## FAQs for BTech & B Des 2023 Batch at IIT Hyderabad

Dear Incoming 2023 Batch of B.Tech and B.Des Students,

Welcome to IIT Hyderabad and congratulations! This FAQ document provides answers to some important questions related to hostel accommodation and dining facilities at IIT Hyderabad. Please note that the answers provided in this document are provisional, and are only meant to help you gain a bird's eye-view of IITH. Some details may change based on administrative exigencies/institute requirements. We wish you a wonderful stay at IITH and hope that you have a wonderful learning experience!

# **Hostel Accommodation & Dining Facilities**

## 1. How many students are there at IITH?

IITH is now home to more than 4500 students.

### 2. How does IITH implement hostel accommodation?

IITH is a fully residential campus, and students are offered on-campus accommodation inside a permanent campus within walking distance from the academic zone.

### 3. How many students are allotted per room?

Single/Double sharing rooms are allotted for students on campus. Typically, first year UG students are allotted double sharing rooms.

#### 4. How are roommates chosen?

Roommates are chosen based on random allotment. More details will be given on the day of joining.

#### 5. Are there separate hostels for girl students?

Yes, all girl students are housed in separate hostels. Extra security is provided for these units by posting round-the-clock security. Males are not permitted to enter these hostels. Girls are also required to take permission from the warden if they need to stay out of the hostel overnight. IITH has a dedicated Committee for Gender Concerns.

## 6. What are the documents required to submit in the hostel office for hostel accommodation?

Accommodation in the hostels will be provided as per the registration on the ERP portal. No physical documents are required to be given to the hostel office and all the information must be given during ERP registration.

#### 7. Do students need to carry beds and bed sheets?

IITH provides hostel room accommodation to students with single cot, study table, study chair. Other personal requirements like mattress, bedsheets, pillows, curtains etc should be arranged by the student. However, students can purchase such items from the shops available on campus on payment basis, if required.

#### 8. When students need to be reported to the hostel office?

Once the student has completed financial and academic registration, the student can approach the hostel office for accommodation as per academic schedule.

Newly enrolled 2023 UG students can come to campus for hostel accommodation from 13 August 2023 onwards...

Students should visit the hostel office for accommodation between 9.00 am to 5.30 pm. If there are any hardships/difficulties, please communicate the date and time of visit well in advance.

## 9. Can the parents get accommodation in the hostels?

Due to shortage of student hostel accommodation presently it is difficult to provide accommodation to parents. However, parents can approach IITH guest house based on availability accommodation may be provided in Guest House. Email: office.gh@iith.ac.in

## 10. Is there good access to the Internet?

IITH provides excellent access to the Internet. The whole academic and hostel zones are Wi-Fi-enabled.

#### 11. What does one do for food?

Private agencies offer mess facilities for students in the hostel zone. All hostelers are required to register for one of the available mess on a monthly basis. Additionally, there are canteens (wet and dry), fast food centres and juice shops near the hostels inside the campus. Food may also be ordered or the Dine in facility may be utilised from ISTHARA (Food Court) located in the TRP building on campus.

One can order food from several restaurants in Sangareddy and the delivery is available at the main gate.

ShiruCafe in the Academic Block **C** serves complimentary beverages for students. Vending machines that dispense ready-to-eat snacks are installed at different locations on campus.

Please visit <a href="https://hostel.iith.ac.in/">https://hostel.iith.ac.in/</a> for regular updates/further details.