



Tamil Nadu Agricultural University
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To
The Editor,

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Sir,

I request that the following matter may kindly be published in your esteemed daily:

Undergraduate Admissions: 2015-2016 at TNAU

Tamil Nadu Agricultural University is the premier institution imparting agricultural education in Tamil Nadu, with a vision to impart quality education in agriculture and allied sciences and to foster collaboration in agricultural education, research and outreach with national and international institutions of repute. Tamil Nadu Agricultural University is the pioneer in using innovative and new technologies like e-learning, e-examination and virtual classrooms.

Thirteen Science and Technology Degree programs are being offered in 14 constituent colleges and 13 affiliated private colleges located throughout Tamil Nadu.

I. Undergraduate Degree Programs

i. Constituent Colleges

S.No	Degree program	Campus
a. Science Programs		
1.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)	Agricultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
		Agricultural College and Research Institute, Madurai – 625 104.
		Agricultural College and Research Institute, Killikulam , Thoothukudi District – 628 252.
		Anbil Dharmalingam Agricultural College and Research Institute, Navalur Kuttappattu, Tiruchirappalli – 620 009.
		Agricultural College & Research Institute Eachankottai, Orathnad Tk, Thanjavur - 614902
		Agricultural College & Research Institute Valavachanur, Thiruvannamalai – 606753.
		Agricultural College & Research Institute STAMIN Campus, Kudumiyanmalai , Pudukkottai – 622104.

2.	B. Sc. (Horticulture)	Horticultural College and Research Institute, Periyakulam , Theni District. 625 504.
		Horticultural College and Research Institute for Women, Navalur Kuttappattu, Tiruchirappalli – 620 009.
3.	B. Sc. (Food Science and Nutrition)	Home Science College and Research Institute, Madurai – 625 104.
4.	B. Sc. (Forestry)	Forest College and Research Institute, Mettupalayam – 641 301.
5.	B. Tech. (Agricultural Engineering)	Agricultural Engineering College and Research Institute, Kumulur , Tiruchirappalli District – 621 712.
6.	B. Sc. (Sericulture)	Forest College and Research Institute, Mettupalayam – 641 301.
b. Technology Programs		
7.	B. Tech. (Biotechnology)	Agricultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
8.	B. Tech. (Bioinformatics)	Agricultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
9.	B. S. (Agribusiness Management)	Agricultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
10.	B. Tech. (Agricultural Information Technology)	Agricultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
11.	B. Tech. (Horticulture)	Horticultural College and Research Institute, Coimbatore – 641 003.
12.	B. Tech. (Food Process Engineering)	Agricultural Engineering College and Research Institute Coimbatore – 641 003.
13.	B. Tech. (Energy and Environmental Engineering)	Agricultural Engineering College and Research Institute Coimbatore – 641 003.

ii. Affiliated Colleges

1.	B.Tech.(Food Process Engineering)*	Indian Institute of Crop Processing Technology, Pudukkottai Road, Thanjavur - 613 005
2.	B. Sc. (Agriculture) & B. Sc. (Horticulture)**	Adhiparasakthi Agricultural College, Kalavai , Vellore District – 632 506.
3.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)**	Thanthai Roever Institute of Agriculture and Rural Development (TRIARD), Perambalur – 621 212.
4.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)**	Vanavarayar Institute of Agriculture, Manakkadavu, Pollachi – 642 103.
5.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)	College of Agricultural Technology, Kullapuram, Theni District – 625 562.
6.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)	Imayam Institute of Agriculture and Technology, Vadakkiveli Village, Thuraiyur District - 613 402
7.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)	PGP College of Agricultural Sciences, Villipalayam, Pillaikalathur Village, Paramathivelur Taluk, Namakkal - 637207

8.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)	RVS Agriculture College, Thanjavur - 613 402
9.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)**	Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture, Sakthi Nagar, Erode District - 638 315
10.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)**	J.K.K.Munirajah College of Agricultural Science, TN Palayam, Gobi (TK), Erode District - 638 506
11.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)**	Aravindhar Agricultural Institute of Technology Thenpallipatty, Kalasapakkam, Thiruvannamalai - 606751
12.	B.Sc. (Agriculture)**	Don Bosco College of Agriculture, Takkolam, Arakonam (TK), Vellore District - 631151
13.	B.Sc. (Horticulture)**	RVS Horticultural College, RVS Farm, S.Paraipatty Post, Oddanchatram Road, Sembatti, Dindigul District - 624701

*Admission will be done by the respective institute

** Subject to issuance of G.O. only

II. Admission Strength (Counseling quota):

Courses	Constituent colleges	Affiliated colleges *	Total
a. Science Programs			
B. Sc. (Agriculture)	600	960	1560
B. Sc. (Horticulture)	80	120	200
B. Sc. (Horticulture) for Women	45	-	45
B. Sc. (Forestry)	45	-	45
B. Sc. (Food Science and Nutrition)	45	-	45
B. Tech. (Agrl. Engineering)	70	-	70
B. Sc. (Sericulture)	30	-	30
Total (a)	915	1080	1995
b. Technology Programs			
B. Tech. (Biotechnology)	55	-	55
B. Tech. (Horticulture)	30	-	30
B. Tech. (Bioinformatics)	35	-	35
B. Tech. (Food Process Engineering)	55	-	55
B. Tech. (Energy and Environmental Engineering)	55	-	55
B. Tech. (Agrl. Information Technology)	30	-	30
B. S. (Agribusiness Management)	45	-	45
Total (b)	305	-	305
Grand Total (a+b)	1220	1080*	2300

* 50% Counseling and 50% Management quota

III. Subjects Eligibility

a. Academic Stream

Candidates should have passed ALL the subjects in Academic stream of the Qualifying Examination with 10+2 years of schooling and scored minimum eligibility marks as indicated in the information brochure under Board of Higher Secondary Education of Government of Tamil Nadu / Central Board of Secondary Education / council for the Indian school certificate examinations / other State Government Boards / other recognized International Boards are eligible to apply for the following degree programs:

S. No.	Degree programs	[+2] Subject requirements
i. Faculty of Agriculture/Horticulture/ Forestry /Home Science		
1.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)	Group I: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry & Biology Group II: Physics, Chemistry, Biology with a fourth (elective) subject of any science subject having marks (not Grades). Group II (A): Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology
2.	B. Sc. (Horticulture)	
3.	B. Sc. (Forestry)	
4.	B. Sc. (Home Science)	
5.	B. Sc. (Sericulture)	
6.	B. Tech. (Biotechnology)	
7.	B. Tech. (Horticulture)	
8.	B. Tech. (Bioinformatics)	
9.	B.S. (Agribusiness Management)	
10.	B. Tech. (Agricultural Information Technology)	
ii. Faculty of Agricultural Engineering		
11.	B. Tech. (Agricultural Engineering)	Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and Biology or Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and Computer Science.
12.	B. Tech. (Food Process Engineering)	
13.	B. Tech. (Energy and Environmental Engineering)	

b. Vocational Stream

Candidates who have passed HSC under vocational stream can apply for the following degree programs.

S. No.	Degree Programs	No. of seats	[+2] Subject requirements	[+2] Vocational Subject requirements
1.	B. Sc. (Agriculture)	30	Biology	Agricultural practices
2.	B. Sc. (Horticulture)	4		
3.	B. Sc. (Forestry)	2		
4.	B. Tech. (Agrl. Engg.)	4		

IV. NRI and Industry Sponsorship Quota

Five seats in each degree program are reserved for the candidates sponsored by agro-based industries and non-resident Indians (NRI).

V. Special Reservation

Following are the seats reserved for special categories:

<i>Category</i>	<i>No. of seats</i>		
	B. Sc. (Ag.)	B. Sc. (Hort.)	B. Tech. (Agrl. Engg.)
Ex - Servicemen	6	1	1
Freedom fighter	1	-	-
Eminent sports persons	4	1	-
Differently abled (3%)	18	-	-

VI. Mode of Selection

Candidates will be ranked on the basis of their marks in the +2 qualifying examination and called for counseling based on rank. Single window counseling system is being followed for selection of degree programs and campus allotment. Separate counseling will be held for academic and vocational stream candidates. Counseling will be held at Coimbatore campus.

VII. Uniqueness of Agricultural Education in TNAU

1. Highly qualified and well trained teachers
2. State of art laboratories
3. e-Learning and
4. Dual Degree program with Foreign University

VIII. Placement

The Directorate of Students' Welfare organizes career guidance workshops, campus interviews and placement melas on a regular basis. Students are trained and equipped for attending interviews and group discussions. Special coaching classes are conducted for Civil services examinations, TOEFL, GRE, IELTS, banks and for improving communication skills.

IX. Mode of Application

Online Application only

Refer TNAU website: <http://www.tnau.ac.in/admission.html>

X. Tentative Admission Schedule

S. No	Particulars	Tentative date
1.	Admission Notifications in Tamil and English dailies (Notification)	04.05.2015
2.	Opening of online application	15.05.2015
3.	Last date for submission of application	13.06.2015
4.	Publication of rank list	20.06.2015
5.	I Phase Counseling for general category / Special reservations / Vocational stream	29.06.2015 to 11.07.2015
6.	II Phase Counseling for general category & affiliated colleges	15.07.2015 to 17.07.2015
7.	Registration for I semester (2015-2016)	27.07.2015
8.	III Phase Counseling for general category & Affiliated Colleges (If required)	05.08.2015 to 08.08.2015

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