



BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MESRA, RANCHI

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NOTICE

Sub.: Issues related to SP 2020 revised academic Calendar & Examinations

In the view of the COVID-19 pandemic and in order to contain its spread, the institute has been issuing several advisories during this lockdown period.

However, it is observed that our students/ parents/ other stake holders have been expressing their concern on SP 2020 academic activities and examinations and possible delay in the commencement of the next academic year 2020-21.

As this is a concern at national level and considering the genuine concerns of various stake holders across the nation, regulatory bodies of the nation like UGC, AICTE, MHRD have been working on the issues and are expected to release guidelines soon. **Our institute is waiting for the same.**

Kindly note that the institute **is yet to take any decision on examinations and evaluations**. BIT Mesra, will prepare **a special policy document on examination and evaluation** only after receiving advisory from the regulatory bodies as outlined earlier in this notice.

In view of this, individual faculty members shall desist from conducting any form of examination and evaluation (*i.e., anything associated with grading*) until the **Special Policy Document** on the same is officially notified. However, students could be given assignments which are designed to clarify understanding but not for evaluation leading to Grade.

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