

Indian Institute of Management Kozhikode

Criteria for short listing - PGP Admissions 2011

The selection to the PGP programme of IIM Kozhikode is a multi stage process which starts with the Common Admission Test (CAT). The following describes the procedure used for short listing and further selection of candidates for the 2010 batch. To begin with, candidates meeting with the minimum cut off in each section as well as in the aggregate were selected to form an initial pool. From this pool, an index score was computed with 50 percent weight for the overall CAT score, 20 percent weight for academic performance in secondary school, 20 percent weight for higher secondary school and 10 percent weight for the work experience of the candidate. Based on this index, candidates were called for Group Discussion and Interview as per the details below:

Stage 1.

In the first stage of short listing of candidates based on their overall CAT scores, we considered all the candidates meeting the minimum cut off and created a pool from which further short listing was done. The respective percentile cut-offs both sectional and overall are provided below for various categories (this was used for admission to 2010-12 batch).

Category	QA	DI	VERBAL	OVERALL
GEN	80	80	80	90
OBC(NC)	70	70	70	80
SC	60	60	60	70
ST	50	50	50	60
PWD-Low Vision	50	50	50	60
PWD -Hearing Impairment	50	50	50	60
PWD-Locomotor Disability/Cerebral				
Palsy	50	50	50	60

Stage2

In stage 2, an index score was computed with 50 percent weight for the overall CAT score, 20 percent weight for academic performance in secondary school, 20 percent weight for higher secondary school and 10 percent weight for the work experience of the candidate. The academic performance was taken as the percentage of marks reported by the candidates and was standardised across the boards using the data available with IIMK for four years including the current year. In each category, the top ranking candidates based on this index score were called for further process. The short listed candidates were requested to register at our website and complete the personal profile form online.

Note: IIMK is free to change the admissions criteria depending on policy changes, data obtained, analysis conducted etc for the PGP admissions at any point.