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SYSTEM OF EVALUATION (B. Arch.)

1. The course for the award of B. Arch. degree comprises 5 years and the **medium of instruction is English**.
2. National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirappalli follows grade point average system of evaluation using relative grading for the Semester / Supplementary examinations.
3. Grade points are assigned as follows:
   S - 10; A - 9; B - 8; C -7; D - 6; E - 5; F - 0 (Fail)
4. CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average) is the ratio of sum of product of number of credits of course with grade point scored in that course, taken for all the courses in the programme, to the sum of the number of credits of all the courses in the programme.
5. A candidate who successfully completes the programme within ten consecutive semesters securing a **CGPA of 8.5 and above**, passing all the courses in the first appearance is declared to have passed in **first class with distinction**. For this purpose, withdrawal from examination and authorized break of study will not be counted.
   A candidate, who secures a **CGPA of 6.5 and above, but below 8.5** and completes the course within eleven semesters plus authorized break, is declared to have passed in **first class**.
   A candidate who secures a **CGPA below 6.5** and completes the course within the maximum prescribed period after joining the Institute is declared to have passed in **second class**.
6. A student may be permitted to withdraw from appearing from the current semester examinations entirely or partially only once during the entire course of study and such withdrawal shall not be construed as an appearance for classification (vide para 5 above).

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