

Dated 4th Sept 2020

Welcome statement by the Principal, of Shillong Polytechnic to Term I students 2020.

Dear,

Students who have qualified and have been selected to undergo the diploma programs of Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, Electronics and Communication and Computer Science and Engineering of the academic year starting in 2020, it is my honour and privilege to welcome you to become a part of the family that we call Shillong Polytechnic. In normal situations, all of you along with your parents and guardians would have been participating in the annual orientation program which is a one day program that would have familiarised you with your Institution and all the facilities that it can provide. However, in the present situation, with the Covid pandemic gripping the entire planet, we are compelled to overcome and improvise. The present situation has led to contactless sharing of information, online learning and work from home culture.

We as teachers do our job best when you, our students are physically around us in the classrooms, laboratories and workshops. The present restrictions on such assemblies and gatherings has taken a huge toll on the activities of the academic year and calendar. In order that the academic activities be on track, that is, to the best of our abilities, the academic year will begin starting September 7th, 2020 in the format of online classes.

You are thus advised to respond to online text/messages from your Heads of Department and teachers. They will guide you in whatever means possible as directed by the Education Department/higher authorities. You are also advised to visit the Institute's website shillongpolytechnic.com for latest information on a regular basis, but preferably daily, during this period of online classes. Online classes will be conducted through multiple platforms like whatsapp, Google classroom, and institute online class notes portal notes.shillongpolytechnic.com.

So it's time for you to start a new journey. Take care, may God bless you with good health and happy learning.

Thank you.

Principal,
Shillong Polytechnic,
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