Indian Institute of Technology Palakkad

Slot System - Jan- May 2026

	08:00 - 08.50	09:00 - 09:50	10:00 - 10:50	11:00 - 11:50	12:05 - 12:55	13:00 - 13:50	14:00 - 15:15	15:30 - 16:45	17:10 - 18:00
Monday	A	B	C	D	H	L U N C H	I	J	R1
		PM1					PA1		
Wednesday	C	D	E	A	H		Q 14-14:50	R3 15-15:50	CMN-A (16-16:50) / CMN-B (17- 17:50)
		PM3					PA3		EML
Friday	E	A	B	C	H		J	I	R5
		PM5					PA5		

	08:00 - 08.50	09:00 - 10:15	10:30 - 11:45	12:00 - 12:50		14:00 - 15:15	15:30 - 16:45	17:10 - 18:00
Tuesday	B	F	G	M		K	L	R2
		PM2				PA2		
Thursday	D	G	F	M		L	K	R4
		PM4				PA4		

Slot Overview

Note - Numbers in slot names refer to the day of the week i.e., 1=Monday, 2=Tuesday, etc.   Example: in slot PA5, 5 stands for Friday. Similarly, in M3, 3 stands for Wednesday.
A, B, C, D and H are 3 credit slots (3*50 mins each)
F, G, I, J, K, and L are 3 credit slots (2*75 mins each)
E and M are a 2 credit slot (2*50 mins)
Q and R1 - R5 are 1 credit slots (50 mins each)
PM1 - PM5 are morning lab slots of 2hr 45min (9:00 hrs to 11:45 hrs)   PA1, PA2, PA4, PA5 are afternoon lab slots of 2hr 45min (14:00 hrs to 16:45 hrs)   PA3 is an afternoon lab slot of 1hr 50 min (14:00 hrs to 15:50 hrs)

Important Notes

H slot is used largely for slotting common courses (HSE and some OE/GCE courses)   **Please note slot starts at 12.05 pm to allow time for travel between campus for courses in H slot**
G slot is used largely for slotting common courses (HSE and some GCE/OE courses)   **Could be avoided (along with PM2 and PM4) as core slot for corresponding BTech batches expected to take HSE and OE.**
F slot is reserved for MAE/SME classes.   **Should be avoided (along with PM2 and PM4) for corresponding BTech batches expected to take SME.**
CMN-A and CMN-B are restricted slots and not available for depts to use,   **Some institute common courses may be slotted here centrally**
Evening single credit slots R1 - R5 and Q, R slots are meant to be used as the 4th lecture/tutorial class for 4 credit courses or single lecture hour along with the labs. For example: B+M2, C+M4 etc.

Please avoid combining separate single credit slots to make a 3 or 4 credit slots.

(Single credit slots will not have dedicated exam slots for scheduling)

However, combinations such as A+R2, F+R1 etc could be used.

If it is necessary, departments **may combine R1, R2, R4, R5 to get R slot.**

However, this course will have to be **assigned or mapped to one of the other slots by the dept**

for registration and exam slot.

Students cannot register for two courses in the same exam slot

Similarly Q also cannot be primary course slot and
will have to be mapped by the dept to another slot for the exam

The exam slots are expected to be A,B,C,D,F,G,H,I,J,K,L

Depts may communicate or discuss if they want to adjust the start and end time of morning lab slots

Other issues which depts face may be taken up for discussion and considered based on the merit of the case