

General rules for admission to Ph.D. for reference of candidates

Eligibility

A candidate for admission to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in the Faculties of Arts, Commerce, Education, Fine Arts, Music and Dramatics, Law, Management Studies, Science and Social Science must have obtained the Master's degree (not the Diploma) with at least 55% marks at the postgraduate examination of the University in subject he/she wishes to pursue research. Eligibility for admission to M.Phil/Ph.D. in Environmental Science is Post- Graduate degree with Environmental/Life Science/Geology/ Chemical Science. Eligibility for admission to M.Phil./Ph.D. in Education is M.Ed. and for Commerce is M.Com. If the candidate secures less than 55% marks at the postgraduate examination but secures a second division at postgraduate as well as at degree level, he/she will be eligible for admission to the degree of Ph.D.

Entrance Test and Admission

- (1) Admission to Ph.D. will be made through a Combined Entrance Test for M.Phil./Ph.D. to be conducted by the university. The candidate may fill up option for M.Phil. or Ph.D. or both in the application form.
- (2) There shall be only one paper for each subject for the entrance test. The pattern of Entrance Test shall be of Multiple Choice Questions (MCQ) type with 100 questions of 3 marks each in a paper and having a provision of negative marking subtracting 1 mark for each wrong answer. Answers will be made on OMR sheet. The test shall be of 2 hrs duration.
- (3) The question paper shall be in both English and Hindi for subjects other than languages. In science subjects, the question paper will only be in English.
- (4) The test will be followed by an interview to be conducted by the two Subject Experts to adjudge the research interest of the candidate. The Test will be of maximum 300 marks and interview of 30 marks. Merit will be drawn from the combined marks obtained by the candidates in the Entrance Test and Interview (Max. Marks 330). Admission will be given against available vacant seats in a subject. Reservation policy of the State Government shall be followed while giving admission.
- (5) The provisional admission for the Ph.D. degree will be given subject to the availability of seats in subject concerned.
- (6) A candidate admitted for Ph.D. degree shall pay a Registration fee and Coursework examination fee to the university. The candidate will submit his/her joining of research programme to the university through proper channel.
- (7) A candidate will qualify the MPCET examination only if he/she secures at least 36% marks subject to his standing in the Merit List prepared for the said purpose.