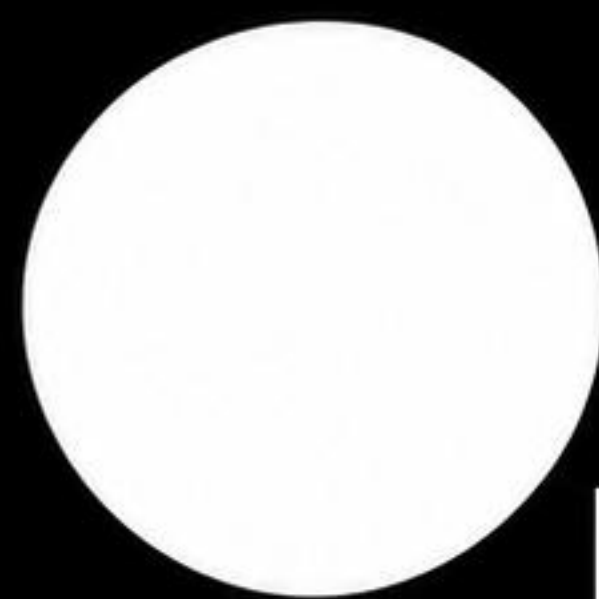


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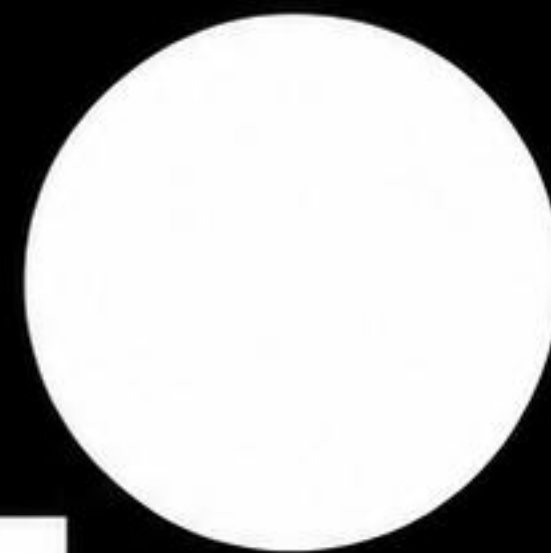


B.DES. + INTEGRATED PATHWAY

KEY DATES

● Applications Open	10 Sept 2026
● Last Date to Apply	30 Nov 2026, 11:59 PM
● DAT Prelims	Sunday, 20 Dec 2026
● DAT Prelims Result	16 Mar 2027, 4 PM

EXAM STRUCTURE



NID ADMISSIONS 2027–28

STAGE 1 — DAT PRELIMS

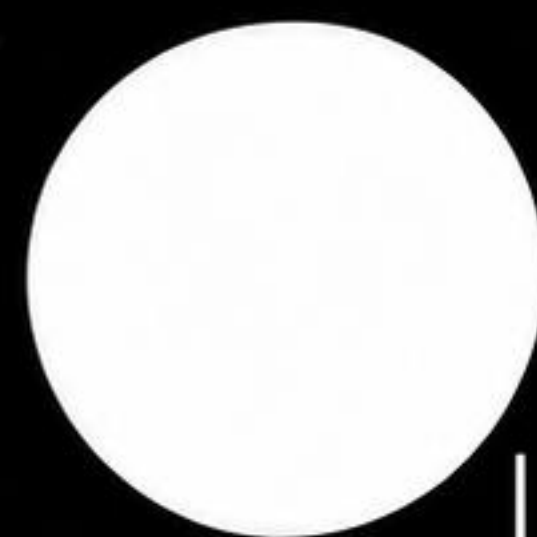
- Common exam for all NIDs
- Paper-and-pencil / pen test
- Questions may involve text + visuals
- Question paper in English only
- Prelims score is used only for shortlisting

STAGE 2 — DAT MAINS

- Only shortlisted candidates can appear
- Shortlisted candidates = 2.5× available seats in each category
- Includes: Studio Sensitivity Test
- Includes: In-Person Sensitivity Test
- Question paper in English only
- Details to be announced later

NOTE — Apply once for both DAT Prelims + DAT Mains.

ELIGIBILITY



AGE + QUALIFICATION

AGE LIMIT

● General / Gen-EWS	Born on or after 1 July 2006
● OBC-NCL / SC / ST	Born on or after 1 July 2003
● PwD	Born on or after 1 July 2001
● Overseas	Born on or after 1 July 2006

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- Passed or appearing for 10+2 in 2026–27
- Any stream: Science / Arts / Commerce / Humanities
- From a recognized board
- Must pass the qualifying exam in the first attempt
- Final marksheet deadline: 15 July 2027

APPLICATION

FEEES + DOCUMENTS

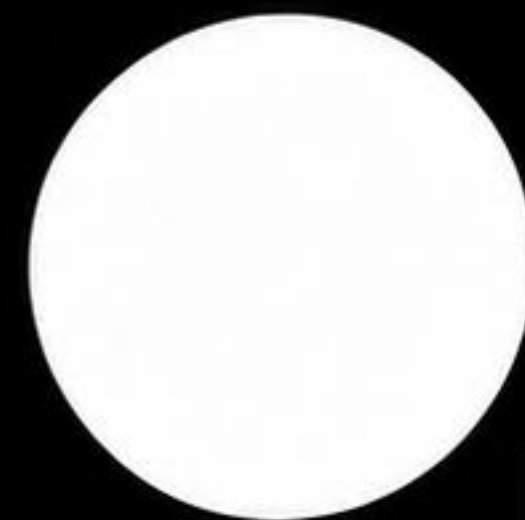
APPLICATION FEES

● General / Gen-EWS / OBC-NCL	Rs. 3000
● Female (except SC, ST & PwD)	Rs. 2000
● SC / ST	Rs. 1500
● PwD	Rs. 500
● Third Gender	Rs. 500
● Overseas	US\$ 125

KEEP READY

● Photo	JPG/JPEG, 50–200 KB, coloured studio photo
● Signature	JPG/JPEG, 50–200 KB
● Category certificate	PDF, max 1 MB
● Passport pages	for Overseas applicants
● Payment mode	Debit / Credit Card + Net Banking

IMPORTANT WINDOWS



DATES + NOTES

KEY WINDOWS

● Edit Application Form	4 PM, 01 Dec 2026 to 11:59 PM, 03 Dec 2026
● Download DAT Prelims Admit Card	4 PM, 10 Dec 2026
● Edit Category Certificate	4 PM, 16 Feb 2027 to 11:59 PM, 28 Feb 2027
● Retotalling Request (DAT Prelims)	4 PM, 16 Mar 2027 to 11:59 PM, 17 Mar 2027
● Retotalling Fee	Rs. 2000

DAT PRELIMS TEST CITIES

Ahmedabad, Bengaluru, Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Chandigarh, Chennai, Dehradun, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Jorhat, Kochi, Kolkata, Lucknow, Mumbai, Nagpur, New Delhi, Patna

IMPORTANT NOTES

- No separate admit card will be sent
- Scorecards are available for 20 days after result
- Official updates only on admissions.nid.edu