



Recruitment of Engineers/Officers and Engagement as Graduate Apprentice Engineers in Indian Oil Corporation Limited through GATE-2021

Frequently Asked Questions

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1.	What is the application fee for applying in IOCL for these positions?	There is no application fee.
2.	Where are the Interview centres and Will I get Interview centre of my choice out of these centres?	The interview centres are at Delhi, Kolkata, Mumbai and Chennai. IOCL would try its best to allot interview centre of candidate's choice. However, depending upon operational requirement, an alternate interview centre out of these four may be provided.
3.	I belong to reserved category (OBC(NCL)/ SC/ ST/ PwBD) but I do not have certificate in latest format in respect of same. Can I still apply from the reserve category I belong to?	You may apply from the reserve category you belong to. However, you will have to produce relevant and valid certificate in the latest central government format at the time of document verification prior to GD, GT & Personal Interview, if shortlisted, failing which your candidature may be cancelled.
4.	My current EWS certificate is valid for the year 2020-21. Can I still apply under EWS category?	You may apply from EWS category in the application form. However, onus of producing EWS certificate valid for the year 2021-22 at the time of GD, GT and PI – if shortlisted – lies with you, failing which your candidature may be cancelled.
5.	Where can I get latest central government formats for EWS, OBC(NCL), SC, ST, PwBD certificates?	The latest central government formats for EWS, OBC(NCL), SC, ST and PwBD are placed on home page of the ONLINE Application page.
6.	I applied from one of the reserved categories. However, now it appears that I will not be able to produce relevant and valid documents at the time of document verification in support of my category I applied from. Can I be treated in General category?	Post submission of application form, change of category is not allowed.
7.	I scored 64.99% in the qualifying degree. The advertisement asks for min. 65%, since I belong to EWS category. Can my final score be rounded-off to 65.00% and considered eligible for the advertised position?	Rounding-Off of marks is not permitted. 64.99% shall not be treated as 65% (after rounding off). In order to be eligible for the advertised post, one must obtain minimum percentage of marks as mentioned in the detailed advertisement.
8.	I could not find any field to enter my GATE 2021 marks. How will I be evaluated?	Do not worry. Your GATE 2021 marks shall be populated from GATE 2021 database, received from GATE-2021 authorities.

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9.	There is a minor spelling error in the name of my caste in my caste certificate. I belong to “xyzabc” caste from Uttar Pradesh and however, my caste name is mentioned as “xyzabd” in my caste certificate. Will it be acceptable as valid?	It will not be valid. The name of the caste mentioned in the caste certificate should be spelled exactly in the same manner as appearing in the central list.
10.	I filled up the form on my mobile. As a result, few entries in the application form were wrongly filled due to “Auto-fill” feature of the smart phone. Can those details be changed?	No, details cannot be changed once application form is submitted. An application form once submitted on the recruitment portal will not be changed/edited. Therefore, you are advised to check the entries very carefully before finally submitting the online application.
11.	I am from General category and My date of birth is 26 th June 1995. I am exceeding the upper age limit by just 5 days. Can I be given some relaxation in terms of age?	No relaxation, whatsoever, in any of the eligibility criteria as mentioned in the detailed advertisement shall be given. Please read the detailed advertisement very carefully before applying for the advertised post.
12.	I did my B.Tech/BE from Instrumentation Engineering. I appeared in GATE 2021 from Instrumentation (Code: IN) and Electrical (Code: EE) disciplines. Am I eligible to apply from both disciplines?	No, you cannot apply from both disciplines. You are eligible to apply only from the discipline you have done your B.Tech/BE and appeared in GATE 2021 from the relevant discipline mentioned in the detailed advertisement. In this case, you are eligible to apply for Instrumentation discipline only as you have done your B.Tech/BE in Instrumentation Engg and have also appeared in GATE-2021 in Instrumentation Engg discipline (Code ; IN).
13.	I read the Pre-Employment Medical Examination Guidelines. I got my tests done but could not find any space in the ONLINE application form to upload my medical reports. What should I do?	The Pre-Employment Medical Examination Guidelines are for your reference to check if you are meeting the fitness standard as mentioned in the guidelines. The tests are to be done prior to joining and detailed report as per the guidelines are to be submitted at the time of joining, if selected.
14.	My name is Ramesh Kumar Sisodia. However, my name is mentioned as Sisodia Ramesh Kumar in the class 10 pass certificate. What should I do?	Please fill your name as Sisodia Ramesh Kumar in the ONLINE application form
15.	I was approached by an agency assuring me of my selection in Indian Oil through GATE 2021, if I paid a certain amount in advance to the agency. Should I pay advance amount?	Be Aware of Frauds. IOCL recruits candidates purely on the merit and has not authorized any agency, whatsoever, to recruit candidates on its behalf. We request candidates to be vigilant in such cases and keep visiting www.iocl.com for authentic information related to the positions advertised in this advertisement.
16.	To whom should I dispatch my filled in application?	The ONLINE application need not be dispatched to any of our offices. Please keep them for your records and produce only when asked to.
