

Minor/ Honours

1. What is the eligibility requirement for registration in terms of number of credits or projects?

No requirement

2. What is the eligibility requirement for registration in terms of number of backlogs?

A student must have cleared all outstanding backlogs by the time of enrolment into Minor/Honors

3. Is there a CGPA criterion for registration?

No CGPA criterion for Minor.

However, a CGPA criterion for Honors can be set by the respective Departments.

4. Department-wise course prerequisites requirements? Please mention in detail all the courses semesters-wise with suitable credits here.

Table above

5. Department-wise maximum number of students (or a percentage of existing student strength) that can avail this option?

To avoid overloading, Departments offering Minors can put an upper limit on the number of Minor students they wish to take. The students have to understand that since the number of seats available for each of the Minor will always be limited, one has to compete for a place; he/she thus cannot ignore the basic CGPA.

A cap of 15% increase in the original batch strength of any department due to minor.

6. When can one apply, in which semester?

A student can enrol for Minor in fifth semester only. There is no CGPA criterion for enrolling into a Minor. A student can enrol for Honors in fifth or sixth semester, depending on the policy of the department. The department can plan the Honors from fifth or sixth semester. There is no CGPA criterion for enrolling into Honors at institute level.

7. Whom to inform/seek approval from (faculty advisor/ DUGC/ others?) in case the student from your department wants to pursue an option in another department?

Faculty advisor

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DUGC Convenor

9. Should the concerned person make a list and informs acads or will it all be online?

It should be through AIMS.

10. If a student would like to withdrawal from major, minor or honours what is the procedure and when can that be done, again whom to contact?

Through the faculty advisor

11. Can a student be terminated from the program and under what circumstances?

After enrolling into Minors/Honors, if a student gets FS/FR grade in more than 3 credits his/her enrolment to the same will be terminated.

12. If a student has done the required courses as free electives before, how to make up for the lost credits?

Case by case basis on recommendation of DUGC convenor.

13. What is your department's take if a student wants to pursue more than one option such as major as well as minor or major as well as honours?

Should be permitted on the recommendation of the Faculty Advisor

Minor and major can not be done in the same department.

CGPA shall be displayed as follows

B.Tech (parent dept)

Minor Program

Honor Program

14.Additional Details:

- In order to earn a minor, a student has to earn a minimum of 12 extra credits from a basket of courses prescribed for each minor stream.
- In order to earn honors, a student has to earn a minimum of 12 extra credits out of which six credits from project work and at least six credits are from courses offered by the student's major department.
- A student can enroll for both Minor & Honors or for two Minors.
- The final transcript will only show the basic CGPA corresponding to the minimum requirement for the degree. The Minors/Honors will be indicated by a separate CGPA. The additional courses taken will also find separate mention in the transcript. If a student drops (or terminated) from the Minor/Honors program, they cannot convert the earned credits into free or core electives; they will remain extra. These additional courses will find mention in the transcript (but not in the degree certificate). In such cases, the student may choose between the actual grade or a "pass(P)" grade and also choose to omit the mention of the course as for the following: All the courses done under the dropped Minor/Honors will be shown in the transcript None of the courses done under the dropped Minor/Honors will be shown in the transcript.
- Honors will be reflected in the degree certificate as "BTech (honors) in XYZ Engineering". Similarly, Minor as "BTech in XYZ Engineering with Minor in ABC". If a student has done both honors & minor, it will be acknowledged as "BTech (honours) in XYZ Engineering with Minor in ABC". And two minors will be reflected as ""BTech in XYZ Engineering with Minor in ABC and Minor in DEF".

