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Top MBA Colleges

In Karnataka



What This Ebook Covers

In this guide, we present an in-depth overview of the Top B-Schools in Karnataka, backed by the latest data on rankings, fee structures, entrance requirements, cutoffs, and placement records.



Best MBA Colleges in Karnataka NCR NIRF Ranking

The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), managed by the Ministry of Education, Government of India, ranks higher education institutions across the country annually. The rankings are based on a variety of parameters, including teaching and learning resources, research and professional practice, graduation outcomes, outreach, and perception. Many of the MBA colleges in Karnataka have secured impressive positions in the NIRF rankings, showcasing their academic excellence and industry relevance.

Below is the list of the top MBA colleges in Karnataka that are featured in the latest NIRF Rankings:

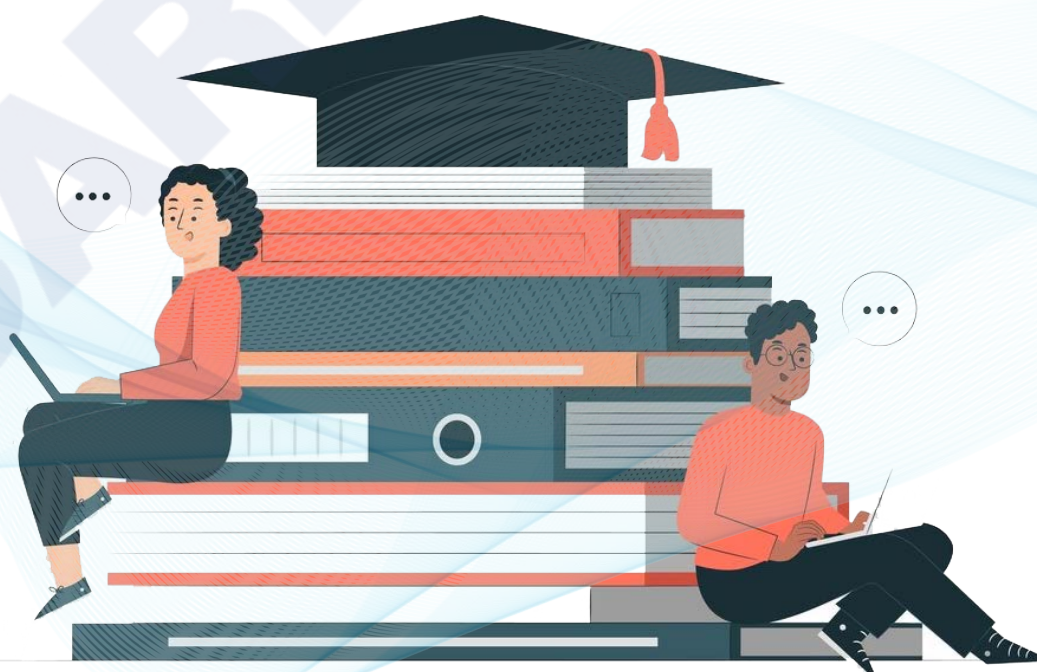
College Name	NIRF Ranking
IIM Bangalore - Indian Institute of Management Bangalore	2
TAPMI Manipal - T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	58
Christ University - Christ University, Bangalore	60
Alliance School of Business, Bangalore	71
Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi	101-125 (Rank band)

Best MBA Colleges in Karnataka: Careers360 Ranking

The MBA colleges in India are evaluated by Careers360 based on academic reputation, infrastructure, placements, student reviews, and overall performance. These rankings serve as a helpful guide for management aspirants to identify institutions offering the best return on investment and career opportunities. While some colleges are ranked numerically, others are assigned rating bands such as AAA+, AAA, or AA+, indicating their relative performance in various areas.

Below is the table listing the top MBA colleges in Karnataka based on Careers360 rankings:

College Name	Careers360 Ranking
IIM Bangalore - Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore	2
TAPMI Manipal - T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	5
DoMS Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore	23
Christ University, Bangalore	30
SIBM Bangalore - Symbiosis Institute of Business Management, Bengaluru	41



Top MBA Colleges in Karnataka: Fee Details

Understanding the fee structure is crucial while shortlisting institutions from the top MBA colleges in Karnataka, as it helps evaluate affordability and return on investment. The fee range among these colleges varies considerably depending on whether the institute is government-run or privately managed. Private MBA colleges in Karnataka typically offer advanced facilities, industry connections, and global exposure, whereas government colleges are known for their affordability and solid academic frameworks.

Top Private MBA Colleges in Karnataka

Private MBA colleges dominate the management education scene in Karnataka. They offer a diverse range of specializations and flexible learning modes, along with access to top recruiters and global programs. Here's a table showcasing the fee structure of some prominent private MBA colleges:

College Name	Fee (Approx.)
TAPMI Manipal - T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	₹ 18.20 Lakhs - ₹ 18.80 Lakhs
Christ University, Bangalore	₹ 9.35 Lakhs - ₹ 12.08 Lakhs
Symbiosis Institute of Business Management (SIBM) Bengaluru	₹ 25.40 Lakhs
Acharya Bangalore B-School (ABBS), Bangalore	₹ 9.50 Lakhs - ₹ 10.50 Lakhs
PES University, Bangalore	₹ 10.00 K - ₹ 8.00 Lakhs

Top Government MBA Colleges in Karnataka

Government MBA colleges in Karnataka are known for offering quality education at budget-friendly tuition fees. These institutions cater to a wide segment of students, often supported by scholarships and government aid.

College Name	Fee (Approx.)
IIM Bangalore - Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore	₹ 20.11 Lakhs - ₹ 26.00 Lakhs
Department of Management Studies, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore	₹ 5.03 Lakhs
Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi	₹ 1.10 Lakhs - ₹ 10.50 Lakhs
Bengaluru North University, Kolar	₹ 3.25 Lakhs - ₹ 9.70 Lakhs
Central University of Karnataka (CUK), Gulbarga	₹ 39.20 K - ₹ 50.20 K



Top MBA Colleges in Karnataka: Placements

Placements play a vital role in evaluating the reputation and effectiveness of the top MBA colleges in Karnataka. These colleges boast well-established placement cells that provide career guidance, industry exposure, and excellent internship opportunities. Most of the MBA colleges in Karnataka witness participation from top national and international companies across various sectors like consulting, IT, banking, FMCG, and e-commerce. The placement process generally includes pre-placement talks, aptitude tests, group discussions, and personal interviews to ensure students are industry-ready.

Here is a detailed table showcasing the placement performance of leading colleges among the MBA colleges in Karnataka:

College Name	Median Salary	Top Recruiters
IIM Bangalore, Bangalore : Placements	₹33.00 LPA	The Boston Consulting Group, Tata Consultancy Services, Ernst & Young India, Accenture Strategy CN, Bain & Company, Microsoft, EXL Services, PwC India
Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi: Placements	₹4.50 LPA	Infosys, Indiabulls, Shapoorji Pallonji, WIPRO, Birla Soft, Deloitte, Tata, HCL, Tech Mahindra, Virtusa
Central University of Karnataka (CUK), Gulbarga: Placements	₹4.50 LPA	Azim Premji Foundations, Orient Cements, Mindtree, TCS, Amazon, Wipro, Accenture, HCL, L&T
T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal: Placements	₹13.50 LPA	Accenture, Adani, Airtel, Capgemini, Cognizant, Dabur, Dell, Deloitte
Christ University, Bangalore: Placements	₹9.12 LPA	Deloitte, Accenture, KPMG, Byju's, HSBC, Amazon, Cognizant, Infosys, Wipro, Aon, Tata Power, TCS

Top MBA Colleges in Karnataka: Cut-offs

The admission cutoffs for the top MBA colleges in Karnataka play a crucial role in the selection process. These cutoffs are typically based on performance in national-level entrance exams such as CAT, MAT, CMAT, and KMAT. Colleges release their respective cutoffs annually, and these serve as qualifying benchmarks for candidates to proceed to the next stages, such as Group Discussions (GD), Personal Interviews (PI), and counseling rounds. The cut-off scores vary depending on factors like the difficulty level of the entrance exam, the number of applicants, seat availability, and past year trends.

Below is the list of some of the MBA colleges in Karnataka and their expected or approximate cut-off percentiles based on entrance exams accepted:

College Name	Exam	Cut-off (Approx.)
IIM Bangalore, Bangalore : Cutoff	CAT	85 percentile (2024) (General)
DoMS Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore: Cutoff	CAT	99 percentile (2024) (General)
T.A. Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal: Cutoff	CAT	80-85 percentile (2025) (expected)
SIBM, Bangalore: Cutoff	SNAP	90 percentile (2020)
Central University of Karnataka, Gulbarga: Cutoff	CUET	40 percentile (2024) (UR)

Best MBA Colleges in Karnataka: Predictors

Careers360 MBA College Predictor is an online tool through which students are able to study their admission opportunities in MBA colleges on the basis of marks obtained in entrance exams, past cut-offs, and selection procedures. It allows aspirants to shortlist colleges on the basis of specialization, compare schools, and obtain a personalized report on admissions. It also allows students to choose the best MBA colleges in Delhi NCR based on their performance through various entrance exams.

CAT College Predictor	CMAT College Predictor
MAT College Predictor	NMAT College Predictor
SNAP College Predictor	XAT College Predictor
MAH MBA CET College Predictor	

