

BENGAL COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, DURGAPUR

Library

Vision

To be a dynamic, knowledge-driven centre of learning that fosters academic excellence, research, and intellectual curiosity among the students and faculty of BCET, supporting the institution's growth into a centre of higher learning recognized for quality technical education in eastern India.

Objectives

- To build and continually strengthen a collection of books, journals, and digital resources relevant to the engineering, management, and applied science programs offered by the college.
- To provide students, faculty, and researchers with efficient, open access to information resources in both print and electronic form.
- To support curriculum delivery, project work, and research activity through timely acquisition of current and relevant material.
- To promote independent learning and reading habits among students beyond the prescribed syllabus.
- To extend access to national digital resource consortia (such as N-LIST / e-Shodh Sindhu and NDLI) so users can draw on scholarship beyond the college's own holdings.
- To maintain transparent, user-friendly circulation and membership systems, including a searchable online catalogue.
- To continuously modernize library services, infrastructure, and staff training in line with UGC and AICTE expectations for technical institutions.

Overview

The BCET Central Library supports the college's undergraduate and postgraduate programs across engineering, management, and applied sciences. It serves students, faculty, and staff of the college, which is affiliated to MAKAUT (Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology) and approved by AICTE and NBA.

Location: Three Floor **Seating capacity:** 500

56,148 Books	3,329 Titles	80 Print journals	451 E-journals	300 CDs
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Working Hours

Day	Timing
Monday – Friday	9:00 AM – 5:30 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM – 5:30 PM
Sunday	Closed

Collection & Resources

- **Books:** 56,148 volumes across 3,329 titles
- **Print journals:** 80 current subscriptions
- **E-journals:** 451 titles accessible online(SpringerLink) + DELNET
- **CDs / multimedia:** 300 items
- **Reading room:** 500 seats, Wi-Fi enabled

Digital Library

- **Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC):** <https://bcet-opac.kohacloud.in>
- **N-LIST / e-Shodh Sindhu access:** remote login for registered users
- **National Digital Library of India (NDLI):** ndl.iitkgp.ac.in

Membership & Borrowing Rules

1. Membership is open to enrolled BCET students, faculty, and staff on production of a valid college ID card.
2. Students may borrow up to Six(06) books for Six Months(06); faculty up to Three (03) books for SixMonths(06).
3. Overdue items attract a fine of Two(2.00/-) rupees per day, per item.
4. Reference and rare-book sections are for in-library use only.
5. Lost or damaged items must be replaced or paid for as per the library's replacement policy.
6. A No-Dues Clearance from the library is required at the time of course completion or transfer.

Forms & Downloads

- Library Membership Form — https://atpl.kohacloud.in/upload/documents/BCET_Membership_Form.pdf
- No-Dues Certificate Form — https://atpl.kohacloud.in/upload/documents/BCET_No-Dues-Form.pdf
- Library Rules & Regulations — https://bcet-opac.kohacloud.in/cgi-bin/koha/opac-page.pl?page_id=17

Library Staff

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