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Study in India

The Ministry of Education, Government of India, has launched the Study in India (SII) Portal (<https://studyinindia.gov.in/>), a flagship initiative aimed at promoting India as a global destination for higher education. The portal was jointly launched on 3rd August 2023 by the Ministry of Education (MoE), Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), and Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA).

2. The SII portal is a one-stop platform that facilitates application submission, admission processes, course applications, and visa formalities for international students wishing to pursue regular, short-term or long-term courses in Indian academic institutions or Higher Educational Institutions. It serves as a seamless digital gateway for students to explore educational opportunities across prestigious Indian institutions.

3. All foreign students who wish to study in India, will now have to **mandatorily register on the SII portal and submit the necessary information on the portal**. Upon successful registration, a unique ID or 'SII-ID' is generated. This ID is mandatory for applying for an Indian student visa (e-Student Visa) through the Indian Visa Portal.

4. For further details and registration, students are requested to visit: <https://www.studyinindia.gov.in>