INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KANPUR
OFFICE OF THE DEAN, ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

No.(U)/UG/ONLINE_COURSE/R **1099**
March 09, 2026

NOTICE

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2) OE credits earned through online MOOC/NPTEL courses will only be counted towards graduation requirements and not for CPI calculation.
3) The OE credits earned from MOOC courses be indicated as follows in the transcript. "(Number of Credits) have been earned by the student as open electives from online MOOC courses offered by (Agency Name)".
4) The BTH/BSH students are not allowed to claim the MOOC/NPTEL course.
5) The students **cannot** claim MOOC/NPTEL courses from their **own departmental courses list**.
6) The students can claim MOOC/NPTEL course as per the below mentioned timeline:
   a) As a one-time exception, the students of Y22 batch can submit MOOC/NPTEL certificate at the latest by May 25, 2026.
   b) The students of Y23 and onward batches can submit MOOC/NPTEL certificate at the latest by December 15, of every year (which is 7th semester of respective batch).
   c) No request will be considered in 8th and onward semesters.
7) The request can be made by filling in the below mentioned Google form:
   https://forms.gle/BfP9MDt5he6wHvZf6

This notice supersedes the earlier notice No.(U)/UG/ONLINE_COURSE/886 dated April 28, 2025.

Assistant Registrar
(Academic Affairs)

Enclosed: Appendix-I

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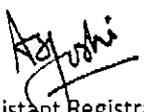
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6) The students can claim MOOC/NPTEL courses only before the last date of classes up to 7th semester through the below mentioned Google form:
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   As a one-time exception, the Y22 students may claim MOOC/NPTEL courses up to their 8th semester (before the last date of the classes).

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