

Computer Laboratories in Regional and Study Centres

To facilitate participation of students in post-secondary online education, computer laboratories are available at a number of Regional and Study centres free of charge. They are located at the existing OUSL regional centres, in universities and at Sri Lanka Institute of Advanced Technical Education (SLIATE). These labs are equipped with all modern state-of-the-art equipment necessary for online education, such as an average 25 computers, printers, scanners, video conferencing facilities, wireless access, faxes and photocopying machines. All OUSL students are entitled to use these facilities free of charge, though a monthly time quota is enforced.

Centre	Code
Anuradhapura	NC50
Colombo	WP10
Jaffna	NP40
Kandy	CP20
Matara	SP30
Ambalangoda	SP31
Ampara	EP61
Matale	
Mullaitivu	NP43

Centre	Code
Badulla	UP80
Monaragala	UP82
Galle	SP32
Gampaha	WP11
Hatton	CP21
Ambalantota	SP33
Kalutara	WP12
Bandarawela	
Mannar	

Centre	Code
Kegalle	SG91
Kurunegala	NW70
Kilinochchi	NP42
Polonnaruwa	NC51
Puttalama	NW71
Ratnapura	SG90
Trincomalee	EP62
Batticaloa	
Vavuniya	NP41

Software Engineering Laboratory

A separate computer lab for software engineering is located at Block 12 at the main campus at Nawala. The practical component of the courses is done here. In addition, students are given the opportunity to use the software engineering laboratory whenever it is free.

Library Facilities

Students have access to the main library of the University at Nawala, Colombo and the four regional libraries at Anuradhapura, Batticaloa, Jaffna, Kandy and Matara Regional Centres. The main library is well stocked, but lending facility to students is limited to two books at a time, and requires a deposit. It is open throughout the year except on the seven "University Holidays" and a few days during the Sinhala and Tamil New Year and Christmas. The main library has an Audio-Visual Resource Centre (AVRC) with a substantial collection of video and audio material in many subject areas for the use of students. Access to internet, WiFi coverage and photocopying facilities are also available. The study centres also have a small collection of books, and audio-visual material, mainly for reference.