# Hostel Committees and Mess Rules

Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi Centre

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## **Mess Rules**

- ISI Delhi boasts of an entirely student run mess where everything from the finances, the menu to even the procurement of vegetables is done by the students. Every fortnight a couple of students are chosen to be the mess managers.
- The students can volunteer to be the mess managers in groups of 2-3. If there are multiple teams volunteering for the same mess cycle, the mess committee will pick a team with the spirit of allowing maximum number of students to run the mess over the semester.
- In the event of no teams volunteering for a particular mess cycle, the mess committee will allocate the responsibility at their discretion, following the same pattern as above.
- We, at ISI Delhi, are an environmentally conscious community. Wastage of food in the mess is strongly discouraged. Each day, we measure the weight of the food that goes into the dustbin and our aim is to keep that number as low as possible.
- If you want to take any meal from mess, you must first join the mess by informing the mess managers. The mess managers for the first fortnight (1 August-15 August) are Abhay Gupta (9870438953), Mohnesh Gome (9560246249) and Bikash Jaiswal (8810603273). Please reach out on Whatsapp for any issues and avoid calling unless urgent.
- Following are the timings of mess meals:

Breakfast: 8:30-9:30 Lunch 13:00-14:00

Tea (light Snacks): 17:00-17:30

Dinner: 20:00-21:00

 Mess fees are around INR 1400 for all seven days a week and INR 1100 for weekdays. You get a rebate of INR 60 each day for the number of days you don't avail of the mess. (For example, if you join the mess on 6th August, you get a rebate for 5 days and you pay INR 1100)

- At the time the student pays the fortnightly mess fees, they have to specify their meal preferences in the spreadsheet shared via email or the one kept in mess. A student can either be vegetarian or non-vegetarian. No swapping of meal preferences shall be entertained.
- Students who want only lunches or selected meals can do so by eating as guests. The guest charges would be set by the mess manager and may vary for different meals.
- Every student who has joined mess has to become a mess manager for at least two
  fortnights in a year. Details of this will be provided later as the semester
  progresses.
- For any further details, you may contact Mess Committee members:

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## **Committees**

#### Washing Machine Committee (Jay Lohia)

The Washing Machine Room is located within the balcony on the second floor in the Old Hostel. There are two machines available for use. You need to pay Rs. 200 to avail the service. It is mainly towards the detergent powder expenses, and it usually last for a semester. It is required that you pay the stipulated amount by the 15th of August to Jay Lohia

Please keep the following rules (which may be subject to change at our discretion) in mind while cleaning:

- In a day there are 3 slots available 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., 1 p.m. to 7 p.m., 7 p.m. to 12 p.m. The link for booking slots will be shared with everyone over Whatsapp/email.
- You can book not more than one slot in every 8 days period and at most 2 persons can book a slot at a time.
- However, anyone can take an "extra" slot by informing us. Charges for taking an extra slot will be Rs. 50
- The keys will be with Jay (room no. TBD). During your reserved slot, you should take the key, put your clothes for washing, and then return the key to the room so that the second person in your slot can take it when needed. It usually takes around 01:30-02:00 hours for a wash. After the wash you have to return the key (within your slot time). If you transfer the key to the next slot user, you have to inform the same.

• You need to use only 1 spoonful (suggested amount is 3/4 spoon for a regular load, it's a 5.5 kg machine) of Washing Powder for the use at a time. (Last semester the machines malfunctioned due to use of excess powder. So please take note of this). If the washing powder is over, inform the washing machine committee. The committee may also ask you to get a new pack and in that case you will get your money refunded.

Violations of the above rules will be subject to a fine of Rs. 200. Upon repeated offence, the fine may be increased and the person may be debarred from using the washing machines.

#### **Hostel Library Committee: (Saurabh Joshi)**

We have a small Hostel-Library. It has mostly fiction books. You can borrow one book at most for a month. Please inform Saurabh Joshi before doing so.

#### **Cultural Committee: (Noopur Datar)**

The Cultural committee is responsible for the most exciting things that happen on campus. From *matki phod* during janmashtami, to masterminding the annual cultural night, organizing the much awaited freshers' party and so on and so forth.

#### Sports Committee: (Anubhav Jhunjhunwala, Khushi Kanojia)

There are various sports facilities available on campus, namely, cricket, football, volleyball, badminton, table tennis, carrom board, dart board and so on. However, for the maintenance of these sports items, the following rules need to be strictly observed:

- 1. Students are not allowed to keep sports items in their hostel room.
- 2. Sports items will remain locked and students should take responsibility when they take the items
- 3. Fines are imposed on people who spoil the items. Fine amount decided by sports committee will have to be paid.
- 4. Suggestions are always entertained for improvement.
- 5. Mischievous actions which might cause damage, which includes but not limited to sitting or sleeping on Table Tennis board, hitting rackets against walls, leaning against net, throwing sports items, etc., are also fined.

# Placement Cell: (Rahul Kushwaha, Mahima Yadav, Ayushi Bajaj, Labeeb Hassan)

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If you have any problems regarding anything in Hostel or otherwise you may contact the student representative Ishan Azad. (Ph: 9459407907) (Mail: ishan21q@isid.ac.in)

You will get emails from each committee soon.