

## IPM (2025-30) Admissions Process

Admission to the IPM 2025–2030 batch in IIM Shillong shall require candidates to submit the application form along with the prescribed application fee. Subsequently, candidates will be shortlisted for the Personal Interview (PI) process. Following the completion of the PI process, a final merit list will be published based on the consolidated scores of the candidates. This list will include both the selected candidates and those placed on the waiting list. The detailed admission process is outlined in the subsequent sections.

# 1. Eligibility Criteria

Candidates satisfying the following criteria are eligible to apply for the Five-Year Integrated Program in Management of IIM Shillong 2025-30.

- Age: Candidate should have been born on or after July 01, 2005 (5 years of relaxation to the candidates from SC/ST/DA category will be given, i.e., born on or after July 01, 2000).
- Minimum Qualifying Marks
  - Candidates must have a minimum of 60% in their 10th grade/SSC examinations and 12th grade/HSC or equivalent examinations (55% for candidates from SC/ST/DA categories).
  - Candidates must have studied mathematics or applied mathematics as a subject in Standard XI and XII.
- Entrance Test: Candidates must have appeared for the IPMAT (Integrated Programme in Management Aptitude Test) conducted by IIM Indore. IIM Shillong will consider the IPMAT scores for shortlisting candidates for the Personal Interview (PI) process.

Note 1: Candidates who are likely to complete standard XII/ HSC or equivalent by the end of July 31, 2025, can also apply, subject to meeting the eligibility criteria as mentioned above. If selected, such candidates will be admitted to the program provisionally. At the time of registration for the program, such candidates must produce standard X/ SSC and standard XII/ HSC or equivalent examination mark sheets along with a school leaving certificate/migration certificate, failing which the candidate's provisional admission offer will stand cancelled.

Note 2: The percentage of marks obtained by the candidate in X and XII Standards would be calculated based on the aggregate marks of all subjects that appear in the mark sheet/grade sheet, irrespective of the Board's regulation. If the candidates are awarded letter grades or grade points instead of marks, the conversion of grades to the percentage of marks would be based on the

procedure certified by the Board/ Competent Authority, explaining the conversion method from where they obtained the certificate.

Note 3: Applicants who completed their X and/or XII standard / pursuing their XII standard from international schools affiliated to foreign boards like IGCSE (International General Certificate for Secondary Education) and IB (International Baccalaureate) (participants of IBDP and IBCP only) can also apply, and such candidates are required to produce "The IB Indian Percentage Transcript".

Note 4: IIM Shillong reserves the right to decide the eligibility conditions in terms of equivalence, percentage of marks, and the recognition of the qualifying examination, intake, etc.

### 2. Application Procedure:

Eligible candidates should submit their application online (visit www.iimshillong.ac.in) during the period June 2025, to July 2025, and pay the online non-refundable/non-transferable application fee of Rs. 2000/- (Rupees Two Thousand only) / Rs. 1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only, for SC/ST/DA/EWS category candidates).

Candidates belonging to SC, ST and DA categories need to produce valid Caste/Category certificate(s) in support of their reservation category, and candidates belonging to Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) need to produce a valid document ascertaining the eligibility of the candidate to apply under EWS category.

No change in the category will be made once the application is submitted.

#### 3. Selection Procedure

The candidates will be selected based on their overall performance in Class X, XII, IPMAT and Personal Interview (PI). The selection process is as follows:

- **Stage 1:** Candidates who meet the minimum eligibility criteria must submit their applications online, as outlined above. IIM Shillong reserves the right to ask for additional information, if necessary.
- **Stage 2:** In this stage, the eligible pool for Stage 3, i.e. Personal Interview (PI), is created considering only the candidates having positive raw scores and a minimum mark in each of the three sections of IPMAT. The minimum cut-off mark in each section will be decided by the Admissions Committee. The minimum cut-off mark in each section will be based on the categories of applicants. Individual regret letters will not be sent to applicants who are rejected at this stage.
- **Stage 3:** A Sufficient number of candidates will be shortlisted for Personal Interview (PI) from the eligible pool for each category (General, EWS, SC, ST and DA) using the merit list generated based on IPMAT score.
- **Stage 4:** Shortlisted candidates shall appear for the Personal Interview (PI) at selected venues, which will be intimated to the candidates by the Institute.

- **Stage 5:** IIM Shillong expects candidates to demonstrate consistent and satisfactory performance across various parameters of the PI. The Admissions Committee may decide on the prescribed minimum performance standards in any of these parameters. Candidates who fail to meet the prescribed minimum performance standards in any of these parameters will not be considered for the subsequent stage of the selection process.
- **Stage 6:** Only those candidates who meet the requirements outlined in the preceding stages will be considered for final selection. A category-wise merit list will be prepared based on the Overall Score (OS) as specified in Table-2. Provisional admission offers will be extended accordingly, in compliance with the reservation norms prescribed by the Government of India.

Table-2: Computation of Overall Score (OS)

Component	Score (Weight)
X Marks	10
XII Marks	10
IPMAT Score	30
Personal Interview (PI)	50
Overall Score (OS)	Sum of above

No intimation will be sent to candidates who are not selected for final offer.

### **Reservation Policy**

The Institute abides by the reservation policy as per the Government of India provisions as applicable to IIM Shillong.

## **IMPORTANT NOTE**

- 1. IIM Shillong reserves the right to make changes in the Shortlisting and Selection Criteria, if considered necessary at any point in time.
- 2. The entire Admission Process is based on data provided by the IPMAT2025 Authorities. At any point in time, if the data for any candidate is found to be false/incorrect, the candidature will be cancelled even if the candidate is offered admission by IIM Shillong.
- 3. Please note that IIM Shillong's shortlisting of candidates for the PI process is independent of those of other IIMs. Hence, it is possible to observe variations in the lists of candidates short-listed by different IIMs.
- 4. Shortlisted candidates would be informed through the IIM Shillong website (<a href="www.iimshillong.ac.in">www.iimshillong.ac.in</a>) and e-mail (as provided in the IPMAT-2025 Application form). IIM Shillong would send PI process call letters only to those shortlisted candidates who correctly filled in the interview form within the stipulated time. Communication would only be sent to applicants who are shortlisted for the PI process. Similarly, the shortlisted candidates who do

- not fill in the interview form within the stipulated time will cease to be part of the further process, and no communications would be sent or entertained from such candidates.
- 5. Candidates are advised to keep visiting the IIM Shillong website (www.iimshillong.ac.in) for updates.
- 6. The evaluation parameters used during the PI process are the intellectual property of IIM Shillong and, thus, will not be shared at any point in time.
- 7. Candidates who appear in the PI process can view their admission status on or before the second week of July 2025 by visiting the IIM Shillong website.
- 8. Based on the merit list prepared, candidates will be offered admission to the program based on the availability of seats. A waitlist will also be maintained, and candidates from this waitlist will be offered admission based on their rank in the list in case certain candidates do not accept the admission offer. There may be several iterations of offers extended to the waitlisted candidates. The number of such offers will be based on the available seats and not on any cutoff value of the overall score. Thus, no cutoff overall score will be recorded if and when a shortlist or waitlist is announced.
- 9. Any dispute concerning Admissions to IPM (2025-30) would be subject to the jurisdiction of the competent courts within the territorial jurisdiction of Shillong.