

**Note for applicants eligible for OBC Non-Creamy Layer and EWS reservations:**

Due to the special circumstances in the country, the applicants to avail OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) and EWS reservations for admission to the University are directed to upload the valid caste certificate along with the online application. The candidates who require time, due to lockdown in the country, to obtain valid certificate to claim reservation will be permitted to upload/send at least two days before the commencement of the University entrance examinations. In absence of a valid certificate submitted before the entrance examination, the candidate(s) will be considered under UR category and not against the reservation category. University will not entertain further correspondence in this regard, in respect of the applicants who could not submit valid certificates in support of reservation category.

Approximately two weeks gap will be given between lifting of the nation-wide lockdown and commencement of University entrance examinations. Candidates are advised to keep all the relevant documents ready for obtaining caste certificate during the lockdown period and plan to obtain and upload valid certificates immediately after lifting the lockdown.

**Candidates eligible for OBC Non-Creamy Layer and EWS reservations have to upload valid certificate in Govt. of India format ONLY (as per the earlier instructions) and those who do not possess the valid OBC/EWS certificate may submit their online application without uploading the same. However such candidates will have to obtain the same from the appropriate authorities as soon as the lockdown is lifted, and mail a scanned copy of Caste certificate (along with their Application Number) to [ceentrance@uohyd.ac.in](mailto:ceentrance@uohyd.ac.in) for consideration of their claim.**