



SRI LANKA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

APPLICATION ARE INVITED FOR THE DIPLOMA IN LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE (DLIS)- 2024/2025

An opportunity to be an Information Specialist/ Professional Librarian

The Diploma in Library and Information Science course at our pioneering professional education institute offers you the opportunity to embark on an inspiring career in the library and information sector.

Diploma Course in Library and Information Science – 2024/2025 Academic Year

Entry Requirements

1	A Degree in any subject obtained from a university recognized by the University Grants Commission OR
2	(i.) Three passes at G.C.E. (A/L) Examination in one sitting AND (ii.) Six subjects at G.C.E. (O/L) Examination including English Language with four credit passes for first Language (Sinhala /Tamil), Mathematics and other two subject in one sitting OR
3	Not less than 03 Years of experience in permanent service in a recognized library and must have completed 2 (ii) above.

Mode of Delivery

- (i) **Mode of Study:** Hybrid mode.
- (ii) **Duration:** One Year.
- (iii) **Medium of Instruction:** Lectures will be held on Sundays in Sinhala /Tamil and English Language
- (iv) **Course Fee:** Rs. 25,000/-
- (v) **Commencement of Classes** – 2025 January

Application Details and how to apply

- Application can be obtained from the Website of the Sri Lanka Library Association (SLLA). (www.slla.lk)
- Application Fee of Rs. 1000/- should be deposited to any branch of the Bank of Ceylon to the account number 0002323087 of the SLLA. **The Original copy of the bank receipt**, along with the duly filled application form and photocopies of **relevant educational certificates**, should be sent to SLLA by post to the following address.
- Last date for receipt of applications: 20th December 2024

This course is accepted as a basic qualification for admission to professional in public and private information/library institutions. By successfully pursuing this course, you can get higher education opportunities up to a Ph.D. Degree.



⇒ After three (3) years of satisfactory experience in the field of Library, it is eligible for admission to the post Graduate Diploma Course at the National Institute of Library and Information Science (NILIS) of the University of Colombo.

⇒ Qualification for admission to the Bachelor of Library Science Degree course of the Open University of Sri Lanka.

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