

## RAJIV GANDHI UNIVERSITY OF KNOWLEDGE TECHNOLOGIES

## (Established through Act No.18 of 2008) ANDHRA PRADESH, INDIA

(Catering to the Educational Needs of Gifted Rural Youth of Andhra Pradesh)

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## **PRESS NOTE**

RGUKT Admission notification for the Academic Year 2023-24 will be released on 03-06-2023 and candidates can apply for admission by filling online applications from 04-06-2023 up to 26-6-2023 through any of the AP online centres. Special Category (PH/CAP/NCC/Sports/Barat Scouts) Certificate Verification will be done from 5<sup>th</sup> July to 9<sup>th</sup> July in Nuzvid campus. Tentatively the results will be declared on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and certificate verification will be taken up during the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of July and Classes will commence during the 1<sup>st</sup> week of August 2023. The detailed notification including date of release of selection list and counselling dates will be placed on the University website www.rgukt.in.

As per GO Ms. N0.43, Higher Education (EC) Department dated 19-08-2021, a deprivation score will be added to the students who studied in Government Schools and the deprivation shall be decided by the Governing Council of RGUKT every year before admission notification.

During Covid period for two years from 2020-21 to 2021-22, RGUKT conducted a due to COVID-19 Common Entrance Test for admissions as 10<sup>th</sup> examinations could not be conducted. For 2022-23 academic year, admissions were done based on the 10<sup>th</sup> class merit by adding a deprivation of 4% to the students studied in Government Schools as recommended by the Governing Council.

In its  $63^{rd}$  Governing Council meeting dated 25-5-2023, it is resolved that a deprivation of 4% marks will be added to the candidates studied in Government Schools in the  $10^{th}$  class examination.

There are 4000 seats available in all four campuses (1000 per campus) and additional supernumerary seats of 400 (10%) (100 per campus) for EWS candidates. Out

this 85% seats are reserved for Andhra Pradesh candidates and 15% are for open merit (for both Andhra Pradesh and Telangana).

Selection is based on the 10<sup>th</sup> class merit following rule of reservation as per AP State Government norms. In case of tie in the merit and category, selection will be done following the sequential order as mentioned below.

- i. Higher marks in Mathematics
- ii. Higher marks in General Science
- iii. Higher marks in English
- iv. Higher marks in Social Studies
- v. Higher marks in 1st Language
- vi. Elder candidate as per the Date of Birth
- vii. Lowest random number obtained from the hall ticket number.

5% supernumerary seats are available for candidates belonging to states other than Andhra Pradesh and Telangana. Tuition fee for such candidates is Rs.1,50,000/- per annum.

There is an exit option available to the students after two years PUC program. They can join elsewhere only after all the academic requirements are satisfied according to RGUKT guidelines. RGUKT follows a multidisciplinary approach. Therefore, elementary biology is compulsory in the PUC programme; pass in biology is necessary although grades in biology are not used either for branch allocation or to arrive at CGPA. Engineering Branches will be allotted based on the merit in the PUC following rule of reservation as per AP State Government norms.

In view of National Education Policy (2020), RGUKT modularized the six year integrated B.Tech program and award a certificate (title of the certificate to be decided) with 40 credits after completing first year of B.Tech; award a diploma in respective branch of engineering after completing 2nd year of B.Tech with 80 credits apart from awarding degree after four years of B.Tech. Further RGUKT is also planning to offer B.Tech honors/minor degree (after grouping courses) with an additional 20 credits.

Candidates are advised to give their campus preferences carefully. Campus will be allowed based on the preference given by the candidates in the online application as per his/her merit and category. In no case, internal transfer of candidates between the campuses is permitted after completion of the entire admission process. Students must

study in the campus where they are finally admitted as per their choice and preference. Candidates are advised to visit the University website <a href="www.rgukt.in">www.rgukt.in</a> for regular updates.

Prof. S.S.S.V Gopala Raju is appointed as Convener for conducting RGUKT admissions for the Academic Year 2023-24.

(Prof. K.C.Reddy)

Chancellor, RGUKT