



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KARNATAKA, SURATHKAL

UG Induction Program 2026-2030 Batch

Induction program is an important component of the first-year curriculum and is mandatory for all newly admitted UG students. It is designed to familiarize them with the academic environment, facilities, and support services in a comprehensive yet efficient manner. The forenoon sessions on 18-19 August 2026 will be held at the Silver Jubilee Auditorium (SJA) and will include brief addresses by various Institute functionaries. The program includes NITK campus visits, and tours to Pilikula Nisargadhama and the Manipal Museum of Anatomy & Pathology. All students are required to attend the entire program, maintain individual notes, and submit a two-page summary for evaluation.

Parents: A separate session for parents is organized on Tue, 18 August, 2-5 pm in Silver Jubilee Auditorium.

18 Aug 2026 (Tuesday) | INSTITUTE OVERVIEW

Time	Programme	Resource Person
09:45	Invocation; Campus Videos	SPICMACAY Club; Dr. Pruthviraj U., PIC (IDEA Factory)
10:00	Welcome note	Prof. Subhash Yaragal, Deputy Director
10:15	NITK – An Institute of National Importance	Prof. B. Ravi, Director
10:30	UG curriculum and degree requirements	Prof. Annappa B., Dean (Academic Programs)
10:45	Life skills: Sports and other activities	Prof. Govinda Raj Mandela, Dean (Student Welfare)
11:00	Hostels, messes, healthcare, other facilities	Prof. M.R. Ramesh, PIC (Hostels)
11:15	Campus zones and key facilities	Prof. B. Venkatesa Perumal, Dean (Planning & Dev.)
11:30	Departments, centers and key functionaries	Prof. T. Laxminidhi, Dean (Faculty & Staff Welfare)
11:45	Career development: lessons from alumni	Prof. B.D. Prasanna, Dean (Alumni & Corp. Relations)
12:00	Internship opportunities in India and abroad	Prof. Anish S., PIC (Placements)
12:15	Pledge administration and vote of thanks	Dr. Nagendrappa H., Associate Dean (Sports)
12:25	National Anthem	
12:30	Lunch for students & parents	Respective Hostel Teams

19 Aug 2026 (Wednesday) | ACADEMICS & BEYOND

Time	Programme	Resource Person
09:45	Glimpses of R&D Projects (videos)	Prof. K. V. Gangadharan, PIC (CIDS)
10:00	Tips for Effective Teaching and Learning	Prof. Pavan Kumar Saraf, PIC (Curriculum & Pedagogy)
10:15	Life Skills: Student clubs and events	Dr. Geetha V., Associate Dean (Life Skills)
10:30	Institute Innovation Cell and E-Cell	Dr. K. Suprabha, PIC (IIC)
10:45	Research, Innovation and Entrepreneurship	Prof. Udaya Bhat, Dean (Research & Innovation)
11:00	Science & Technology Entrepreneurs' Park	Prof. Subraya R. Hegde, PIC (S&T Ent'ship)
11:15	Central Research Facility and its users	Prof. I. Regupathi, PIC (CRF)
11:30	Sponsored research projects & impact	Dr. Shyam Lal, Associate Dean (Research)
11:45	Special schemes for underprivileged students	Dr. K. Prabu, Liaison Officer (SC/ST) /OBC
12:00	Overcoming physical and mental limitations	Prof. H. Mahalingam, Liaison Officer (PWD)
12:15	Facilities and support for women students	Dr. G. Chandhini, PIC (Women Welfare Cell)
12:30	Lunch Break	Respective Hostel Teams