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From: Smti. Pomi Baruah, ACS
 Director of Higher Education, Assam
 Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

To

1. The Registrars,
 Assam University, All State and Participating Private Universities of Assam
2. The Principals,
 All Govt./ Provincialized/ PDUAM/ Autonomous/ Govt. Model/ Venture/ Participating
 Private Colleges of Assam

Sub: Regarding timeline of FYUGP/FYIMP/FYUPGP admission 2026-27 through the Assam State Higher Education Admission Portal (SAMARTH).

Sir/ Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, I have the honour to inform you that the FYUGP/FYIMP/FYUPGP admission 2026-27 will be conducted through the Assam State Higher Education Admission Portal (SAMARTH), in accordance with the timeline provided below.

Timeline

UG Admission, 2026-27

Mode of Admission	Date	Activities
Non CUET	11th April 2026	Commencement of Applicant Registration in Samarth portal
	12-22 May	Registration and Programme selection by applicants and simultaneous scrutiny of applications by HEIs.
	23-25 May	Correction window for students
	26-28 May	Scrutiny of applications by HEIs of 'corrected applications' if any.
	29 May- 1 June	Preparation and locking of 1 st Merit list
	2 June	Publication of 1 st Merit list
	4 - 6 June	Admissions of applicants in 1 st Merit list
	8 June	Preparation and locking of 2 nd Merit list
	9 June	Publication of 2 nd Merit list
	10 - 12 June	Admissions of applicants in 2 nd Merit list
	15 June	Spot admission
	1 August	Commencement of Classes

CUET	5- 13 July	Registration and Programme selection by applicants and simultaneous scrutiny of applications by HEIs
	14-15 July	Correction window
	16-18 July	Scrutiny of applications by HEIs of “corrected applications” if any.
	19 July	Preparation and publication of 1 st merit list
	21-22 July	Admissions of applicants in 1 st merit list
	23 July	Preparation and publication of 2 nd merit list
	25-26 July	Admissions of applicants in 2 nd merit list
	28 July	Spot Admission (for CUET)
	29-31 July	Final Spot Admission (for both non CUET and CUET)
	1 August	Commencement of 1st Semester classes
Post Admission	1 -5 August	Induction programme
		Demo classes for Core and Common course
		Paper/course selection in Samarth portal

* The schedule for both Non-CUET and CUET admissions may be subject to change due to any unforeseen circumstances or natural calamities. Additionally, the CUET admission timeline will depend on the declaration of CUET results. Any changes will be notified accordingly.

Important Points to be noted:

1. Admission for FYUGP (Four-year Undergraduate Programme), FYIMP (Five-year Integrated Master Programme) and FYIPGP (Five-year Integrated Post Graduate Programme) either through non-CUET mode or CUET mode, will be provisioned only through the common admission portal (<https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/>) for all Govt/ Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya Adarsha Mahavidyalaya/ Provincialized/ Govt. Model Colleges/ Autonomous Colleges. Additionally, admissions for FYIMP and FYUGP in State University campuses and Participating Private/ Venture/ Non-Government Colleges affiliated with State Universities and Assam University will also be provisioned only through the common admission portal. (<https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/>)

2. Students will get six (6) options for program selection either in the same Higher Educational Institution (University/Colleges) or in different Higher Educational Institutions (HEI) (University/Colleges).

3. Students need to mark preferences against the options of programs. HEIs will be indicated of the preference given by the applicants. Autonomous Colleges /Universities shall prepare the merit lists in accordance with their admission rules. However, affiliated Colleges shall prepare their Merit list in accordance to the relevant policy of the concerned Affiliating Universities.

4. HEIs will have to do the academic scrutiny (selection of papers based on eligibility for the program/discipline) of verified marks after entering SAMARTH form number / CUET registration numbers.

5. After Academic Scrutiny, the HEIs will mark the students considered for offering admission by processing the merit list in the admission portal itself. Once marked and saved by the HEI, the merit list for the programs can be generated and visible to students in the “merit list section” of the admission portal (<https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in/>) After the lists are published in the admission.

6. The students will receive an admission offer message with a URL in their registered e mail and mobile number for further processing. Only upon acceptance of the admission offer by the applicant by logging into their admission portal, the Universities or Colleges will be able to process the application for grant of admission.

7. In the subsequent merit lists, if an admitted student is offered admission in a program/College in a relatively higher order of their preference, and if they wish to take admission in the other HEI then they need to raise a cancellation request on the first day of publication of the subsequent merit list till 5 P.M and the cancellation request will be automatically approved, so that the applicant may take admission easily. The fee will be refunded automatically, provided they make the payment through the Integrated Payment Gateway. In case the student has made the payment in cash then they need to collect the refund from the institution itself.

8. The total number of students in the Merit list against each program and discipline will be strictly as per the sanctioned seat matrix for the Major program in that discipline. In the case of Discipline Specific programs, the Merit list against that discipline-specific programme will be as per the sanctioned seat matrix for that discipline-specific programme. Once admission is offered by the College/University to candidates, it is mandatory for the HEIs to give admission to candidates subject to document scrutiny and in compliance with college/university policies, as applicable.

9. Waiting lists may be published by respective HEIs if they desire to do so. However, this is optional and if the students who appear in the waiting lists are not subsequently added in the next merit list, then the Department of Higher Education nor the SAMARTH team will be responsible.

10. Colleges and Universities will have the discretion to check and verify the Income certificates produced by applicants at the time of admission. In case of any doubt, the Institution may ask the candidate to produce further relevant documents to ascertain the validity of the claim regarding the status of income below 4 lakhs, and only after being fully satisfied with the authenticity of the claim, they are to be granted admission under the Fee Waiver category. If the Institution is unsatisfied with the claim, they need to inform the applicant in writing with justification and grant admission under the non-fee waiver category.

11. HEIs will be able to view their Fee status (received either through Cash or Payment gateway) and the net amount (admission minus cancellation) shall be remitted to the HEI's account upon completion of the cycle of admission 2026-27.

12. Transparency in admissions shall be ensured, including obtaining proper consent from students. Retention of original marksheets or certificates by any institution is strictly prohibited.

You are hence, kindly requested to adhere to the above instructions to ensure a smooth and efficient admission process, as per the outlined timeline. This is for favour of your kind information and necessary action. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully
Digitally signed by
POMI BARUAH

Date: 06-05-2026
15.08.18
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1. PS to the Commissioner and Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Higher Education Department, Dispur, Ghy-06 for kind information.
2. Prof. Sanjeev Singh, Principal Investigator, Samarth e-Gov, New Delhi for kind information and necessary action.
3. The Chief Coordinator, RSSCC, Assam for kind information and necessary action.

(e-signed)
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