



September 15, 2021

Dear Respected Principal and Manager,

Greetings from Xavier Board.

This is to introduce you to the Xavier Board of Higher Education in India (XBHEI), which is the only association of all the Catholic institutions of Higher Education in India. Established in 1951, XBHEI is a registered Society with its National Office in Bangalore. During the past 7 decades XBHEI has stood for Christian Faith, Gospel values, Excellence and Leadership training (CGEL) of youth enrolled in our institutions. This national association co-ordinates the activities of all the Catholic Institutions of Higher Education in India and is approved by the Conference of Catholic Bishops of India (CCBI). More details are provided on our website: [www.xavierboard.org](http://www.xavierboard.org).

The Purpose of the Association is to bring together all Catholic institutions of higher learning and work together for constant development of knowledge and to create a more just and humane world in the light of Christian faith and Gospel values. Some of its objectives are:

- i. To promote and safeguard the interests of mainly Catholic institutions of Higher Education in India;*
- ii. To concern itself with the spiritual and religious well being of students and staff of member institutions and may be extended to other institutions as well;*
- iii. To aid the institutions in the spiritual, religious and general education by undertaking and/or promoting training programmes, refresher courses, research, and the like;*
- iv. To co-ordinate the activities of the member institutions at the national or regional level to bring about greater unity and effectiveness;*
- v. To represent the special interests of the institutions before the Government, Judiciary, University, UGC, NAAC, NCTE, AICTE, and other related bodies;*
- vi. To provide a link between institutions and the CCBI; and*
- vii. To encourage the institutions to make higher education available to the poor and marginalized especially of rural India; and the like.*

At the national level we coordinate the activities, make high level contacts with officials, Universities and Governments regarding smooth functioning of our educational institutions and for the minority rights. XBHEI functions through eight regions and the Regional Presidents, Vice Presidents and Secretaries organize programmes at the regional level.

Annually, XBHEI conducts Administrative and Leadership training programmes for Principals / Managers, faculty, non-teaching staff and students. Triennial conferences are held for all the member colleges at the end of which elections are held to Board and Regional Offices. There are currently over 210 Life Member Colleges/ Universities.

May I request you to enroll your institution as a **LIFE MEMBER of XBHEI**, by paying a one-time Life Membership fee. The Membership fee is as follows:

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Strength of the Institution</b>	<b>LIFE MEMBERSHIP</b>
<b>A</b>	Colleges with Students Strength below 1000	Rs. 5,000/-
<b>B</b>	Colleges with Strength above 1000 / Training & Nursing colleges	Rs. 10,000/-
<b>C</b>	Professional, Engineering, Medical colleges / University	Rs. 20,000/-

Apart from this, the institution should pay:  
Annual Contribution as decided by the Executive Board

Kindly complete the Life Membership form and the fee payment formalities and forward it to  
**Xavier Board of Higher Education in India, 31 Primrose Road, Bangalore 560 025.**

1. The life Membership fee and the corpus fund may be sent as DD in favour of Secretary, Xavier Board of Higher Education in India or
2. Via bank transfer. In case of Bank transfer please send us the transaction reference number.

Also send an email to [xavierboard@gmail.com](mailto:xavierboard@gmail.com)

The bank transfer details are given below:

Bank : Canara Bank,  
Branch : Trinity Circle, Bangalore  
A/C Name : Xavier Board of Higher Education in India  
A/c No : 0792101560967  
IFSC Code : CNRB0000792

**3. Via online Payment Portal**  
Please login to the online  
payment link to pay Online.

<https://xavierboard.org/payment/>

#### **Annual Membership:**

Those Institutions who are not opting for Life membership may opt for Annual Membership by paying the membership fee as given below

Strength of the Institution	ANNUAL Membership
Colleges with Students Strength below 1000	Rs. 1,000/-
Colleges with Strength above 1000 / Training & Nursing colleges	Rs. 2,000/-
Professional, Engineering, Medical colleges / University	Rs. 5,000/-

**N. B.** All the Institutions of Higher Education in India that are managed by Dioceses, Parishes, Religious Congregations are eligible to become members of Xavier Board. Those institutions of Higher Education managed by Catholic individuals or societies / trusts registered by Catholics are eligible to become members of Xavier Board after 5 years of their existence, only if they provide a non-objection certificate from the Local Bishop and a written agreement that they would strive to continue the mission of the Church in the institution.

Regards & Best wishes,

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Attachment: Life-Membership Application Form