

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Department of Youth Services & Sports
Standard Buildings, 32/1 BBD Bag (South)
Kolkata -700001

Memo No. 158 - DYS / 2S - 18 / 2025

Dated – 05/02/2026

To : The District Youth Officer ,

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Sub: Introduction of Advanced Technology Courses in Youth Computer Training Centres .

Whereas a proposal has been received from the Joint Council of Education – Partners of Youth Services for introduction of advanced technology-oriented courses in Youth Computer Training Centres (YCTCs) across West Bengal , with academic support from M/s Hewlett Packard Enterprise (HPE), as detailed in their application dated 11.05.2025;

And whereas the Department of Youth Services recognizes the need to upgrade skill training of youth in emerging domains such as Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Python Programming, Digital Marketing and allied technologies for improving employability and aligning with global technological trends;

Whereas the Finance Department has agreed and approved the above courses with fee structures .

Now, therefore, the undersigned , is pleased to order that the following new courses shall be introduced in YCTCs in addition to the courses being run at present:

1. Courses Approved :-

Course Name	Duration	Fee
Certificate in Artificial Intelligence (CAI)	6 Months	₹6,000
Diploma in Artificial Intelligence (DAI)	12 Months	₹12,000
Diploma in Data Science (DDS)	12 Months	₹12,000
Certificate in Python Programming (CPP)	6 Months	₹6,000
Diploma in Digital Classroom Training (DCT)	12 Months	₹12,000
Certificate in Digital Marketing (CDM)	6 Months	₹6,000
Certificate in Green Skills with AI (CGS)	6 Months	₹6,000

2. Technology support & faculty development :

Faculty Training Programs should be undertaken first to upskill existing YCTC instructors for sustainability and long-term capacity building. Academic content, faculty development programmes and digital learning resources (Learning Management System) shall be made available , which YCTCs may suitably integrate into their academic delivery process in accordance with

institutional norms and applicable terms. Commercial involved and mode of engagement shall be separately intimated by this department or Joint Council of Education – Partners of Youth Services later on .

YCTCs shall function as physical learning centres for student enrollment, practical sessions, assessments and academic support as usual .

3. Fees collection :-

Course fees shall be collected as per the following instalment plan :

6 months courses – Rs. 2000 on Admission and Rs. 1000 per month for next 4 months.

12 months courses -

During 1st 6 month Semester - Rs. 2000 on Admission & Rs.1000 p.m. for 4 months

During 2nd 6 month Semester – Rs.2000 on Month 6 & Rs.1000 p.m. for 4 months.

4. Assessment, Certification & Govt. share :-

Govt. Share as per existing norms would be payable on course Fee. Assessment and certification will be done through the EEAS platform upon payment of examination fee as per existing system.

You are requested to send this order along with syllabus to all YCTCs under your control immediately so that the new courses can be rolled out from the April , 2026 .

OSD & Ex-Officio Secretary
Government of West Bengal

Enclosure : Approved Syllabus.

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Copy forwarded to Mr. Sarvesh Garg , Project Manager , HPE with a request to send this to all YCTCs and extend necessary assistance to the YCTCs for rolling out these courses , hand holding of faculties , preparation of question bank etc. on urgent basis .

OSD & Ex-Officio Secretary
Government of West Bengal