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VIT - A place to learn; A chance to grow

Integrated M.Sc. Applied Psychology (5 year) with exit option B.Sc. Psychology (3 Year)

Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was established to provide quality higher education on par with international standards. It persistently seeks and adopts innovative methods to improve the quality of higher education consistently. The campus has a cosmopolitan atmosphere with students from all corners of the globe. Experienced and learned teachers are strongly encouraged to nurture the students. The global standards set at VIT in the field of teaching and research spur us on in our relentless pursuit of excellence. It has become a way of life for us. The highly motivated youngsters on the campus are a constant source of pride. Our Memoranda of Understanding with various international universities is our major strength. They provide for an exchange of students and faculty and encourage joint research projects for the mutual benefit of these universities. Many of our students, who pursue their research projects in foreign universities, bring high quality to their work and esteem to India and have done us proud. With steady steps, we continue our march forward. We look forward to meeting you here at VIT.

VIT Chennai, one of the leading engineering colleges in India, offers the best exposure in terms of world-class education, internship opportunities, top-notch placement opportunities, and infrastructural amenities. We ensure that the graduates walk out with many skills and learning. We provide a domain for polishing technical mastery and interpretive and analytical skills, which is the need of the hour. VIT Chennai fosters principles and ensures to achieve the mission and vision to enrich the learning process for the future leaders of our society.



About the School

The School of Social Sciences and Languages was established in 2020, prior to which existed as the Division of Social Sciences and Languages. The School in keeping with its vision and mission statement strives to provide quality teaching and high-level research to make an impact at the global level.

The School encompasses three major divisions namely Division of English, Division of Foreign Languages, and Division of Social Sciences. A team of faculty members who have specialized in English, French, German, Spanish, Japanese, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, and Social Work form the SSL. SSL offers a basket of university core and elective courses to all the students registered under the various programmes offered by the Institute – B. Tech., M. Tech., MCA, MBA, M.Sc. B.A., LL.B (Hons), B.B.A., LL.B (Hons), and B.Sc.

Vision: To be a centre of academic excellence in Psychology and to nurture holistic growth and development in individuals and to community.

Mission:

- 1. To mould students from different cross-sections of society by enhancing professional competence, self confidence and a positive attitude that would help for self-growth
- 2. To impart professional skills to be a psychologist by giving hands-on experience
- 3. To inspire and empower students from diverse backgrounds to become innovative leaders and entrepreneurs who will contribute to the betterment of society with ethical and social responsibility

Department of Psychology under the School of Social Science and Languages offers 5 year Integrated M.Sc. Applied Psychology Programme with exit option B.Sc. Psychology (3 Year).

About the Program:

The academic significance of Psychology is undeniable and so are its overwhelming contributions to human welfare. Psychology is considered highly applicable to address critical mental health concerns (depression, anxiety, stress, learning difficulties and suicide), social issues (prejudice and discrimination, violence, child abuse, media effects, problems of youth and elderly people), lifestyle related health problems (CHD, hypertension, cancer, drug abuse and other kinds of addictions), workplace issues (employee well-being, effectiveness, efficiency, morale) and facilitating psychological health, personal growth and well-being.

There is an increasing demand for Psychologists in different areas such as Schools, Colleges, Hospitals and Clinical settings, Industries and Organizations, Forensics, Defense, NGOs and Media.

Studying Applied Psychology is valuable as it addresses the following:

- 1. Mental Health and Well-being
- 2. Workplace Productivity
- 3. Education and Learning
- 4. Cultural Sensitivity
- 5. Community and Social Issues
- 6. Health Psychology
- 7. Counseling Therapies
- 8. Research, Technology and Innovation

9. Sports and Psychology

10. Legal and Forensic Psychology.



In summary, the study of applied psychology covers a wide range of societal challenges, promotes well-being, and contributes to the overall development of individuals and communities in diverse contexts.

5 year Integrated M.Sc Applied Psychology programme with exit option B.Sc. Psychology (3 Year) offers specialization in three domains of Psychology. Students can choose any one of the following specializations:

Clinical Psychology: Embark on a journey to support mental health and well-being. As an applied psychologist, you will assess, diagnose, and provide therapy for individuals facing psychological challenges. Dive into stress management, resilience training, and contribute to health promotion and illness prevention. Be a catalyst for a positive change in people's lives. **Counseling Psychology**: Make a difference in the lives of individuals dealing with personal, educational, or career-related challenges. Our programme equips you with the skills to offer counseling services, assist in decision-making, and develop effective coping strategies. Explore work rehabilitation for individuals with disabilities. Contribute to improving the quality of life and adaptive life changes.

Organizational Psychology: Shape the future of workplace dynamics and organizational effectiveness. In the business sector, applied psychologists play a pivotal role in employee selection, training, and organizational development. Take on the challenge of addressing social issues, promoting community well-being, and contributing to community development projects.

Here is why our programme stands out: Comprehensive Curriculum: Dive deep into the core principles of applied psychology with our comprehensive curriculum. Gain a strong foundation in clinical, counseling, and organizational psychology, preparing you for a versatile and rewarding career.

Expert Faculty: Learn from seasoned professionals and industry experts who



bring a wealth of experience to the classroom. Our faculty is dedicated to nurturing your growth and helping you develop the skills needed to excel in the dynamic field of applied psychology.

Real-World Applications: Put theory into practice with hands-on training opportunities and real-world applications. Our programme goes beyond the textbooks, providing you with the practical experience needed to thrive in various professional settings.

Networking Opportunities: Connect with like-minded individuals, faculty, and professionals in the field through exclusive networking events. Build a strong professional network that will support your journey in applied psychology and open doors to exciting opportunities. Can become the student member of Psychological Association to increase your career opportunities.

Specializations to Match Your Passion: Whether your interest lies in clinical interventions, counseling support, or enhancing organizational dynamics, our programme offers specializations to cater to your unique aspirations. Tailor your education to align with your career goals.

Launch Your Career: Equip yourself with the skills employers seek. Our programme prepares you for a successful career in applied psychology, empowering you to make a positive impact on individuals, organizations, and communities.

Psychometric Laboratory: Psychometric lab is fully furnished with an array of standardized psychological tests. Integration of theoretical understanding with practical experiences helps students to consolidate and enhance their knowledge and skills.

Why Choose the VIT Programme?

- ✓ Comprehensive curriculum integrating theory and practical applications.
- ✓ Experienced faculty with expertise across clinical, counseling, and organizational psychology.
- ✓ Hands-on training opportunities and internships for real-world experience.
- ✓ Networking opportunities with professionals in the field.
- ✓ Join a community dedicated to making a positive impact on society.



Apply Now and Be the Change! Unlock your potential and become a catalyst for positive transformation. Apply now to join the VIT programme and be part of the future of applied psychology in India. Together, let's make a difference in the lives of individuals and communities.

Apply Today - Your Journey to Impact Starts Here! Unleash Your Potential with the VIT Applied Psychology Programme Are you ready to embark on a transformative journey in the fascinating world of applied psychology? Join our cutting-edge programme designed to empower you with the skills and knowledge needed to make a real impact in diverse fields.

Eligibility Criteria

- Higher Secondary or its equivalent examination conducted by all other State Boards in India
- Candidates should have secured a minimum of 75% in Higher Secondary or equivalent Examinations.
- In case, applicants belong to SC/ST community or hail from Jammu and Kashmir/ Ladakh and the North Eastern States of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim and Tripura, 10% relaxation is provided (i.e.,) 65% minimum aggregate as per the condition, in the qualifying examination/subject condition mentioned above
- ✤ ICSE/IGCSE (Std X) and "AS" & "A" level (Std XII) conducted by Cambridge International Examination (CIE), Cambridge University.
- Candidates in both the IB Diploma and the IB Course (i.e. IB Certificate) can apply provided that they have secured a minimum of 24 credits and passed a minimum of three subjects at Higher Level (HL) and three at Standard Level (SL)

Admission Process

- Personal Interview Hybrid mode
- > X-th Marks will be considered for provisional Admission

Fee Structure

Tuition Fees (Indians)
Caution Deposits (Indians)
Tuition Fees (NRI/Foreign Residents)
Caution Deposits (NRI/Foreign Residents)
S0 (USD)
50 (USD) one time

Scholarships

- 100% tuition fee waiver for first three board/state/district toppers
- 80% tuition fee waiver for the first two school toppers and having above 90% in aggregate marks in 12th grade



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