



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MASS COMMUNICATION, NEW DELHI
Important Dates and Instructions for the admission to
Post Graduate Diploma in Odia Journalism Programme 2026-27
SPOT Round Admission

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| Availability of Application Form on IIMC Website | 24 May 2026 |
| Last date for Submission of Application Form | 09 June 2026 |
| Entrance Examination & Interview | 10 June 2026 10.30 A.M |
| Declaration of entrance examination result | 12 June 2025 |

Entrance Examination Centers:

Press Information Bureau
3rd Floor, NABM- Prasar Bharati Building,
Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar- 751017

Instructions for filling the application form

1. The students have to pay the entrance examination fee through online mode of payment i.e UPI, BHIM app, NEFT, RTGS or bank to bank transfer etc. as per details given below:

| Sl No | Category | Amount (Rs. in INR) |
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| 1 | General | 500/- |
| 2 | OBC-NCL/General/ EWS | 350/- |
| 3 | SC/ST/PwD | 350/- |

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Name of Account Holder: IIMC STUDENT TUITION FEE
Account No.: 40321700691
Name of Bank: State Bank of India,
Branch: RK Puram Sector - 1
IFSC: SBIN0001076

3. The applicant should fill the form in his/her own handwriting and in English or Odia
4. Candidate should paste his/her recent passport photograph on the application form and sign across it.
5. **Eligibility:** Indian nationals possessing a Bachelor's Degree awarded by a recognized university are eligible to apply. Students who have appeared / are appearing for Final year/semester examination of their Bachelor's Degree are also eligible to apply. If selected, their admission will be subject to their producing at least a Provisional Marks Sheet /Certificate in original from their college / university latest by 30th September 2026, (extendable in genuine cases after ascertaining the reasons). **On completion of the course, the Diploma will be awarded only if the Original Degree Certificate is produced for verification at Head office.**
6. **Maximum Age Limit (as on 1st August 2026):**
 - o General: 25 years
 - o OBC: 28 years
 - o SC/ST/PwD : 30 years
7. **Selection Process :** Admission will be based on an entrance examination and interview.
8. **Date of Birth:** General Category candidates should be born on 1.8.2001 or later (maximum 25 years as on 1st August 2026). For SC/ST/Differently abled candidates, the date of birth should be 1.8.1996 or later (maximum 30 years as on 1st August, 2026). For OBC category, date of birth should be 1.8.1998 or later (28 years as on 1st August, 2026).
9. Candidates may download the application form at IIMC website www.iimc.gov.in and the filled form should be sent by **post to the following address on or before 9 June 2026.** Students may fill up the form directly using the link after depositing the fee.

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Sanchar Marg, Dhenkanal-759001

9. Candidates need to write "**Application for Odia Journalism Courses**" on the envelope in capital letters. IIMC shall not be responsible for any postal delay.
10. For any doubt/further clarifications, the students can contact the following officials on weekdays between 11 am to 4 pm
Shri Jitendra Pati (Academic Coordinator & IT) -9437444200.

Prof. (Dr.) Anand Pradhan

Regional Director