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NERIE, Shillong

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MESSAGE

Dear Students,

Welcome to the North East Regional Institute of Education **(NERIE)!**

It gives me immense joy and pleasure to extend my heartfelt greetings to one and all. As an important member of the NERIE community, you are embarking on a journey of learning, growth, and self-discovery. Remember that 'education is not merely the acquisition of knowledge—it is the cultivation of character, curiosity, and compassion, and that is what the institute aims to provide.

I urge you to make the most of the opportunities and facilities provided to you, both inside and outside the classroom. Embrace whole heartedly your academic pursuits with sincerity, engage in meaningful dialogue, and strive for excellence in all endeavours. Success is not defined solely by marks or accolades, but by the integrity, accountability, perseverance, and empathy you bring to your endeavours.

Let discipline, respect, and a spirit of inquiry guide your actions. Uphold the values of inclusivity, responsibility and humility, and contribute positively to the campus community. Your time at NERIE will shape not just your career, but also the person and the personality you will evolve into.

Always believe in your potential, support one another, and never hesitate to seek guidance whenever needed. We, as educators, are here to walk this path with you—to support, mentor, and inspire.

Wishing you all a fulfilling and enriching academic journey ahead.

I appreciate you for considering the North East Regional Institute of Education (NERIE) as your next academic pursuit and look forward to welcome you!

With best wishes,

Prof. Flourette G. Dkhar
(Incharge Principal, NERIE, Shillong)

NERIE at a Glance

Nestled amidst lush greenery and picturesque pine trees, the North East Regional Institute of Education (NERIE), Shillong, is a constituent unit of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT), New Delhi, a Deemed-to-be University under the distinct De Novo category of the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

NERIE, espouses values of equity and inclusion and welcomes diversity. It is committed to advancing school and teacher education in the eight North Eastern States through research, curriculum and material development, training and extension programmes. It also serves as the nodal institution for implementing centrally sponsored schemes, educational policies, and flagship initiatives of the Ministry of Education, Government of India, across the Region. The Institute conducts pre-service and a range of in-service teacher education programmes to prepare competent, reflective, and innovative teachers in alignment with the vision of the National Education Policies.

The Institute works in close coordination with the state level Educational bodies/agencies of the Northeast region. Through its Programme Advisory Committee (PAC) programmes, the Instutute collates a wide range of academic resources, including training and learning modules, handbooks and learning-teaching materials (LTMs), for school education across the region. The Institute also provides academic consultancy and professional support to State Governments and their educational agencies to strengthen the quality of school education and teacher education. Through these initiatives, it contributes significantly to capacity building, curriculum enrichment, pedagogical innovation, and the overall improvement of educational practices in the region.

Vision & Mission

VISION

- The North East Regional Institute of Education aims to be a pace-setting Institution for School and Teacher education in North East India, driving innovation, excellence in research, training, and resource development to prepare educators who will lead and inspire the future of education.

MISSION

- Imparting quality teacher education to future leaders in school education, addressing their pedagogical needs, and creating lifelong learning opportunities within a dynamic and stimulating learning environment.
- Applying in-depth knowledge across various areas to develop skills, values, and dispositions that foster a responsible commitment to human rights, sustainable development, and global well-being, thereby shaping individuals as global citizens.
- Leveraging faculty expertise and innovative ideas to prepare students for a life of excellence, thereby contributing to nation-building.
- Developing a coordinated and supportive mechanism to collect regional needs and address them through innovative, sustainable, and context-specific solutions.
- Transforming the institute into an exceptional educational hub for conducting impactful short-term and thematic programmes on issues of national and international significance, driving high-impact research, generating new knowledge, and disseminating it through public deliberations, top journal publications, and conferences.
- Nurturing and developing the diverse linguistic and cultural potential of the region and its individuals for nation-building.
- Bridging local educational aspirations with global standards by aligning with national policy, integrating 21st-century and future-ready skills, and fostering sustainable partnerships with academic institutions and community stakeholders within the country and beyond.

FACULTY

The faculty members comprising of the Principal, four Professors, four Associate Professors and sixteen Assistant Professors come from diverse disciplines belonging to Education, Special Education, Teacher Education, Psychology, Physics, Mathematics Education, Linguistics, Geography, Geology, History, Botany, Zoology and Sociology.

Prof. Flourette G. Dkhar
I/C Principal

Prof. Balaiada R. Dkhar
Dean of Instructions

Dr. Tulika Dey
Professor in Geology

Dr. Elizabeth Gangmei
Professor in Education

Dr. Shilpi Kumari
Professor in Teacher Education

Dr. Albert Horo
Associate Professor in Geography

Dr. Sima Saigal
Associate Professor in History

Dr. Sarajubala Devi
Associate Professor in Linguistics

FACULTY

Dr. M.G. Wallang
Associate Professor
in Linguistics

Dr. Vareishang Tangpu
Associate Professor
in Zoology

Dr. B. Kharlukhi
Associate Professor
in Education

Dr. Prachi Ghildyal
Assistant Professor
in Psychology

Dr. Tasongwi Newmei
Assistant Professor
in Sociology

Dr. Arnab Sen
Assistant Professor
in Physics

Dr. B. Umesh Kumar
Assistant Professor in
Special Education

Dr. Seema R.
Assistant Professor
in Botany

Dr. Shanmugam Bhasha
Assistant Professor
in Zoology

Dr. Nirjesh
Assistant Professor
in Mathematics

Dr. Sagnika Sahoo
Assistant Professor
in Education

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (DE)

The Department of Education is primarily responsible for conducting the courses offered by NERIE, namely the two-year B.Ed. programme, the one-year Diploma in Guidance and Counselling (DGC) programme offered in blended mode, and the six-month Certificate Course in Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE), also offered in blended mode. The Department undertakes a range of academic and co-curricular activities aimed at the holistic development of teacher trainees. Some of the major activities include conducting student seminars, organizing practice teaching for B.Ed. trainees, conducting internal assessments at regular intervals, organizing College Week and community work, facilitating career exhibitions, and supporting the placement of trainees through the Placement Cell. The Department also undertakes various other academic and developmental activities to enhance the professional competencies, skills, and overall personality of the teacher trainees.

DEPARTMENT OF EXTENSION EDUCATION (DEE)

The Department of Extension Education oversees the Institute's in-service training programmes, research projects, and developmental initiatives. It is responsible for reporting to NCERT headquarter, New Delhi and the Ministry of Education, Government of India, on all activities undertaken in the North Eastern Region under the aegis of NCERT. The Department also constitutes and facilitates the functioning of State Coordination Committees (SCCs) and coordinates their activities in collaboration with the State Coordinators of the eight North Eastern States. It liaises with the States on various programmes and activities related to school education and teacher education. Furthermore, the Department is responsible for planning and preparing agenda items and agenda papers for meetings of the Institutional Advisory Board (IAB), Management Committee (MC), and Programme Advisory Committee (PAC). These bodies provide guidance and oversight for the planning, implementation, and monitoring of programmes and activities undertaken by the Institute across the North Eastern States. It also monitors activities under integrated scheme for Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan, Promotion of Innovative Practices and Experiments in Education for Schools and Teacher Education Institutions, etc.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN LANGUAGES AND SOCIAL SCIENCE (DELSS)

The Department of Education in Language and Social Science (DELSS) is dedicated to advancing Language and Social Science Education. It seeks to preserve, promote, and develop languages while promoting multilingualism, linguistic competence, and cultural understanding, and to enable learners to understand society, appreciate its diversity and complexities, engage critically with contemporary social realities, and participate as informed and responsible citizens. Through innovative teacher education, research, training, and curriculum and resource development programmes, the department advances interdisciplinary, inquiry-based, and competency-oriented pedagogies, guided by the vision of NEP 2020 and NCF-SE 2023, to prepare reflective educators and foster inclusive, democratic, and socially responsive learning communities. In keeping with the mandate of professional development of the faculty, research publication is taken up by the faculty members.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS (DESM)

The Department of Education in Science and Mathematics promotes scientific literacy, scientific temper and mathematical thinking through a variety of academic, research and outreach activities. It regularly organises programmes such as National Science Day, Earth Day, World Environment Day, scientific lecture series and other educational events to foster a scientific outlook among students, teachers, faculty members and staff. The Department facilitates the development of conceptual understanding among prospective teachers through scientific visualization, effective communication and technology integration. It encourages scientific inquiry, mathematical and computational thinking and nurtures an appreciation for abstract scientific and mathematical ideas. Furthermore, it promotes interdisciplinary linkages among science, mathematics, social sciences and the humanities, thereby positioning science and mathematics as integral components of human knowledge and development. Through its research, training and developmental initiatives, the Department strives to make science and mathematics accessible, engaging and meaningful for all learners. DESM emphasizes on research and publications in reputed journals.

About the Courses

TWO-YEAR BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

NERIE offers a two-year Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) programme to prepare professionally competent, reflective, and socially responsible teachers for the school system. At present, the programme is conducted in accordance with the curriculum and regulations of the North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong, and conforms to the norms and standards prescribed by the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE). As a constituent unit of NCERT, a Deemed-to-be University, the Institute is in the process of introducing its own B.Ed. programme.

STUDENTS' PLACEMENT

The Institute has a placement cell which organizes annual placement drives for the final-year (two-year B.Ed. programme) teacher trainees. The placement process is coordinated by faculty members and staff of the placement cell. The cell serves as a vital link between the students and the prospective employers.

Over the years, a significant number of students have been successfully placed in different schools across the country. The placement initiative not only facilitates gainful employment for graduates but also helps schools recruit well-trained and competent teachers prepared to meet the contemporary educational challenges.

DIPLOMA COURSE IN GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING (DCGC)

National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has been running a Diploma Course in Guidance and Counselling for the past five decades. NERIE also offers this Course since 2009.The main objective of this course is to offer training to teachers, teacher educators and untrained guidance personnel in the theory and applications of Guidance and Counselling in schools and related settings. The programme emphasizes the development of competencies in guidance practices, counselling techniques, and psychological assessment.

Over the years, it has enabled numerous teachers and counsellors to effectively contribute to the establishment and strengthening of guidance and counselling services of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas, Kendriya Vidyalayas, State Board schools, and private schools and institutions of the country.

In order to make the course accessible to larger numbers, the course has been designed to be offered in a blended mode with components of distance, online and face – to – face modes to enable the in services personnel to avail the opportunity without leaving their places of work for a long period of time. The programme structure is thoughtfully designed to ensure a seamless continuum of theory, practicum, and implementation.

(For details visit- https://nerie.nic.in/dgc.html)

Certificate Course in Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE)

Since the year 2013-14, the institute has been offering the Certificate Course in Early Childhood Care and Education, This course intends to create a culturally responsive and appropriate model of ECCE in the Country.

Over the years, several government functionaries from the Departments of Education and Social Welfare—including DIET and SCERT faculty, SDPOs, and school teachers from the North Eastern states—have successfully completed the course. The programme aims to prepare professionals to provide quality ECCE by imparting theoretical knowledge along with hands-on training. A special emphasis is placed on culturally relevant child development practices through immersion in appropriate ECCE settings.

ACADEMIC SECTION

The section headed by the Dean of Instructions has the overall responsibility of looking after the welfare of the students of the institute. It takes care of various academic activities of the institute ranging from managing admissions, preparing the academic calendar and time table, maintaining students' attendance and smooth conduct of classes to overseeing examination and evaluation as well as school internship programme and student's scholarship etc.

ADMINISTRATIVE SECTION

The Administrative Officer heads the Administration assisted by a Section Officer, a Senior Accountant, an Upper Division Clerk, Lower Division Clerk and a group of ministerial staff. The Administrative Section plays a vital role in ensuring the smooth functioning of the Institute by efficiently managing its day-to-day operations. It handles all administrative matters, including personnel management, financial transactions, procurement, maintenance of records, and coordination among various departments. The section supports in all the institutional activies of NERIE.

FACILITIES

LIBRARY

CANTEEN

DISPENSARY

FACILITIES

HOSTEL

GUEST HOUSE

AUDITORIUM

VOLLEY BALL COURT

STUDIO

Activities

Programmes & Events

Inauguration of Kanaklata Girls' Hostel and NERIE Guest House by Shri Sanjay Kumar IAS, Secretary DESEL MOE, and Prof. D.P. Saklani, Director NCERT on 14th July 2025

Cultural Performance by Students during National Confarence 2025

PROGRAMMES & EVENTS

Visit of Group Captain, Subhanshu Shukla, Ashok Chakra, Indian Air Force and Gaganyatri on 2nd February 2026.

Chief Guest of the 31st NERIE Foundation Day Celebration 2026 Smti. Agatha Sangma , Chairperson, Meghalaya, State Commission for Protection of Child Rights.

Celebration of National Science Day, 28th February 2026

Prof. Ajaikumar B. Kunnumakkara
Dept. of Biosciences & Bioengineering, IIT-Guwahati

Prof. Pratap Jyoti Handique
former Vice Chancellor, Gauhati University

PROGRAMMES & EVENTS

LABS

समावेशी शिक्षा हेतु संसाधन केंद्र
RESOURCE CENTRE FOR INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

जीवन विज्ञान प्रयोगशाला
LIFE SCIENCE LAB

कला एवं शिल्प प्रयोगशाला
ARTS AND CRAFT LAB

भाषा प्रयोगशाला
LANGUAGE LAB

मनोविज्ञान प्रयोगशाला
PSYCHOLOGY LAB

भौतिक विज्ञान प्रयोगशाला
PHYSICAL SCIENCE LAB

सामाजिक विज्ञान प्रयोगशाला
SOCIAL SCIENCE LAB

GUIDELINES
ADMISSION, ATTENDANCE & LEAVE

APPLICABILITY

These guidelines shall apply to all students admitted to academic programmes at NERIE, NCERT, irrespective of residence status. Compliance with these provisions is mandatory and shall be a prerequisite for:

I. Continuation in the academic programme.

II. Eligibility to appear in internal assessments and end-semester examinations.

III. Continuation of hostel facility (where applicable).

These guidelines are framed in accordance with NCTE Regulations and Institute Rules.

ADMISSION RULES AND MANDATORY DOCUMENTATION

I. Admission to any programme at NERIE shall be provisional, until verification of eligibility and documents is completed.

II. All admitted students must submit complete, valid, and original documents, as notified by the Institute, within one month from the date of admission.

III. Failure to submit the required documents within the stipulated period shall result in:

* Cancellation of provisional admission, and/or
* Discontinuation from the course without further notice.

I. Students found not eligible or lacking mandatory documents shall not be permitted to continue in the programme.

II. No relaxation in document submission timelines shall be granted except with written approval of the Competent Authority.

ATTENDANCE REGULATIONS (STRICT COMPLIANCE)

Academic Attendance

I. Students must maintain minimum attendance as prescribed by NCTE regulations i.e., 80% or above.

II. Attendance requirements are mandatory and non-negotiable.

III. Shortage of attendance shall not be condoned, except in cases of extreme and duly documented medical emergencies, as per norms.

IV. Students failing to meet the prescribed attendance shall not be permitted to appear in internal assessments and/or end-semester examinations and shall be liable for repetition of the course/semester as per rules.

LEAVE RULES (EMERGENCY-BASED AND ACADEMIC/ PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT)

Leave shall be granted only under the following permissible categories:

I. Genuine emergencies, such as:

a. Serious medical emergencies.

b. Bereavement in the immediate family.

c. Academic and Professional Advancement, including participation in examinations, interviews, counselling, or selection processes related to higher studies and for attending officially recognized academic activities, career-related training, or professional certification processes relevant to the programme.

II. Leave for personal, social, recreational, or convenience-related reasons shall not be entertained.

III. All leave applications must be:

* Submitted in advance through the PMIS portal.
* Supported by valid documentary evidence.
* Approved by the concerned Warden, Chief Warden (for hostellers), Dean of Instructions and the Principal.

IV. Grant of leave for Academic and Professional Advancement shall be:

* Limited in duration.
* Subject to attendance requirements under NCTE norms.
* Treated as authorized absence, without automatic exemption from minimum attendance unless explicitly permitted under applicable regulations.

* Leaving the hostel or remaining absent from classes without written approval shall be treated as serious misconduct and shall attract disciplinary action.

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ENFORCEMENT

I. Ignorance of these rules shall not be accepted as an excuse.

II. Non-compliance with admission, attendance, or leave regulations shall result in academic and/or disciplinary consequences as per Institute's norms.

III. The decision of the Principal shall be final and binding in all matters relating to admission, attendance, and leave.

Rules & Regulations of NERIE Hostel (EXISTING)

1. Hostel accommodation is available to B. Ed. students only during a working semester. No students will have the right to occupation of a room during vacation but he/she may be permitted to stay on request with prior approval from the competent authority, if he/she is doing any work related to Academic & Career Advancement.
2. Room once allotted to the students for an academic year will not be changed except on special cases.
3. The hostel provides minimum furniture for each room consisting of one cot, table & chair.
4. Electrical gadgets like heaters/kettles/irons or any other such appliances will not be allowed in the hostel.

(i) Anyone found using/having such appliances shall be liable to pay a fine of Rs.500/- at first instance and Rs. 1,000/- as second violation and may be subsequently debarred from staying in NERIE hostel.

(ii) Any issue relating to electrical and civil work in the hostel may be reported to the Section Officer, Campus & Welfare Section of the Institute during office hours.

5. No male persons (student/faculty/staff/guest, etc) would be allowed to enter in Girl's Hostel and Vice-versa. Only authorized persons are allowed to enter in Hostels.
6. The students can approach to the Chief Warden and Wardens for any help and guidance. Representation to the Competent Authority must be forwarded through proper channel.
7. Any hostellers falling sick will report to the Hostel Wardens.
8. Any application for attending marriage, functions, medical treatment of family or any other, during the semester will not be entertained unless it has his/her parent's permission. Documents should be attached in support of the above. In this regard written permission must also be obtained well in advance from the Principal.

9. In case of any emergency, a written request with detailed reasons should be provided by the parents to the Principal. Parents may contact directly the Principal, Chief Warden and Wardens.
10. It is strictly prohibited to make any noise in the hostel premises especially after 9:00 p.m.
11. Students are not allowed to go outside the campus after 7:30 p.m., without prior permission.
12. Students are to maintain discipline with the teachers, outsiders, classmates and staff.
13. It is strictly prohibited to drink alcohol, smoking and use of abusive words in hostel and in the Institute campus.
14. Students should take their meals in the Mess/Dining area only.
15. Students should maintain cleanliness in the hostel and the campus.
16. Strict action will be taken against the students violating the rules.

Hostel Attendance

1. Mandatory Daily Attendance: Students residing in the hostels must report for attendance at 8:00 PM without fail. Non-compliance shall be viewed seriously and dealt with appropriately.
2. For late attendance, one register will be kept with the Security Guard of the Girl's Hostel with provision of mentioning reason for late attendance and prior permission details etc. countersigned by Security Guards/ Wardens.
3. Action will be taken for late attendance for those without valid reason / prior permission.

PROVISION FOR NCERT SCHOLARSHIP AND FREESHIP

1. **Scheduled Caste (SC) and Scheduled Tribe (ST) Scholarships-**
   Eligibility & Amount : Students belonging to the Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe categories will be awarded a scholarship of Rs.800/- per month, except those who avail any other scholarships, including those from their respective State Governments, / the Minorit Welfare / Scholarship -merit-cum-means scholarship / the Post Metric scholarship, etc.

2. **Merit-Cum-Means (MCM) Scholarship (for General/OBC/PWD)-**
   Allocation : Up to 50% of the students from the General/OBC/PWD categories will be awarded the Merit-Cum-Means Scholarship as per established rules.
   Full Scholarship: Students with an annual family income of Rs.2.5 lakh and below will receive the full amount of Rs.800/- per month.
   Half Scholarship : Students with an annual family income above Rs.2.5 lakh will receive Rs.400/- per month.

3. **Freeship (Tuition Fee Exemption)-**
   Allocation : 20% of the non-scholarship holders from the General/OBC/PWD categories will be granted a Freeship, (exemption of tuition fees), provided they are not getting any other financial assistance from other source. This benefit is strictly provided to students whose annual family income is less than Rs.2.5 lakh.

4. **National Scholarship Portal (NSP)-**
   Students who do not wish to apply for the institutional scholarships listed above i.e., SC/ ST / Merit-Cum-Means (MCM) for General/OBC/PWD and Freeship, may apply for alternative state, ministry, or central government scholarships directly through the National Scholarship Portal (NSP).
   For details visit- https://scholarships.gov.in/

CONDITIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP:

*Scholarship will be awarded only to those students who resides in NERIE Hostels.

* A recent, valid family annual income certificate must be produced by the candidate at the time of admission.

* Students are required to fulfill the 80% of the attendance as per NCTE Norms for every semester.

Rules for Renewal and Continuance

Academic Performance Requirements: To continue receiving the scholarship in subsequent years/semesters, students must secure a minimum of 55% marks in aggregate in the previous semester's examination. For SC/ST students, this requirement is relaxed to minimum pass marks.

Conduct and Attendance: The continuance of any scholarship is strictly subject to regular attendance, good progress and exemplary conduct.

Refund Policy upon Withdrawal: If a student leaves the Institute in the middle of the B.Ed programme, he/she is mandatorily required to refund the entire scholarship amount drawn up to that date.

Terms & Conditions

Undertaking: Students are required to submit an undertaking stating that they are not receiving any other financial assistance from any other source.

General Compliance: All awards remain subject to the general terms, conditions and norms of the NCERT.

Timeline: The deadline for the Scholarship is 2nd Week of March for ever session.

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