Major Kulthe Defence Education Institute
(NDA Preparatory Institute)

THE MGM SCHOOL'S

FOR BOTH BOY & GIRL CADETS (RESIDENTIAL)

भारतीय संरक्षण दलात अधिकारी होण्याची सुवर्ण संधी !

ADMISSION NOTIFICATION – ACADEMIC SESSION 2027

प्रवेश प्रक्रिया : इयत्ता ९ वी (CBSE) आणि इयत्ता ११ वी (विज्ञान शाखा)

Admissions Open for Class IX (CBSE) & Class XI (Science Stream)

About MKDEI : MKDEI is the residential, NDA preparatory wing of The MGM School which prepares cadets for **UPSC (NDA/NA)** and **Technical Entry Scheme (TES)** and other defence entries along with the schooling. It prepares cadets subsequently for **SSB interview** and encourages the youth of India **to join the defence forces as an officer.**

REGISTRATION DEADLINE	CLASS XI ENTRANCE EXAM	REGISTRATION FEE
08 April 2027	**11 April 2027**	**₹ 400/- Only**
Closes at 23:59 Hrs (Online)	Offline Written Test & Interview	Payable Online at www.mkdei.com

COURSE DETAILS, ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & SELECTION PROCESS

Particulars	Class IX (CBSE) — Residential	Class XI (Science) — Residential
Course Commencement	**April 2027** (Online applications invited)	**June 2027** (Online applications invited)
Age Limit (Date of Birth)	Born between **02 Jan 2012** and **01 Jan 2015** (both dates inclusive)	Born between **01 Jul 2010** and **01 Jul 2013** (both dates inclusive)
Educational Qualification	Appearing for Class VIII annual examination from a recognized board in Mar/Apr/May 2027 and eligible for promotion to Class IX.	Appearing for Class X annual examination from a recognized board in Mar/Apr/May 2027 and eligible for promotion to Class XI.
Selection Procedure	Selection will be conducted directly through a **Personal Interview** after successful online registration at **www.mkdei.com**.	**Stage I – Offline Written Test (11 April 2027):** 100 Marks MCQ exam [+1 mark each for correct answer & (-0.25) negative marking per wrong answer] based on common chapters of Class X State Board & CBSE syllabus. **Stage II – Personal Interview:** Conducted on the same day exclusively for candidates qualifying in the written test.

MEDICAL & EXAMINATION GUIDELINES

- **Physical Standards:** Candidates must be physically and medically fit to undergo rigorous military academy-standard training. Body weight must be proportionate to height.
- **Admit Card Issue:** Admit cards will be sent to candidates' registered **Email ID** and **WhatsApp number** on **09 April 2027**.
- **Examination & Interview Centre:** MKDEI, MGM Golf Club Campus, Padegaon, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar.

IMPORTANT DATES & SCHEDULE

Last Date to Register	**08 Apr 2027 (23:59 Hrs)**
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Class IX Course Starts	**April 2027**
Class XI Course Starts	**June 2027**

Apply Online Now: www.mkdei.com
Registration Fee: Rs. 400/- (To be paid via online payment mode only)

Admission & Exam Helpline
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Date : 20 Nov. 2026 **Place : Chha. Sambhajinagar**