

ORDINANCE NO. 42

Degree Title

Bachelor of Optometry (B. Optom)

Name of Faculty

School of Sciences

Degree Duration

Minimum 4 Years (6 Semesters+ 1 year Internship)
Maximum 8 Years (14 Semesters)

The duration of the B. Optom programme will be minimum 6 semesters to be completed in 3 years followed by 1 year internship and maximum duration shall be eight years.

Credit : The extent of interaction required for a course work in the institution between faculty and students is a credit.

1. One Lecture Period	1 Credit
2. One Tutorial Period	1 Credit
3. Two Practical Periods	1 Credit
4. Two Project Periods	1 Credit
5. Two Seminar Periods	1 Credit

1. Minimum Eligibility

Candidates who have passed

Final examination of the 10+2 system with Physics, Chemistry and Maths/Biology, conducted by any recognized Central/State Board, such as Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi; Council for Indian School Certificate Examination, New Delhi, etc. and has obtained at least 50% marks in the above subjects taken.

OR

Any Public School/Board/University examination in India or in any foreign Country recognized as equivalent to 10+2 system by the Association of Indian Universities (AIU)

2. Admission Procedure

On merit, on the basis of the qualifying examination / entrance examination following norms of the concerned regulatory body UGC and approved by Admission Board of ITM University.

The Reservation of SC, ST, OBC and Physically handicapped shall be as per rules of State/Central Govt. and Regulatory Body.

Admission will be as per the norms of Government of M. P., Department of Higher Education.

3. Total Seats

Decided by Admission Board of ITM University as per norms of the concerned regulatory body UGC and subject to revision from time to time.

4. Examination

Examinations will be conducted as per the appropriate statutes and ordinance in this respect. The scheme of examinations, promotion to subsequent semesters and course of studies shall be as per the recommendations of the concerned Board of Studies with due approval of Academic Council. For matters not covered in this ordinance, General rules and regulation shall be applicable. For all other matters, the decision of the Board of Management shall be binding.

Internship : 1 year after VI Sem.

Project work : V Sem students

5. Eligibility for Degree**Eligibility for Award of the B. Optom Degree**

A student shall be declared to be eligible for award of the B. Optom degree if he/she has :—

- (a) registered and successfully completed all the core courses and projects;
- (b) successfully acquired the minimum required credits as specified in the curriculum corresponding to the branch of his/her study within the stipulated time;
- (c) earned the specified credits in all the categories of subjects; secured a CGPA of 5.
- (d) no dues to the University, Hostels, Libraries, NCC/NSS/NSO etc.

and

- (e) No disciplinary action is pending against him/her.

6. Attendance Requirement

A candidate must have at least 75% attendance. On medical grounds it may be relaxed as admissible within applicable regulations.

7. Marks sheets

Marks sheets will be generated at the end of each year incorporating the two semesters covered in that year.

8. General Instructions and Provisions

For Matters not covered in this specific ordinance general rules and regulation of ITM University regarding specific courses are applicable. In other matters Board of Management of ITM University shall be competent to take any decision.

9. Power to Modify

Notwithstanding all that has been stated aboe, the Academic council/ BOM /has the right to modify any of the above ordinances from time to time, subject to approval of Regulatory Commission.