

Kongu Engineering College (Autonomous)

KEC

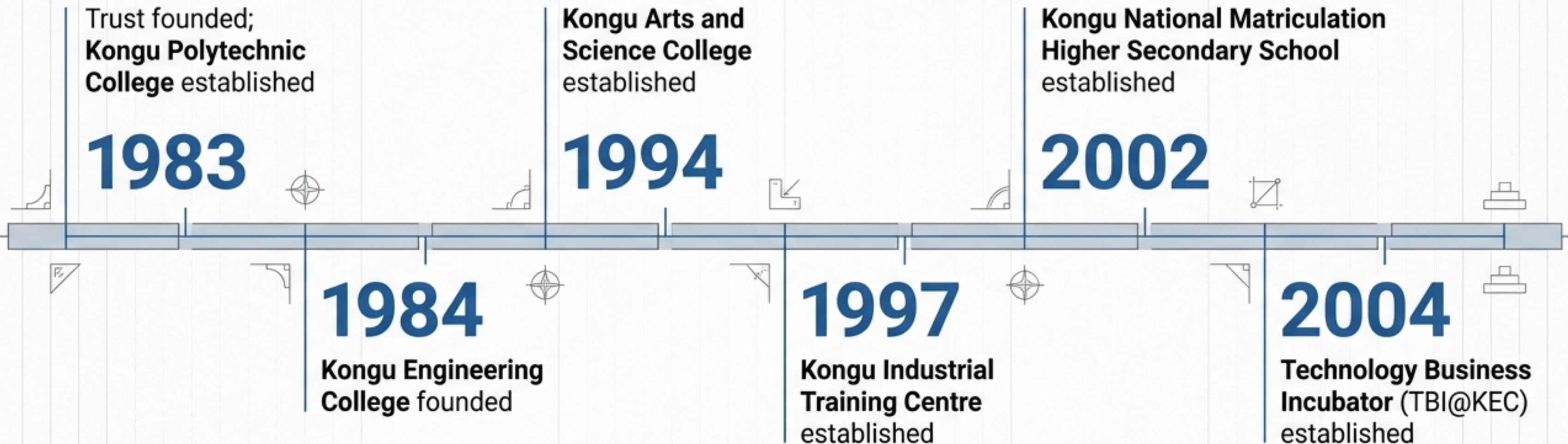
Institution Identity

Type:	Self-Financing, Autonomous
Affiliation:	Anna University, Chennai
Location:	Perundurai, Erode
Year Established:	1984
Gender Profile:	Co-educational
Admission Route:	TNEA (65% government quota + 35% management quota)

TNEA Code:

2711

Institutional Heritage & Founding



Management:

Kongu Vellalar Institute of Technology Trust (KVITT)

Founders:

Forty-one philanthropists from the Kongu Vellalar community

Stated Mission:

To promote technical education and cultural activities in the Kongu region of western Tamil Nadu.

Regulatory Status & Program Accreditation



Institutional Approval

AICTE:

Approved —
AY 2025-26

NBA Accredited Programs

Automobile Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Civil Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Computer Science and Engineering	(Valid until 2026)
Chemical Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Electronics and Communication Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	(Valid until 2026)
Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Food Technology	(Valid until 2029)
Mechanical Engineering	(Valid until 2028)
Information Technology	(Valid until 2026)
Mechatronics Engineering	(Valid until 2029)

Institutional Rankings

NIRF (MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, GOVT. OF INDIA)

101–150

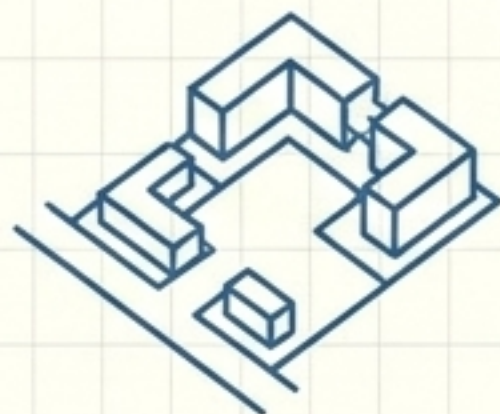
Category: Engineering
Year: 2025

UG Programs – B.E. / B.Tech (TNEA 2026)

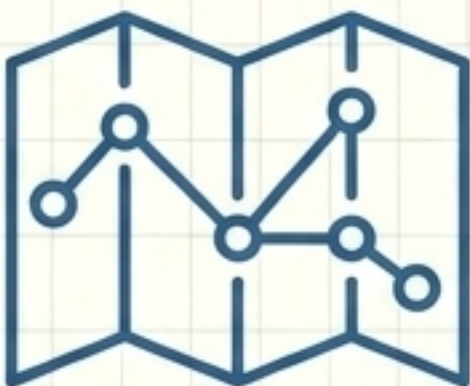
Branch	Code	Intake	Year Started	NBA Status
Artificial Intelligence and Data Science * (New-Age)	AD	180	2021	
Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning * (New-Age)	AL	60	2021	
Automobile Engineering	AU	30	2015	Accredited until 2028
Civil Engineering	CE	60	1984	Accredited until 2028
Computer Science and Design * (New-Age)	CD	120	2021	
Computer Science and Engineering	CS	360	1988	Accredited until 2026
Chemical Engineering	CH	60	1994	Accredited until 2028
Electronics and Communication Engineering	EC	240	1984	Accredited until 2028
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	EE	120	1994	Accredited until 2026
Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	EI	120	1998	Accredited until 2028
Food Technology	FD	60	2006	Accredited until 2029
Mechanical Engineering	ME	60	1984	Accredited until 2028
Information Technology	IT	180	1998	Accredited until 2026
Mechatronics Engineering	MZ	120	1999	Accredited until 2029

Total sanctioned intake: 1770

Hostel Infrastructure & Transport



Campus Location	
Perundurai Railway Station Road, Thoppupalayam	
Hostel Facilities	
Boys Hostel:	Available (Permanent facility, Vegetarian mess)
Girls Hostel:	Available (Permanent facility, Vegetarian mess)



Transport & Connectivity	
Transport Facility:	Available
Nearest Town:	Perundurai
Distance to District HQ (Erode):	18 km
Nearest Railway Station:	Erode Junction (approximately 20 km from campus)

Scholarships & Financial Access

Available Government Schemes

Post Matric Scholarship (SC/ST)	Available to eligible SC/ST students.
Post Matric Scholarship (BC/MBC)	Available to eligible BC/MBC students.
First Graduate Scholarship	Available to eligible first graduate in the family.

Research, Innovation & Industry Partnerships

Centers of Excellence & Incubation

Technology Business Incubator (TBI@KEC):
Established **2004** (DST Grant-in-Aid, project cost **Rs. 3.95 crore**)

Centre for Renewable Energy: DST-FIST supported

Industry-Institute Partnership Cell: ISO-certified with certified Energy Auditors

Industry Partnerships

Institutional tie-ups include **Cognizant, TCS, Tech Mahindra, and Bosch.**

Research Grants & Patents

Cumulative Research Grants: **Rs. 2,490.16 lakh** across **263** sanctioned projects

Major Funding Bodies:
AICTE, UGC, DST,
CSIR, DIT, MNRE

DST NIDHI-PRAYAS Scheme: **Rs. 7 crore** grant received

Patents: **10** patents granted, **3** design patents granted, **69** patents published/in pipeline

Achievements & Notable Alumni

Institutional Achievements

-  **DST NIDHI-PRAYAS Grant (2017):** KEC TBI ranked among 10 out of 100 TBIs nationally to qualify (Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India).
-  **Clean Campus Rank (2019):** Ranked 5th among cleanest Higher Education Institutions in India (AICTE Swachhata Ranking).
-  **Impactful Startups (2022):** Two KEC TBI incubatees listed among the 75 Impactful Startups by DST TBIs (Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India).
-  **Centre for Renewable Energy:** Supported by DST-FIST (Dept. of Science and Technology, Govt. of India).

Notable Alumni

Dr. P. Murthi

(1988, Civil Engineering)

Professor, SR Engineering College, Warangal

Er. V. Sadasivam

(1988, Civil Engineering)

General Manager, L&T ECC Limited, Chennai

Dr. V. R. Ramkumar

(1989, Civil Engineering)

Scientist, IPIRTI, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Bengaluru

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