive'**