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NOTIFICATION FOR SUMMER TERM 2026 **(For Continuing Students (UG & PG) in 2025-26-III Semester)**

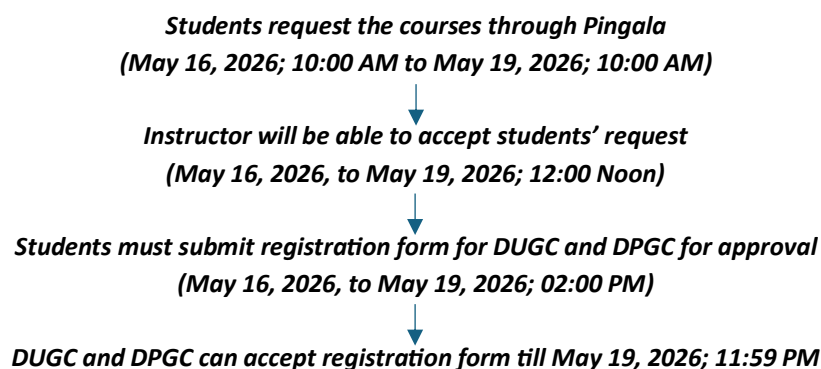
Students wish to register for Summer term – 2026, please go through the following points:

- 1) Student must ensure to complete your Academic registration, Biometric registration and fee payment for the completion of registration in Summer Term 2026 within the deadline.

Events	Dates	
	Regular Registration	Late Registration
Course Add-drop for students	May 16-19, 2026	May 22, 2026
Instructor acceptance	May 16-19, 2026	May 22, 2026
Registration form submission	May 16-19, 2026	May 22, 2026
DU/PGC approval	May 19, 2026	May 22, 2026
Biometric Registration	May 16-22, 2026 (at Department)	
Fee Payment	May 20-23, 2026	May 23, 2026

- 2) List of courses likely to be offered in the Summer term – 2026 is available [here](#).
- 3) All UG and PG students are eligible to apply for the Summer courses.
- 4) All PG students must register for Thesis credits in the Summer Term.
- 5) **ADD-DROP:**
 - a. Students may request the courses interested in or drop the course through Pingala portal within deadline. A help document detailing step-by-step process on how to access the Pingala module for the summer registration is available [here](#).

Process Flowchart:



- b. You have to provide a preferred genuine reason from the following while requesting a course, so that the instructor may accept your request:
 - i. They are graduating at the end of Summer Term 2026.
 - ii. They are academically deficient.
 - iii. They have a fail backlog in the course.
 - iv. They have a fresh backlog in the course.
 - v. They wish to do a course in advance.
- c. You may contact the instructor and D(U/P)GC with course requests & add-drop form for timely acceptance of courses and registration form, respectively.

- d. Students will be treated as not registered on non-submission of add-drop registration form; courses will be removed before the late registration, and no fee will be generated for these students

6) NUMBER OF CREDITS ALLOWED TO REGISTER IN THE SUMMER TERM:

- a. You can request for a maximum of 45 credits (for UG & M.Sc 2yrs) and of 27 credits (for PG Students) on the portal.
- b. UG & M.Sc students can register for up to 27 credits of courses (22 credits for Bracket –‘D’).
- c. UG students, who intend to complete the course requirements for graduation by the end of Summer term 2026 can register for up to 29 credits of courses (student may contact UG Office over email: ug_office@iitk.ac.in).
- d. Number of thesis credits that PG/Dual degree students can register for is Zero to 18 credits. Zero credits are for students who have submitted their thesis and are waiting for defence or have completed their credit requirements. If, however, a student is likely to submit his/her thesis within two weeks from the commencement of classes, he/she need not register in the summer term.
- e. PG/Dual degree students registering only for courses or course + thesis credits can register for Zero credits to 20 credits. Zero credit will be allowed for students registering for Zero credit courses. 20 Credits account for two 10-credit course or one 11-credit plus one 9-credit course/9-thesis credits.
- f. Please request courses without timetable clash. **You are requested to check the clashes manually.** Clashes will not be checked from our end.
- g. In case of any issue, the Chairperson S(U/P)GC will be the final approving authority for registration.

7) TIMELINES:

- a. Regular registration: The window to submit course options and/or thesis credits will open on the [Pingala portal](#) from May 16, 2026; 10:00 AM to May 19, 2026; 10:00 AM. Kindly refer to point no. 5 of this notice for more information.
- b. Late registration: If a student does not get any course as per their request or fail to request courses during regular registration, **may register late on May 22, 2026** (10:00 AM- 04:00 PM) and must submit their registration form latest by **May 22, 2026; 05:00 PM**. However, by that time some courses may have no vacancy. The D(U/P)GC may approve the registration till May 22, 2026; 11:59 PM.

8) ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTRATION:

Students who fail to either give the biometric attendance and/or pay the fee by the respective deadlines detailed above will be considered as non-registered students. The course(s)/credits of all such students will be dropped by the system **without any notice**.

A. BIOMETRIC ATTENDANCE

All interested students registered in the Summer term 2026 will have to give their biometric attendance in their respective departments during May 16-22, 2026; 11:59 PM.

B. FEE PAYMENT

- i. The payment of fee for the Summer Term 2026 will be done on the Pingala portal.
- ii. Fee would be generated after completion of academic registration on May 19, 2026, and fees will be released on May 20, 2026. Students can deposit fee during May 20-23, 2026. The exact time duration will be shared by the DoSA office.

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