# IIT-I's smart card for students to save money woes

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**Indore:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Indore, has come up with a 'smart card' for students, faculty and staff.

The card will help students gain access to labs, check out books through library, besides, students and faculty will be able to use it as debit card at campus restaurant and pay college fee.

"With this facility, IIT-Indore campus has now become cashless campus, wherein students, faculty and staff need not bother about wallet or any card for financial use," said IIT-Indore media in charge Nirmala Menon. The card can also be brought to use in printing, scanning and photocopying services, accessing parking area, buying bus tickets, dispensary, paying library and semester tuition fee and attendance management.

In addition to these facilities, this card serves as photo identity card. Security features have also been added to this card so that it could not be misused in case it is lost.

"The card is highly secured. The card holder's fingerprint/PIN is required for all the cash transactions done on the campus," said Menon.