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## AP EAMCET notification on February 26

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The AP government will issue notification for AP Eamcet-2018 on February 26. Applications would be allowed to submit their applications from February 28. Aadhaar number is mandatory for the student who needs to mention Aadhaar number and not attach or send or scan any certificates.

The applicant should upload the information in the application through online. Eamcet convener Ch.Saibabu said the Eamcet office will gather the information of the student based on Aadhaar number which is linked to all of the student's certificates. He said the Eamcet examinations will be held on April 22, 23, 24 and 25 for engineering and on April 25 and 26 for agriculture and medicine test. He said details of the student would be integrated with his Aadhaar card. He said the students should pay ₹500 as fees for the test. For candidates from Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribes, however, there is no examination fees.

A students should secure 40 marks (25 per cent) to get the seat. He said that the examination would be held online only. This would be the second time that the examination are being held online for Eamcet. The state government introduced online mode of examination from last year.

Meanwhile, an information cell has been opened at the Eamcet office at Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Kakinada (JNTUK) which is organising the test. The students can contact the phone numbers 0884-2340535 and 0884-2356755.

Eamcet officials expect around 3 lakh students to appear this year. They include 2 lakh engineering and 1 lakh agriculture and medicine students. Last year, around 2.8 lakh students (1.90 for engineering and 80 lakh for medicine) appeared for the examination.