DELHI TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

(Formerly Delhi College of Engineering)
East Delhi Campus
Vivek Vihar Phase II New Delhi 1100095

University School of Management and Enetrpreneurship

B.A. (Honours) Economics

Four Year Undergraduate Program

The B.A. (H) Economics programme offered at USME, East Delhi Campus, DTU aims to provide a sound understanding of core, pure and applied economics. While students study economics in considerable depth in this specialized degree, students also apply ideas and techniques from many other disciplines too; including analytics, computers, mathematics, statistics, and other ability enhancement courses. Apart from building core knowledge in economics, the course permits students to adopt electives of their interest in management/data science courses.

The University is offering a four-year undergraduate program (FYUP) in B.A. (H) Economics from the 2023-24 academic session. The programme is based on the philosophy and structural elements proposed in the New Education Policy 2020, and the Curriculum and Credit Framework for undergraduate programs published by the UGC in December 2022. The major elements of NEP 2020 such as a structure of certification providing flexibility of learning curriculum, multidisciplinary of learning, interdisciplinary courses, providing for deeper learning in dual disciplines such as through a Minor, have been brought into the curriculum. It is envisaged that with Economics, the streams of Management and Decision Sciences/Analytics that have proven to be of great value, will be strengthened with the provision of a minor in either area. The program first launched in 2017 as the Three Year BA (Hpnours) Program in Economics has evolved over the years to become a multidisciplinary practise oriented program for professionals. Even prior to NEP it had offered courses in Management and IT/Programming along with its quantituative courses in economics, in addition to the fundamental economics discipline core and elective courses. It has now added the above multidisciplinary Minor specialisation as mentioned above.

The programme will offer multiple exit options to the students with an option to obtain a certificate/diploma/3-Year Degree with or without the Minor Specialization/4-Year Honours Degree with or without the Minor Specialization. Drawing upon the strengths of the University and the department, the minor specialization will be offered in the areas of Management and

Data Science. In line with the objectives of NEP 2020 and the curriculum framework of undergraduate programmes proposed by UGC, the course structure will include multidisciplinary courses to broaden the intellectual experience of the students; ability enhancement courses to enable the students to acquire and demonstrate the core linguistic skills, including critical reading and expository and academic writing skills, and skill-enhancement courses, including value-added courses which will seek to impart practical skills, hands-on training, soft skills, etc., to enhance the employability of students.

Admission Criteria for B.A. (H) Economics Programme (2024-25)

Prospective candidates interested in applying for the BA (H) Economics programme at the University School of Management & Entrepreneurship (USME), East Delhi Campus, Delhi Technological University should take note that admission to the programme for the 2024-25 academic session will be based on the scores obtained in the following combination of subjects in the Common University Entrance Test (CUET) being administered by the National Testing Agency (NTA):

Mathematics (Section II) + Any two other subjects from Section II + Any one language from Section IA or alternatively any one additional subject from Section II in lieu of a language from Section IA

- (i) Candidates are hereby advised to register on the CUET (UG) portal and opt for the above subject combination.
- (ii) A separate registration form to apply for DTU's BA (H) Economics programme will be released around the time of the declaration of CUET UG results on the University's official website www.dtu.ac.in. Candidates will be required to fill in their CUET scores obtained in the above-mentioned subject combination in the application form.
- (iii) Candidates are advised to keep checking the website <u>www.dtu.ac.in</u> for further updates regarding the admission process.
- (iv) For any queries, please write to us at <u>ba.usme@dtu.ac.in</u>

Eligibility Criteria for B.A.(H) Economics (2024-25)

- 1. The candidate must have appeared in the Common University Entrance Test (CUET) UG 2024 being conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA).
- 2. The candidate must have scored at least 50% marks in the 12th board examination from a recognised board and must also have passed Mathematics as a subject in the 12th Board Examination. Those who are appearing in the examination may also apply, provided that they submit the proof of eligibility by a specific date declared by the University.

- 3. Candidates belonging to various reserved categories namely OBC (Non-Creamy Layer), Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, and sub-categories namely Defence, Person with Disability, who apply for seats reserved for them, shall be allowed a relaxation in the minimum marks criterion as mentioned below:
 - Other Backward Class (OBC-NCL): Candidates claiming reservation under Other Backward Class (Non-Creamy Layer) category shall be allowed a relaxation of 5% marks in the minimum marks criterion in the qualifying examination.
 - Scheduled Caste (SC), Scheduled Tribe (ST): Candidates claiming reservation under Scheduled Caste (SC) or Scheduled Tribe (ST) shall be allowed a relaxation of 10% marks in the minimum marks criterion in the qualifying examination.
 - Defence Personnel: Candidates claiming reservation under Defence sub-category (CW) shall be allowed a relaxation of 5% marks in the minimum marks criterion in the qualifying examination.
 - Person with Disability (PwD): Candidates claiming reservation under "Person with Disability" (PD) sub-category shall be allowed a relaxation of 10% marks in the minimum marks criterion in the qualifying examination.