



UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

NOTICE FOR STREAM /BRANCH CHANGE

(Applicable to admitted students in 1st Semester through WBJEE in the Academic Session 2025-26)

Applications invited in prescribed format from the student at the end of 2nd semester only to opt for change of stream/ branch subject to availability of seats. The guidelines and the eligibility criteria for change of Branch are given in Annexure-I, the course in which number of students strength is less than 75% of intake, only the topper (one) candidate of that stream/ branch may be considered for stream/ branch change. Desirous students for change of stream/ branch may submit application in the prescribed format (Annexure II) within **07.09.2026 to 09.09.2026** till 4:00 p.m. **(the application not in the prescribed format or not submitted within the last date will be rejected)** in the following offices.

- 1. The office of the Secretary (UCSTA), TECH. CAMPUS, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700106 at Room no-004 (Between 12 Noon to 4 PM).**
- 2. The Office of the Secretary (UCSTA) Rajabazar Science College Campus, 92 A.P.C. Road, Kolkata-700009 at Room no-003 (Between 12 Noon to 4 PM).**

Below cited chart contains how many students may apply for stream/ branch change based on current scenario in each stream as per AICTE norms as mentioned in Annexure I.

Sl. No	Branch/Stream	Eligible number of Students can apply
01.	Chemical Engineering (CE)	13
02.	Chemical Technology (CT)	04
03.	Computer Science & Engineering (CSE)	14
04.	Electrical Engineering (EE)	05
05.	Electronics & Communication Engineering (ECE)	14
06.	Information Technology (IT)	10
07.	Instrumentation Engineering (IE)	08
08.	Optics & Opto-Electronics (OOE)	01
09.	Polymer Science & Technology (PST)	10
10.	Jute & Fibre Technology (JFT)	01 (Only topper can apply)

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ANNEXURE- I

GUIDELINES AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

CHANGE OF STREAM/BRANCH

(Applicable to admitted students in 1st Semester through WBJEE in the Academic Session 2025-26)

1.0 Guidelines

- a) The facility for change of stream / branch will be available only to the students admitted through WBJEE in the Academic Session 2025-26 under University of Calcutta through WBJEE -2025
- b) Maximum number of students permitted to change of branch shall be 25% of the students enrolled in the first year in the respective branch(s), subject to the strength of the class not decreasing below 75% of enrolled students and also not below 50% of intake approved by the AICTE. After branch change the intake must not be more than approved AICTE intake including the fee waiver seats.
- c) Change of stream / branch will be accorded strictly on the basis of merit list of aspiring students based on the marks obtained by the student in the 1st and 2nd semester examinations taken together in the form of YGPA of first year for the academic session 2025-26. In case of any tie in the merit list, the relative merit list considering total scores of Theoretical papers of Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics marks of (10+2) level will be used as tie breaker.
- d) Change in stream / branch to eligible and interested students will be irrespective of his / her rank (in WBJEE) at the time of admission in 2025.
- e) Eligible students desirous of opting change of stream / branch will be required to apply for the same in prescribed format, to the office of the Secretary (UCSTA), TECH. CAMPUS, Salt Lake City, Kolkata -700106 at Room no.-004 or to the office of the Secretary (UCSTA) Room No- 003 Rajabazar Sc. College Campus, 92 A.P.C. Road, Kolkata-700009.
- f) For eligible candidates, the chronology of students' choice as requested in the application will be strictly adhered to. In case all options sought by a student in order of preference get exhausted, the change of branch will not be allotted to him / her. Students should sign necessary documents after submitting the form.
- g) An option once accepted will be final, and can't be changed later.

2.0 Eligibility

- a) The student must be a bonafide regular student of the University, has completed registration and necessary formalities as stipulated by the University.
- b) The student has appeared in and cleared each paper of the 1st and 2nd Semester courses.
- c) The students with 7 YGPA and 60% marks in aggregate for Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry combinations in (10+2) level are eligible for stream change.