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The Principals of Colleges affiliated to Goa University offering the BCA Programme are hereby informed that the University has approved the following guidelines for admission to the BCA Programme for the academic year 2026–27:

I. Entrance Test:

1. Admissions to the BCA Programme shall be conducted on the basis of an Entrance Test to be conducted by the respective College.
2. All Colleges shall strictly adhere to the instructions/guidelines, syllabus, and marking scheme mentioned below.
3. Test Type: Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs); No Negative Marking
4. Total Questions: 50 (2 marks each); Total Marks: 100
5. Test Duration: 75 minutes
6. The test shall consist of the following sections:
 - **Section A:** Quantitative Aptitude – 15 Questions
 - **Section B:** Logical Reasoning – 15 Questions
 - **Section C:** Computer Awareness – 10 Questions
 - **Section D:** General Knowledge – 10 Questions

II. Weightage:

1. 40% weightage shall be given to marks obtained in the 12th Standard or equivalent acceptable Programme while admitting students.
2. 60% weightage shall be given to marks obtained in the Entrance Test.

III. Tie-Breaker Criteria:

In case of a tie in scores, merit shall be determined in the following order:

1. Student having higher score in the **Entrance Test component** shall be ranked higher.
2. Student having higher score in the **12th Marks component** shall be ranked higher.
3. Student having higher score in the **Section B: Logical Reasoning** of the Aptitude Test component shall be ranked higher.
4. Student having higher score in the **Section A: Quantitative Aptitude** of the Aptitude Test component shall be ranked higher.
5. Student having higher score in the **Section C: Computer Awareness** of the Aptitude Test component shall be ranked higher.
6. Student having higher score in the **Section D: General Knowledge** of the Aptitude Test component shall be ranked higher.
7. If the tie still exists, then decision to be taken by the Admission Committee of the respective college and the same to be indicated in the ranking list.

IV. BCA Entrance Test Syllabus:

Section A: Quantitative Aptitude (15 Questions)

- Averages, Percentage – 2 Questions
- Ratio and Proportion, Fractions – 2 Questions
- Number Series, Progressions – 3 Questions
- Area & Volume – 2 Questions
- Sets and Venn Diagrams – 2 Questions
- Time and Work – 2 Questions
- Data Interpretation – 2 Questions

Section B: Logical Reasoning (15 Questions)

- Alphanumeric Series – 2 Questions
- Reasoning Analogies – 3 Questions
- Blood Relations – 2 Questions
- Pattern Series and Sequences – 2 Questions
- Seating Arrangements – 2 Questions
- Directions – 2 Questions
- Odd One Out – 2 Questions

Section C: Computer Awareness (10 Questions)

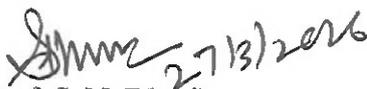
- Computer Fundamentals - Evolution of Computer, Types of Computer, Computer Devices, Functions of Computer, Basic Components of Computer - 3 Questions
- Windows, Word, Excel, PowerPoint - 2 Questions
- Basic knowledge of Web Browser, Websites, Social Media, Email - 3 Questions
- Basic knowledge of Virus, Worms, Spam, Trojans and Anti-Virus - 2 Questions

Section D: General Knowledge (10 Questions)

- Well known IT Companies and its who's who - 2 Questions
- Goan culture & heritage - 2 Questions
- Indian culture & defence (Army, Navy, Air force) - 2 Questions
- National days & dates of importance - 2 Questions
- Constitution of India - Preamble, Fundamental Duties & Fundamental Rights - 2 Questions

V. Other Guidelines:

1. Reservation of seats for various categories shall be as per specified by the University based on State Government directives.
2. Supernumerary seats shall be applicable only for foreign nationals and shall be as per the limits prescribed by the University.
3. Procedure for Admission of Waitlisted Candidates: A merit list shall be prepared based on the scores calculated as per Point II above. If there are applications more than the seats allotted to the colleges/institutions, they shall be kept on the wait list. They shall be admitted in order of merit if there are any cancellations of the admission. Rules w.r.t. reservations shall be followed wherever applicable.


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 REGISTRAR

To,

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2. Dean/Vice-Dean (Academics), GBS, Goa University
3. Assistant Registrar to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor
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