



State Institute of Special Education & Research(SISER)
SSEPD Department, Govt. of Odisha



**No. 1 RCI approved
Centre of Excellence in
Odisha**

OUR COURSES



B.ED
(Spl. Edn.) - VI

Bachelor in
Special
Education
for
Visual
Impairment



D.ED
(Spl. Edn.) - VI

Diploma in
Special
Education
for
Visual
Impairment



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Certificate
Course in
Care
Giving



OUR DISTINCT FACILITIES

Experienced Faculties	100 % Placement	Exemption of Admission Fees to ST, SC & PwDs	Govt. Mandate Reservation	Scholarship Available
ICT Lab	Smart Classroom	Print & Braille Library	Accessible Infrastructure	CCTV Surveillance



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Limited Seats Only

**Last date for Submission of application is
30.06.2026**



State Institute of Special Education & Research (SISER)
SIRD Campus, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar
Application Form for B.Ed Special Education
(Visual Impairment)



ADMISSION FOR ACADEMIC SESSION 202__ TO 202__

1. Name of the Course : Application No.-
2. Name of the Candidate : (In capital Letters)

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First Name Middle Name Last Name

3. Father's Name : (In capital Letters)

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First Name Middle Name Last Name

4. Nationality (Tick)	5. Category (Tick)				6. Sex (Tick)	
Indian / Other	SC	ST	GC	Male/Female/ Other		
	OBC	Ex-Serviceman	Disabled			

7. Aadhaar No.-

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8. Date of Birth

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9. Academic / Rehab Qualifications (Enclose self attested colour photocopies of certificates and Mark sheets)

Name of the Examination	Board / University	Year of Passing	Agg. Percentage of Marks	Division
High School				
Intermediate				
Graduation				
Post-Graduation				
Others				

10. Address of the Candidate: Write your complete address including name in capital letter. Use BLACK/BLUE Ball Pen only to write address

Name: _____
C/o- _____
House No.- _____
Street: _____
Village / City: _____
State: _____ PIN- _____

Contact No.- _____ Alternate Contact No.- _____
Email id: _____

Affix self attested recent passport size photograph
Thumb Impression or Signature of the Candidate in running handwriting

11. Declaration by the Candidate

I hereby declare that all particulars stated in this application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. In the event of suppression distortion of any fact like Qualification, Nationality, Category etc. made in my Application Form, I understand that I will be denied the opportunity to appear in the ENTRANCE TEST of D.Ed SE (VI) Course. I also understand that the decision of the authorities of SISER, Bhubaneswar regarding my admission will be final.

Place.....

Signature of Father / Guardian

Date.....

(Signature of the Candidate)

- N.B.: 1) Application Forms without proper enclosures will be rejected.
2) Enclose copy of the Money Receipt / DD for purchase of Application Form at the time of submission



PROSPECTUS

**B.Ed. in Special Education (Visual Impairment)
For the Academic Session 2026-2027**

**STATE INSTITUTE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION & RESEARCH (SISER)
SSE&PD Deptt., Govt. of Odisha**

Recognized by: Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI)
(Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan),
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India)
B-22, Qutub Institutional Area, New Delhi-110016

Affiliated to: Utkal University, Bhubaneswar



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ABOUT SISER:

The State Institute of Special Education & Research (SISER) originated as the Training Centre for Teachers of the Visually Handicapped (TCTVH) on 15 August 1987, established jointly by the National Institute for the Visually Handicapped, Dehradun (now NIEPVD under DEPWD, MSJE, Govt. of India) and the then CD&RR Department, Govt. of Odisha as a Scheme. On winding up of the Project, the State Government took over with changed nomenclature from TCTVH to SISER vide Gazette Notification No. 5866 in 2018. As the oldest and only institute of its kind in Odisha, SISER is dedicated to train special and inclusive teachers for State and Central schools across disability categories, with a primary focus on visual impairment. Apart from it, Rehabilitation Professionals are also being trained with up to date rehabilitative skills to serve the PwDs, Geriatric Community, Leprosy Homes & Other Nursing Sectors.

SISER serves as the State-Level Hub for teacher education, rehabilitation training, accessible resource production, assistive device support, and capacity building aimed at strengthening inclusive education and community-based rehabilitation.

The Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) is a statutory body that regulates and standardizes training programs conducted by SISER for professionals in the fields of disability and rehabilitation.

Governance:

SISER operates under SS&EPD Department, Government of Odisha.

Its structure comprises a Director, Course Coordinator, faculty members, administrative staff, ICT Technicians and support personnel. Institute collaborates with National body and Academic Institutions for course recognition, curriculum development, and resource creation.

Core Programmes & Activities:



Teacher Education: B.Ed. Special Education (VI), D.Ed. Special Education (VI),

caregiver courses: CCCG

Rehabilitation Course: Master in Rehabilitation Sciences

Capacity Building: Orientation programmes and refresher courses for special educators, therapists, resource teachers, school leaders, and community level workers.





Accessible Resource Production: Talking books, recorded curricula, and AV teaching materials for learners with visual impairment and other disabilities.

Assistive Devices: Provision of Braille kits, low-vision devices, and assistive aids through linkage with national agencies, along with training in usage and maintenance.



Research & Advisory Role: Applied research, documentation of best practices, and policy advisory support on inclusive education, community-based rehabilitation, and capacity-building models.

Community Outreach & Placement: Awareness drives, parental orientation, inclusive education campaigns, and placement support through networks of schools, NGOs, and rehabilitation centres.



Infrastructure & Facilities

The campus includes accessible classrooms, resource rooms, an ICT lab/e-library, talking-book studio, conference halls, Experienced faculty members, etc.

Key Features:

Separate hostels for men and women with CCTV and biometric systems.

Government-mandated reservation: OBC 11.25%, ST 22.5%, SC 16.25%, PwD 4%.

Course Fees:

2 Years B.Ed. SE (VI) Course @ Rs. 45,000/- per year

2 Years D.Ed. SE (VI) Course @ Rs. 19,629/- per year

1 Year CCCG Course @ Rs. 5,500/-

(The Fee structure may be revised from time to time as per provision of RCI and Govt. of Odisha)

Fee exemptions for ST, SC, and PwD trainees; Post-Matric Scholarship available.

100% exam results and placement record.

Examinations conducted by NBER-NIEPVD, NBER-NIEPMD, and Utkal University

Recognitions

- Centre of Excellence by RCI (2025)
- Affiliation from Utkal University for B.Ed. SE (VI)
- Examination Centre for trainees of nearby RCI-approved Institutes
- **Upcoming Course:** DISLI in convergence with AYJNISHD, RC Janla



Impact and achievement

- More than 88% Trainees engaged and employed as Special Educators and rehabilitation workers across the State.
- 100% placement of 2024-25 Academic Session 1st batch CCCG Course trainees through Campus selection.
- Out of 46 Teacher Trainees, 33 qualified the OTET Exam'2025.
- 100% Spl. B.Ed. and Spl. D.Ed. Trainees passed in 2025 with distinction.
- Conducted the State Level CRE program in 2025-26.
- Conducted a Workshop on Preparation of Teaching Learning Materials for CwSN.



SISER is a cornerstone institution advancing special education and rehabilitation in Odisha. Through its integrated approach, teacher preparation, resource development, technical support, and community outreach, it plays a vital role in promoting inclusive and accessible education. Strengthening digital resource distribution, expanding outreach, and fostering strategic partnerships will further enhance its State wide impact.

B. Ed (SPECIAL EDUCATION) VI

The B.Ed in Special Education Course of Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) in context, although has specialization in the field of Visual Impairment, covers Orientation about all 21 categories of disabilities, the details of which are placed below:

SEMESTER-WISE STRUCTURE

SEMESTER – I

Theory

Course	Course Title	Credits	Internal Marks	External Marks	Total Marks
A1	Human Growth & Development	2	15	60	75
A2	Contemporary India and Education	2	15	60	75
A3	Learning, Teaching and Assessment	2	15	60	75
A4	Pedagogy of Teaching Science/Mathematics/Social Sciences	2	15	60	75
B3	Equitable & Inclusive Education	2	10	40	50
	Total	10	70	280	350

Practical

E1	Visits & Writing Reports	2	100	---	100
E2	Classroom Observation at Different Levels and of Different Subjects	5	100	50	150
	Total (Theory & Practical)	17	270	330	600

SEMESTER - II

Theory

Course	Course Title	Credits	Internal Marks	External Marks	Total Marks
A5	Pedagogy of Teaching Odia/English	2	15	60	75
B1	Introduction to Disabilities	2	15	60	75
B2	Introduction to Education of Students with Disabilities	2	10	40	50
B4	Life Skills across Life Span	2	10	40	50
B5	Supportive Skills for the Education of Children with Disabilities	2	10	40	50
	Total	10	60	240	300

Practical

E3	Lesson Planning & Development of TLM	3	100	50	150
E4	Execution of Lesson (Teaching Practice)	6	100	50	150
	Total (Theory & Practical)	19	260	340	600

SEMESTER - III

Theory

Course	Course Title	Credits	Internal Marks	External Marks	Total Marks
C1	Identification of Children with Visual Impairment and Assessment of Needs	2	15	60	75
C2	Curriculum, Adaptation and Strategies for Teaching Expanded Curriculum	2	15	60	75
C3	Intervention & Teaching Strategies	2	15	60	75
C4	Technology and Education of the Visually Impaired	2	10	40	50
C5	Psycho-Social and Family Issues	2	10	40	50
	Total	10	65	260	325

Internship

F1	Supportive Skill Training - Functional Academic Skills, Assistive Technologies and Other ECC Components	4	125	-----	125
F2	Internship In Disability Specialization	10	100	50	150
	Total (Theory & Practical)	24	290	310	600

SEMESTER – IV

Theory

Course	Course Title	Credits	Internal Marks	External Marks	Total Marks
B6	Skill-Based Optional Course: Guidance and Counselling/Positive Behaviour Supports/Early Childhood Care & Education/Community-Based Rehabilitation/Application of ICT in Classroom/Disability, SEDGs, and Gender	2	10	40	50
D1	Reading and Reflecting on Texts	2	10	40	50
D2	Drama and Art in Education	2	10	40	50
D3	Basic Research & Basic Statistics	2	10	40	50
	Total	8	40	160	200

Internship

F3	Internship at Inclusive School	6	100	50	150
F4	Internship in Other Disability Special School	4	100	50	150
G	Employability Skills	2	100	----	100
	Total	20	340	260	600
	Total Semester-I, II, III, IV (Theory, Practical & Internship)	80	1160	1240	2400

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

The trained teachers of B.Ed. Spl. Edu. (VI) Course will be eligible to work in Special schools for children with Visual Impairment, Regular Inclusive Schools and in Integrated Education for Disabled (IED) / SSA/Rehabilitation Centres, etc.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Eligibility for admission to B. Ed. Special Education (V.I.) course is B.A. /B.Sc./B.Com. from a recognized University with at least 50% marks on aggregate. Relaxation of 5% of marks will be allowed to SC/ST/PwDs on production of E-Certificate/UDID Certificate with permanent benchmark disability, subject to verification of Medical Assessment Board. Candidates passed out from other Universities shall have to submit equivalence and Migration Certificates as required by Utkal University.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

The admissions to programmes for the academic year 2026–28 offered by the Institute would be granted on the basis of the merit as decided by a high Level Admission Committee. If required, there will be a written Entrance Test followed by viva voce for selection of the candidate for admission. The decision of the High Level Committee will stand final in all respects.

RESERVATIONS:

Reservation will be given as per norms of Govt. of Odisha Mandate, SC/ST/PwD candidates will be allowed a relaxation of 5% in the minimum eligibility requirements and keeping in eligibility criteria. Out of 30 seats, 07 seats for ST, 05 for SC and 03 for OBC/SEBC candidates will be reserved as per State Govt. norms. A reservation of 4% will be there for the PwD candidates.

SCHOLARSHIP:

SC/ST/PwD students can apply for suitable State Government scholarships. Eligibility and other terms and conditions will be governed as per Government of Odisha rules. Eligible students with disability can avail scholarship under NHFDC (National Handicapped Finance Development Corporation, New Delhi) or under Banishree Scholarship Scheme of Govt. of Odisha. However, SC/ST/OBC/SEBC/PwD students can apply for either Central or State scholarship only. The performance of the students who have availed such scholarships will be monitored and reported to the Department regularly. Scholarship will be terminated if the student fails in the University Examination of each year or any Terminal Examination prescribed thereof.

DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED ALONG WITH THE APPLICATION FORM:

- Self attested copies of all Academic Certificates and Mark sheets
- Copy of Self attested CLC, Conduct Certificate and Migration Certificate/Equivalence Certificate if required (Originals CLC, Conduct and Migration Certificate to be submitted at the time of Admission)
- Copy of Aadhaar Card
- Copy of E-Caste Certificate (In case of SC/ST/OBC/SEBC Candidates)
- Copy of UDID Certificate from the competent Authority in case of PwD Candidates
- Copy of Money Receipt / DD of appropriate amount for purchase of Application Form
- 04 Nos. of self-attested Passport size Photographs (at the time of Admission)
- All admissions allowed will be provisional and subject to confirmation of eligibility by the respective Universities.
- A Medical Fitness Certificate to undergo Training for the Course will have to be submitted at the time of admission.

- Two Affidavits (on non-judicial stamp paper of Rs. 10/- each): One pertaining to anti ragging measures are to be submitted by students and their parent/guardian and another not to pursue any other parallel regular course or quit the Institution in the mid of the training session. If so happens, he/she is to pay all fees for two years towards the course. Failing which, the original documents along with CLC shall not be issued to the defaulter.
- The original certificates submitted at the time of admission will be kept under the custody of the concerned Universities/ Centers till completion of the course / confirmation of eligibility.

FEE STRUCTURE:

B. Ed. Special Education (V.I.): Rs. 45,000/- per year (two semesters)

Tuition Fees inclusive of all except Examination Fees : Rs. 45,000/-

(Fees can be paid in shape of DD drawn in favour of “**COURSE COORDINATOR, SISER**” payable at Bhubaneswar or through online mode. On clearance of the dues, trainees will be allowed to fill up Examination Form for the semesters)

Caution Money: Rs. 3,000/- (Refundable & to be charged over and above the fees mentioned above)

No Course Fee will be charged from the SC, ST & PwD candidates. However, only Examination Fee to be paid by the Trainees at the time of filling of the Examination Form.

HOSTEL FEES

Lodging Charges

Boys Hostel	Girls Hostel
Rs. 7,000/- p.a. Security Deposit- Rs. 2,000/- (Refundable)	Rs. 7,000/- p.a. Security Deposit- Rs. 2,000/- (Refundable)

(3% Enhancement of Seat Rent per Academic Session shall be charged form each Boarder of both hostels)

*****Messing Charges will be extra to be borne and managed by the wards as per the actual expenditure**

DURATION OF THE COURSE

The duration of this B.Ed – Special Education (Visual Impairment) Course is of two Academic years comprising four semesters, which can be completed in a maximum of three years from the date of admission.

EXAMINATION & CERTIFICATION

The Examination will be conducted by Utkal University at the end of each Semester and Certificate will be provided by Utkal University.

MINIMUM PASS MARK

Minimum 50% marks are essential in all courses for passing in the programme (Grace Marks will be provided as per University / RCI norms)

AWARD OF DIVISION TO SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

The following grade & percentage of Marks will award the candidate to secure Division:-

<u>Percentage</u>		<u>Grade</u>
70% and above	:	O
65% or above less than 70%	:	A+
60% or above less than 65%	:	A
55% or above less than 60%	:	B+
50% or above less than 55%	:	B

AWARD OF DEGREE:

Utkal University will provide a mark sheet and a degree/diploma under their own seal upon satisfactory completion of the course within the time frame specified.

OTHER INFORMATION:

Medium of Instruction: The medium of instruction for students enrolled in diploma level courses is as per RCI norms while for degree & post graduate courses, the regulations of the University are followed i.e., English and Odia.

ATTENDANCE:

Students are expected to be regular and punctual. In case the attendance of a student falls below the percentage required by the University/R.C.I. guidelines, the student may not be allowed to appear for the final examination. As the various affiliating universities have different norms with reference to the attendance, students are strongly advised to ascertain the requirement at the beginning of the academic year. The attendance is recorded through Bio-metric device.

SPORTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES:

Students are encouraged to participate in indoor / outdoor sports and cultural Programmes held in the Institute/University or other organizations as well as other Programmes and celebrations as may be advised.

HOSTEL RULES AND REGULATIONS:

SISER has separate hostel accommodation for boys and girls as per the facilities available. The hostel accommodation is provided on first come first serve basis subject to distance of native from the Institute and availability of Hostel seats. Out station Applicants are considered on priority basis while hostel admission. SISER reserves the right for admission and cancellation of hostel accommodation of students at any point of time during the course period on the ground of Administration and discipline.

DISCIPLINE:

Adherence of Institutional and personal discipline by the Trainees during the two-year training period is mandatory. Smoking and consumption of alcohol and tobacco, etc. are strictly prohibited in the Institute premises and hostel. Complaints are viewed seriously and action, as deemed fit, is initiated by the competent authority. Smoking or chewing of Tobacco in the Institute premises will attract a fine of Rs. 500/- and also be rusticated under intimation to the parents.

RAGGING:

RAGGING IN ANY FORM WILL BE DEALT WITH AS PER RULES LAID DOWN BY THE LOCAL POLICE AUTHORITIES AND THE UNIVERSITY AS PER UGC GUIDELINES.

PROSPECTUS & APPLICATION FORM:

The Prospectus cum Application Form can be obtained in person / can be downloaded from the website of SSEPD Deptt. i.e., <https://ssep.gov.in>. Downloaded Application Form can be submitted with DD/ Online Payment / Cash Receipt for the appropriate Price of Form as applicable by Post or in person. However, no postal delay beyond the scheduled last date of the submission of Form will be entertained. Application can be obtained in person on payment of Rs. 200/-for general and OBC/SEBC candidates and free of cost for SC/ST/PwD candidates on submission of valid documentary evidence.

SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Activity	Tentative Dates	Day
1	Online/offline advertisement and sale of the prospectus-cum-application form	4 th June, 2026	Thursday
2	Last date for submission of application forms in person or by Post (no Postal Delay will be entertained)	30 th June, 2026	Tuesday
3	Declaration of eligible candidates	14 th July, 2026	Tuesday
4	Admission (1 st Round)	15 th to 22 th July, 2026	Wednesday - Wednesday
5	Admission (2 nd Round)	23 rd to 30 th July, 2026	Thursday-Thursday
6	Commencement of Classes	1 st August, 2026	Tuesday

For Further Details Contact:

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