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It is hereby informed that, Classes of 3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup>(PT) semesters for the session 2020-21 shall commence from 1/9/2020 as per revised Academic Calendar issued by AICTE dated 13.8.2020.

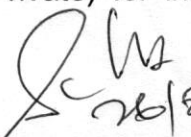
1. All affiliated Polytechnics are to conduct classes from 1/9/2020 as per Covid19 guidelines.
2. The classes may be conducted in online mode for the period for which there shall be restriction on physical attending classes for the students by Govt of Odisha/ Local Administration. There shall not be any rigid time limit of running of institutions.
3. The revised Academic Calendar for 2020-21 session duly approved by DTE&T, Odisha shall be published in due course of time.
4. Only valid student who have done exams registration/ filled up forms and paid exams fees to the council for the 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> semester Regular Summer Exams 2020 and is eligible to get promoted to higher semester as per Examination Rules 2018 and Notification No. 5191 dt 31.12.2018 shall be allowed by the Institution concerned for attending the classes in the above semesters.
5. Manual attendance of students shall be maintained by the teacher concerned, for each of the classes taken by him/her as usual.
6. Students attendance on Biometric device shall not be taken until specific instruction is issued from this council.
7. The guidelines on social distancing, use thermal temperature measurement, Sanitizer, Hand wash, use of Mask and other such guidelines issued by AICTE/Govt. of Odisha from time to time shall be strictly followed in the institutions for students, teachers and staff, in view of Covid 19 situation.

Principals of all Polytechnics are requested to start the classes as per above schedule and as per the above manner without fail.

  
26/8/2020  
Controller of Examination

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Copy to Principals of all Polytechnics (Both Govt.& Private) for information and necessary action.

  
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