



FAQ: SELF-PACED ONLINE MODULES

Q 1: What are Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans: Four self-paced online modules [SET A, SET B, SET C and SET D] encompassing different fields have been introduced in the New Scheme of Education and Training.

As the name suggests, Self-Paced Online Module is a course which a student can learn and qualify at his/her own pace after registering in Final Course.

Q 2: What are the subjects in Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans: Self-Paced Online Modules, comprising the Following Papers and students have to undergo prescribed hours of learning through New Portal ICAI digital Learning Campus at <https://lms.icai.org/login> as under:

Self-Paced Module	Paper	Duration in Hours
SET A	Corporate and Economic Laws (100 Marks) [Mandatory]	40
SET B	Strategic Cost and Performance Management (100 Marks) [Mandatory]	40
SET C: Elective (Choose one) (100 Marks)		
1	Risk Management	20
2	Sustainable Development and Sustainability Reporting	20
3	Public Finance and Government Accounting	20
4	Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016	20
5	International Taxation	20
6	Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996	
7	Forensic Accounting	20
8	Valuation	20
9	Financial Services and Capital Markets	20
10	Forex and Treasury Management	20
SET D: Multidisciplinary (Choose one) (100 Marks)		
1	Constitution of India and Art of Advocacy	20
2	Psychology and Philosophy	20
3	Entrepreneurship and Start up Ecosystem	20
4	Digital Ecosystem and Controls	20

Q 3: What is the registration process for Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans: At the time of registration in Final Course, students would also be registering for Self-Paced Online Modules. The Final Course registration form will have the option for selecting

the subjects under Self-Paced Online Modules SET C and SET D. No separate fee is payable for registration of Self-Paced Online Modules.

Q 4: Whether papers in Self-Paced Online Modules are mandatory?

Ans: SET A: Corporate and Economic Laws and SET B: Strategic Cost and Performance Management are mandatory papers under Self-Paced Online Modules. SET C and SET D are comprising of 10 subjects and 4 subjects respectively. A student, as per his/her interest, have to opt any one of the subjects from each SET C and SET D.

Q 5: What will be the manner of learning of Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans: The study materials for the Self-Paced Online Modules for all subjects have been uploaded in the BoS Knowledge Portal. Physical Study Material of SET A and SET B, physical Study Material are also be made available. Besides e-Books, video lectures of experts in the relevant subject area, will be made available to the students.

The Institute has developed New Portal ICAI digital Learning Campus at <https://lms.icaai.org/login> whereat Students can undergo prescribed learning hours for each Self-Paced Online Module for being eligible to appear in the respective examination conducted by Examination Department.

Q 6: What will be the level of understanding required for SET A, SET B, SET C and SET D?

Ans: Expert knowledge is expected in SET A and SET B. Working knowledge is expected in SET C and SET D.

Q 7: What is the requirement for qualifying Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans: A student is declared to have qualified a Self-Paced Online Module if he/she secures a minimum of 50% marks in that module. There will be no restriction on the number of attempts for each module.

Q 8: Is there any negative marking in Self-Paced Online Modules?

Ans. There is no negative marking in examination of Self-Paced Online Modules.

Q 9: Will the marks secured in Self-Paced Online Modules be aggregated with the marks obtained in Final Examination for passing the Final Examination?

Ans: The marks secured in Self-Paced Online Modules will not be aggregated with the marks obtained in the Final Examination.

Q 10. SELF PACED ONLINE MODULES (SPOM) FOR MAY-2025 EXAMINATION

The Exam department of ICAI has launched Self-paced Module Test (SPMT) Portal <https://spmt.icai.org> for candidates who have completed prescribed learning hours for respective Self-Paced Online Module **SET A:** Corporate and Economic Laws and Module **SET B:** Strategic Cost & Performance Management. Details of eligibility of such candidates are as below:

- A) The students who were admitted to the Final Examination till November 2023 are exempt from appearing in Self-Paced Online Module Tests Set C and Set D. **However, it is mandatory for them to qualify Set A and Set B before applying for membership** as per below eligibility criteria:

SL. NO.	STATUS OF APPEARANCE IN CA FINAL OLD COURSE EXAM	MODULES TO BE QUALIFIED
i)	Appeared in Final Exam till November 2023 but could not pass either of the groups	SET A AND SET B
ii)	Passed group second till November 2023 but could not pass group first	SET A only
iii)	Passed group first till November 2023 but could not pass group second	SET B only
iv)	Exemption secured in Paper 5 in any of the attempts from May 2022 to November 2023 but could not pass either of the groups	SET A only
v)	Exemption secured in Paper 4 in any of the attempts from May 2022 to November 2023 but could not pass either of the groups	SET B only
vi)	Exemption secured in Paper 4 and Paper 5 in any of the attempts from May 2022 to November 2023 but could not pass either of the groups	All Modules Exempt

- B) Students, other than those who are covered under (A) above, who were admitted to the Final Examination of **May 2024** are exempt from appearing in Self-Paced Online Module Tests Set C and Set D. **However, it is mandatory for such students to qualify Set A and Set B before applying for membership.**
- C) Students, other than those covered under (A) & (B) above, who were admitted to the Final Examination of **November 2024** are required to mandatorily qualify **Set A, B, C and/or D as applicable on or before 10th April, 2025.**
- D) Intermediate candidates who had cleared both the groups of Intermediate Examinations till November 2023 and completed AICITSS Exam along with 2.5 years of article ship training, including excess leave, on or before 30th April 2025 are exempt from appearing in Self-Paced Online Module Test Set C & D. **However, it is mandatory to qualify SET A and Set B before applying for membership.**
- E) Intermediate candidates who had cleared both the groups of Intermediate Examinations after November 2023 and completed AICITSS Exam along with 2.5 years of article ship training, including excess leave, on or before 30th April 2025 are **required to mandatorily qualify all the Modules (i.e., SET A, B, C & D) before appearing in the Final Examinations i.e., on/before 10th April 2025.**

Or

Intermediate students who had cleared either of the groups up to November 2023 or before and cleared the remaining Group under Unit Scheme from **May 2024 to January 2025** and completed AICITSS Exam along with 2.5 years of article ship training, including excess leave, on or before

30th April 2025 are **required to undergo and pass Self-Paced Online Modules before appearing in the Final Examinations i.e., on/before 10th April 2025 to become eligible for Final Examination to be held in May 2025** as per below eligibility criteria:

SL. NO.	Number OF PAPERS PASSED AT INTERMEDIATE LEVEL	MODULES TO BE QUALIFIED
i)	Passed 6 papers at Intermediate level	SET A, B, C, D
ii)	Passed 7 papers at Intermediate level	SET A, B and either of SET C or SET D
iii)	Passed 8 papers at Intermediate level	SET A and SET B

For any clarification relating to online registration/booking of slots of Self-Paced Online Module Tests, please mail to exam_spmt@onlineregistration.org or spmt_examhelpline@icai.in

Q 17: What are the Hardware and Software requirements to undergo Self-Paced Online Learning at ICAI Digital Learning Campus
<https://lms.icai.org/login>

Ans. Hardware requirements:

- **Desktop Computers: Processor:**

Dual-core or higher (e.g., Intel Core i3 or AMD Ryzen 3)

RAM: 2GB or higher

The desktop must have a Webcam.

- **Laptops and Notebooks:**

Processor: Dual-core or higher (e.g., Intel Core i3 or AMD Ryzen 3)

RAM: 2GB or higher

The laptop must have a Webcam.

Software requirements:

- **Web Browser:**

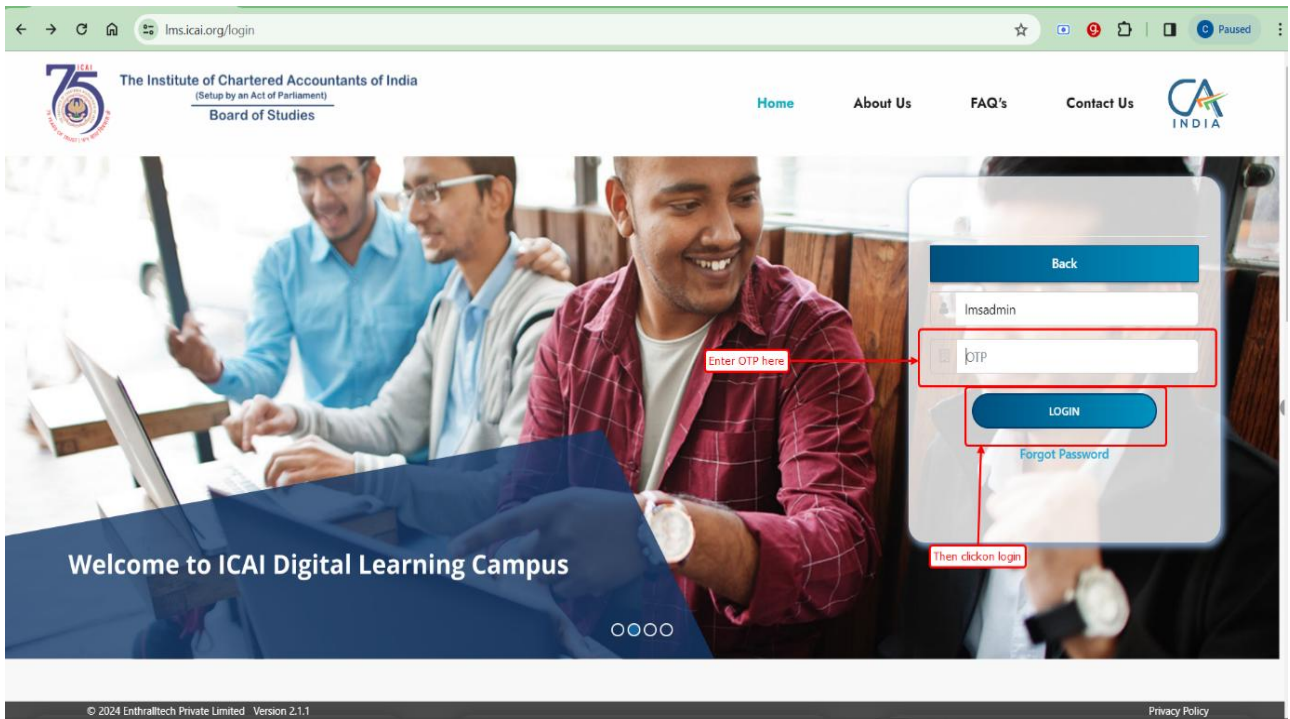
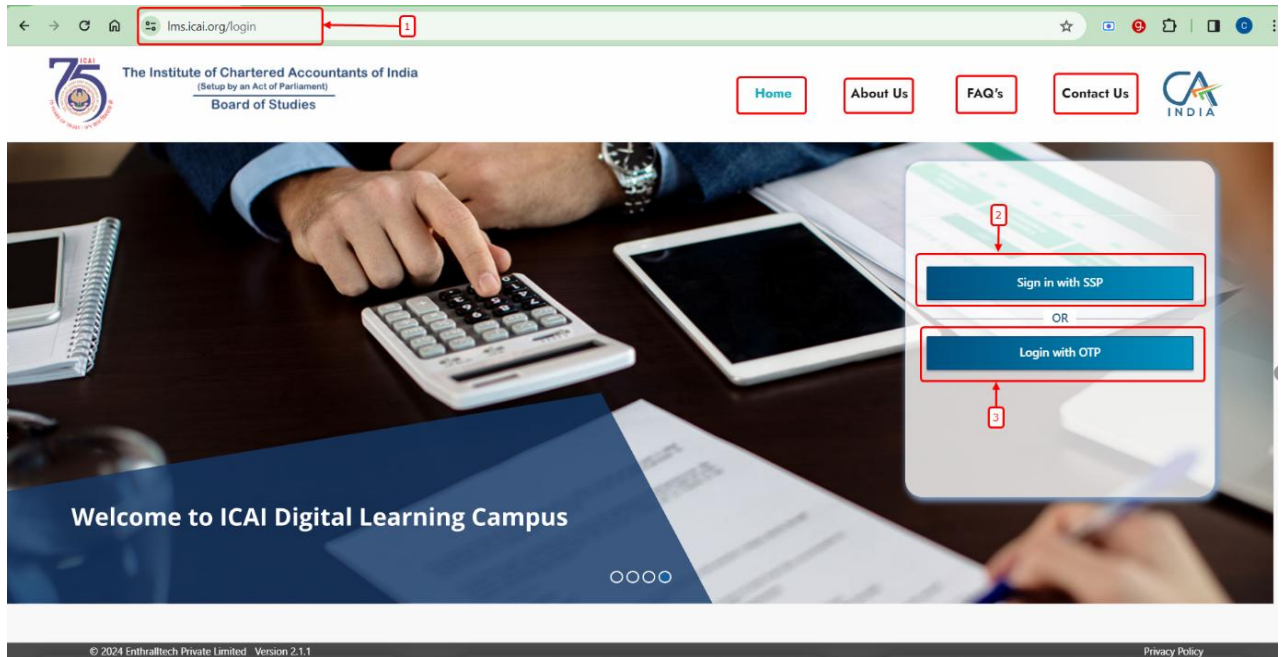
The system should be compatible with modern web browsers such as Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Safari, and Microsoft Edge.

- **Internet Connection:**

It is mandatory for a student to have a connection speed of minimum 2 to 5 Mbps for the student to complete the assessments and topics available on the LMS.

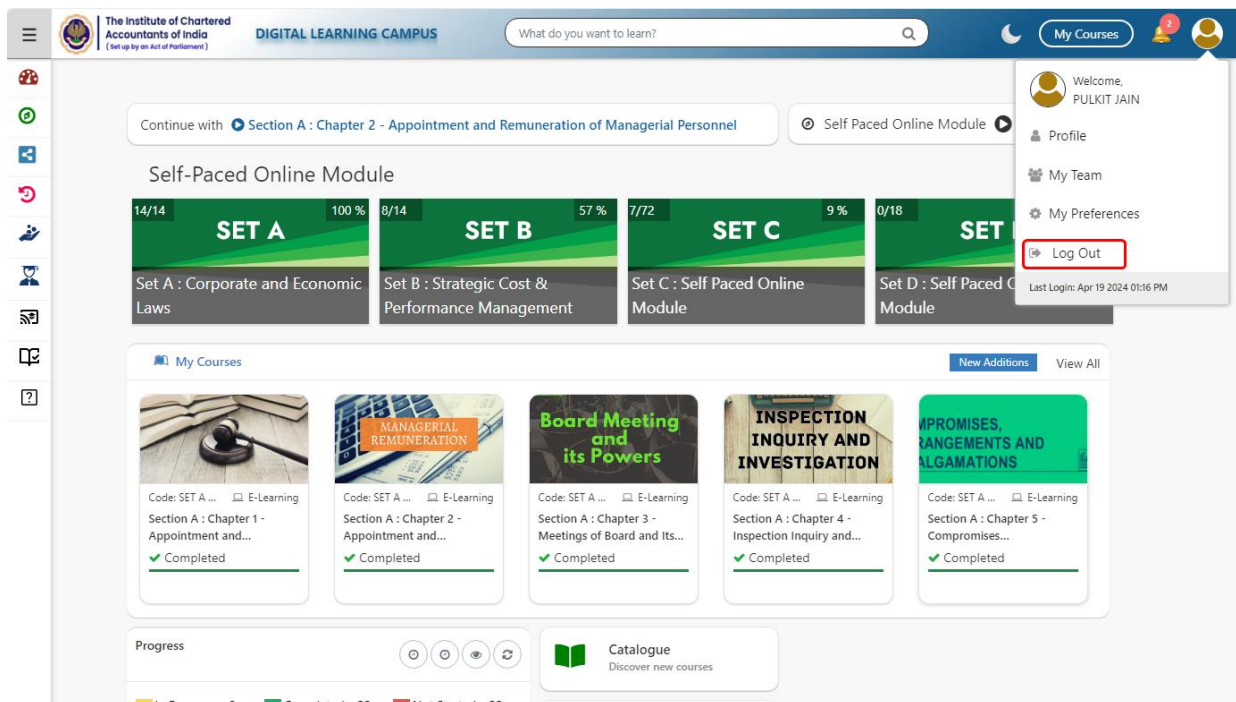
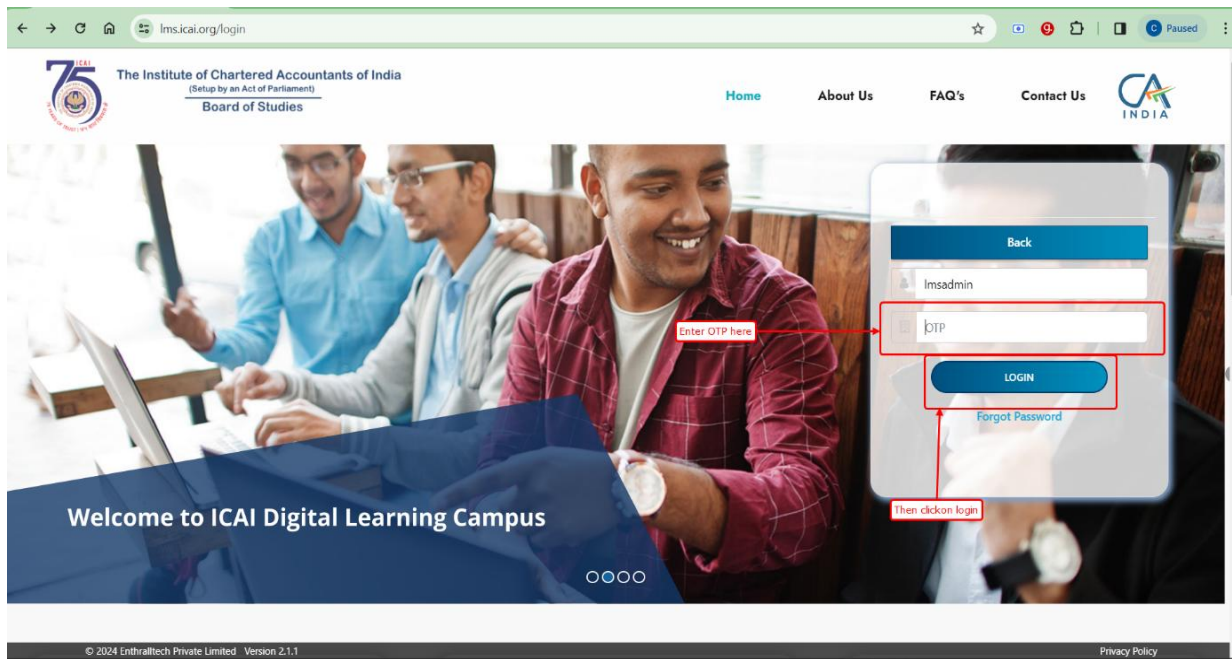
Q 18: Where to Login to access the Self-Paced Online Module SET-A and SET-B to undergo requisite Hours ?

Ans. The student has to visit URL: <https://lms.icai.org/login>

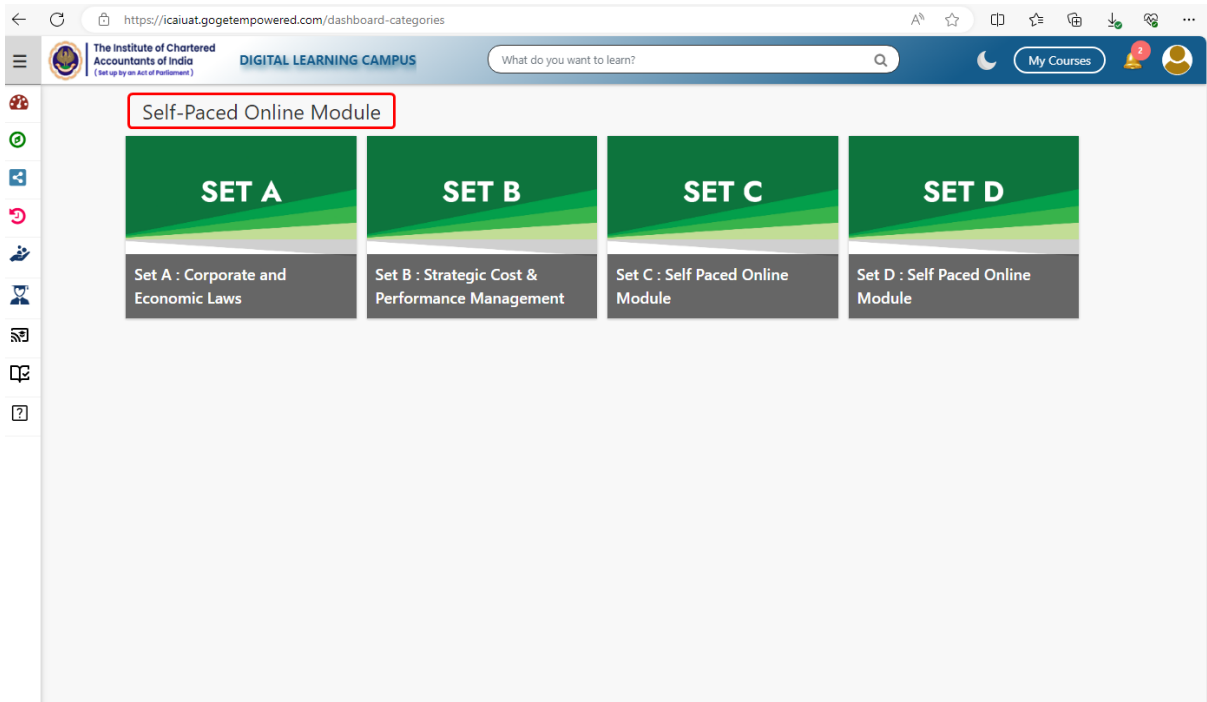


- 1. URL:** The student will open the URL of their web browser as per the above mentioned URL.
- 2. Sign in with SSP:** The student will use their SRN no. to login to the LMS
- 3. Login with OTP:** The student will enter their SRN no. and then they get an option to generate an OTP which will be sent directly to their registered mobile number. Refer below screenshot.

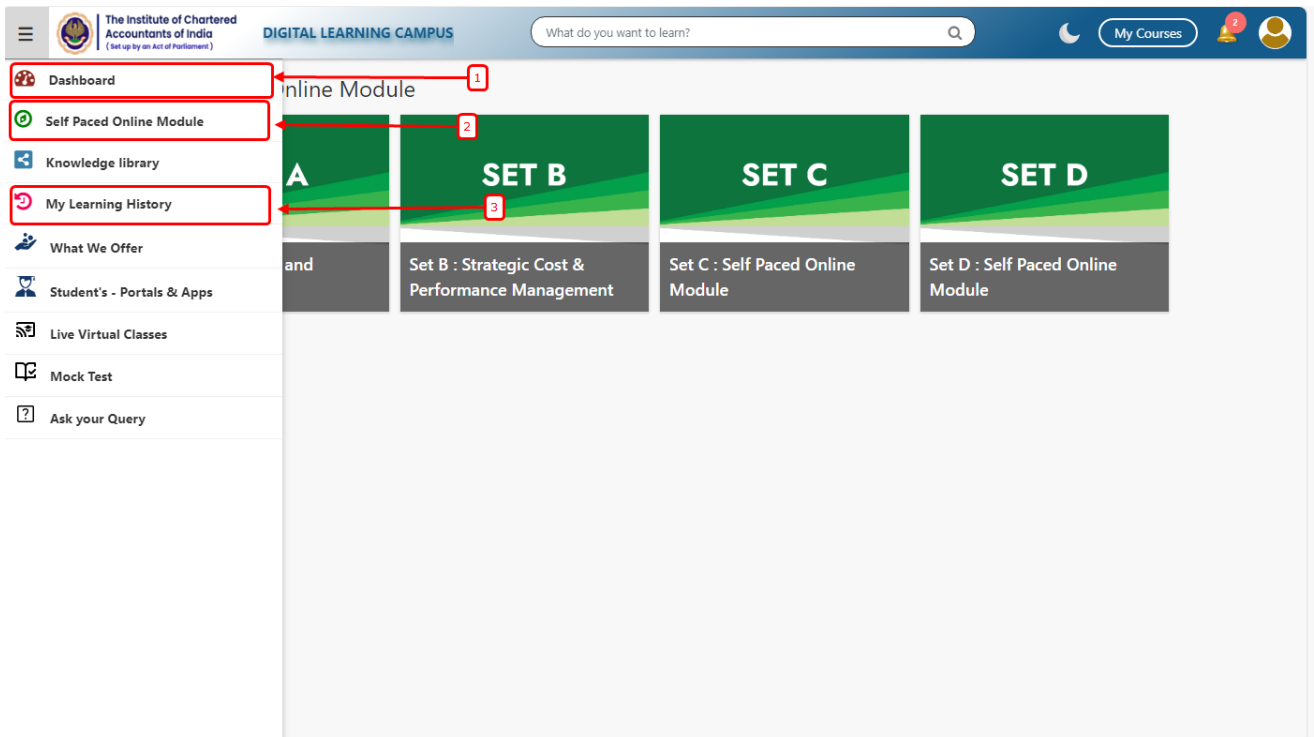
Logout: To logout of the system, the Student has to open their profile and click on the logout button. Refer below screenshot for the same.



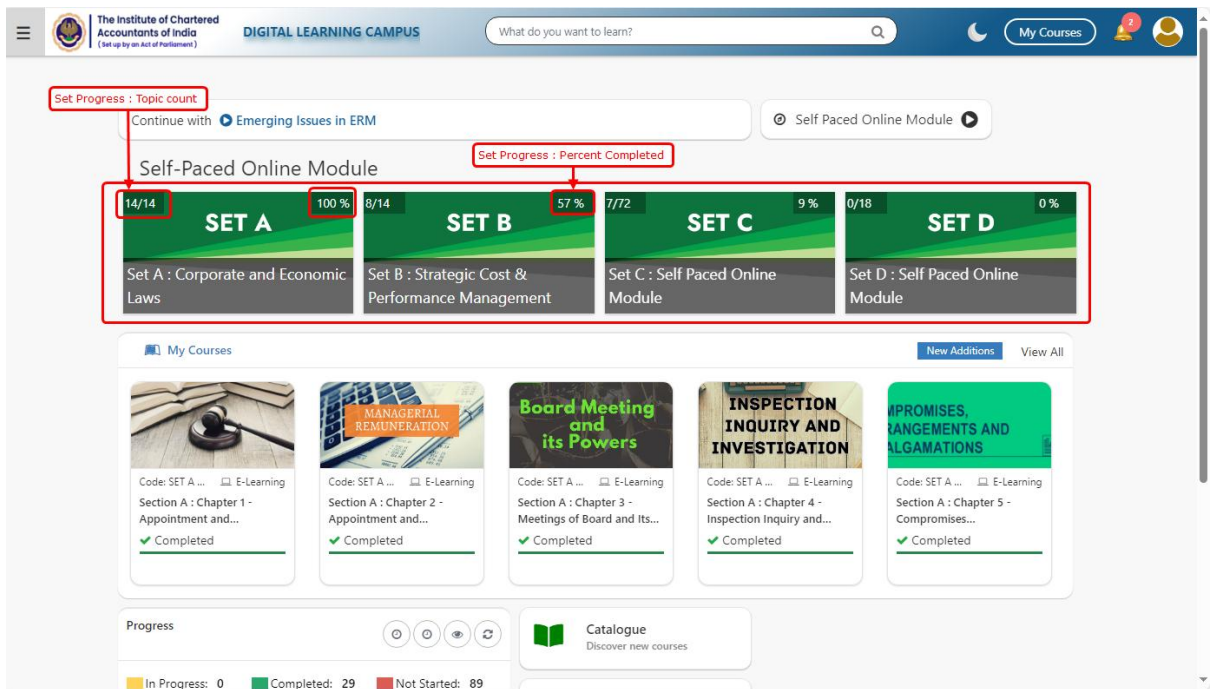
- **Self-paced online module:** As soon as the user logs in to the system, they will be sent to self- paced online modules section where they will be able to view all the sets and the topics within that set by opening it. Refer to below screenshot for reference.



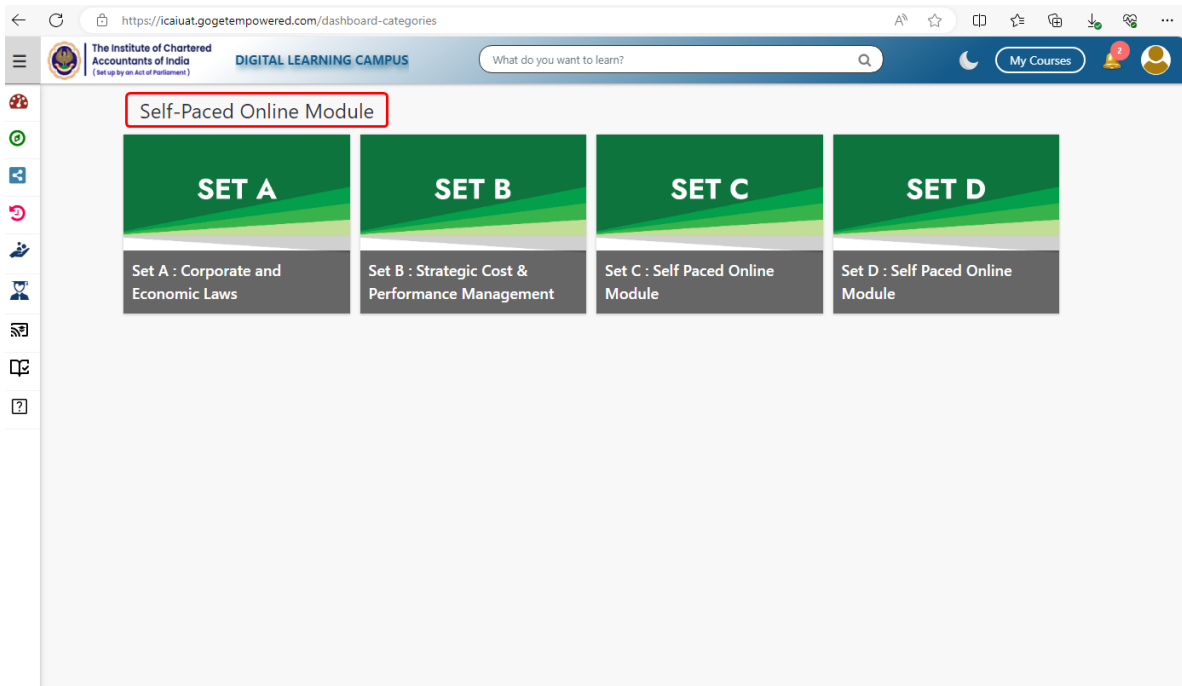
Menu Bar: The Student will be able to navigate through all the tabs available on the LMS as follows:



1. Dashboard: The Student will be able to view their personalized Dashboard and view their progress for the respective sets . refer the below screenshot for the reference.



Self-paced online Module: The Student will be able to access all the sets and topics related to the same. For reference, please view the below screenshot.



2. My Learning History: Student will be able to see topic wise learning history For reference view the below screenshot.

Learning History Topic wise : learning History

Course Details	Course Type	Start Date	Completion Date	Percentage	Result	Action
Section A : Chapter 1	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 2	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 3	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 4	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 5	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 6	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 7	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 8	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 9	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate
Section A : Chapter 11	E-Learning	Apr 17 2024	Apr 17 2024	-	--	Rate

29 total

My Courses: Student will be able to view all the topics together irrespective of the set that the topics are in. Refer below screenshot.

My Courses

All Assigned Recommended for Your Role Career Advancement

All Categories All Subcategories All Subset of Subcate All Status All Type Recently Accessed

Search

1

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<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 1 - Appointment and...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 2 - Appointment and...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 3 - Meetings of Board and Its...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 4 - Inspection Inquiry and...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 5 - Compromises Arrangements...</p> <p>Completed</p>
<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 6 - Prevention of Oppression an...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 7 - Winding Up</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 8 - Miscellaneous Provisions</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 9 - Adjudication- Special Courts...</p> <p>Completed</p>	<p>Enrolled</p> <p>Code: SET A M...</p> <p>Section A : Chapter 10 - e-Filing</p> <p>Completed</p>

- Filters:** Student will be able to view topics according to the filter applied.
 - Topics:** These are individual topics that the Student can access at any given time.
- Topics:** These are individual topics that combine together to form a set and can be accessed through both self-paced online module tab and My courses section.

The screenshot displays the ICAI Digital Learning Campus interface. At the top, the header includes the ICAI logo, the text 'The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (Set up by an Act of Parliament)', 'DIGITAL LEARNING CAMPUS', a search bar, and a 'My Courses' button. The main content area is divided into two sections. The top section, titled 'Section A : Chapter 2 - Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel', includes a course image, the course title, 'About the course' details, and a progress bar labeled 'Completed'. The bottom section, titled 'Modules', lists four modules with their respective durations and completion status. Red boxes and numbers 1-4 highlight the following elements: 1. The course title, 2. The progress bar, 3. The first module title, and 4. The completion status icon for the first module.

1. **Title of the topic:** This is the title of a current topic that the Student is currently accessing.
2. **Progress bar:** This bar shows the current progress of the topic that the Student is accessing currently.
3. **Content:** This is the specific content which is part of the topic.
4. **Content progress:** This shows the Student status of the content.

Q 19: Which option to be used for login at ICAI Digital learning campus?

Ans. You can use either option Sign in with SSP or login with OTP.

Q 20: To whom I can send my complaint on any issue relating to accessing the Self-Paced online Modules.

Ans. For Technical Assistance, Kindly Contact us at below

Email: helpdeskpom@icai.in

Mobile No: 9689908089 and 7030940882