



GITAM: GANDHI INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT

(Deemed to be University u/s 3 of the UGC Act, 1956)

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**The Policy for
Food Safety and Standards**

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1 FSSAI

Section 92 (1) of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 grants the Food Authority the authority to establish regulations and standards that align with the provisions of this Act and the associated rules. Following the enactment of the FSS Act in 2006, the FSSAI engaged in comprehensive consultations and deliberations with diverse stakeholders, resulting in the formulation of six principal regulations. These regulations were officially published in the Gazette of India on August 1, 2011, and they became effective on August 5, 2011.

Students in educational institutions such as schools and colleges depend on canteens for their meals. In India, the definition of "food business" encompasses cafeterias operating within these educational establishments. The Food Safety and Standards (FSS) Act, 2006, mandates the acquisition of an FSSAI Registration or License for all school and college canteens. Obtaining an FSSAI License ensures the quality and safety of food served to children in these canteens.

GITAM Deemed to be university is certified by the Government of Andhra Pradesh Food Safety and Standards Act 2006.





FORM C
 Government of Andhra Pradesh Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006
 (Regulation 2.1.4(6))
 ప్రైసెస్సు / Licence

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స్థలము / Place : Greater Visakhapatnam Mpl. Corp.

తేదీ / Date : 21/10/2020



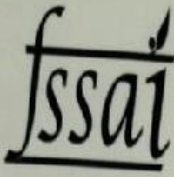
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 Stamp of the Designated Officer

Food Safety Designated Officer and Licensing Authority
 Code: 028
 District: Visakhapatnam

Validation And Renewal

Licence Issue / Renewal Date	Period of validity	Licence Fee Paid	Items of Food products authorized to Manufacture/ Re-pack/ Re-label	Installed handling Capacity	Signature Of Designated Officer
19/11/2019	31/12/2020	Rs.2000	Please refer to annexure for details.	Please refer to annexure for details	—
01/01/2021	31/12/2023	Rs.6000.00(For Renewal)	Please refer to annexure for details.	Please refer to annexure for details	

*The Application for renewal of license shall be submitted 30 days prior to the expiry date mentioned above after which Rs. 100 per day will be charged up to the date of expiry.
 Disclaimer-This License is only to commence or carry on food businesses and not for any other purpose.



Form C
Government of Andhra Pradesh
Food Safety and Standards Authority of India
License under FSS Act, 2006



License Number: 10121028000616



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| 1. Name & Registered Office address of Licensee: | GIMSR CAFE, GANDHI INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT
GITAM UNIVERSITY, GANDHINAGAR CAMPUS,
RUSHIKONDA, VISAKHAPATNAM, Greater
Visakhapatnam Mpl. Corp., Andhra
Pradesh-530045 |
| 2. Address of Authorized Premises: | GITAM UNIVERSITY, GANDHINAGAR CAMPUS,
RUSHIKONDA, VISAKHAPATNAM,
Madhurawada (Mpl. Corp.), Visakhapatnam,
Andhra Pradesh-530045 |
| 3. Kind of Business: | Food Services - Restaurants
Food Services - Club/Canteen |
| 4. Dairy Business Details: | No |
| 5. Category of License: | State License |

This license is granted under and is subject to the provisions of FSS Act, 2006 all of which must be complied with by the licensee.

Place: Visakhapatnam
 Issued On: 24-05-2023 (Renewal License)
 Valid Upto: 15-07-2024 (For details, refer Annexure)


Designated Officer
 Food Safety Designated Officer
 and Licensing Authority
 Code: 02B
 District: Visakhapatnam

Annexures:

1. Product Annexure
2. Validity Annexure
3. Non-Form C Annexure
4. Conditions Of License



Note:

1. Application for renewal of License can be filed as early as 180 days prior to expiry date of License. You can file application for renewal or modification of License by login into FSSAI's Food Safety Compliance System (<https://foscos.fssai.gov.in>) with your user id and password or call us at 1800112100 for any clarification.
2. This License is only to commence or carry on food businesses and not for any other purpose.
3. This is computer generated license and doesn't require any signature or stamp by authority.

2 Food and Dining Facilities at GITAM Deemed to be University

Food plays a pivotal role in the life of university students. It is not just about sustenance but also about fostering a sense of community, providing a break from academic rigors, and ensuring that students receive balanced nutrition. GITAM recognizes the importance of food and dining facilities for its students and has taken significant steps to provide an enriching culinary experience. GITAM focuses various aspects of food and dining facilities on Campuses.

2.1 Diverse Dining Options:

GITAM offers a wide array of dining options to cater to the diverse tastes and preferences of its students. The dining facilities are strategically located across the campus to ensure easy access for all. Whether students are looking for traditional Indian cuisine, continental dishes, or fast-food favorites, they can find it within the university premises.

2.2 Hygiene and Quality Assurance:

One of the paramount concerns when it comes to food facilities is hygiene and quality. GITAM takes this aspect seriously and ensures that all dining establishments on campus adhere to strict hygiene standards. Regular inspections, stringent quality control measures, and trained kitchen staff contribute to the overall safety and quality of the food served.

2.3 Nutritional Balance:

Recognizing the significance of balanced nutrition for students' well-being and academic performance, dining facilities at GITAM offer a range of nutritious options. Special attention is given to include a variety of fruits, vegetables, and proteins in the menu. There are also provisions for students with dietary restrictions or special dietary needs.

2.4 Cafeterias and Food Courts:

The university boasts spacious cafeterias and food courts where students can not only savour their meals but also engage in social interactions. These spaces serve

as hubs for student gatherings, discussions, and relaxation. They are designed to foster a sense of community among the students.

2.5 Special Events and Cultural Cuisine:

GITAM understands that food is not just about nourishment but also a means to celebrate diversity and culture. The dining facilities often organize special events and theme-based food festivals that showcase regional and international cuisines. These events provide students with a culinary journey around the world.

2.6 Student Feedback and Engagement:

A significant aspect of the food and dining facilities at GITAM is the emphasis on student feedback. Regular surveys and feedback mechanisms are in place to ensure that students' opinions are taken into account when making improvements or changes to the dining options. This two-way communication fosters a sense of ownership among students.

2.7 Sustainability Initiatives:

In an era where sustainability is a global concern, GITAM is not left behind. The dining facilities have introduced sustainability initiatives, such as reducing food waste, promoting the use of eco-friendly packaging, and sourcing ingredients locally whenever possible. These efforts align with the university's commitment to environmental responsibility.

2.8 Affordability and Accessibility:

Recognizing that students have varying budgets, GITAM endeavors to keep the dining facilities affordable. The menu prices are student-friendly, ensuring that every student can access nutritious and delicious meals without straining their finances. Moreover, the dining locations are easily accessible from various parts of the campus.

2.9 Cultural Integration:

GITAM University has a diverse student body, and the dining facilities play a role in cultural integration. They offer a platform for students from different regions and

backgrounds to share their culinary traditions. This exchange of food and culture promotes a richer, more inclusive university experience.

The food and dining facilities at GITAM, are not just about serving meals but about creating an enriching and holistic student experience. These facilities go beyond sustenance, promoting hygiene, nutrition, cultural exchange, and sustainability. By providing diverse dining options, ensuring affordability, and actively engaging with students, GITAM sets a commendable standard for universities aiming to enhance the well-being of their student community. The university's commitment to quality and student satisfaction is evident in every aspect of its food and dining services, making it a model for others to follow.

Every GITAM campus offers its faculty and students several dining options to choose. From a fresh cup of coffee to hearty meals, you can get it all right here on Campus. Residential faculty and students have access to several on-campus canteens as part of their accommodation.

Indicative Dining halls at Campus



Kokila Sadan Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location : Girls Hostel (Kokila & Nirmala Sadan), Visakhapatnam Campus

Cuisine : Indian, Asian & Western

Must Try : Weekly Cyclic Menu



Saddarma Sadan Ground Floor Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location : Saddarma Sadan Boys Hostel, Visakhapatnam Campus

Cuisine : Indian, Asian & Western

Must Try : Nutrition Breakfast Millet Porridge, Traditional Andhra Meal



DDS Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location : Near West Gate (Engineering Campus), Visakhapatnam Campus

Cuisine : Indian, Asian & Western

Must Try : Weekly Cyclic Menu



Saddarma Sadan International First Floor Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location : Saddarma Sadan Boys Hostel First Floor, Visakhapatnam Campus

Cuisine : Indian, Asian & Western

Must Try : Weekly Cyclic Menu



GIMSR Café

Type : A la carte

Location: GIMSR Campus

Cuisine : World cuisine (Italian /Panasian/ Mexican / European & Indian)

Must Try : Multigrain Grilled veg sandwich, Whole wheat panini, Millet pulav, Spinach tortellini, Thai curry, Ragisangati with natukodi pulusu, Thai curry, Cheese tortellini, From chef-curated Salted Caramel pastry, Trechelyche, Baked yogurt, Tiramisu, and Cream Brulee are special for must-try.



GIMSR MBBS Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location: GIMSR Campus

Cuisine : Indian , Asian & Western

Must Try: Nutrition breakfast ragi malt, Sunday special Biryani, Treditional Andhra meal , Balusai dessert



Nursing Dining Hall

Type : Buffet Service

Location : GIMSR Campus

Cuisine : Indian , Asian & Western

Must Try : Nutrition breakfast ragi malt , Sunday special Biryani , Traditional Andhra meal , Balusai dessert



GITAM Cafe

Type: Ala carte and Buffet

Location: Sports Arena, Hyderabad Campus

Cuisine: Indian and Asian

Must Try: Chicken 65 Biryani, Chilli Chicken Rice or Noodles, Flaky chicken Parotta with chicken curry. Ice-creams & Smoothies



GITAM Cafe

Type: Ala carte and Buffet

Location: Sports Arena, Hyderabad Campus

Cuisine: Indian and Asian

Must Try: Chicken 65 Biryani, Chilli Chicken Rice or Noodles, Flaky chicken parotta with chicken curry. Icecreams & Smoothies



Informal Kafe

Type: Cafe

Location: Block -H (KSPP Floor), Hyderabad Campus

Cuisine: Coffee And Bakes

Must Try: Doughnuts, Cup cakes, Cold Coffee



South Block

Type : Buffet Service

Location:Ground floor- Hostel block,
Bengaluru Campus

Cuisine : Indian , Asian

Must Try: Fixed buffet menu having
Chicken fry, Veg & Non-veg Biryani's

URL:

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZaOZ2DHkpzY>
- <https://www.gitam.edu/campus-life/hospitality/campus-dining>
