

**Embassy of India
Tehran**

(Announcement Notice)

KNOW INDIA PROGRAMME 2023-24

Know India Programme of the Ministry of External Affairs is a three-week orientation programme for diaspora youth conducted with a view to promoting awareness of different facets of life in India and the progress made by the country in various fields e.g. economic, industrial, education, science & technology, communication & information Technology, culture.

2. KIP provide a unique forum for students & young professionals of Indian origin to visit India, share their views, expectations & experiences and develop closer bonds with contemporary India. The KIP programme is being expanded and revamped to reflect elements of 'New India' and the vision of 'Amrit Kaal'. The programme will focus to highlight sectoral stem, Digital infrastructure, India Stack, JAM trinity, Defense and Agriculture while further highlighting the cultural and civilizational heritage of India like Yoga, Ayurveda, classical dance forms & music and archaeological history.

3. The 66th and 67th KIP programmes will be organized as per the details below:

S. No.	No. of KIP	State visit	Programme Dates	Last date for submission of applications on KIP Portal
1	66th KIP	Kerala	30th July to 18th August 2023	15th June 2023
2	67th KIP	Maharashtra	13th August to 1st September 2023	1st July 2023

4. The eligibility criteria for KIP programmes is as under:

- i. **Age:** The programme is open to youth of Indian origin (excluding non-resident Indians) in the age group of 18-30 years. Non Resident Indians (NRIs) are not eligible for KIPs.
- ii. **Educational Qualification:** Minimum qualification required for participating in KIP is graduation from a recognized University/ Institute or enrolled for graduation.

5. For more details, visit <https://kip.gov.in>