





# UNDER GRADUATE ADMISSIONS 2025 - 2026

B.A., LL.B (Hons.)
B.B.A., LL.B (Hons.)
(5 year Integrated)

**PROSPECTUS** 

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#### 01. About VIT

Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT) was founded in 1984 as Vellore Engineering College, a self-financing institution dedicated to providing quality higher education. In 2001, the Union Ministry of Human Resource Development conferred university status on the institution under Section 3 of the University Grants Commission (UGC) Act, 1956. VIT is led by its visionary founder and Chancellor, Dr. G. Viswanathan, a former Parliamentarian and Minister in the Government of Tamil Nadu. In recognition of his exceptional contributions to education, Dr. G. Viswanathan was awarded an honorary doctorate by West Virginia University (USA) in 2009 and the State University of New York (USA) in 2024. With a commitment to delivering world-class education on par with international standards, VIT continually adopts innovative approaches to teaching and research. Our Memoranda of Understanding with various international universities, being a major strength, enable meaningful collaborations via student and faculty exchanges and foster joint research projects. Many of our students, working in international organizations and universities, deliver high-quality solutions and conduct research that bring esteem to India and make us proud of our legacy. At VIT, the pursuit of excellence in education and research is complemented by a dynamic ecosystem of innovation, research and global engagement. As we advance steadily, we remain steadfast in our mission to nurture leaders and innovators who can make a meaningful impact on the world.

# 02. About VIT Chennai

VIT Chennai was established in 2010 and has since become a beacon of excellence in higher education. Spearheaded by Vice President Dr. G. V. Selvam, a pioneering visionary who laid the foundation of VIT Chennai, he is an insightful architect of its evergreen campus and an ingenious leader whose comprehensive vision and mission have shaped its growth. Under his guidance, VIT Chennai has rapidly evolved into a hub of innovation and academic distinction. The leadership team, including Vice Chancellor Dr. V. S. Kanchana Bhaaskaran, Pro Vice Chancellor Dr. T. Thyagarajan and Additional Registrar Dr. P. K. Manoharan, drives its mission of delivering transformative education and impactful research. Strategically located in the capital city of Tamil Nadu, VIT Chennai is a globally engaged, competitive, and research-enriched institution. It proactively addresses industrial, social, economic, and environmental challenges, fostering application-based learning that produces industry-ready professionals. Known for its cosmopolitan atmosphere, VIT Chennai attracts students from across the globe, fostering a vibrant and multicultural community. Committed to maximizing industrial connectivity and establishing Centers of Excellence in cutting-edge research areas, VIT Chennai enriches technological and managerial human capital through a collaborative and inclusive academic environment.

It serves as a platform for intellectual exchange, encouraging the convergence of diverse ideas to drive innovation and learning. Dedicated to societal and industrial advancement, VIT Chennai leverages its resources to benefit the community, supports national knowledge-building initiatives, and fosters international collaborations for mutual progress in research and education. With a clear vision and an unwavering mission, VIT Chennai continues to redefine the landscape of higher education in India and beyond.

# 03. VIT SCHOOL OF LAW (VITSOL)

VIT is a progressive educational institution dedicated to the pursuit of excellence, where students are encouraged on this journey by committed faculty, world-class facilities, and student-friendly educational systems. Established in 1984 as a self-financing institution under the name Vellore Engineering College, it has evolved into an elite institution with acclaimed university status, offering courses in various disciplines, including law.

VIT School of Law (VITSOL), the progeny of VIT Chennai, entered the legal education arena in 2014 with ambitious goals to achieve excellence. The school aims to impart quality legal education by nurturing young minds with in-depth knowledge of law, teaching them the nuances of the legal profession, and equipping them with the practical skills required for success. VITSOL emphasizes continuous learning alongside hands-on practical training.

At VITSOL, an application-oriented approach takes precedence over memory-based learning and evaluation. The course is designed to enhance the mooting abilities, oratorical skills, and analytical and interpretative capabilities of aspiring lawyers through weekly seminars, periodic moot court training, court visits, and more. The curriculum balances theoretical and practical aspects to meet the rigorous demands of the legal profession. Classes are conducted by experienced professors from India and abroad, supplemented by insights from experts and practicing lawyers, providing students with a competitive edge over other undergraduate courses in today's challenging world.

The school offers two undergraduate courses: B.A., LL.B (Hons.) and B.B.A., LL.B (Hons.). It also provides an LL.M program in three specialized branches of law: International Law and Development, Corporate Laws, and Intellectual Property Laws. Additionally, the school offers opportunities for doctoral programs. All courses are designed with carefully framed curricula that align with global needs.

#### 04. Innovative features of VITSOL

- 1. Classes handled by experienced professors from India / Abroad. Further practicing Lawyers and Judges as Adjunct / Visiting faculty handle classes to the students. Through the Honours programme, the students can opt for eight Honours courses out of 67 Honours courses offered by VITSOL.
- 2. Moot court sessions and legal aid clinic are the integral part of the curriculum which build the confidence of students.
- 3. Regular Seminar / Guest lectures for developing the legal reasoning ability
- 4. Mandatory Internships / Regular Court visits, practical sessions in Mediation and Conciliation will expose the students to practice. Visits to quasi-judicial and judicial institutions for a hands-on experience of the working of these bodies.
- 5. Legal problem solving / Project Based Learning / Clinical Methodology/ research based learning methods are used in teaching learning process.
- 6. Fully equipped law laboratory with Law databases such as Lexis Nexis, Manupatra, Westlaw, etc
- 7. Foreign Language Certification (Spanish / French / German / Japanese / Chinese) that adds value to the degree programme.
- 8. Collaboration with foreign Law Universities for Semester Abroad Programme
- 9. Choice Based Credit System (CBCS), which gives the students freedom to choose their teacher, optional courses and Honours courses for the semester.
- 10.Learning Management System with Moodle, Drupel, Hot Potato, Turn-it-in, etc
- 11. Compulsory dissertation with viva voce in the final semester for 10 credits worth to develop the research and thesis writing skill.
- 12. Centres for Research in Intellectual Property Law and Public Law.
- 13.Immersive Study Programmes Abroad.
- 14. Organizing/participating in the Nationwide Moot Court/ Debate Competition and National/International Seminars, conference and workshops through which Law Students are motivated to add feathers to their caps by providing them with numerous opportunities and resources.
- 15. Exposure to research activities within VITSOL in thrust areas such as Constitution Law; International Law, Human Rights and Humanitarian Law; Corporate law, Criminal Law, Business Laws, Commercial Laws, Intellectual property Laws, Environmental Law, Space Law, Technology and Law.
- 16. Exposure to the Multi-disciplinary courses available in the other departments will hone the critical thinking and analytical skill.
- 17. Continuous evaluation for every semester, enabling the faculty to access the progress of the students throughout the semester and ensuring that learning is a continuous process. Helps in building the groundwork for end semester examination.
- 18. Extracurricular activities / club activities for a holistic growth of the student.
- 19.Strong Alumni Network with Alumnus placed in top Firms and Companies

### 05. Programmes

#### B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.)

VITSOL offers 5 year integrated B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) programme wherein subjects that fall under the domain of Arts and Law will be taught to the students. The curriculum of the Arts subjects such as Economics, Sociology and Political Science have been designed to have maximum interaction with law which would guide the students in application of law in the real world. A number of Honours courses are also offered so that the student can choose his/her option and expand their knowledge on the subject. The programmes are designed to encourage mooting activities, Oral Advocacy skills, interpreting, synthesizing and analysing skills of budding lawyers through fun based learning



#### B.B.A.,LL.B (Hons.)

VITSOL offers B.B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.), which is a 5 year Integrated programme. More than 30 credits on Business Management are offered as part of the course. Students who aspire to join the corporate world after graduation will have a better understanding of the corporate structure, its Management and other features. Subjects such as Principles of Management, Financial Accounting, Financial Management, Managerial Economics that provide immense knowledge about Business Management are offered in this programme. Honours courses are offered in B.B.A.,LL.B. (Hons.) as well, so that the students can choose his/her option to expand their knowledge and expertise on that subject. The curriculum has been designed in such a way that the students learn by engaging and participating than by listening and reading to achieve maximum integration with the law subjects.

### 06. Selection Procedure

- Applicants who have studied +2 or its equivalent through Regular, fulltime and formal education alone are eligible to apply.
- Admission will be based on the performance in the qualifying examination (+2/HSC), CLAT/VITLEE Score and performance in Group discussion and Personal Interview.

# 07. Eligibility

- The applicant should be either a Resident or Non-Resident Indian National.
- Applicants must present the original birth certificate / SSLC Mark Sheet as proof of their age during admission. Failure to do so will result in disqualification from the admission process.

#### 7.1 Qualifying Examination

The applicant should have cleared:

- The final examination of the 10+2 system, conducted by any recognized Central / State Board, such as the Central Board of Secondary Education New Delhi; Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations or any other Board accepted by VIT as equivalent to 10+2 examination.
- Intermediate or two-year Pre-University examination conducted by a recognized Board/University
- General Certificate Examination (GCE) examination (London/Cambridge/Sri Lanka) at the Advanced (A) level.
- High School Certificate Examination at Advanced (A) level of the Cambridge University or International Baccalaureate Diploma of the International Baccalaureate Office, Geneva.
- Senior Secondary School Examination conducted by the National Institute of Open Schooling with minimum of 5 subjects as recognized by central board
- Applicants who have completed the Class 12 (or equivalent) examination outside India should produce an equivalence certificate to the effect that the examination they have passed is equivalent to the Class 12 Examination with grade/CGPA converted to percentage.

- Candidate who have appeared for multiple board examinations in the same academic year are not eligible.
- Candidates who have appeared for their Class 12 examination and are awaiting results are also eligible to apply, provided they submit their passing certificate on the day of reporting to the Institute.

#### 7.2 Subject Eligibility

PROGRAMMES	ELIGIBILITY	
B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) / B.B.A., LL.B. (Hons.)	A pass with minimum overall aggregate of 70% in the qualifying examination mentioned above	

#### Relaxation

For applicants belonging to SC/ST community or one who 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.,) they are eligible to apply with 60% minimum aggregate as per the condition, in the qualifying examination mentioned above.

### 08. Admission Procedure

- Admission is through merit, purely based on fulfilling the eligibility criteria with the qualifying examination.
- The applicants will be called for a Group Discussion and Personal Interview (Hybrid Mode).
- A rank list will be prepared on the basis of +2/HSC marks, CLAT / VITLEE Scores and Group discussion and Personal Interview.

# 09. Online Application form

- Applications must be submitted online via the website:
  - Link: APPLY NOW
- Candidates should register with a valid E-Mail ID and Mobile number, as all correspondence will be communicated through these registered E-Mail / Mobile number only.
- The application cost is Rs.1,200/-, and it is non-refundable.

## 10. Steps to be followed for online application

- Step 1: Register yourself by clicking on "New Applicant"
- Step 2: Verify your registered E-Mail address by using the OTP received from VIT
- Step 3: Once OTP is validated, a password will be sent to your registered E-Mail address.
- Keep this E-Mail ID and password secure until the admission process is complete.
- Step 4: Fill out the application form
- Step 5: Pay the non-refundable application fee of Rs.1,200/- online using Net Banking,

Debit Card, Credit Card or Paytm

Step 6: Upload the Age Proof Certificate, 12th Marksheet (if available)

# Applicants need to upload the following mentioned documents on the application portal, subject to their availability within the specified timeframe

- Copy of Age proof certificate / Copy of Aadhar Card
- Copy of XII Hall Ticket (for applicants awaiting results)
- Copy of XII Mark statement (for all attempts)
- Copy of Community Certificate (for SC/ST applicants)
- Copy of Nativity Certificate (for applicants hailing from North Eastern States and Jammu and Kashmir / Ladakh)

### 11. Declaration of Results

- The results of Selected candidates will be informed through the Registered E-Mail ID
- Provisional Admission will be cancelled if the candidate does not meet the eligibility norms

#### **Tuition Fees**

Programme	Details	Fees (INR)
B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) / B.B.A., LL.B. (Hons.)	Tuition Fees (per annum) Caution deposit (refundable) (one-time payment) Total Fees to be paid for the first year	2,00,000 2,000 <b>2,02,000</b>

### 12. Document Submission at the time of Admission

The following documents in original should be submitted at the time of reporting to the Institute

- Transfer Certificate/School leaving Certificate (Or)
- Migration Certificate (issued by the board) and Conduct/Character Certificate issued by the School
- Student Profile Signed by Student and parent
- SSLC/10th Marksheet (all attempts)
- HSC/12th Mark sheet (all attempts)
- Certificate of Physical Fitness (Certified by authorized Physician)
- Affidavit by the Student (Signed and Notarized)
- Affidavit by the Parent (Signed and Notarized)
- Undertaking Form (signed by Student and Parent on a A4 Sheet)
- Recent Passport size colour photo 2 Nos
- Hostel Affidavit (Signed & Notarized) (For hostellers only)

### 12.1 Copy of documents (1 Set):

- Copy of Provisional Admission Letter (PAL)
- Copy of SSLC/10th Marksheet (all attempts)
- Copy of HSC/12th Mark sheet (all attempts)
- Copy of Aadhar Card
- Community Certificate (for SC/ST Candidates only)
- Nativity Certificate (for candidates hailing from Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh and the North Eastern states)

# 12.2 Additional documents required from NRI/Foreign Students

- Passport Copy (Student & Parent)
- Employer Certificate (Original)
- Sponsorship Letter (Original)

#### Note:

- 1. All Copies of documents will be archived and will not be returned for any reason
- 2. The candidate should submit the qualifying mark statement from the board studied as mentioned on the application form for verification of genuineness at the time of admission.
- 3. Submission of any fraudulent, incompetent certificates by the applicant will lead to legal action and the admission accorded will be duly cancelled and no refund will be entertained.
- 4. The qualifying examination mark statement submitted by the candidate will be verified from the respective board.

### 13. Withdrawal Procedure

- Candidates can request withdrawal through Online in the Fresher's portal.
- The necessary form for withdrawal / No DUES must be obtained to facilitate the withdrawal process.
- Refund will be processed through account transfer to the bank account mentioned in the withdrawal request raised in the Fresher's portal. Accurate bank account details must be provided for hassle-free refund process.

# 14. Refund of fees / Refund policy

• The policy announced by UGC will be adopted for refund as and when announced

## 15. Important Dates

Last date to apply Online	31st March 2025 ( Monday )
VITLEE exam date	20th April 2025 ( Sunday)
Personal Interview	Will be informed through registered E-Mail
Result declaration	Will be informed through registered E-Mail

#### 16. Contact

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Chennai – 600 127.

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#### 17. About VITLEE:

Vellore Institute of Technology Law Entrance Examination (VITLEE) is conducted for admission to Undergraduate Law Programmes at VIT Chennai. VITLEE is conducted on 20th April 2025 (Sunday) across 53 cities in India. The duration of the examination will be 2 Hours. Candidates can appear only once for VITLEE. All questions will be Multiple Choice Questions and one mark for the right answer and zero for the wrong answer. Those who score '0' (ZERO) in total will be declared as "Not Qualified" and will not be eligible to participate in the admission process. There will be a total of 100 questions divided into the section English (20 questions), General Knowledge and Current Affairs (20 questions), Logical Reasoning (20 questions), Quantitative Aptitude (20 questions), Legal Reasoning (20 questions). The Question Paper will be in English Only. The detailed Syllabus is furnished below:

# 18. Syllabus

#### **Unit 1: English**

Comprehension passages, Antonyms and Synonyms, Figures of Speech, subject-verb agreement, tenses, conjunctions

#### **Unit 2: General Knowledge and Current Affairs**

Arts, Science, Law, Sports, India, International Affairs

#### **Unit 3: Logical Reasoning**

Assertion + Reason, Analysis, Relations

#### **Unit 4: Quantitative Aptitude**

Numerical ability and fundamental mathematical operation. (Ratio, Average, Mensuration, Statistics)

#### **Unit 5: Legal Reasoning**

Passages – Rules, Principles and Application of Legal Theory

# 19. Pattern of the Entrance Examination

#### **Question Paper**

- All questions will be of Multiple Choice Question (MCQ) with the following sections:
  - \* English
  - \* General Knowledge and Current Affairs
  - \* Logical Reasoning
  - \* Quantitative Aptitude
  - \* Legal Reasoning
- Each question is followed by 4 Choices. The candidate should choose only one choice and submit the same.
- No negative marks for wrong answers
- The question paper will be in ENGLISH ONLY

Unit	No of Questions
English	20
General Knowledge and Current Affairs	20
Logical Reasoning	20
Quantitative Aptitude	20
Legal Reasoning	20

# 20. Important information related to VITLEE:

- The e-admit card can be downloaded in 48 hours prior to the exam schedule.
- The e-admit card will indicate the application number, photograph of the student, address of the test centre, test date and time selected by the candidate, discrepancies, if any, must be brought to the notice of VIT immediately.
- The copy of the e-admit card will also be emailed to the candidate.
- Candidates must provide a valid e-mail address in the application form. The e-admit card will not be dispatched to the candidates via post or fax.
- Candidates should take a print out of the e-admit card using the print option on A4 size paper only. Please ensure that all information on the e-admit card including photograph are clearly visible on the print out.
- Candidates are not permitted to appear for the test without valid e-admit card.
- Candidates should not mutilate the e-admit card or change any entry made therein after it has been authenticated and received by them, impersonation is a legally punishable offence.
- The e-admit card is an important document and it must be preserved and produced at the time of examination / admission.
- Candidate should report to the test centre with the physical copy of e-admit card and any one of the following for photo identification:

\*School ID Card / HSC Hall Ticket / Masked Aadhar Card / Passport / Driving License / Voter ID Card / PAN Card

- Admit card will not be processed if the application is incomplete in any respect
- In the case of an eligible candidate, whose application form is incomplete, the application will not be processed for the issue of an admit card. VIT does not take the responsibility to inform such candidates.
- Candidates are not permitted to appear more than once by duplicate application. Any attempt more than once will result in the disqualification of candidacy.
- Electronic devices like calculators, pager, cellular phone and smart watches are not allowed in the exam hall.

- Biometric registration is a part of attendance and hall ticket verification process and VIT reserves the right to carry out the same either before or during the examination or both.
- Candidates who do not co-operate during the biometric registration process will not be allowed to take the examination and VIT reserves the right to disqualify such candidates. Biometric authentication will be carried out again for the shortlisted candidates during the admission
- Rough sheets will be provided in the examination hall for the rough work and should be handed over to the invigilators after the examination.
- Candidates will be monitored through CCTV camera in the examination hall.
- If a candidate indulges in any kind of malpractice like possession of prohibited items inside the examination hall, possession of electronic gadgets, possession of materials relating to examination, assisting other candidates in the examination hall, writing questions and answers in the rough sheet/hall ticket, contacting/communicating with the other candidates in the examination hall, exchange of physical materials with the other candidates, approaching the Invigilator/Test Centre people proposing unfair, threatening/arguing with the officials/other candidates, forceful entry/exit into/from the examination hall, affixing/uploading wrong/morphed photograph/signature on the application form/admit card, breaching examination rules in connection with VITLEE 2025 examination from time to time, etc., he/she shall be deemed to have used unfair practices and booked under Malpractice Cases.
  - \* Such candidate would be disqualified from VITLEE 2025 and shall also be liable for criminal action and/or any other action as deemed fit.
- Candidates should submit only one application to appear for the VITLEE.
- There is no provision for re-totalling / re-evaluation. Neither the raw score of the candidate nor the photocopies of the answer sheets will be provided. Correspondence in this regard will not be entertained.
- VIT has the right to hold the result and cancel the candidacy of the candidates appearing more than once, impersonation, or any other malpractice at the time of giving the exam.

#### Note:

VIT will not be responsible for non-receipt of the e-mail, if the e-mail address given is incomplete or incorrect or delivery to spam / junk folder.

# 21. Test Centres:

No of States	No of Cities
20	53

STATE	CITY		STATE	CITY
Andhra Pradesh	Amaravati (AP) ANANTAPUR ELURU NELLORE TIRUPATHI		Kerala	ERNAKULAM KOZHIKODE THIRUVANANTHAPURAM THRISSUR
SRIKAKU	RAJAHMUNDRY SRIKAKULAM VISAKHAPATNAM		Madhya Pradesh	BHOPAL GWALIOR Indore
Assam	Assam GUWAHATI	C	Maharashtra	MUMBAI NAGPUR PUNE
BHAGALPUR Bihar PATNA	BHAGALPUR PATNA			
		4	Odisha	BHUBANESWAR
Punjab	Mohali		Puducherry	PUDUCHERRY
Chhattisgarh RAIPUR	RAIPUR		Rajasthan	JAIPUR
Delhi	Delhi NEW DELHI			
Gujarat	Gujarat AHMEDABAD			CHENNAI VELLORE
Jharkhand	rkhand BOKARO STEEL CITY			COIMBATORE ERODE
Karnataka	BENGALURU HUBBALLI(HUBLI) MANGALURU(MANGALORE) MYSURU(MYSORE)		Tamil Nadu	MADURAI SALEM Tiruchirappalli THANJAVUR NAGERCOIL TIRUNELVELI
HYDERABAD KARIMNAGAR				
Telangana	KHAMMAM MAHABUBNAGAR WARANGAL		Uttarakhand	DEHRADUN
Uttar Pradesh	LUCKNOW VARANASI		West Bengal	KOLKATA