7-DAY NATIONAL-LEVEL RESIDENTIAL WINTER SCHOOL 2026

24–30 DEC 2026

COMMERCE, ACCOUNTING, DIGITAL FINANCE & ECONOMICS

"Empowering Young Minds for a Digital Economy: Commerce, Economics, Financial Literacy, Digital Finance and Career Readiness"

📅 24–30 Dec 2026 (7 Days) | ⏱ 56 Structured Hours | 🏠 Accommodation Provided & Pure Veg | 👥 Cohort: 20–30 Seats

INSTITUTIONAL HERITAGE & DEPARTMENT PROFILE

Founded under the aegis of the South Indian Education Society (SIES, established 1932), SIES (Nerul) College (Autonomous) is recognized for its academic distinction, modern computing infrastructure, and NAAC 'A' grade accreditation. The Department of Accountancy and Department of Economics champion rigorous, market-aligned pedagogical standards bridging theoretical accounting, corporate governance, economic policies, and analytical financial systems.

ACADEMIC RATIONALE & OUTREACH VISION

Undergraduate commerce scholars from rural and semi-urban colleges across India face significant structural disparities in accessing advanced corporate datasets, digital modeling labs, and primary market institutions. This Winter School directly eliminates this divide through 7 intensive residential days of computer lab training, expert faculty mentorship, and 16 hours of regulatory visits in Mumbai.

🎯 TARGET STUDENT COHORT & DISCIPLINES (UNDERGRADUATE PARTICIPANTS)

ALL INDIA NOMINATION

- Regular B.Com & B.Com (Honours)
- Accounting & Finance (BAF)
- Banking & Insurance (BBI) / Financial Markets (BFM)
- Economics (B.A. / B.Sc.)
- Management Studies (BMS / BBA)

** Priority given to students from rural and semi-urban colleges across India. Valid college ID card and institutional approval letter are mandatory.*

SEVEN CORE PROGRAMME OBJECTIVES (CURRICULAR FRAMEWORK)

AUTONOMOUS SYLLABUS BENCHMARKED

01. Conceptual Foundations & Ind AS:
Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS), corporate annual reports, financial statement ratio analysis, cash flow forensics, balance sheet forensics, and performance metrics.

02. Digital Tools & MS Excel Modeling:
Hands-on lab training: advanced spreadsheet functions (XLOOKUP, INDEX/MATCH), automated ledger computations, dynamic PivotTables, and financial KPI executive dashboards.

03. Taxation, Audit & Responsible AI:
Practical Income Tax and GST portal compliance workflows, internal audit verification controls, corporate governance standards, and ethical applications of Artificial Intelligence (AI).

04. Financial Decision-Making & Cases:
Working capital optimization, liquidity management, cost-volume-profit analysis, and team-based simulation case studies analyzing corporate solvency and restructuring.

05. Research & Academic Writing:
Formulating empirical research hypotheses, secondary literature review, quantitative data collection, APA referencing, and structured academic manuscript drafting.

06. Professional Pathways & Guidance:
Masterclass navigating professional career qualifications (CA, CMA, CS, CFA, CPA), financial planning roles, data analyst careers, and executive interview preparation.

07. Experiential Field Immersion (16 Academic Hours):
Curated regulatory and industrial visits to the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Monetary Museum**, **Mumbai Financial Heritage Fort Walk**, **Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority (JNPT)** container logistics, and Capital Market Regulators (**SEBI & BSE**).

GUIDED STUDY TOURS

PEDAGOGICAL STRUCTURE & HOURS ALLOCATION

56 HOURS TOTAL

Pedagogical Component	Hours	Pedagogical Component	Hours
• Expert Masterclasses & Regulatory Lectures	10 Hrs	• Practical Hands-on Computer Labs (Excel)	10 Hrs
• Field Immersions (RBI Museum, JNPT, BSE, Fort)	16 Hrs	• Corporate Financial Case Studies & Problem Sets	04 Hrs
• Empirical Research Methodology & Paper Writing	04 Hrs	• Industry Expert Mentorship & Career Guidance	03 Hrs
• Capstone Group Project Presentation & Defense	04 Hrs	• Orientation, Daily Review & Formal Valedictory	05 Hrs

💻 **Lab Infrastructure:** 1 student per terminal, licensed software

🏛 **Field Exposure:** 16 Hours guided study tours included

📜 **Certification:** 100% Attendance & Capstone evaluation

SIES WINTER SCHOOL 2026 • 7-DAY TIMETABLE, EVALUATION & ENROLMENT

56 STRUCTURED HOURS • RESIDENTIAL

SEVEN-DAY DETAILED ACADEMIC & FIELD TIMETABLE

FULL WORKING DAYS (09:00 AM – 05:30 PM)

DAY 1 (24 Dec): Foundations of Commerce, Accounting & Reporting — Classroom & Cases
Morning (09:30–13:00): Inauguration & orientation; contemporary developments in Indian Commerce; Ind AS compliance & financial reporting architecture.
Afternoon (14:00–17:30): Dissecting corporate annual reports, financial statement ratio analysis, balance sheet forensics, and group business case studies.

DAY 2 (25 Dec): Digital Accounting & Business Analytics — Computer Lab
Morning (09:30–13:00): Spreadsheet architecture, advanced MS Excel modeling, logical functions (IF, IFS), lookup suites (XLOOKUP, INDEX/MATCH), error auditing.
Afternoon (14:00–17:30): Business analytics & visualization: dynamic multi-table PivotTables, interactive slicers, financial KPI dashboard modeling.

DAY 3 (26 Dec): RBI Monetary Museum & Mumbai Financial Heritage Walk — Full-Day Field Immersion
Morning (08:30–13:30): Educational visit to the **Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Monetary Museum**, Fort: currency evolution, coinage, central banking & policy.
Afternoon (14:00–18:00): Curated **Mumbai Financial Heritage Walk**: historic Fort precinct, Horniman Circle, Asian Library, and BSE commercial origins.

DAY 4 (27 Dec): Capital Markets, Regulation & Investor Awareness — SEBI / BSE Masterclass
Morning (09:30–13:00): Expert session on **SEBI** securities regulation, surveillance frameworks, insider trading prevention, and investor protection rights.
Afternoon (14:00–17:30): Stock exchange mechanisms (BSE/NSE): electronic trading engines, Sensex/Nifty indices, derivatives overview, mutual funds.

DAY 5 (28 Dec): Industrial Exposure, JNPT & Supply Chain Finance — Industrial Field Tour
Morning (08:30–13:30): Field study at **Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority (JNPT)**: container terminal operations, EXIM trade documentation & logistics.
Afternoon (14:30–17:30): Corporate interaction with port financial executives on supply chain inventory valuation, working capital optimization, and freight costing.

DAY 6 (29 Dec): Taxation, Auditing, Responsible AI & Career Pathways — Professional Masterclass
Morning (09:30–13:00): Income Tax & GST compliance workflows, statutory audit controls, corporate governance, and ethical AI in accounting.
Afternoon (14:00–17:30): Research methodology, secondary data synthesis, structured academic writing; career masterclass navigating CA, CMA, CS, CFA, CPA & analytics.

DAY 7 (30 Dec): Project Presentations, Assessment & Valedictory — Certification Ceremony
Morning (09:30–13:00): Capstone group project presentations and defense before a faculty jury evaluating empirical data models and field visit reflections.
Afternoon (14:00–16:30): Participant reflective feedback, formal Valedictory Ceremony, distribution of autonomous Certificates of Successful Completion.

FIVE-COMPONENT ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORK (SECTION 9)

AUTONOMOUS CERTIFICATION STANDARD

Evaluation Component	Assessment Focus & Deliverable	Weightage
1. Session Participation & Punctuality	Active engagement in masterclasses, discussions & 100% attendance	10%
2. Computer Lab Assignments	Spreadsheet modeling, lookup formulas & KPI dashboard outputs	25%
3. Quizzes & Case-Study Solutions	Ind AS applications, taxation scenarios & ratio problem solving	20%
4. Capstone Project Defense	Empirical team research presentation defended before faculty jury	35%
5. Reflective Learning & Feedback	Field visit analytical reflections & comprehensive programme review	10%
Total Aggregate Score (Autonomous Completion Certificate Awarded)		**100%**

🏠 **Accommodation & Pure Veg Dining:**
Accommodation will be provided to participants for all 7 days (specific guidelines and room allocations communicated at a later stage). Wholesome pure vegetarian Breakfast, Lunch, High Tea, and Dinner provided daily.

★ **16-Hour Guided Study Tours:**
Guided field visits and study tours for all scheduled excursions: RBI Monetary Museum, Mumbai Fort Financial Heritage Walk, JNPT Port Container Logistics, and Capital Market Regulators (SEBI/BSE).

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION OPEN • LIMITED COHORT (20–30 SEATS)

₹10,000 (Strictly Non-Refundable)

- **Stage 1 (Booking):** ₹5,000 payable online to reserve seat (Strictly Non-Refundable).
- **Stage 2 (Balance on Arrival):** ₹5,000 payable upon check-in on 24 Dec 2026.
- **Inclusions:** 7 days accommodation, pure veg meals, study tours & certificate.
- **Roadmap:** 01. Form → 02. Booking (₹5k Non-Ref.) → 03. Undertaking → 04. Report.

Online Google Form: https://forms.gle/gqMqqtbDw7Gu9×QJ8

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