

# Institutional Profile: PSNA College of Engineering and Technology (TNEA 5910)

## 1. Identity and Institutional Framework

For any candidate entering the TNEA 2026 admissions cycle, the foundational identity of an institution—comprising its administrative code, legal status, and university affiliation—serves as the primary filter for eligibility and long-term degree recognition. These data points establish the regulatory boundaries within which a student will operate for four years and dictate the validity of the degree in the professional market.

Field	Details
Full Name	PSNA College of Engineering and Technology
Short Name	PSNACET
TNEA Code	5910
Institution Type	Self-Financing, Autonomous
City	Dindigul
Year of Establishment	1984
Affiliated University	Anna University, Chennai

<b>Gender Profile</b>	Co-educational
<b>Admission Route</b>	TNEA government quota 65% plus management quota 35%

This structural framework is the culmination of over four decades of institutional evolution. The college's transition to an Autonomous institution under Anna University is a direct result of the academic maturity and administrative stability it has maintained since its founding in 1984.

## 2. Founding Heritage and Mission

The strategic value of an institution's founding context lies in its historical stability and the consistency of its academic culture. For PSNACET, this culture is rooted in the "Self-Financing Colleges" scheme approved by the Government of Tamil Nadu in 1984, marking it as one of the early private entrants into the state's technical education landscape.

The college was established by Kalvi Thanthai Late Thiru R.S. Kothandaraman and operates under the aegis of the Sri Ranganalatchumi Educational Trust. Adhering to the motto "Trust in God," the institution's stated mission is "to uplift the downtrodden and needy people of this part of the country during its formative period." Since its inception, the college has reached significant milestones, including the introduction of international student admissions in 2002 and its eventual elevation to autonomous status, which allows for greater curricular flexibility while remaining under the Anna University umbrella.

This historical continuity provides a verified platform for maintaining current regulatory standards and national certifications.

## 3. Regulatory Status (AICTE)

Current-year AICTE (All India Council for Technical Education) approval is the non-negotiable benchmark for any engineering degree. It ensures that the programs offered meet national standards for technical education, which is a mandatory prerequisite for both government employment and eligibility for postgraduate studies via GATE or higher education in M.E./M.Tech programs.

PSNA College of Engineering and Technology has confirmed AICTE Approval for the Academic Year 2025-26. This status confirms the institution is operating within the faculty-to-student ratios and infrastructural norms mandated by the national regulator.

These institutional-level approvals lead directly into program-specific quality benchmarks verified by the National Board of Accreditation.

## 4. National Board of Accreditation (NBA) Status

While AICTE approval is mandatory for operation, NBA accreditation (Tier II) serves as a critical indicator of department-level academic quality. It signals that a specific program has undergone rigorous external peer review regarding its curriculum, pedagogy, and graduate outcomes, often facilitating smoother credit transfers for international higher education.

The following undergraduate programs at PSNACET hold current NBA accreditation:

- Biomedical Engineering (Valid until December 2028)
- Computer Science and Engineering (Valid until December 2028)
- Electronics and Communication Engineering (Valid until December 2028)
- Information Technology (Valid until December 2028)
- Civil Engineering (Valid until June 2028)
- Mechanical Engineering (Valid until June 2028)
- Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Valid until June 2027)

These accredited programs contribute significantly to the institution's standing in national evaluative frameworks, such as the NIRF.

## 5. National Rankings (NIRF)

The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) provides an objective, government-backed assessment of engineering colleges across India. NIRF rankings rely on verified metrics including graduation outcomes, faculty qualifications, and research output, providing students with a reliable tool for institutional comparison.

In the NIRF Engineering 2025 rankings, PSNA College of Engineering and Technology is positioned within the **201–300 band**. This placement indicates a level of consistent performance and resource allocation that remains competitive on a national scale.

This national standing is supported by the college's diverse academic offerings, specifically its pivot toward modern industry requirements.

## 6. Undergraduate Engineering Programs (TNEA 2026)

The institution's academic portfolio demonstrates a clear alignment with global technology trends. The recent introduction of multiple specialized branches suggests a proactive institutional shift toward "New-age" domains, particularly in Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, and Cyber Security.

Branch Name	Branch Code	Intake (2025-26)	Year Started	Category
Civil Engineering	CE	60	1984	Traditional
Mechanical Engineering	ME	90	1984	Traditional
Electronics and Communication Engineering	EC	240	1984	Traditional
Computer Science and Engineering	CS	300	1995	Traditional
Electrical and Electronics Engineering	EE	90	1995	Traditional
Information Technology	IT	180	1998	Traditional
Biomedical Engineering	BM	60	2006	Specialization
Computer Science and Business Systems	CB	60	2020	<b>New-age branch</b>

Artificial Intelligence and Data Science	AD	120	2020	New-age branch
Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)	SC	60	2023	New-age branch
Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning	AM	60	2024	New-age branch
Electronics and Computer Engineering	EV	60	2024	New-age branch

The delivery of these programs is supported by a significant physical infrastructure designed to accommodate a high-density student population.

## 7. Campus Infrastructure, Hostel, and Transport

Campus scale and connectivity are vital factors that impact the daily safety and academic focus of students. A large, well-connected campus ensures that students have access to essential facilities and regional transport hubs without compromising on-campus security.

PSNACET is situated on a 118.52-acre campus, providing the space necessary for its high intake across twelve undergraduate departments.

**Hostel Availability** | Facility | Boys | Girls | | :--- | :--- | :--- | | Accommodation | Available (Permanent) | Available (Permanent) | | Mess Type | Veg/Non-Veg | Veg/Non-Veg |

### Transport and Connectivity

- **Railway Access:** Dindigul Junction is located 10 km from the campus.
- **Highway Access:** The campus is strategically located on the Dindigul–Palani Highway (SH-209 / NH-83 corridor), providing direct road connectivity to neighboring districts.

Physical access is complemented by financial access through various government-mandated support systems.

## 8. Scholarships and Financial Access

Government-mandated financial aid is essential for ensuring equitable access to technical education. These programs are specifically designed to reduce the financial barrier for students from economically and socially marginalized backgrounds.

The following scholarships are available to eligible students at this institution:

- SC/ST Post-Matric Scholarship
- BC/MBC Scholarship
- Minority Scholarship
- First Graduate Scholarship
- PMSS (Prime Minister's Special Scholarship) / Central Sector Scholarship

These financial investments are ultimately measured by the professional outcomes achieved by the graduates.

## 9. Placement and Career Outcomes

Placement efficiency is most accurately assessed by the relationship between the total number of graduates placed and the median salary, which offers a realistic baseline for early-career earnings in the current IT and core engineering sectors.

According to NIRF 2024 data, the institution reported **844 UG students placed** with a **median salary of Rs. 4 LPA**.

**Named Recruiters include:**

- Cognizant
- Wipro
- TCS
- Infosys
- IBM
- Accenture
- ICICI Bank
- Zoho
- Tata Technologies

*Note: All figures are self-reported by the institution.*

These placement outcomes are reinforced by an underlying research and innovation ecosystem that encourages technical problem-solving.

## 10. Research and Innovation Ecosystem

An institutional research infrastructure, including IPR cells and Innovation Councils, adds significant value to an undergraduate degree. It provides high-achieving students with opportunities for patent filing, startup development, and advanced technical research that goes beyond the standard university syllabus.

The PSNACET research ecosystem is distinguished by:

- **Internal Funding:** The **PSNACET Fellowship** provides institutional financial support, acting as a differentiator for students pursuing research.
- **Specialized Facilities:** Access to the **I-STEM Research Facility** provides high-end equipment access rarely found in standard self-financing colleges.
- **Governance Structures:** R&D Council, Anna University recognized Research Departments, IPR Cell, Institution Innovation Council (MHRD-IIC), National Innovation and Startup Policy (NISP) cell, and the Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC).

This research environment is validated by the specific achievements of the college's leadership and its industry partnerships.

## 11. Institutional Achievements

External validation through leadership awards and formal industry partnerships confirms the institution's current trajectory and its recognition within the professional engineering community.

Achievement	Details	Awarding Body / Partner	Date
Best Principal of the Year – Engineering	Dr. D. Vasudevan	ICT Academy (India)	2025
Industry MoU	Formal Partnership	Innovative Engineers Group (IEG)	3 July 2025

Information sourced from the college's official website, TNEA portal, and government data sources as available at time of preparation. Details may change — verify with official portals and the college website before making admission decisions.

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