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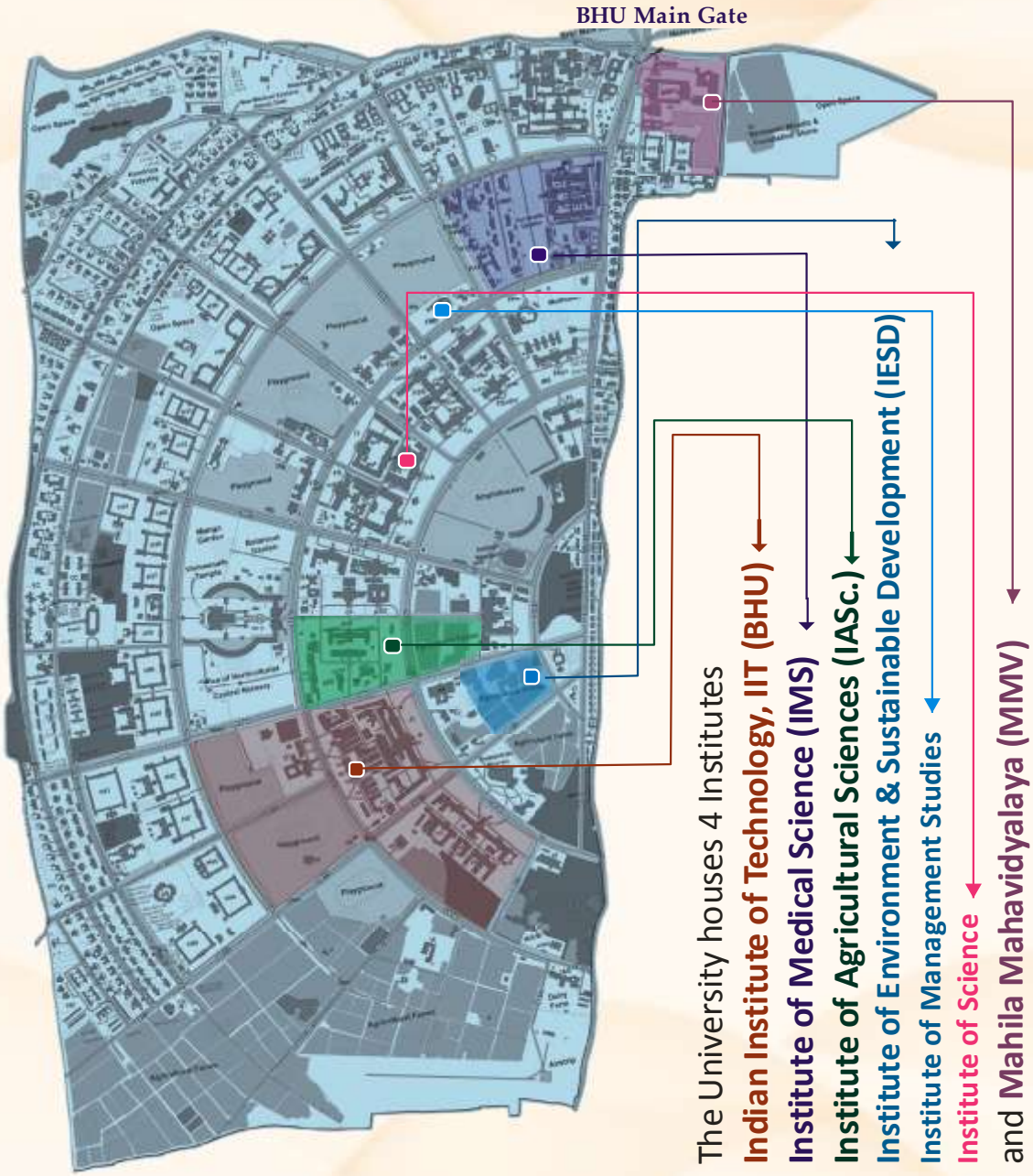
MAHAMANA'S CAMPUS PLAN VISUALIZED IN 1916



1.1 University at a Glance

The Banaras Hindu University (BHU), founded by Mahamana Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviyaji in 1916, is one of the most prestigious Central Universities in the country. An autonomous institution of distinction having the Hon'ble President of India as its Visitor, BHU is the largest residential University in Asia. Being a living embodiment of such visionaries as Mahamana Malaviyaji, Dr. Annie Besant and Dr. S. Radhakrishnan, this seat of learning epitomizes a synthesis of ancient wisdom and modern scientific temper. The holistic model of education, conceived and enriched by its illustrious founder, offers refreshingly new perspectives to young minds and nurtures and facilitates their creative talent.

The Founder's Vision

- "It is my earnest hope and prayer, that this centre of life and light, which is coming into existence, will produce students who will not only be intellectually equal to the best of their fellow students in other parts of the world, but will also live a noble life, love their country and be loyal to the Supreme Ruler."
- "A teaching university would but half perform its function, if it does not seek to develop the heart power of its scholars with the same solicitude with which it develops their brain power. Hence, this university has placed formation of character in youth as one of its principal objects. It will seek not merely to turn out men as Engineers, Scientists, Doctors, Theologists, Merchants, but also as men of high character, probity and honour, whose conduct through life would show that they bear the hallmark of a great university."

The University

This University was conceived as a residential University, keeping in view its objective of complete character development and thorough mentoring of students. Perhaps this is the only University in the world where courses ranging from nursery and primary school upto Doctoral/ Post-doctoral degrees are taught and pursued within a walled campus spread over 550 Hectares (1360 acres) with majestic buildings of great architectural delight. It enshrines within its precincts, a phenomenal range of teaching disciplines incorporating almost all conceivable subjects of Science, Engineering & Technology, Humanities, Social Sciences, Commerce, Law, Education, Visual Arts. Performing Arts, Sanskrit Vidya Dharm Vigyan, Agriculture, Library Science, Journalism and a large number of Indian and Foreign Languages.

There are at present 11 departments receiving support under Special Assistance Programme (5 Centres of Advance Studies and 6 Departments under DRS level I & III), 5-UGC-Innovative/TRIEA/ Other Programme and 3-DST-FIST (Fund for Improvement of Science & Technology) 5 departments/schools are supported under FIST prgramme of DST. It also has four colleges admitted to the privileges of the University which are located in the city. The University also runs three schools apart from having a Kendriya Vidyalaya housed in the Campus. In addition, the Rajiv Gandhi South Campus has been established in the year 2006 in a sprawling campus of 1092.6 Hectares (2700 acres) located about 75 kms away from the main campus, at Barkachha in Mirzapur district, Uttar Pradesh.

Hallmark of Excellence

According to the 'India Today–Nielsen Survey' published in India Today (May 31, 2010), BHU was ranked as the First amongst Indian Universities. This coveted recognition was based on rigorous analysis of following six parameters: Reputation, Quality of Academic Input, Quality of Faculty, Research Publications/ Report/Projects, Infrastructure and Placement opportunities. During the session (2009-10), a 10 year survey published in prestigious journal Current Science placed BHU as first among top 25 Indian Universities for publishing maximum number of research papers in indexed journals. Continuous endeavors have been made to improve the range and quality of teaching and research at BHU. According to the 'India Today'–Nielsen Survey published in India Today (June, 2013), BHU has been ranked amongst top-five Indian Universities. Other agencies have also given the University and its various Faculties/Departments similar ratings.

Institute of Agricultural Sciences

Committed to the objectives of holistic, sustainable and equitable development of agriculture and allied sciences, aiming at liberty, security and prosperity through competent human resource development by virtue of integrated approach of teaching, research & extension; creation of knowledge base for the benefit of the farming community; improvement of crops/ vegetables/ fruits/ livestock/ poultry/ fish for enhanced input use efficiency & production; quality seed production and dissemination of proven technologies towards improving livelihood security and realizing the dream of Hunger Free Society, our achievements in Education (including Sports and Cultural activities) and Research (including Extension activities) justify the funds sanctioned, created and generated from time to time.

IIT (BHU)

Institute of Agricultural Sciences

Institute of Medical Sciences

Sir Sunderlal Hospital

Broacha Hostel

Institute of Medical Sciences & Hospital

The University provides tertiary medical facilities to the poorest of the poor masses of parts of Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand at an afforadable cost. Sir Sunderlal Hospital with its 1200 bedded and 24 x 7 active medicos is a complete dedication to the medical services in this region. The upcoming Trauma Centre, established through the PMSSY with an investment of more than Rs. 150 Crores, is expected to further expand the institute's outreach, besides providing unparalleled research and learning facility.

Institute of Environment & Sustainable Development

Banaras Hindu University established a national-level Institute of Environment & Sustainable Development in the year 2010. Recruitment of faculty was done in the year 2011. Using education as a tool to achieve sustainability, the institute aims to cover education about and for sustainable development. Mission of the Institute is to carry out teaching, research and extension relevant to India's sustainable development leading to the future that ends poverty and delivers and sustains efficient and equitable management of the country's natural resources.

Largest Residential University in Asia

Over 30,000 students from all over India and 46 foreign countries are enrolled in various faculties of the University. The University has 64 hostels, having nearly 11000 inmates, with all modern amenities including internet for the students. It also has 1400 staff quarters and 7 guest houses on the campus.

Flying Training to NCC Cadets

The Banaras Hindu University is the only University which has its own airstrip and three helipads, which are used for the training of NCC Cadets.

Library

BHU has a Central Library system having more than 15 lacs volumes apart from subscription to more than 13000 online journals, 50000 e-books , databases, and a huge collection of digitalized rare manuscripts. It functions in conjunction with a chain of Departmental, Faculty and Institute libraries. In addition, BHU has a fully air-conditioned Cyber Library with a seating capacity of over 200. Newly created air-conditioned Periodical Hall provides 60 cabins for the use of faculty members and research scholars.

Environmental Awareness and Beautification

- 575.75 Acres of area of BHU is covered by beautiful lawns and lavish gardens.
- 33.5 kms of hedges and edging.
- 142800 nos. of shrubs planted all around the institutes, faculties, fields and Residential quarters.
- 11 Acres of area is under Nursery which manages 40,500 plants of various fruits, 20,000 forestry plants, 15,000 ornamental plants, 15 lac seasonal flower plants and 5000 other plants.

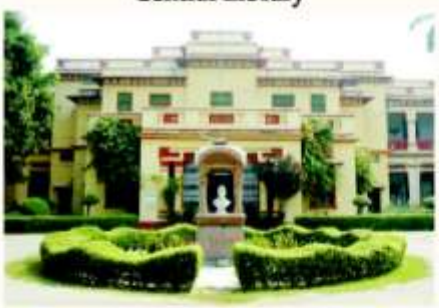
ICT Infrastructure

The University has 100 kilometer long fiber optic backbone of Campus wide LAN, connecting all academic and administrative

Air Strip

Cyber Library

Central Library



Mahila Mahavidyalaya

Computer Center

buildings as well as hostels with a well-equipped Computer Centre, providing high end computing and training facilities. The University has been provided three 1 Gbps nodes of National Knowledge Network (NKN) under NME-ICT.

The Temple

The Banaras Hindu University has a temple of Lord Shiva called Shri Vishwanath Temple. It is situated in the centre of the campus. The temple is built with white marble. Its detailed planning was done by MalaviyaJi himself. The lush campus of Shri Vishwanath Temple and the beautiful gardens surrounding it are a delight to the eyes of the visitors. The interior of the temple has a Shiva Lingam and verses from Hindu scriptures inscribed on the walls of the temple with pictorial depiction.

Bharat Kala Bhawan

BHU has a museum of international importance – Bharat Kala Bhawan, which is a treasure trove of rare art and artifacts. The Bharat Kala Bhavan has 13 galleries having a collection of more than 1 lakh antique and rare sculptures, miniature paintings, Rajasthani, Mughal and Pahari paintings, coins, jewellery, precious stones, etc. of immense historic value and a very special literary gallery containing manuscripts of famous authors. It also has a rich library containing rare books.

Rajiv Gandhi South Campus

The Banaras Hindu University has extended its outreach by establishing its South Campus at Barkachha in Mirzapur district. The RGSC is being developed as a potential hub for education, training and entrepreneurship for youth and women, especially those belonging to tribes and weaker sections of the society. The campus is being developed by the University with a mission to enrich the lives of the population of the region by extending to them opportunities to engage in life-long learning and to benefit from the result of research.

Brand BHU

BHU is the first Central University in India which has implemented a 'Graphic Identity Programme'. Through this programme BHU has standardized its seal, logo, bilingual logotypes, tagline, colour identity etc. This programme also includes standardization of office stationery and signage system of the campus through its Design Studio, Souvenir shop, Electronic, Web & Social media.

Shri Vishwanath Temple

Bharat Kala Bhawan

South Campus

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Bilingual Logotype with Seal

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Logo with Tagline

Research and Education

BHU has always encouraged the spirit of quality research coupled with quality teaching Some of the recent milestones of the University are:

- BHU received "University with Potential for Excellence" status from UGC.
- BHU is the only university of India which has Indian Institute of Technology - I.I.T. (BHU) on its campus.
- Faculty of Veterinary Sciences has been approved by the Academic Council as well as the Executive Council to be established at R.G.S.C.
- Centre for Food Science & Technology conducts PG and Doctoral Programmes which was supported by DBT-Govt. of India.
- Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences supported by DST.
- Centre for Genetic Disorders supported by DBT.
- Interdisciplinary School of Life Sciences supported by DBT.
- Establishment of the Trauma Centre under PMSSY.
- Institute of Agricultural Sciences as Nodal Centre for Agricultural Innovation Partnership under USAID programme with several US Universities – Cornell, Georgia, Buffalo, UC Davis, Ohio, Tuskegee, Purdue and Illinois.
- Faculty of Dental Sciences.
- Strengthening & Development of Agricultural Education by ICAR, New Delhi.
- Experimental learning through the establishment of Bio-control lab, Tissue Culture lab, Fisheries and Hi-tech laboratories at Institute of Agricultural Sciences by ICAR.
- Sanction of Tandetron Accelerator facility to the Department of Physics.
- Strengthening of Space Science teaching and research in BHU by ISRO.
- Assistance for creation/seed infrastructure facilities at the Institute of Agricultural Sciences, BHU by ICAR.
- Malaviya Centre for Human Values and Ethics supported by Ministry of Culture.
- Inter-Cultural Studies Centre supported by the Ministry of Culture
- A unique Bhojpuri Adhyayan Kendra along with a Lok-kala Sangrahalaya.

International Chairs in BHU

- UNESCO Chair for Peace & Intercultural Understanding
- Nepal Chair
- Proposed UNICEF Chair for Child Rights

Future Vision

- Institute of Tribal and Genomic Medicine at R.G.S.C.
- Biosafety Level IV (BSL-4) facility for research on highly infectious diseases.
- Centre for Translational Research.
- Centre for Bone Marrow Transplant and Stem Cell Research.
- Centre for Advanced Functional Materials.
- Promotion of research on Genomics and Proteomics.
- Anusandhan Bhawan, housing modern facilities like Computer Centre, Electronic Media Centre, Design Studio, Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre etc.
- Promotion of studies on Indian Cultural Heritage.
- Creation of Unified Sports Complex having world class sports facilities.
- Multi-storied buildings of residential apartments.
- Convention Centre of 10000 seating capacity.
- International Hostel with 500 rooms capacity.

BHU Alumni

Contributions of BHU in extending the frontiers of knowledge in critical areas and in the regeneration and efflorescence of community values is well manifested through its alumni who form a great chain of distinguished personalities throughout the world occupying key positions in varied professional domains.

OUR VICE-CHANCELLORS

Amongst the Vice-Chancellors who steered this great University are luminaries like Mahamana Malaviyaji, Sir Sunder Lal, Dr. S. Radhakrishnan and Acharya Narendra Dev.

- Sir Sunder Lal (1.4.1916-13.12.1918)
- Dr. P. S. Sivaswami Iyer (13.4.1918-8.5.1919)
- Pt. Madan Mohan Malaviya (29.11.1919-6.9.1938)
- Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan (17.9.1939-16.1.1948)
- Dr. Amar Nath Jha (27.2.1948-5.12.1948)
- Pt. Govind Malaviya (6.12.1948-21.11.1951)
- Acharya Narendra Dev (6.12.1951-31.5.1954)
- Dr. C. P. Ramaswami Iyer (1.7.1954-2.7.1956)
- Dr. V. S. Jha (3.7.1956-16.4.1960)
- Justice N. H. Bhagwati (16.4.1960-15.4.1966)
- Dr. Triguna Sen (9.10.1966-15.3.1967)
- Dr. A. C. Joshi (1.9.1967-31.7.1969)
- Dr. K. L. Shrimali (1.11.1969-31.1.1977)
- Dr. Moti Lal Dhar (2.2.1977-15.12.1977)
- Dr. Hari Narain (15.5.1978-14.5.1981)
- Dr. Iqbal Narain (19.10.1981-29.4.1985)
- Dr. R. P. Rastogi (30.4.1985-29.4.1991)
- Dr. C. S. Jha (1.5.1991-14.6.1993)
- Prof. D. N. Mishra (8.2.1994-27.6.1995)
- Prof. Hari Gautam (2.8.1995-25.8.1998)
- Prof. Y. C. Simhadri (31.8.1998-20.2.2002)
- Prof. P. Ramachandra Rao (20.2.2002-19.2.2005)
- Prof. Panjab Singh (03.5.2005-7.5.2008)
- Prof. D. P. Singh (08.5.2008-21.8.2011)
- Dr. Lalji Singh (22.8.2011-22.8.2014)
- Prof. Girish Chandra Tripathi (27.11.2014-)

RECENT CONVOCATIONS ADDRESSED BY

88th Convocation – 2006
Hon'ble President of India
Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam

89th Convocation – 2007
Hon'ble Vice-President of India
Shri Bhairon Singh Shekhawat

90th Convocation – 2008
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India
Dr. Manmohan Singh

91st Convocation – 2009
Hon'ble President of India
Smt. Pratibha Devi Singh Patil

92nd Convocation – 2010
Hon'ble Vice-President of India
Shri Hamid Ansari

93rd Convocation – 2011
Hon'ble Minister of HRD
Shri Kapil Sibal

94th Convocation – 2012
Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha
Smt. Meira Kumar

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Hon'ble Chancellor of BHU
Dr. Karan Singh

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96th Convocation – 2014
Padma Vibhushan
Prof. Jayant Vishnu Narlikar

99th Convocation – 2017
Bharat Ratna
Prof. C.N.R. Rao, FRS

97th Convocation – 2015
Padma Vibhushan
Dr. G. Madhavan Nair

98th Convocation – 2016
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India
Shri Narendra Modi

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Information Bulletin

POSTGRADUATE ENTRANCE TEST (PET) 2018

The Banaras Hindu University shall conduct Postgraduate Entrance Tests, hereinafter called 'PET', during **13th to 27th May, 2018 [Refer to Section 21 of the Test Schedule]** for admission to various Postgraduate Courses as given hereunder for the **Session 2018-2019**. Admissions will be made according to merit in the PET, subject to fulfillment of eligibility requirements mentioned below and availability of seats in the particular Course for which the candidate has applied for and appeared in the Entrance Test. These Courses have been divided into "General Courses", "Professional Courses", "Special Courses" and "Vocational Courses". All the Courses are conducted in the respective Faculties. In addition, some of the Courses are also conducted in Mahila Mahavidyalaya, BHU (**MMV**), Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, Barkachha, (**RGSC**) Mirzapur and the Colleges admitted to the Privileges of the University in the city namely, Arya Mahila Post Graduate College, Chetganj (**AMPGC**); Vasant Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Kamachha (**VKM**); Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat (**VCW**) and DAV Post Graduate College, Ausanganj (**DAVPGC**). The total number of seats in various Courses are indicated in brackets where 'M' stands for Male only, 'F' for Female only, and 'M&F' indicates seats for Male and Female both.

SECTION A

1. COURSES OF STUDY, MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY AND DURATION OF COURSE

NOTE: Candidates are advised to read the Relaxation in minimum eligibility for Scheduled Castes (SC)/Scheduled Tribes (ST)/Other Backward Classes (OBC)/Physically Challenged (PC) candidates given under Clause 2 and Notes relating minimum eligibility requirements given under clause 3.

A. GENERAL COURSES

(i) FACULTY OF SANSKRIT VIDYA DHARMA VIJNANA

(a) **ACHARYA in Veda (Shukla Yajurveda, Krishna Yajurveda, Samveda, Rigveda), Vyakaran, Sahitya, Jyotish (Jyotish Ganit, Jyotish Falit), Dharmashastra, Mimansa, Vedanta, Nyayavaisesika, Prachin Nyaya** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri under at least 10+2+3 pattern, in the concerned subject (studied in all the three years) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(b) **ACHARYA in Sankhyayoga, Puranetihasa:** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri under at least 10+2+3 pattern, in the concerned subject (studied in all the three years) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. with Sanskrit as a subject (in all the three years) under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(c) **ACHARYA in Buddha Darshan:** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri under at least 10+2+3 pattern, in the concerned subject (studied in all the three years) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. with Sanskrit/Pali as a subject (in all the three years) under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of

50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(d) **ACHARYA in Jain Darshan:** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri under at least 10+2+3 pattern, in the concerned subject (studied in all the three years) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. with Sanskrit/Prakrit as a subject (in all the three years) under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(e) **ACHARYA in Dharmagama:** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri under at least 10+2+3 pattern, with subject Dharmagam/Yogatantra/Agamatantra/ Agam/Shaivagam (studied in all the three years) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet,

OR

(a) Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri/B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Shastri (Hons.)/Shastri/B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet; and

(b) two years P.G. Diploma course in Agamatantra securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate.

(ii) FACULTY OF ARTS

(a) **M.A. in Bengali, English, Hindi, Kannada@, Urdu, Sanskrit**, AIHC & Arch.++ (Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology), Philosophy, Geography, Statistics#, Mathematics, Home Science** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.A. (Hons.)/ B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet. **The subject in which admission is sought must be Hons. subject at B.A. (Hons.) level OR a subject studied in all the three years at B.A. level**.

NOTE:

@ During this Session no admission will be made in M.A. in Kannada.

** Shastri (Hons.) shall also be eligible for admission to M.A. in Sanskrit.

++ Candidates having passed B. A. (Hons.)/B.A. in Ancient Indian History as a subject in all the three parts at B.A. Level are also eligible for admission in M. A. in Ancient Indian History & Arch.

For admission in M. A. in Statistics a candidate must also have studied Mathematics as one of the subjects at the Graduate level.

(b) **M.A. in Linguistics** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern with 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Graduation Level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

A candidate who has done Post Graduation (following Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern) in any Language-Literature, Philosophy, Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Mathematics, Computer Science securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate each at graduation and post graduation levels is also eligible for admission in this course.

(c) **M.A. in Nepali:** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

The candidate who has passed B. A. (Hons.)/B.A. under atleast 10+2+3 pattern/Shastri(B-Level Nepali passed) with P. G. Diploma/advanced Diploma/ 1 year Bridge Course in Nepali Subject securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate both at B. A. and Diploma Levels will be eligible for admission in M. A. Nepali.

(d) **M.A. in Arabic, French, German, Marathi, Persian, Russian ^ Chinese ^ , Telugu** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

As mentioned in Minimum eligibility requirements of (ii) Faculty of Arts (a) above

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/ B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern with PG Diploma/Advanced Diploma in the concerned subject (Arabic/ Chinese/ French/ German/Marathi/ Persian/Russian/Nepali/Telugu) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate both at B.A. and Diploma levels.

NOTE: ^ During this Session no admission will be made in M.A. in **Russian/Chinese**.

(e) **M.A. in Indian Philosophy and Religion (IPR)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.A. (Hons.)/ B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet. Philosophy/Religious Studies must be Hons. subject **OR** a subject studied in all the three years at B.A. level.

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. in Religious Studies under at least 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate.

OR

Graduate degree in any discipline of any national/foreign University recognized by BHU with Post Graduate Diploma in Indian Philosophy & Religion of this University securing a minimum of 50% marks each at the Graduate and Diploma levels.

(f) **M.A. in History of Art** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet. History of Art/Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology/ Ancient History, Culture & Archaeology/Archaeology and Ancient History/ Ancient Indian History & Culture/Ancient Indian History & Archaeology/Drawing and Painting/Painting should be Hons. subject at the B.A. (Hons.) level **OR** a subject studied in all the three years at graduation level **OR** BVA/BFA (Visual Arts)

Note: In case of students having qualifying subject, courses from University other than BHU, the eligibility and equivalency shall be decided by the concerned departmental admission committee.

(g) **M.A. in Pali** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.A. (Hons.) in Pali/Buddhist Studies under at least 10+2+3 pattern

OR

Pali/Buddhist Studies, studied in all the three years at B.A. level

The candidate must have secured at least 50% marks in aggregate both at B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. Level.

NOTE: In case of students having Pali/Buddhist Studies, courses from the University other than BHU or Foreign Students having different course types in Pali/Buddhist Studies, eligibility and equivalence shall be decided by the Departmental Admission Committee for M.A. in Pali.

(iii) FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

M.A. in Economics, History+, Political Science, Sociology, Psychology++ **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.A. (Hons.)/ B.A./B.Sc. (Hons)/B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern, securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at B.A./B.Sc. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet. The subject in which admission is sought must have been studied in all the three years at undergraduate level.

+ A candidate, having passed B. A.(Hons.)/B.A. with Ancient History as a subject is not eligible, for admission in M. A. in History but can apply for M.A. in AIHC & Arch, in the Faculty of Arts.

++ A candidate having passed B.Sc. (Hons.)/B.Sc. with Psychology as Hons. subject or a subject studied in all the three years at B.Sc. level is eligible for admission in M.Sc. in Psychology.

(iv) FACULTY OF COMMERCE

M.Com.: **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.Com (Hons.)/ B.Com./B.Com.(Hons.)-FMM under at least (10+2+3) Pattern Securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studies at B.Com. level except those subjects where only pass marks are required & which do not contribute to the total in the Final (degree) mark-sheet.

(v) INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE:

(a) **M.Sc. in Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany, Computer Science#, Geography, Mathematics, Statistics, Psychology, Home Science** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.Sc. (Hons.)/ B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in Science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. Course). The subject in which admission is sought must be Hons. subject at B.Sc. (Hons.) level/a subject studied in all the three years at Graduate level. However, for admission to M.Sc. in Botany/ Zoology, a candidate must also have offered Chemistry as one of the subjects at the Graduate level. Similarly, for admission in M. Sc. in Statistics, a candidate must also have studied Mathematics as one of the subjects at the Graduate level.

Note: ***#*** *Candidate must have studied the subject Computer Science (not Computer Applications, Information Technology, etc. as its place) in all the three years.*

(b) **M.Sc. in Biochemistry** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

B.Sc. (Hons.) in Biochemistry/ B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern with Biochemistry as a subject in all the three years of graduation course, securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in Science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. Course),

OR

B.Sc. (Hons.) in Chemistry/ Botany/ Zoology or B.Sc (Life Science/Bioscience) under 10+2+3 pattern with Chemistry as a subject studied for atleast two years of B.Sc course securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. course).

(c) **M.Sc. (Tech.) in Geophysics** **Duration:6 Semesters (3 Years)**

B.Sc. (Hons.)/ B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in Science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. Course) with Physics, Maths. and one more Science subject.

(d) **M. Sc. Geology** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.Sc. (Hons.)/ B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in Science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. Course). Geology must be Hons. subject at B.Sc. (Hons.) level/a subject studied in all the three parts at Graduate level.

B. PROFESSIONAL COURSES

(i) INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

M. Sc. in Health Statistics **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B. Sc. (Hons.)/B.Sc. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in Science subjects (considering all the three years of B. Sc. Course). Statistics must be Hons. subject at B. Sc. (Hons.) level/a subject studied in all the three parts at B. Sc. level.

(ii) INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

M. Sc. (Ag.) (Master of Science in Agriculture) in Agricultural Economics; Agronomy; Animal Husbandry & Dairying; Entomology & Agricultural Zoology; Extension Education; Genetics & Plant Breeding; Horticulture; Mycology & Plant Pathology; Plant Physiology; Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry — **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

1. Candidates with 4-years B.Sc. (Ag.) degree with credit based course programme under the guidelines of ICAR or an equivalent examination;
2. Candidates with 4-years B.Sc. (Horti.) Degree with credit based course programme under the guidelines of ICAR will be considered for M.Sc. (Ag.) Horticulture only.
3. Candidates with 4-years B.Sc. Animal Husbandry & Dairying (now B.Sc. (H) Dairying) degree with credit based course programme under the guidelines of ICAR or an equivalent examination for admission to M.Sc. (Ag.) Animal Husbandry & Dairying.
4. 6.00/10 or 2.5/4, 3.5/5, 4.0/6 OGPA for general candidates.
5. Has not secured more than one III-division or equivalent OGPA in his/her academic career.

(iii) FACULTY OF VISUAL ARTS

M.F.A. in Painting, Applied Arts, Plastic Arts, Pottery & Ceramics, Textile Design — **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Passed B.F.A. in the subject concerned (10+2+4 pattern or 10+5 pattern) securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate.

(iv) FACULTY OF PERFORMING ARTS

(a) **MPA in Vocal Music (Hindustani, Dhrupad)/Instrumental (Sitar, Violin, Flute, Tabla & Mridangam)** — **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.Mus/BPA in Vocal Music (Hindustani, Dhrupad)/Instrumental in North Indian Classical Music (Sitar, Violin, Flute, Tabla & Mridangam) from this University or an equivalent Examination from a recognised University securing a minimum of 50% marks in Music Practical.

OR

B.A. (Hons.)/B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern with Music (North Indian Classical Music) as a subject from this University or an equivalent Examination from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks in Music Practical. Music must be the Hons. subject at B.A. (Hons.) level/a subject studied in all the three parts at the graduate level.

OR

Any Bachelor's Degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following Examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks in Music Practical:

(a) Sangeet Prabhakar Exam of the Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad. (b) Sangeet Visharad Exam of the Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow. (c) Sangeet Ratna Exam of the Madhya Pradesh Govt., M.P. (d) Sangeet Visharad Exam of the Shanker Gandharve Vidyalaya. (e) Sangeet Visharad Exam of A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai. (f) Sangeet Vid Exam of Indira Kala Sangeet Vishwavidyalay, Khairagarh.(Chhatisgarh) (g) B. Mus. (Prabhakar) Exam of the Rajasthan Sangeet Sansthan, Jaipur, (h) Sangeet Visharad of Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh.

(b) **MPA in Dance: Kathak/Bharat Natyam** — **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

B.Mus./BPA in Dance in **Indian Classical Dance** (Kathak/Bharat Natyam) from this University or an equivalent Examination from a recognised University securing a minimum of 50% marks in Dance Practical.

OR

B.P.A Indian Classical Dance /B.A.* or an equivalent Examination with Dance (**Indian Classical)** as the main subject from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks in Dance Practical.

OR

Any Bachelor's Degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following Examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks in Dance Practical:

(a) Sangeet Prabhakar (Nritya) Exam of the Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Allahabad. (b) Sangeet Visharad (Nritya) Exam of the Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow. (c) Sangeet Prabudha (Nritya) Exam of Bhatkhande Music Institute (Deemed University),

Lucknow. (d) Vid (Nritya) exam of Indra Kala Sangeet Vishwavidyalaya, Khairagarh (Chhattisgarh). (e) Uttama (Nritya) exam of Banasthali Vidyapeeth, Rajasthan. (f) Sangeet Visharad (Nritya) exam of A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai. (g) Passed full time Diploma of Kalakshetra, Chennai, (h) Sangeet Visharad of Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh.
*Only for those Universities which are giving the Bachelors Degree only in Dance.

(v) FACULTY OF EDUCATION

(a) **M.Ed. (Master of Education) Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

I. Candidates seeking admission to the M.Ed. programme should have obtained at least 50% marks or an equivalent grade in any of the following programmes: (i) B.Ed. (ii) B.A. B.Ed., B.Sc. B.Ed., (iii) B.El.Ed. (iv) D.El.Ed. with an undergraduate/postgraduate degree (with 50% marks in each) or any equivalent grade.

II. **The reservation and relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD and other categories shall be as per rules of Central Government/State Government whichever is applicable.**

(b) **M.Ed.-Special Education (V.I.)*** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Eligibility: (i) Graduate under 10+2+3 pattern plus B. Ed. -Special Education (VI) (Visual Impairment)/B.Ed. with at least One Year Diploma in Special Education (V.I.) (**Candidate having passed P.G. Diploma till academic session 2014-15)** from recognized institution with 50% marks. (ii) A student with B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.Ed. Spl. Ed. 4 years integrated with visual impairment specialization.

OR

Any Post Graduate Degree plus B.Ed. -Special Education (V.I.)/B.Ed. with at least One Year Diploma in Special Education (V.I.) from recognized institution with 50% marks (**Candidate having passed P.G. Diploma till academic session 2014-15)**.
* Subject to the recognition from the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI).

(vi) FACULTY OF ARTS

(a) **M.A. in Mass Communication** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Graduate Degree in any discipline under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Graduate level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(b) **M.A. in Museology** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

M.A. in History of Art/Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology/History/ Sanskrit securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate after Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern.

(c) **M.A. in Prayojanmoolak Hindi (Patrakarita)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Bachelor's Degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate, including all subjects studied at Graduate level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet. (Note: Candidate should be well versed in Hindi language, as the medium of Instruction for this Course is Hindi only).

(d) **M. Lib. I. Sc. (Master of Library & Information Science)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

Graduate degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate including all subjects studied at Graduate level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.

(e) **M.A. in Manuscriptology and Paleography (under Department of Persian)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

B.A (Hons.) / B.A. under 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in aggregate at B.A level. The Honours subject at B.A. (Hons.) Level should be Indian Languages/Oriental Languages/History/AIHC/Philosophy/History of Art/ Linguistics. (**OR)**

M.A. with 50% marks in the above subjects.

(f) **M.P.Ed. (Master of Physical Education)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.Ed.) with at least 50% marks in the aggregate. **OR Four years** Bachelor of Physical Education (Professional) Degree securing at least 50% marks in the aggregate.

NOTE:
(i) Only B.P.Ed. courses approved by the NCTE will be recognized as equivalent to the B.P.Ed. Degree of Banaras Hindu University.
(ii) No bonus marks are provided for the candidates appearing for M.P.Ed.

(vii) FACULTY OF LAW

LL.M. (Master of Laws) **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

3-Year LL.B. after Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern or five years LL.B. under 10+2+5 pattern recognised by the Bar Council of India securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in LL. B. Degree.

(viii) INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

MCA (Master of Computer Applications) (Main Campus & RGSC*) **Duration:6 Semesters (3 Years)**

Bachelor's Degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern in any discipline with a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate, (including all subjects studied at Bachelor's level except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) marksheet.) with Mathematics as one of the subjects at either Intermediate or +2 (10+2) or equivalent examination, or, Bachelor's level (as a main or a subsidiary subject).

Note*: The MCA course at Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, Barkachha, Mirzapur (RGSC) is under Paid Seat Fee Structure with the fee structure of Rs.60000/- per semester + regular fees of the MCA course prescribed by the University. Maximum number of seats is 20. The candidates desirous to take admission at RGSC, Barkachha, Mirzapur will be required to give their option/preference of location at the time of counseling and the admissions will be made as per merit and the choice of the candidate. Further if the number of candidates opting for MCA is less than the minimum number of seats in the course, then the course may not run in that academic session.

(ix) MAHILA MAHAVIDYALAYA

(a) **M. Sc. in Bioinformatics [For Females only]** **Duration:4 Semesters (2Years)**

(A) 10+2 with Science and (B) Bachelor's degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern in Science/Engineering/Technology/ Agriculture/Medicine/Veterinary Science/Pharmaceutics with at least 50% marks in the aggregate.

NOTE: i) Course is open for female candidates only; (ii)For all courses the applicants having a degree equivalent to the degree of qualifying examination recognized by the Banaras Hindu University are also eligible (if they satisfy all other requirements for admission in the concerned course).

(b) **M.A. (Master of Education) (for Females only)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Graduate under *at least* 10+2+3 pattern with Education (Hons.)/having Education as a subject in any of the three years/ or any graduate under 10+2+3 pattern plus B.Ed./B.Ed. (Spl.) securing a minimum of 50% marks in aggregate at Graduation level.
NOTE: (i) Course is open for female candidates only; No. of seats: 30; (ii) Candidates are advised to read the Relaxation in minimum eligibility for Scheduled Castes (SC)/Scheduled Tribes (ST)/Other Backward Classes (OBC)/Physically Challenged (PC) candidates given under Clause 2 and *Notes relating minimum eligibility requirements given under clause 3.*

C. SPECIAL COURSES OF STUDY

NOTE: Candidates are advised to take note of the following:

(i) The admission to following special courses will be made on the basis of merit in the entrance tests. However, if the number of applicants for a particular special course is less than twice the minimum number of seats, no entrance test shall be conducted. In that case, admission to the special course would be made on the basis of merit in the qualifying examinations and/or

written/subjective test conducted by the Departments/Faculty.

(ii) In case the number of applicants to a special course is less than minimum number of seats in the course, the course would not run during the Session 2018-19.

(iii) The Fee structure given below shall be in addition to the regular BHU Fee for the course.

(i) FACULTY OF ARTS

(a) Master of Tourism and Travel Management — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : **Department of History of Art & RGSC* (both)**
Seats : Min: 1**0** –Main Campus; 15-RGSC : Max. : **30** –Main Campus; **40**-RGSC Fee : Rs.40,000/-per annum

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent degree with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

***Minimum / Maximum seats for RGSC is 15/40.**

Note: Foreign Candidates seeking admission to MTTM course must submit the English Language Proficiency Certificate (Understanding, speaking and writing) from the Institution last studied. The eligibility of such candidates will be decided by the concerned Departmental Admission Committee.

(b) Masters in Corporate Communication Management — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Journalism and Mass Communication
Seats : Min: 10 : Max : 20 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent degree with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(ii) FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

(a) Master of Personnel Management and Industrial Relations — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Psychology
Seats : Min: 15 : Max. : 46 Fee : Rs.60,000/-per annum

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(b) M.A. in Social Work — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Sociology
Seats : Min: 15 : Max. : 46 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree (10+2+3) with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks OR equivalent in any discipline.

(c) Master of Arts in Anthropology — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Sociology
Seats : Min: 05 : Max : 30 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per semester

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at list 10+2+3 pattern OR its equivalent or a higher degree in any discipline from any UGC/AICTE recognized institution in India or abroad with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(d) M.A. in Public Administration — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Political Science
Seats : Min: 10 ; Max. : 38 Fee : Rs.15,000/-per annum

Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(e) **M. A. in Conflict Management and Development (MCMD)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Malaviya Centre for Peace Research
Seats : Min: 10 ; Max. : 46 Fee : 15,000/- per annum
Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks OR equivalent degree with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(f) **Masters of Arts in Integrated Rural Development and Management** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Centre for Integrated Rural Development and Management
Seats : Min: 10 : Max : 30* Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum
Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent degree with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

**** NOTE: 3 (Three) seats for sponsored candidates from the Government, Public Bodies and Institutions, Industrial Concerns, Other Public Organizations, Members of the staff of any recognized University including BHU, Deemed Universities, Autonomous Institutions and Colleges and another 3 (Three) seats are under the foreign national category.***

(g) **M.A. in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy
Seats : Min: 10 : Max : 20 Fee : Rs.15,000/-per annum
Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(h) **M.A. in Energy Economics** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Department of Economics
Seats : Min: 05 : Max : 50 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per semester
Eligibility: B.A. (Hons.) Economics/ B.Com./B.Sc./B.A. Programme with Economics or B.Tech. or MBA with minimum of 50% aggregate marks from a recognized University/Institute.

NOTE: In addition to the above that the candidates must have minimum 50% marks at Higher and Senior Secondary level with Mathematics as one subject. However, this course requires advance knowledge of mathematics.

(iii) FACULTY OF COMMERCE

(a) **MBA (Foreign Trade)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Faculty of Commerce
Seats : Min: 15 : Max. : 30 Fee : **Rs.50,000/- per annum**
Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(b) **MBA (Risk and Insurance)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Faculty of Commerce
Seats : Min: 15 : Max. : 30 Fee : **Rs.50,000/- per annum**
Eligibility: Bachelor's Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks.

(c) **MBA (Financial Management)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Faculty of Commerce
Seats : Min: 15 : Max. : 46 Fee : **Rs.50,000/- per annum**
Eligibility: **Bachelor Degree in any discipline under at least (10+2+3) pattern OR equivalent with a minimum of 50% aggregate**

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(iv) INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

(a) M.Sc. in Environmental Science — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Botany
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 31 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum
Eligibility: A minimum of 50% marks (equivalent GPA) in B.Sc. (Hons)/B.Sc. (10+2+3) as well as at 10 & 10+2 examinations.

(b) M.Sc. in Applied Microbiology — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Botany
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 31 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum
Eligibility: B.Sc (Hons.)/B.Sc. with 10+2+3 pattern with any two of the following subjects: Botany, Zoology, Biotechnology, Microbiology, Chemistry, Industrial Microbiology, Life Science, Environmental Sciences & Secured at least 50% marks in aggregate in the concerned degree.

(c) M.Sc. in Statistics and Computing — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences
Seats : Min:10 : Max. : 40 Fee : Rs.40,000/- per annum
Eligibility: B.Sc (Hons)/B.A. (Hons)/B.Sc/B.A. under at least 10+2+3 pattern securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate* (considering all the three years of B.Sc/B.A. Courses). The candidate must have opted Statistics Hons. or studied Statistics in the all the three years at Graduate level. Moreover the candidate must also have studied Mathematics as one of the subjects at the Graduate level.
* For B.Sc (Hons)/B.Sc only Science subjects and for B.A. (Hons)/B.A. all subjects except those subjects where only pass marks are required and which do not contribute to the total in the final (degree) mark sheet.

(d) M.Sc. in Computational Science and Applications in Signal Processing — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences
Seats : Min:05 : Max. : 20 Fee : Rs.25,000/- per semester
Eligibility: **(A).** B.Sc. (Hons.)/B.Sc. Under atleast 10+2+3 pattern securing 50% pattern securing 50% marks in aggregate in science subjects (considering all the three years of B.Sc. (Hons.) and (b) candidate must have offered Physics/Electronics/ Computer Science as one of the subject at the UG level with Mathematics or Statistics.

OR

(B). B.Tech./B.E. (in Electronics/Communication/Electrical/Computer/Instrumentation related discipline) securing minimum 65% marks in aggregate in engineering and science subject (considering all four/five years of course)
Note: Candidates holding Degrees like Bachelor in Computer Application (BCA), Bachelor in Information Technology (B.IT), etc. are not eligible for this course.

(e) M.Sc. in Forensic Science — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science
Seats : Min:10 : Max. : 30 Fee : Rs.40,000/- per Semester;
US$1000 per semester (for foreign students)

Eligibility:
(i) Any science graduate under 10+2+3 pattern securing minimum of 50% marks in aggregate and having Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Genetics, Microbiology, Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Psychology, Computer Science, Statistics, Forensic Science, Geography, Geophysics and Geology as main subject (combination of at least three of the subjects) at the Under Graduate level.

OR

(ii) Any graduate having MBBS/BDS/B.Tech./B.E./B.Pharm degree securing minimum 50% marks in aggregate.

(v) FACULTY OF LAW

(a) LL.M. Course in Human Rights & Duties Education — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Faculty of Law
Seats : Min: 05 : Max. : 15 Fee : Rs.30,000/- per annum
Eligibility: 3-Year LL.B. after Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern or five years LL.B. under 10+2+5 pattern recognised by the Bar Council of India securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in LL. B. Degree.

(b) LL.M. Course — Duration:2 Semesters (1 Year)

Location : Faculty of Law
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 20 Fee : Rs.60,000/- per annum
Eligibility: 3-Year LL.B. after Graduation under at least 10+2+3 pattern or five years LL.B. under 10+2+5 pattern recognised by the Bar Council of India securing a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate in LL. B. Degree.
Age: The applicant should not be more than 35 years of age on July 1st of the year of seeking admission.

(vi) INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

MBA in Agri- Business — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Rajiv Gandhi South Campus
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 46 Fee : **Rs.90,000/-** per annum
Eligibility: Minimum 50% marks in aggregate at the B.Sc. (Ag.) & allied disciplines OR B.Sc. Home Sc. Or B.Sc. with at least one of the following subjects - Botany, Zoology, Biochemistry, Bio-Technology under 10+2+3 Scheme OR A Post Graduate in the above disciplines.

(vii) INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

(a) M.Sc. (Ag.) Agroforestry — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Rajiv Gandhi South Campus
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 23 Fee : Rs.20,000/- per semester
Eligibility: Passed 4 year B.Sc. (Ag)/ or 4 year degree programme in B.Sc. (Horticulture) / B.Sc. Agroforestry/ B.Sc Forestry from any recognized University and obtained at 50% marks in aggregate under the traditional system or an OGPA of 2.5/4, 3.5/5, 4.0/6 & 6.0/10 under the Course Credit System.

(b) M.Sc. (Ag.) in Soil Science – Soil and Water Conservation — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Rajiv Gandhi South Campus
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 15 Fee : Rs.20,000/- per semester
Eligibility: Passed 4 Year B.Sc. (Ag.) Examination of the University; and obtained at least 50% marks in aggregate under the traditional system or an OGPA of 2.5/4, 3.5/5, 4.0/6 & 6.0/10 under the Course Credit System.

(c) Master of Agri-Business Management (MABM) — Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)

Location : Department of Agricultural Economics
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 25 Fee : Rs. 37500 per semester (Rs.75,000/- per annum)
Eligibility: Passed 4-years B.Sc (Ag), examination of this University **OR** an equivalent examination **OR** 4 years degree program in B.Sc.(Ag.) (Forestry)/ B.Sc. (Ag.) (Horticulture)/ B.Sc.(Hons.) (Forestry)/ B.Sc. (Hons.) (Horticulture)/ B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology/B.Tech.(Agricultural Engineering)/B.E.(Agricultural Engg.)/B.V.Sc. & A.H./B.Tech (Dairy Technology)/B.Tech.(Food Technology) and obtained at least 50% marks in aggregate under the traditional system **OR** an OGPA of 2.5/4, 3.5/5, 4.0/6 & 6.0/10 under the course credit system.

(d) **M.Tech. in Agricultural Engineering (Soil and Water Conservation Engineering)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Department of Farm Engineering
Seats : Min: 05 : Max. : **12** Fee : Rs.25,000 per semester (Rs. 50,000/- per annum)
Eligibility: B.Tech (Agricultural Engg/Civil Engineering.)/B.E.(Agricultural Engg./Civil Engineering) recognized by the University.

(e) **M.Sc in Food Science and Technology** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Centre of Food Science and Technology
Seats : Min:15 : Max. : 25 Fee : Rs.30,000 per semester (Rs. 60,000/- per annum)
Eligibility: B.Tech. (Food Technology)/ B.Tech. (Dairy Technology)/B.Sc.(Agriculture)/B.Sc.(Food Technology & Food Science)/B.Sc. (Dairy Technology & Dairy Science)/B.Sc. (Life Science/Math)/B.Sc. (Home Science in Food & Nutrition) recognized by the University.

(f) **M.Sc in Plant Biotechnology** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Rajiv Gandhi South Campus
Seats : Min: 20 : Max. : 30 Fee : Rs.30,000 per semester (Rs. 60,000/- per annum)
Eligibility: B.Sc.(Ag)/B.Sc. with Biology(Botany, Zoology and any other subject)/Biotechnology/ B.Tech (Biotechnology)

(viii) INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

(a) **M.Sc. in Environmental Sciences (Environmental Technology)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)**

Location : Rajiv Gandhi South Campus
Seats : Min: 10 : Max. : 30 Fee : Rs.50,000/- per annum
Eligibility: B.Sc. (Hons.)/ B.Sc. (10+2+3) or B.Sc. (Ag.) or MBBS or BE/B.Tech. with a minimum of 50% marks (equivalent GPA) with minimum 50% in aggregate at 10 and 10+2 levels.

D. VOCATIONAL COURSES

(i) FACULTY OF ARTS

Master of Vocational Programme:

(a) **Master of Vocation in Retail & Logistics Management** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)** **Course Code No.704**

Location DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU
Seats Maximum 50 Fee **University Fee: Rs. 2381/- (I semester)**
Special Course Fee: Rs.30,000/- per semester

MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: A candidate shall be eligible for admission to M.Voc. (Retail & Logistics Management), if he/she has passed Bachelor's degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern in any discipline with a with a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate marks or level 7 NSQF certificate or B.Voc. (Retail & Logistics Management) or any other equivalent examination recognized by the University securing at least 50% marks in aggregate.

(b) **Master of Vocation in Hospitality & Tourism Management** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)** **Course Code No.706**

Location : DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU
Seats Maximum 50 Fee **University Fee: Rs. 2381/- (I semester)**
Special Course Fee: Rs.30,000/- per semester

MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: A candidate shall be eligible for admission to M.Voc. (Hospitality & Tourism Management), if he/she has passed Bachelor's degree under at least 10+2+3 pattern in any discipline with a with a minimum of 50% marks in the aggregate marks or level 7 NSQF certificate or B.Voc. (Hospitality & Tourism Management) or any other equivalent examination recognized by the University securing at least 50% marks in aggregate.

(c) **Master of Vocation in Food Processing & Management** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)** **Course Code No.705**

Location : DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU

Seats Maximum 50 Fee **University Fee: Rs. 2381/- (I semester)**
Special Course Fee: Rs.30,000/- per semester

MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: A candidate shall be eligible for admission to M.Voc. (Food Processing & Management), if he/she has passed NSQF level 7 OR B.Sc. in Life Sciences OR B.Sc. (Agriculture) OR B.Sc./B.Voc./B. Tech. in Food Science/Food Science & Technology/Food Technology/ Food Processing & Management/Food Engineering/Home Science/Home Science & Nutrition securing at least 50% marks in aggregate by the recognized University.

(d) **Master of Vocation (Medical Laboratory Technology)** **Duration:4 Semesters (2 Years)** **Course Code No.707**

Location : DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU

Seats Maximum 50 Fee **University Fee: Rs. 2381/- (I semester)**
Special Course Fee: Rs.30,000/- per semester

MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: A candidate shall be eligible for admission to M.Voc. (Medical Laboratory Technology), if he/she has passed NSQF level 7 OR Graduation with 50% marks with one or two of the following subjects: Bachelor in Vocation in Medical Lab. Technology, or B.Sc in Medical Lab. Technology / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Biochemistry / Zoology or B.Tech. (Biotech) or MBBS/BPT/BOT/BAMS/BNYS.

2. COURSE NAME, COURSE CODE NUMBER AND NUMBER OF SEATS

Note: The candidates are advised to see Section A 1 for details on Minimum Eligibility Requirements, Age Limit, duration of the course, fee structure etc.

A separate test will be conducted for each course. However, there are certain courses where a combined common test will be conducted, details of which are available at Clause 15. In such cases where there is a common test for more than one course, single code has been allotted for the courses covered in the concerned common test. While filling the Application Form, the candidates can select the name of any one course covered in the concerned common entrance test. The details of Courses offered, their Intake and course code is given below:

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
1. Institute of Science					
1.1. General Courses					
(i)	M.Sc. (Physics)	Department of Physics	-	77	481
(ii)	M.Sc. (Chemistry)	Department of Chemistry	-	77	482
(iii)	M.Sc. (Geology)	Department of Geology	-	43	483
(iv)	M.Sc. in (Zoology)	Department of Zoology	-	51	484
(v)	M.Sc. in (Botany)	Department of Botany	-	51	485
(vi)	M.Sc. in (Computer Science)	Department of Computer Science	-	26	486
(vii)	M.Sc. in (Biochemistry)	Department of Biochemistry	-	22	487
(viii)	M.Sc. Tech. in (Geophysics)	Department of Geophysics	-	34	491
1.2 Professional Courses					
(i)	MCA (Master of Computer Applications)	Department of Computer Sciences	-	46	492
		Rajiv Gandhi South Campus*	-	20	
Note*: The MCA course at Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, Barkachha, Mirzapur (RGSC) is under Paid Seat Fee Structure with the fee structure of Rs.60000/- per semester + regular fees of the MCA course prescribed by the University. Maximum number of seats is 20. The candidates desirous to take admission at RGSC, Barkachha, Mirzapur will be required to give their option/preference of location at the time of counseling and the admissions will be made as per merit and the choice of the candidate.					
1.3 Special Courses of Study					
(i)	M.Sc. in Environmental Science	Department of Botany	10	31	489
(ii)	M.Sc. in Applied Microbiology	Department of Botany	10	31	488
(iv)	M.Sc. in Statistics and Computing	DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences	10	40	501

(vi)	M.Sc. in Computational Science and Applications in Signal Processing	DST-Centre for Interdisciplinary Mathematical Sciences	05	20	471
(vii)	M.Sc. in Forensic Science	Department of Chemistry	10	30	472

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
2. FACULTY OF ARTS					
2.1 General Courses					
(i)	M.A. in Arabic	Department of Arabic	-	17	431
(ii)	**M.A. in Chinese***	Department of Foreign Languages	-	17	432
(iii)	M.A. in English	Department of English	-	77	433
		VCW – Rajghat	-	30	
		VKM – Kamachha	-	30	
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
		Arya Mahila P.G. College	-	30	
(iv)	M.A. in French	Department of French Studies	-	17	434
(v)	M.A. in German	Department of German Studies	-	17	435
(vi)	M.A. in Nepali	Department of Indian Languages	-	43	436
(vii)	M.A. in Persian	Department of Persian	-	17	437
(viii)	**M.A. in Russian***	Department of Foreign Languages	-	17	438
(ix)	M.A. in Bengali	Department of Bengali	-	77	439
		Arya Mahila P.G. College	-	30	
(x)	M.A. in Hindi	Department of Hindi	-	154	440
		Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
		VCW – Rajghat	-	30	
		VKM – Kamachha	-	30	
(xi)	**M.A. in Kannada***	Department of Indian Languages	-	34	441
(xii)	M.A. in Marathi	Department of Marathi	-	34	442
(xiii)	M.A. in Telugu	Department of Telugu	-	34	443
(ivx)	M.A. in Urdu	Department of Urdu	-	51	444
(xv)	M.A. in Pali	Department of Pali & Buddhist Studies	-	36	445
(xvi)	M.A. in Sanskrit	Department of Sanskrit	-	77	446
		Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
(xvii)	M.A. in Linguistics	Department of Linguistics	-	43	447
(xviii)	M.A. in A.I.H.C.& Arch.	Department of A.I.H.C.& Arch.	-	77	448
		Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
(xix)	M.A. in History of Art	Department of History of Art	-	43	449
(xx)	M.A. in I.P.R.	Department of I.P.R.	-	77	450
(xxi)	M.A. in Philosophy	Department of Philosophy	-	77	451
		Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
***During the session no admission will be made.**					
2.2 Professional Courses					
(i)	M.A. in Mass Communication	Department of Journalism & Mass Communication	-	38	452
(ii)	M.A. in Museology	Department of A.I.H.C & Arch.	-	09	453
(iii)	M.A. in Prayojanmoolak Hindi (Patrakarita)	Department of Hindi	-	23	454
(iv)	M. Lib. I. Sc. (Master of Library & Information Science)	Department of Library & Information and Sciences	-	38	456

(v)	M.A. in Manuscriptology and Paleography (Library and Information Science as the nodal department)	Department of Persian, Faculty of Arts	-	15	458
(vi)	M.P.Ed.# (Master of Physical Education)	Department of Physical Education	-	40	457
# There shall be a reservation of 15% in each category of total seats for girl candidates in M.P.Ed. if sufficient number of Female candidates are not available the allocated Female seats may be filled by Male Candidates.					
2.3 Special Courses of Studies					
(i)	Master of Tourism and Travel Management	Department of History of Art	10	30	455
		RGSC	15	40	
(ii)	Masters in Corporate Communication Management	RGSC	10	20	459
2.4 Vocational Courses					
(i)	Master of Vocation in Retail & Logistics Management	DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU	-	50	704
(ii)	Master of Vocation in Hospitality & Tourism Management	DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU	-	50	
(iii)	Master of Vocation in Food Processing & Management	DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU	-	50	705
(vi)	Master of Vocation (Medical Laboratory Technology)	DDU Kaushal Kendra, Rajiv Gandhi South Campus, BHU	-	50	

	COURSE NAME	LOCATION	INTAKE		COURSE CODE
			MINIMUM	MAXIMUM	
3. FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES					
3.1 General Courses					
(i)	M.A. in Economics	Department of Economics	-	77	466
		VCW – Rajghat	-	30	
		VKM – Kamachha	-	30	
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
		Arya Mahila P.G. College	-	30	
(ii)	M.A. in History	Department of History	-	77	460
		Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
		VCW – Rajghat	-	30	
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
(iii)	M.A. in Political Sciences	Department of Political Sciences	-	77	461
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
		Arya Mahila P.G. College	-	30	
(iv)	M.A. in Sociology	Department of Sociology	-	77	462
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
		VCW - Rajghat	-	30	
		Arya Mahila P.G. College	-	30	
3.2 Special Courses of Study					
(i)	M.A. in Social Work	Department of Sociology	15	46	463
(ii)	Master of Arts in Anthropology	Department of Sociology	05	30	707
(iii)	Master of Personnel Management & Industrial Relations (MPMIR)	Department of Psychology	15	46	465
(iv)	M.A. in Public Administration	Department of Political Sciences	10	38	464
(v)	M.A. in Conflict Management and Development (MCMD)	Malaviya Centre for Peace Research	10	46	467
(vi)	M.A. in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy	Centre for Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy	10	20	708

(vii)	M.A. in Energy Economics	Department of Economics	*05*	*50*	709
(viii)	M.A. in Intergrated Rural Development and Management	Centre for Integrated Rural Development	10	30*	703
	*** 3 (Three) Seats for Sponsored Candidates & *3 (Three) Seats for Foreign Nationals**				
COMMON SUBJECTS (COURSES: M.A./M.Sc.)					
(i)	M.A./M.Sc. in Home Science	Department of Home Science	-	52	494
		VKM – Kamachha	-	20	
(ii)	M.A./M.Sc. in Mathematics	Department of Mathematics	-	115	495
(iii)	M.A./M.Sc. in Statistics	Department of Statistics	-	51	496
(iv)	M.A./M.Sc. in Psychology	Department of Psychology	-	51	497
	M.A. in Psychology	Arya Mahila Post Graduate College	-	30	
		VCW – Rajghat	-	30	
		VKM – Kamachha	-	30	
		DAV P.G. College	-	30	
(v)	M.A./M.Sc. in Geography	Department of Geography	-	66	498
	M.A. in Geography	DAV P.G. College	-	30	
		VCW-Rajghat	-	30	

NOTE:

(1) Geography, Home Science, Mathematics, Statistics are available in Faculties of Arts + Science; Psychology is available in Faculties of Social Sciences + Science. However, the admission is done (and teaching is imparted) in the respective Department.

(2) For admission to M.A./M.Sc. course in Geography, Mathematics, Statistics, Home Science, Psychology, there will be one Common Entrance Test for each of the subjects and a single merit list will be prepared.

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
4. FACULTY OF SANSKRIT VIDYA DHARMA VIJNANA					
4.1 General Courses					
(i)	Acharaya in Shukla Yajurveda	Department of Veda	-	50	281
	Acharaya in Krishna Yajurveda				282
	Acharaya in Samveda				283
	Acharaya in Rigveda				284
(ii)	Acharaya in Vyakarana	Department of Vyakarana	-	50	285
(iii)	Acharaya in Sahitya	Department of Sahitya	-	50	286
(iv)	Acharaya in Jyotish (Ganit)	Department of Jyotish	-	50	287
	Acharaya in Jyotish (Falit)				288
(v)	Acharaya in Dharmagama	Department of Dharmagama	-	28	289
(vi)	Acharaya in Dharmashastra	Department of Dharmashastra & Mimansa	-	28	290
	Acharaya in Mimansa				297
(vii)	Acharaya in Jain Darshan	Department of Jain & Baudha Darshan	-	34	291
	Acharaya in Baudha Darshan				298
(viii)	Acharaya in Vedanta	Department of Vedanta	-	62	292
	Acharaya in Puranetihas				293
	Acharaya in Sankhyayoga				294
	Acharaya in Prachin Nyaya				295
	Acharaya in Nyaya Vaisheshika				296

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
5. FACULTY OF COMMERCE					
5.1. General Courses					
(i)	Master of Commerce	Department of Commerce	-	154	470
		DAV PG College		30	
5.2. Special Courses of Study					
(i)	MBA (Risk & Insurance)	Department of Commerce	15	30	385
	MBA (Foreign Trade)		15	30	
	MBA (Financial Management)		15	46	

6. INSTITUTE OF ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT					
6.1. Special Courses of Study					
(i)	M.Sc. in Environmental Sciences (Environmental Technology)	Department of Environment & Sustainable Development	10	30	480

7. INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES					
7.1 Professional Courses					
(i)	M.Sc. in Health Statistics	Department of Community Medicine	-	15	275

8. FACULTY OF EDUCATION					
8.1. Professional Courses					
(i)	M.Ed.	Department of Education (Kamachha) VCW – Rajghat		39 39	390
(ii)	M.Ed. (Special Education) V.I.	Department of Education (Kamachha)		12	391

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
9. FACULTY OF VISUAL ARTS					
9.1. Professional Courses					
(i)	M.F.A. in Painting	Department of Painting	-	22	360
(ii)	M.F.A. in Applied Arts	Department of Applied Arts	-	26	361
(iii)	M.F.A. in Plastic Arts	Department of Plastic Arts	-	12	362
(iv)	M.F.A. in Pottery & Ceramics	Department of Pottery & Ceramics		06	363
(v)	M.F.A. in Textile Design	Department of Textile Design	-	06	364

10. INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES					
10.1. Special Courses of Study					
(i)	MBA in Agribusiness	Department of Management Studies	10	46	381

11.	**FACULTY OF LAW**				
11.1. Professional Courses					
(i)	LL.M. (2-year)	Department of Law	-	38	475
11.2. Special Courses of Study					
(i)	LL.M. Course in Human Rights & Duties Education	Department of Law	05	15	475
(ii)	LL.M. (1-year)	Department of Law	10	20	475

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
12. FACULTY OF PERFORMING ARTS					
12.1. Professional Courses					
(i)	MPA in Vocal Music	Department of Vocal Music	-	17	366
(ii)	MPA in Instrumental Music (Sitar)	Department of Instrumental Music	-	09	367
	MPA in Instrumental Music (Violin)		-	08	368
	MPA in Instrumental Music (Flute)		-	08	369
	MPA in Instrumental Music (Tabla)		-	09	370
(iii)	MPA in Dance (Kathak)	Department of Dance	-	10	371
	MPA in Dance (Bharat Natyam)		-	10	372

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
13.	**INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES**				
13.1 Professional Courses					
(i)	M.Sc. (Ag) in Agricultural Economics	Department of Agricultural Economics	-	140	340
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Agronomy	Department of Agronomy			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Animal Husbandry & Dairying	Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Entomology & Agricultural Zoology	Department of Entomology & Agricultural Zoology			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Extension Education	Department of Extension Education			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Genetics & Plant Breeding	Department of Genetics & Plant Breeding			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Horticulture	Department of Horticulture			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Mycology & Plant Pathology	Department of Mycology & Plant Pathology			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Plant Physiology	Department of Plant Physiology			
	M.Sc. (Ag) in Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry	Department of Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry			
13.2. Special Courses of Study					
(i)	M.Sc. (Ag.) in Agro-forestry	Rajiv Gandhi South Campus	10	23	**473**
(ii)	M.Sc. (Ag.) in Soil Science - Soil and Water Conservation	Rajiv Gandhi South Campus	10	15	**702**
(iii)	M.Sc. in Plant Biotechnology	Rajiv Gandhi South Campus	20	30	356
(iv)	Master of Agri-Business Management	Department of Agricultural Economics	10	25	352
(v)	M.Sc. in Food Science and Technology	Centre of Food Science and Technology	15	25	354
(vi)	M.Tech. in Agricultural Engineering (Soil and Water Conservation Engineering)	Department of Farm Engineering	05	12	355

	Course Name	Location	Intake		Course Code
			Minimum	Maximum	
14. Mahila Maha Vidyalaya					
14.1. Professional Courses					
(i)	M.Sc. (Bio-Informatics)	Mahila Maha Vidyalaya	-	23	493
(ii)	M.A. in Education	Mahila Maha Vidyalaya	-	30	701

3. RELAXATION IN MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHEDULED CASTES (SC), SCHEDULED TRIBES (ST), OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES (OBC) AND PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED (PC) CANDIDATES

In the case of SC/ST candidates, for all the above courses there will be no requirement for minimum percentage of marks in the aggregate in the qualifying examinations except that they must have passed the qualifying examination and appeared in the concerned Entrance Test. Further, for OBC and PC candidates, there will be a relaxation of 5% marks in aggregate in the qualifying examination in minimum eligibility requirements in comparison to general candidates.

4. NOTES RELATED TO MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT

(i) Candidates appearing in the Final Year of the Qualifying Examination may also apply and appear in the Test. However, the candidate will be required to produce the original mark sheet of the qualifying examination at the time of counseling for getting admission. Further, the candidates who are called for counseling for provisional admission in a course, but they are not able to produce the mark sheet of the qualifying examination(s) with minimum eligibility requirements at the time of counselling may also be allowed to take conditional admission. **However, the conditional admission will be on the condition that (a) such candidates give an undertaking that they will produce the original mark sheet of the qualifying examination with minimum eligibility requirement latest by 31st October, 2018. (b) It is evident from the mark sheet(s) of the previous examination(s) relating to the course of qualifying degree that the candidate has secured at least stipulated minimum percentage of aggregate marks (for example 50%) in the previous examination(s) (except final year examination/final year semester examination(s) of the qualifying degree. (This will not be necessary for SC/ST candidates). If they fail to produce the requisite mark sheet by 31st October, 2018 their admission will be treated as cancelled and they will not claim for refund of fee paid for conditional admission.**

(ii) Candidates who are already **admitted** as regular students to Part I / I-Semester of any of the above courses of study in this University through Entrance Test in earlier years(s) and are eligible for appearing in the Examination of 2nd semester of said course shall **not be allowed to re-appear in the Entrance Test for admission in the same Course.** Further, such candidates who were not eligible for appearing in the concerned examination due to shortage of attendance or for not filling the examination form in time, will be allowed to appear in the Entrance Test for that course if he/she is otherwise eligible. **Candidates already admitted in Part II (III-Semester or above) shall not be allowed to appear in the Entrance Test of the same course. Violation of this provision by any of the bonafide students of the University will be treated as an act of misconduct and shall be dealt with accordingly.**

(iii) If the applicant has passed the qualifying Exam where grades are awarded and:

(a) where the Grade Sheet does not mention the equivalent percentage of marks from grade points, the candidate should submit such a Certificate of conversion from the concerned Institution mentioning either the converted percentage, or the formula for the actual conversion of grade point average to percentage of marks;

(b) where the Grade Sheet itself mentions the equivalent percentage of marks from grade points, or the formula for such conversion, the candidate should get both sides of the Degree/Grade Sheet photocopied showing the equivalent percentage of marks/conversion formula.

(iv) "**Aggregate** percentage of marks" will **also** include grace marks awarded to a candidate. The percentage of marks in the aggregate will be computed as evidenced from the final marksheet of the qualifying examination. However, in case of graduate examinations, where the final marksheet is of two or more types based on only Honours subject or all the subjects studied in three years, the aggregate shall be computed on the basis of total marks secured in all the subjects studied in three years. For example, in case of students passing BA (Hons.)/B.Sc. (Hons.) from BHU, in earlier years the final marksheets were of two types viz based on only 1000 marks or on 1800 marks. In such cases, the aggregate shall be computed based on total of 1800 marks rather than on 1000 marks. **Further, where final marksheet is based on only Hons subject but the candidate has studied other subsidiary/similar subjects also during the study of course, the marks of these subjects will also be included for computation of aggregate percentage.** Still further, in case of any ambiguity/interpretational difficulties, the decision of the University will be final.

(v) (a) Degrees/Certificates recognized by Association of Indian Universities (AIU) shall only be deemed as equivalent degrees/certificates.

(b) The Distance Education Council of Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU)/Association of Indian Universities (AIU) will be the only authority to recognize the Degrees/Certificates of **Distance Education**. Such candidates may be **provisionally** permitted to appear in the Entrance Tests but will be required to submit certificates from Distance Education Council of IGNOU, New Delhi regarding recognition/approval of the courses.

(c) The courses at the level of 10+2 of Madarsas, recognized by Jamia Milia Islamia, New Delhi (Central University) will be recognized for purposes of admission to BA (Hons) course of BHU.

(vi) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Prospectus of Studies regarding the Courses in which admission is made through Entrance Test, the eligibility requirements for the purpose of admission shall be only those which are mentioned in the Information Bulletin of the academic session concerned.

(vii) Application Forms of candidates who submitted forged/fake certificates or adopted fraudulent means shall be REJECTED. Further, such candidates shall be debarred from appearing in any subsequent Entrance Tests conducted by BHU.

(viii) Candidates are allowed to appear at the Entrance Tests **provisionally** subject to the final verification of Mark sheets/Degrees/Certificates, validity of Certificates/Mark sheets of Qualifying Examination and also of non-involvement in the adoption of unfair means in any of the University Examinations/Entrance Tests held earlier, at the time of admission.

(ix) Mere appearance in the Entrance Test or securing pass marks at the PET does not entitle a candidate to be considered for admission to the Course unless he/she fulfils the eligibility conditions. **APPLICANTS MUST FULLY SATISFY THEMSELVES ABOUT THEIR ELIGIBILITY AS PRESCRIBED ABOVE, BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM.**

(x) If an applicant is inadvertently allowed to appear at the Entrance Test who otherwise does not fulfill the minimum eligibility requirements, he/she cannot, at a later date, use that as a right to claim that he/she meets the eligibility requirements.

The University reserves the right to cancel/refuse admission at any point of time if it is found that:

(i) Minimum eligibility requirements are not fulfilled.

(ii) False documentation has been done, or, facts have been suppressed.

(iii) Any other similar valid reason.

(xi) Candidates admitted to any Course in this University shall not be eligible to pursue simultaneously any other full-time Course in this or in any other University/Institution.

(xii) **A candidate can apply for any number of courses for which he/she is eligible, provided** the Entrance Tests are on different dates (please refer to the Entrance Test Schedule).

5 RESERVATIONS

(i) Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes:

Seats shall be reserved for Scheduled Caste (15%) and Scheduled Tribe (7.5%) candidates in each Course. **Admission against these seats will be made provided the candidate has passed the Qualifying Examination and appeared in the Entrance Test.**

Every SC/ST candidate shall have to submit a self attested copy of the Certificate mentioning that the candidate belongs to SC/ST community. Such certificates shall be subject to verification from the concerned District Magistrate. The following are empowered to issue the certificate:

(a) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Addl. Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner.
(b) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Addl. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.
(c) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar.
(d) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.
(e) Administrator/Secretary to the Administrator/ Development Officer (Lakshadweep Islands).

Candidates must note that Certificate from any other person/authority shall not be accepted in any case. If the candidate happens to belong to SC or ST, his/her caste/tribe must be listed in the appropriate Govt. of India schedule. The Caste Certificate should clearly state: (a) Name of his/her caste/tribe (b) whether he/she belongs to SC or ST (c) District and the State or Union Territory of his/her usual place of residence and (d) the appropriate Govt. of India schedule under which his/her caste/tribe is approved by it as SC or ST.

However, if an SC/ST candidate seeks admission under some other category (for example: PC/Employee Ward etc.) the candidate should satisfy the minimum eligibility requirement for that category.

(ii) **Other Backward Classes (OBCs):**

27% Reservation to candidates belonging to OBC category (excluding under creamy layer) will be provided in different courses. The authorities to issue the OBC certificate are the same as in case of SC/ST provided in section 5 (i) above. The caste in the OBC certificate will be those only which are in the list of Central Govt. Further the OBC certificate should clearly mention that the candidate is not under creamy layer. However, if an OBC candidate seeks admission under some other category (for example: PC/Employee Ward etc.) the candidate should satisfy the minimum eligibility requirement for that category.

(iii) **Physically Challenged:**

5% seats shall be reserved for Physically Challenged Candidates: (*a*) blindness and low vision; (1%) + (*b*) deaf and hard of hearing; (1%) + (*c*) locomotor disability including cerebral palsy, leprosy cured, dwarfism, acid attack victims and muscular dystrophy; (1%) + (*d*) autism, intellectual disability, specific learning disability and mental illness; (1%) + (*e*) multiple disabilities from amongst persons under clauses (*a*) to (*d*) including deaf-blindness in the posts identified for each disabilities: (1%) (on horizontal reservation basis). Such candidates will have to submit a self attested copy of Disability Certificate issued by the District CMO with the Application Form. The candidates called for Counseling for possible provisional admission will be examined by a Medical Board constituted by BHU and if necessary, will be referred by the Medical Board to other recognized bodies for the purpose, as per criteria fixed by the University. The decision of the Medical Board constituted by BHU will be final. The Entrance Test for Blind candidates will be held at Varanasi Centre only.

'Writer' for Blind Candidates:

'Writer' will be provided by the University to each blind candidate. The qualifications of 'writers' shall be decided by the University. Such a candidate is required to apply for 'writer' to the Controller of Examinations on the prescribed application form for the purpose at least 15 days prior to the date of the Entrance Test. For this purpose, the candidate has to collect the form from the Office of the Controller of Examinations, and submit the same affixing a passport size photograph similar to that affixed on the application form. Such candidate will have to appear before the Head, Department of Ophthalmology for clinical examination and his opinion/recommendation will be considered before providing 'writer'. All the blind candidates will be accommodated at one Centre at Varanasi only.

Note: Wherever the number of seats is small, the University will have the right to combine some of the groups to calculate the number of seats for reserved categories.

Consideration of Reserved Category Meritorious Candidates as General Candidates:

In a course, if the merit of a reserved category candidate is more than or equal to the merit of the last admitted general candidate in that course, the reserved category candidate will be treated as general candidate in that course. Provided further that if a meritorious reserved category candidate is admitted by relaxing the general qualifying standards (minimum eligibility requirement and/or age) or is admitted to a higher preferred course (allotment of Honours subject, Subject combination, Specialization, if any) which he/she would not have got by remaining under the general category, then his/her admission shall be adjusted against the concerned reserved category quota and the consequential vacancy created in the general category shall be filled up by a general category candidate in order of merit.

(iv) 15% seats out of total number of seats in M.P.Ed. are allocated for female candidates. In case any such seats remain vacant, these will be filled by male candidates on merit.

6. SUPERNUMERARY SEATS:

NOTE: Candidates seeking admission on a supernumerary seat under any of the following supernumerary quota shall be required to meet the eligibility conditions as are prescribed for general category candidates for the concerned course.

(i) **BHU Employee Wards: 15%** supernumerary seats in all the courses (including special courses) shall be available for the sons/daughters (including married daughters) of **permanent employees (including those on probation) of BHU currently in service or were so during the academic Session immediately preceding the Session for which the Entrance Test is held**, provided the candidate fulfils the minimum eligibility requirements **and** claims that he/she belongs to employee ward category in the Application Form and qualifies in the PET. BHU Employee Ward category applicants are required to submit a certificate issued by the Dy. Registrar (Administration), if called for Counseling. Similarly, 15% supernumerary seats in the Colleges admitted to the Privileges of the University Colleges shall be reserved for daughters of permanent Employees of the respective Colleges admitted to the Privileges of the University girls' Colleges (daughters and sons in case of DAV Post Graduate College) currently in service or during the Academic Session immediately preceding the Session for which the Entrance Test is held.

Further, wherever the provision of employee ward quota for admission in a course of the University exists, the provision of granting benefit of Employee Ward will be extended to the following two groups of serving and retired/deceased employees also by creating one supernumerary seat (for each group) in addition to the seats available for the employee wards provided the merit index of the wards of the said two groups in the merit of entrance test conducted for admission in the course is not below the last admitted candidate under employee ward quota in that course:

(a) employees joining the University on deputation; &

(b) wards of the deceased employees and re-engaged/retired BHU employees subject to the condition that the privilege will be available upto the academic year succeeding the year in which the deceased employee would have attained/retired employee attains the age of 65 years.

(Note: Any fraction after computation of 15% seats in a course will be rounded off to the next integer.)

(ii) **Paid Seats:** There is provision for supernumerary "PAID SEATS" **(not exceeding 15% of the total number of seats)** in certain courses, the details of which will be available at the time of admission from the concerned Faculty/Department. **However, no such provision is available for Special Courses**. The desirous candidates are advised to keep constant touch with the Faculty/Department for knowing the detailed position regarding the process of admission under paid seats in the concerned courses, because in some of the courses separate notices are put on notice board for Paid Seats instead of sending call letters to all candidates above as per PET index.

(iii) **Sports Seats**: Supernumerary Seats in various Faculties/Institute shall be available under sports category as per details mentioned below:-

SL.NO.	INSTITUTE/FACULTIES/COLLEGES	SPORTS SEATS (SUPERNUMERARY)*
1.	Arts*, Science*, Social Science*	06* each
2.	Commerce	2
3.	Agriculture, Education, Performing Arts, Visual Arts, S.V.D.V., Law	1 each
NOTE: "Not more than 50% of the prescribed supernumerary sports seats for a Faculty would be allowed to go in a single course run by the Department of that Faculty".		

Note: No such provision is available for Special Courses.

1. Candidates shall be considered for Sport Seats only on approval from the University Sports Board.
2. In order to be eligible in sport quota seats: (a) A candidate should have passed the qualifying examination; (b) should have appeared in entrance test of concerned course; (c) must fulfill the AIU participation rules; (d) should have played National (senior/junior/sub-junior/youth school/Games federation of India) at least upto qualifying examination or should have secured a position in Zonal/Inter Zonal/Direct All India up to 4th position Inter University Tournament/championship of AIU games.
3. The candidate, thus, found eligible for admission under sports seats shall have to qualify practical test i.e., modified AAPHER youth fitness test of 40 marks and playing ability test of 60 marks in the concerned games/ sports event. However, candidates from the following sports/games – Archery, Chess and Shooting will be exempted from Modified AAPHER youth fitness test of 40 marks. The candidate must secure at least 60% marks in each test, namely, Modified AAPHER youth fitness test (not applicable for Archery, Chess and Shooting) and playing ability (candidates of Archery, Chess and Shooting must obtain 60% marks in this component only). The practical test will be conducted by a Committee constituted by University Sport Board in consultation with Controller of Examinations.
4. The merit of the qualified candidates for the admission in Sport Seats shall be decided by the Sport achievement marks awarded on the basis of certificates of achievements. Highest Sport achievement marks/performance of a candidate will only be considered while counting the sports achievement marks.

Sport Achievement Marks in various categories are as follows:

A- National (Senior/Junior/ Youth)

Position	Team	Individual
1st position	30	35
2nd position	25	30
3rd position	20	25

B- All India/Inter Zonal Inter University organized by AIU

Position	Team	Individual
1st position	30	35
2nd position	25	30
3rd position	20	25
4th position	15	15
Vizzy Trophy	10	-

C- Zonal Inter University organized by AIU

Position	Team	Individual
1st position	15	20
2nd position	10	15
3rd position	08	10
4th position	05	08

In case of equal sports achievement points of candidates in a Faculty, the inter-se ranking will be decided on the basis of PET Index and if PET index is also equal then the aggregate percentage of marks in the qualifying examination will be considered. If these are also equal then the candidate senior in age will be preferred.

Note:

1. The candidate who has represented India or Indian (combined) University team in world Universities games will get direct admission provided he/she has passed the qualifying examination and applied for admission in the course before the last date of submission of application form.
2. The following games/sport certificates will not be considered as these games are either not approved by the AIU or the University does not have sufficient infrastructure:

[Ball Badminton (M/W), Base Ball (M/W) Canoeing and Kayaking (M/W), Cycling (M/W), Fencing (M/W), Kortball (M/W), Rowing (M/W), Softball (M/W), Yachting (M/W), Tenicot (M/W), Karate (M/W), Carrom (M/W), Circle Kabaddi (M/W) and Gatka (M/W)].

(iv) **Foreign Nationals:** Provision to the extent of 15% supernumerary seats for Foreign Nationals exist, out of which 5% seats will be filled up by children of NRIs [Persons of Indian Origin (PIO)] and 5% by children of Indian workers in Gulf and South Asian Countries. The details about this may be obtained from the Office of the International Centre, C/3/3, Tagore House, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-221 005. (visit our BHU website: **www.bhu.ac.in**).

7. INSTITUTIONAL PREFERENCE

Institutional preference will be available to Banaras Hindu University students (excepting MCA Course) as per directive of the Supreme Court, to a maximum of 25% out of the seats of in the open category. However, no such provision is available for Special Courses. In this reference a "Banaras Hindu University student" is one who has been admitted through University Entrance Test, Banaras Hindu University and has passed the Qualifying Examination from Banaras Hindu University in the year of the Test or one year immediately preceding the Test. Any seat left vacant out of the 'preferential' seats for 'BHU students' consequent upon the aforesaid directions shall be made available as open seats under the respective category.

SECTION B

8. APPLICATION FORM:

The University has created its Entrance Test Portal with the domain name www.bhuonline.in. Its link is also available on the BHU website (www.bhu.ac.in). The entire process of making an application for admission in various courses during the academic session 2018-19 has been made ONLINE. Accordingly, candidates may note that PET 2018 Information Bulletin and Application Form will not be sold (as there will be no offline mode) and the candidates desirous of admissions shall be required to register on the Entrance Test portal of BHU and fill up the application form ONLINE as per procedure provided on the Portal. **For further details visit the BHU website (www.bhu.ac.in) or the entrance test portal of BHU (www.bhuonline.in).**

9. APPLICATION PROCESSING/ENTRANCE TEST FEE:

The Candidate shall pay the following **Application Processing Fee/Entrance Test fee:**

COURSES	Entrance Fee	
	SC/ST/PC	Others
All courses (mentioned in this Bulletin)	**Rs. 250.00**	**Rs. 500.00**
SC: Schedule Caste/ST: Schedule Tribe/PC: Physically Challenged		

However, in case the candidate makes application (fills up application form) for more than one course under PET 2018, the Application Processing Fee/Entrance Test Fee payable by him/her for each subsequent application (after first application) shall be charged as per reduced rates given below:

COURSES	Entrance Fee	
	SC/ST/PC	Others
All courses (mentioned in this Bulletin)	**Rs. 100.00**	**Rs. 200.00**
SC: Schedule Caste/ST: Schedule Tribe/PC: Physically Challenged		

Mode of Payment of Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee

Candidate is required to fill up the PET 2018 Application Form ONLINE as the printed Information Bulletin-cum-Application Form will not be sold by the University. After the candidate has filled up the application form online, he/she will have following options for payment of Application Processing/Entrance Test Fee:

a) **Online payment through credit card/ debit card** through the payment gateway available on the Entrance test portal.

b) **Payment of Entrance Test Fee in Cash through "Challan" in any branch of HDFC Bank (facility will be available only during banking hours on any banking day):** After filling up the application form, its submission and selecting this mode for payment, the candidate can print the Challan from the entrance test portal. The printout of challan will contain all necessary details of the candidate, bank account details of the Banaras Hindu University in which the entrance test fee will be deposited and the exact amount to be deposited. The candidate will be required to visit any branch of the **HDFC** Bank of his/her choice **(only during banking hours on any banking day)** where he/she will be required to deposit the requisite Fee amount to the Bank.

Further detailed procedure in this regard is prescribed **in Section 12.**

Note :

(i) The Application Form once submitted with the Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee at concessional rate meant for SC/ST candidate shall be considered under SC/ST Category.

(ii) The Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee paid shall neither be refunded nor transferred to another course and shall also not be reserved for any subsequent year, in any case.

10. IMPORTANT DATES:

Availability of PET-2018 ONLINE Form on the Entrance Test Portal	:	**22.01.2018**
Last date for ONLINE submission of Application Forms	:	**21.02.2018**

11. ENTRANCE TEST CENTRES:

The Test will be held at the following Centres, provided there are sufficient number of candidates for the concerned Centre:

Varanasi	**Mirzapur**	**Gorakhpur**	**Lucknow**	**Kolkata**	**Delhi**	**Hyderabad**	**Chennai**	**Patna**	**Ranchi**
Bhopal	**Vadodara**	**Guwahati**	**Dimapur**	**Kochi**	**Jaipur**	**Allahabad**	**Bhubaneshwar**	**Jhansi**	**Raipur**
***Rajiv Gandhi South Campus – Barkachha, Mirzapur.**									

Note:

1. For the attention of applicants of MPA, MFA and M.P.Ed.

(i) The written component of Test for **MPA, MFA** and **M.P.Ed.** will be held at all the centres fixed by the University. However, the Physical Fitness Test for M.P.Ed. [see Section 15 (v)], one practical examination for MPA [See Section 15 (xxix)] and MFA [See Section 15 (xxviii)] will be conducted at Varanasi only.

(ii) Candidates numbering **four times the intake for MPA courses; four times** the intake for **MFA course and Eight times the intake** for **M.P.Ed. course,** in each category, drawn on the basis of merit of written test will be called to appear in the **Physical Fitness Test/Practical Examinations at Varanasi Centre only**.

2. For the attention of all applicants

(i) **The University reserves the right to cancel any of the Centres except Varanasi without assigning any reason.** Candidates should, therefore, choose five Centres in order of preference in their Application Forms.

(ii) The Centre allotted will be indicated in the Admit Card. Applicants must note that the Examination Centre **once allotted to a candidate shall not be changed**.

(iii) The final decision to allot a Centre to a candidate shall rest with the University.

(iv) **An outstation Centre can be cancelled due to inadequate number of candidates or due to any other reason. The candidate in such a case shall be allotted another Centre**

(v) Blind candidates will be allotted Varanasi Centre only.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Candidates may note that any change in the content of this Information Bulletin including Cancellation of Test Centre/Date of Conduct of Test/Withdrawal of Courses/ Notifications relating to Conduct of Test/ Display of Provisional Key etc. will be made on BHU Entrance Test Portal:(www.bhuonline.in) only. The candidates are therefore advised to regularly visit the said website for updates.

12. INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM:

12.1 Requirement of Aadhaar for the Applicants of PET -2018

The provisions of the Aadhaar Act and Regulations under the Act have come into effect from 14th September 2016. Section 57 of the Aadhaar Act 2016 permits the use of Aadhaar number for establishing the identity of an individual for any purpose pursuant to any law or any contract to this effect. For the said purpose, the University has decided to use Aadhaar for the applicants of PET-2018. The use of Aadhaar for the applicants of PET-2018 will result in accuracy of the applicants' details. This will also help in ascertaining identities of the applicants at the examination centres in a convenient and hassle free manner. Aadhaar obviates the need for producing multiple documents to prove one's identity. Accordingly, candidates are informed as following:

a) All the Indian citizen candidates should possess AADHAAR card issued by UIDAI. At the time of filling application form of PET-2018, the candidates will have to enter their AADHAAR number, name, date of birth & gender which will be validated with the UIDAI's data. **In case, these particulars do not match, the candidates will not be able to fill the application form for PET-2018.** Therefore, the candidates are advised to ensure that their AADHAAR card has correct particulars of their name, date of birth & gender as per school records. If there is some mismatch in these details, the candidates should immediately get it corrected in AADHAAR data and comply with (c) below.

b) Applicants not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, are hereby required to make application for Aadhaar enrolment in case he/she is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of Aadhaar Act. Such applicant may visit any Aadhaar enrolment center (list available at www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.

c) The applicants who have enrolled for Aadhaar or have applied for correction in Aadhaar data but have not received Aadhaar/corrected Aadhaar should enter 14 digit Aadhaar Enrolment Number/ Update Request Number with slash('/') printed on the Aadhaar enrolment slip/ Update Request slip at the time of filling online application form for PET-2018.

d) The candidates who have filled up their application form after verifying their Aadhaar details shall be compulsorily required to carry their Aadhaar Card to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, alongwith the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall.

e) The above provisions shall be applicable on all candidates except those who are resident of J&K, Assam & Meghalaya and do not possess Aadhaar number. Such candidates shall be required to enter the passport number, ration card number, bank account number or any other valid Govt. identity number containing the address of candidates in these states. These candidates shall be compulsorily required to carry the same document to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, alongwith the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall.

f) The applicants are also informed that his/her identity information (Aadhaar number, name, Fingerprint/Iris) would only be used for authentication and that his/her biometrics will not be stored/ shared and will be submitted to UIDAI'S Central Identity Data Repository (CIDR) only for purpose of authentication.

12.2 Online Application Form:

The Application Form for PET 2018 is available on the BHU"s entrance test portal (www.bhuonline.in). The online application making process will have following six stages:

Step 1: Registration on the Portal [www.bhuonline.in]- This step involves authentication of Candidate's email id and mobile number. As all important communications related to Entrance Test and Admission will be sent to the registered email id and mobile number, candidates are advised to give their correct email id/ mobile number (in use).

Step 2: Authentication of Candidate's identity- Only after successful registration on the Portal [www.bhuonline.in], the candidates would be required to fill up an Authentication Form giving particulars for authentication of their identification. Candidate's should carefully write the correct spelling of their names as carried in their Aadhaar/identification document (as applicable). Indian citizen candidates who are resident of any state other than J&K, Assam and Meghalaya would be essentially required to provide Aadhaar Number/ Aadhaar Enrolment Number for authentication of their identity. The candidates who have filled up their application form after verifying their Aadhaar particulars shall be compulsorily required to carry their Aadhaar Card to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, along with the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall. Please refer to the Public Notice and FAQs related to it (available on www.bhuonline.in).

Step 3: Online Application Form Entry and Course Selection- After successful authentication of identity, candidates would be allowed to fill-up details in the online application form and select the course after ensuring their eligibility for the concerned course in which they are desirous.

Step 4: Uploading of photographs and signature- Candidates have to scan their photo and signature as per instruction given in the portal and upload it.

Step 5: Payment of Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee- After the candidate has filled up the application form online and clicks on the "CONFIRM" button, he/she will be provided with following options for payment of application processing/test fee:

a) **Online payment through credit card/ debit card through the payment gateway available on the Entrance test portal.**
b) **Payment of Entrance Test Fee in Cash through "Challan" in any branch of HDFC Bank (facility will be available only during banking hours on any banking day): After filling up the application form and its submission, the Challan can be printed from the portal. The printout of challan (in two folds) will contain all necessary details of the candidate and the bank account details of the Banaras Hindu University in which the entrance test fee will be deposited. The candidate will be required to visit any branch of the HDFC Bank of his/her choice (only during banking hours on any banking day) where he/she will be required to deposit the requisite Fee amount to the Bank and the bank will retain one fold of the Challan and its second fold containing the necessary Entrance Test Fee payment details will be given to the candidate. The candidate is required to retain it for his record.**

Step 6: Printout of Application Form for the record of candidates- After online submission of application form and successful payment of Application Processing/ Test Fee, candidates are advised to take a printout of the online filled up application form (containing the details he/she has filled in and the transaction details of payment of application fee) from either the Entrance Test portal for their own record.

NOTE:

1. **The application form is to be filled up and submitted online. Detailed instruction for filling up the application form, online payment of application fee and online submission is provided on the BHU's entrance test portal.**
2. **The PET Application Form shall be treated to have been successfully submitted only after the candidate has paid the Application Processing Fee/ Entrance Test Fee through either of the two modes given above.**

FAQs-Clarification regarding applying with Aadhaar		
S.No.	**Query**	**Clarification**
1.	Candidates who have recently submitted the request for Aadhaar enrolment but have not been issued Aadhaar Number	Such Candidates have to apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Enrolment ID (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting enrolment request.

2.	Candidate who have recently submitted the request for updation in Aadhaar details (including biometric updation) and unable to apply with the updated Aadhaar Card Details	Such Candidates have to apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request.
3.	Aadhaar authentication has failed in the first step of application submission	The candidates should verify whether they have entered the details exactly same as mentioned on their Aadhaar card.
4.	The date of birth is not fully or incorrectly mentioned in Aadhaar card or only birth year is mentioned.	Such candidates should submit a correction request at Aadhaar centre and apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request
5.	The name of the candidate in Aadhaar is not same as in school records.	Such candidates should submit a correction request at Aadhaar centre and apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request.
6.	The name of father/ mother is not exactly same as in school records. The address mentioned in Aadhaar has been changed due to transfer or some other reason.	These particulars are not matched with Aadhaar data so the candidates should correctly fill these particulars as per school records. The present/permanent address may also be filled accordingly since BHU do not send any communication on the candidates' address.
7.	For the Candidates of Assam/J&K/Meghalaya having Aadhaar Card	Candidates who are residents of these states and have Aadhaar Card need to enter the Aadhaar details only.
8.	For the Candidates of Assam/J&K/Meghalaya having no Aadhaar Card	Candidates who are residents of these states and do not have Aadhaar Card need to enter the passport number, ration card number, bank account number or any other valid Govt. identity containing their address. They will be required to carry the same document alongwith Admit Card for entry in the examination hall.

In addition to the Admit Card issued by the University, it will be essential for a candidate to have Aadhaar Card for entry into the examination Hall. [KINDLY REFER POINT NUMBER 17 (1) ALSO].

13. REASONS FOR REJECTION OF THE APPLICATION FORMS:

(i) Submission of application form without payment of requisite amount of **Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee**.

(ii) Any other inadequacy detected.

NOTE: If at any stage it is found that the applicant is not eligible for admission in a discipline under University rules, his/her candidature will automatically stand cancelled. Please note that thorough checking of Application Form, Minimum Eligibility requirements, Original documents in support of Academic Certificates and Categories-claimed will be done only at the time of admission/counseling (if called for the same). At that stage also the candidature of the applicant will stand cancelled, if he/she does not fulfill all the requirements for admission.

14. ADMIT CARD [KINDLY REFER POINT NUMBER 17 (1) ALSO].

1. **Candidates can download the ADMIT CARD** from the BHU Entrance Test Portal (www.bhuonline.in) around one week prior to date of conduct of test providing the unique registration ID allotted to them at the time of online submission of application form.

2. E-mail/SMS alert regarding loading of Admit Card will also be sent on the email id/mobile phone number registered by the candidate. **Therefore, the candidates are advised to give correct e-mail addresses/ mobile phone numbers for correspondence while filling up the online application form.**
3. If a candidate is unable to download the Admit Card till **03 days before the date of the Test**, he/she should contact the Office of the Controller of Examinations, BHU, Varanasi on **Help Desk Phone No. 08574587668 and help desk email id. available on Entrance Test Portal.**
4. The candidate should carefully examine the Admit Card received by him/her for all the entries made therein. In case of any discrepancy the candidate should inform the Office of the Controller of Examinations immediately. No consideration will be given, if discrepancies are not pointed out timely.
5. A passport size photograph be affixed (same passport size photograph which has been used for online submission) in the space provided on the printout of the Admit Card under self-attestation.

Important:

(i) No candidate shall be allowed to appear in the Test without a valid Admit Card.

(ii) Candidates to note that there will be no postal dispatch of Admit Card, which can only be downloaded and printed from the candidate's e-mail account or downloaded from the BHU's entrance test portal by giving the unique Registration id allotted at the time of online form submission.

(iii) The Tests, shall be held during **13th May to 27th May 2018**. Schedule of Tests has been given at the end of the Information Bulletin **(Section 21)** and Venue details will be given on the Admit Card.

(iv) The candidate is required to retain the Admit Card in safe custody after the Test for presenting it before the Admission Committee, if called for counseling.

(v) In all matters relating to Undergraduate Entrance Test and admission to respective Courses, the decision of the University shall be final and binding.

SECTION C

15. DURATION OF TEST AND STRUCTURE OF QUESTION PAPER

Important Note:

1. **There shall be a separate test for each course; however, there shall be common test for certain courses (as indicated below):**

Common Entrance Test	Courses Covered
I	MBA in Financial Management(Under Special Courses of Study)/ MBA in Foreign Trade (Under Special Courses of Study)/ MBA in Financial Management (Risk And Insurance) (Under Special Courses of Study)
II	LL.M. (General), LL.M.(HRDE) and LL.M. (One Year) (under Special Courses of Study)
III	Master of Vocation in Retail & Logistics Management/Master of Vocation in Hospital and Tourism Management
IV	Master of Vocation in Food Processing & Management/ Master of Vocation in Medical Laboratory Technology
V	M.A. in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy/ M.A in Anthropology/ M.A. in Integrated Rural Development and Management (Under Special Courses of Study)
VI	M.A./M. Sc. in Statistics /Health Statistics / Statistics and Computing (Special Courses of Study)

2. **For such courses having common entrance test, the admission to the respective courses shall be made on the basis of merit of the candidate (in the common entrance test) and choice/ preference for course(s) given by him at the time of**

Counseling and his/ her eligibility for the course.

3. **In case a candidate prefers to be considered for more than one course for which there are separate entrance tests, he/ she shall apply for each such course separately provided the tests are held on different dates (See schedule of Entrance Tests).**
4. **Mere appearance in a combined/ common entrance test does not entitle the candidate for consideration in a course(s) covered under the combined test for which he/she shall have to meet the eligibility criteria for the course(s).**

The entrance test structure for different tests is given below:

(i) **Acharya**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions based on graduate level of the concerned subject.

(ii) **M.A. in Mass Communication**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions on Current Affairs and General Knowledge; Language Proficiency including Proficiency in English Language; Logical Quantitative and Analytical Abilities and Aptitude (inferences from percentages, tables, graphs, etc.).

(iii) **M.Com.**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration of 120 multiple. Choice questions (MCQs) carrying 360 marks. It will be divided into two Sections:

Section 'A' will have 60 MCQs (180 marks) of graduation level from Accounting (30MCQs), Income Tax (06 MCQs) and Business Finance (24 MCQs).

Section 'B' will be of 60 MCQs (180 marks) of graduation level and will comprise of Business Organization & Management (24 MCQs), Business Law including Company Law (12 MCQs), monetary theory and Banking (12 MCQs), Business Economics (06 MCQs) and Statistics (06 MCQs). A candidate is required to answer questions from both the Section 'A' and 'B'.

(iv) **M.Lib.I.Sc. (Master of Library & Information Science)**

There shall be one Paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions. These questions shall be based on General Awareness, Analytical, Quantitative and Verbal Abilities and Aptitude. The questions will be from diverse areas of experience varying from the activities of daily life to broad categories of academic interest such as Science, Social Studies and Humanities, etc. The standard will be that of Bachelor's Degree (under at least 10+2+3 pattern).

(v) **M.A. in Manuscriptology & Paleography**

There shall be one Paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions. These questions shall be based on General Awareness, Analytical, Quantitative and Verbal Abilities and Aptitude. The questions will be from diverse areas of experience varying from the activities of daily life to broad categories of academic interest such as Languages, Linguistics, History, AIHC, Philosophy, History of Art, etc. The standard will be that of Bachelor's Degree (under at least 10+2+3 pattern).

(vi) **M. P. Ed. (Master of Physical Education)**

There shall be (a) one theory paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on Principles of Physical Education and Educational Psychology, Organisation, Methods, Materials and Supervision in Physical Education, Principles of Coaching and Officiating, Anatomy, Physiology and Exercise Physiology, Kinesiology, Care of Athletic Injuries and Health Education, Recreation Camping and History of Physical Education (organized at all the centres fixed by the University) and (b) Physical fitness test (modified AAHPER fitness test) of 360 marks conducted by External Examiners appointed by Controller of Examinations., at Department of Physical Education, BHU at Varanasi only in the supervision of the C. E. or his representative(s).

NOTE:

1. **Appearance in both Theory and Physical Fitness Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for consideration for admission.**
2. **The practical examinations for shortlisted candidates will be held at BHU Campus, Varanasi only.**
3. **The conversion formula for Physical Fitness Test will be available at the time of Test.**
4. **Minimum 45% marks are mandatory in Physical Fitness Test for admission. The final merit for admission will be declared only after compilation of theory and practical marks of entrance test.**

(vii) **M. A. (Museology)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions on AIHC & Arch. (Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology), History of Art, History, Sanskrit and other allied subjects as prescribed for postgraduate examination.

(viii) **M. A. Prayojanmoolak Hindi (Patrakarita)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions on General Knowledge and currents Affairs including human rights and environment consciousness; Quantitative Aptitude, Language Proficiency and basic Hindi grammar, Hindi in Constitution, Standardization of Hindi Language and Devnagari Script, Technical Hindi words used in media, English – Hindi Translation of words/terms generally used in official Correspondence; A brief history of Hindi Journalism.

(ix) **Master of Tourism and Travel Management (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions related to English Language, Mathematics, Reasoning, Current Affair, Social and Cultural History, History, Art History, Tourist sites and Destinations, Sports, Film, Music & Dance. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(x) **M.A. in Social Work (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice question based on general knowledge, Aptitude and Reasoning, Basic knowledge of Research Methodology, English Comprehension, Indian Social Problem and their remedies, awareness to NGOs, Nature and Dynamics of Socio-Economic Development, Policy and Planning, Areas of Social Work etc. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e. 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the admission committee.

(xi) **M.A. in Public Administration (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions based on general knowledge, Public Administration, Public and Private Administration, New Public Administration, Ecology of Public Administration, Bases and Theories of Organization, Management, Bureaucracy, Budget, Planning, Delegated Legislation and Deferent modes of Control over Administration.

(xii) **All M.A. [other than mentioned above in (ii to xii)]**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on graduate level of the concerned subject.

(xiii) **M. Sc. in Bioinformatics**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration of 120 multiple choice questions (MCQs) carrying 360 marks. It will be divided into two sections: Section A will have 24 MCQs (72 marks) on Mathematics and Statistics (at 10 + 2 level) and Computer Science at elementary level. Section B will be of 96 MCQs (288 marks) and will comprise of 32 MCQs each from Biology, Chemistry and Physics (UG level). A candidate is required to answer questions from both the sections A & B.

(xiv) **M.A./M.Sc.[(Maths, Statistics/M.Sc. Health Statistics/Statistics and Computing (Special Courses of Study)]**

There shall be a common paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions from Statistics of graduate level.

(xv) **M.Sc.(Physics, Chemistry), M.Sc. (Tech.)- Geophysics**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on graduate level of the concerned subject. However for M. Sc. (Tech.), Geophysics the questions will be from Physics and Mathematics (in equal proportions) of graduate level.

(xvi) **M.Sc. in Applied Microbiology (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions of graduate level on (A) Biology; (B) Chemistry and (C) Microbiology.

(xvii) **M.Sc. in Environmental Science (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes, comprising Section A and B, carrying 360 marks and based on multiple-choice graduate level questions. The candidate shall have to attempt both Section A and Section B.

Section A will have 30 MCQs from Basic Environmental Science and 60 MCQs from Chemistry. Section B will have three sub-sections, namely-Life Sciences, Physics and Geology with 30 MCQs in each sub-section. The candidate has to select **ONLY ONE** of the three sub-sections of Section-B for answering questions.

(xviii) **M. Sc. Geology**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on graduate level of the concerned subject.

(xix) **All M.Sc. [other than mentioned above in (xiii to xviii)]**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on graduate level of the concerned subject.

(xx) **MCA**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions on Mathematical Aptitude (about 80 questions), and Analytical and Logical Reasoning (about 40 questions).

Mathematical Aptitude Test Areas (+2 Level): Logarithms, Inequalities, Matrices and Determinants, Progressions, Binomial Expansion, Permutation and Combination, Equations (upto degree 2), Function and Relation, Complex Arithmetic, 2-D Coordinate Geometry, Basics of Calculus, Basic Concepts of Probability.

Analytical and Logical Reasoning: Questions will be mainly for checking logical conclusion, graphical/data interpretation, etc.

(xxi) **M.Sc. in Environmental Sciences (Environmental Technology) (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions of graduate level. The questions will be on General Science & Environmental Engineering (40 MCQs) and Environmental Science & Technology (80 MCQs).

(xxii) **M.Sc. in Computational Science and Applications in Signal Processing**

There shall be one paper consisting of 120 questions of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks. It will contain 120 multiple choice questions on Basic Statistics (40 MCQs), Mathematics (40 MCQs) and Computer Science (40 MCQs) based on up to Second year graduate level of Banaras Hindu University.

(xxiii) **M.Sc. in Forensic Science (Special Courses of Study)**

There will be one paper of 120 minutes comprising Section A and Section B, carrying 360 marks and based on multiple-choice questions. Details of Section A and Section B are as follows:

(a) Section A with have 60 MCQs from General Sciences at 10+2 level to test the knowledge of the candidates in fundamentals and 20 MCQs of general nature to test their analytical ability, reasoning and logical skills.
(b) Section B will have four sub-sections namely, Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics with 40 MCQs of graduate level in each section. The candidate has to select only one of the four sub-section of Section B for answering questions.

(xxiv) **Common Entrance Test for LL. M. (2-Yr 4- Semester)/ LL. M. (1-Yr 2- Semester) (Special Courses of Study)/ LL. M. (Human Rights & Duties Education) (Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions on Jurisprudence, Constitutional Law, Law of Contracts, Law of Torts, Law of Crimes, Environmental Law, Public International Law, Indian Evidence Act, Hindu Law and Muslim Law.

(xxv) **M. F. A.**

There shall be one paper of 60 minutes duration carrying 150 marks containing 50 multiple-choice questions related to the Art History and Material and Methods of the concerned subject at the B.F.A. level and there shall be Practical examination of 120 minutes duration carrying 150 marks. For practical exam topic will be given at the time of practical examination. The merit will be decided on the basis of combined marks in theory and practical.

NOTE:
1. **The practical examinations for shortlisted candidates will be held at BHU Campus, Varanasi only.**
2. **Appearance in both Theory and Practical Examinations is mandatory in order to be eligible for consideration for admission.**

(xxvi) **MPA [Vocal/(Instrumental- Sitar, Flute, Violin, Tabla)/ (Dance-Kathak/Bharatnatyam)]**

There shall be one written paper of 120 minutes duration containing 100 multiple-choice questions each in Vocal, Instrumental-(Sitar, Flute and Violin), Instrumental-(Tabla), Dance-Kathak and Dance-Bharatnatyam of B.Mus./BPA level course of BHU or equivalent course of other university. There will also be one practical exam (performance & viva-voce) of 600 marks of 45 minutes duration. The total number of marks in theory & practical shall be 900.

NOTE:
1. **The practical examinations for shortlisted candidates will be held at BHU Campus, Varanasi only.**
2. **Appearance in both Theory and Practical Examinations is mandatory in order to be eligible for consideration for admission.**

(xxvii) **M. Ed.**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on B.Ed. or equivalent course. The paper also include two sets of multiple choice questions on language comprehension, one each in Hindi and English, where the candidate is required to answer either the Hindi Language set or the English Language set but not both.

(xxviii) **M. Ed. Special Education (VI) (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions based on B.Ed. -Special Education V.I. or equivalent course. The paper also include two sets of multiple choice questions on language comprehension, one each in Hindi and English, where the candidate is required to answer either the Hindi Language set or the English Language set but not both.

(xxix) **M.Sc. in Food Science & Technology (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions of undergraduate level from the disciplines of Agriculture, Dairy Technology, Food Technology, Agril. Engineering, Dairy Chemistry, Dairy Microbiology, etc.

(xxx) **M.Sc. in Plant Biotechnology (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choices questions based on B.Sc. (Ag.)/B.Sc. with Biology/B.Sc. (Biotechnology).

(xxxi) **M.Tech. in Agricultural Engineering (Soil and Water Conservation Engineering)(Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions based on B.Tech (Agricultural Engineering)/B.E.(Agricultural Engineering).

(xxxii) **M.Sc. (Ag.)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on B. Sc. (Hons.) Ag. Courses.

(xxxiii) **M.Sc. (Ag.) in Soil Sciences – Soil and Water Conservation (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on B. Sc. (Hons.) Ag. Courses.

(xxxiv) **M.Sc. (Ag.) in Agroforestry (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on B. Sc. (Ag.)/ B.Sc. (Biology)/ B.Sc. (Environmental Science)/ B.Sc. (Horticulture).

(xxxv) **Master of Agri-Business Management (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions based on Test of Reasoning, Data Interpretation & Numerical Ability, English Comprehension, General Knowledge, Aptitude Test & Agricultural Sciences. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xxxvi) **Master of Personnel Management and Industrial Relations (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes durations carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions based on Test of Reasoning, Data Interpretation & Numerical Ability, English Comprehension, Aptitude Test, General Knowledge & Awareness. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xxxvii) **Common Entrance Test for: MBA (Financial Management) / MBA (Foreign Trade) / MBA (Risk And Insurance) (Under Special Courses of Studies)**

The admission to the courses will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview.

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions divided into following three sections:

(1) Section-1: Academic Aptitude: English Comprehension- Direct and Indirect Speeches, Active and Passive Voice, Vocabulary, Precise writing.

English Grammar- Parts of Speeches, Idioms, Phrases, Sentence Completion & Correction of Sentences.

[Weightage 20% i.e. 24 MCQs]

(2) Section-2: Quantitative & Reasoning Ability: Arithmetic Progression, Geometric Progression, Theorems of Permutation & Combination, Factorial Notation, Calculation of Permutation & Combination, Theorem of set Theory, Vein Diagrams, Comparing Quantities

Reasoning Ability: Quantitative Reasoning, Deductive Reasoning and Inductive Reasoning.

[Weightage 25% i.e. 30 MCQs]

(3) Section-3: (A): Current Economic Affairs: Micro & Macro Policies-Monetary Policy, Fiscal Policy, Taxation Policy, Changes in Industrial Policy, International Trade Policy, Changes in the banking system, Credit Appraisal System

[Weightage 25% i.e. 30 MCQs]

Section-3: (B): Finance- Time Value of Money, Understanding Financial Statements, And Financial Markets.
Foreign Trade- International Business, International Trade Relations.
Insurance-Risk, Insurance Industry, Regulatory Issues.

[Weightage 30% i.e. 36 MCQs]

Combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test, i.e., 72 marks. The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xxxviii) **MBA in Agri-Business (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions based on Test of Reasoning, Data Interpretation & Numerical Ability, English Comprehension, Aptitude Test, General Knowledge & Awareness. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xxxix) **Masters in Corporate Communication Management (Under Special Courses of Study)**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions on Current Affairs and General Knowledge; Language Proficiency including Proficiency in English Language; Logical Quantitative and Analytical Abilities and Aptitude (inferences from percentages, tables, graphs, etc.). However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion, oral presentation and interview (combined weightage for group discussion, oral presentation and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks with each of the said components carrying an equal weightage). The number of candidates, in order of merit, to be called for interview and group discussion etc. shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xl) **M.A. in Conflict Management and Development (MCMD)**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions of graduate level based on General Knowledge, Aptitude, Reasoning and Current Affairs with special focus on Conflict situations in India and around the world. The student should also have some knowledge about Peace, Conflict, Security and Development issues in general. However, the admission to the course will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview (combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test i.e., 72 marks). The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xli) **M.A. in Education**

There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple-choice questions based on graduate level of the subject Education, i.e., Foundation (Philosophical, Sociological, Psychological & Research Methodology), Historical Overview, Trends Contemporary Issues, Innovations, Curriculum, Planning & Finance, Administration, Evaluation, Technology, Counseling and Special Education.

(xlii) **M.A. in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy/ M.A in Anthropology(Under Special Courses of Study)/ M.A. in Integrated Rural Development and Management**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes durations carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions based on major subject of social sciences like Economics, History, Political Science, Sociology, Psychology, Rural Development, Management, Biology and Cultural Studies, etc.

(xliii) **M.A. in Energy Economics**

There shall be a written test of 120 minutes durations carrying 360 marks with 120 multiple choice questions (these questions shall be based on B.A. Level Knowledge on Micro Economics, Macro Economics, Money and Banking, International Economics, Environmental Economics, Economics of Development and Growth, Public Economics, Indian Economy and Mathematics for Economics).

(xliv) **Common Entrance Test for Master of Vocation in Retail & Logistics Management/ Master of Vocation in Hospital and Tourism Management (Under Vocational Courses)**

The admission to the courses will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview. There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions divided into following three sections:

(i) Section – 1: Academic Aptitude: English Comprehension, Vocabulary, Usage, Grammar, Idioms, Phrases, Completion and Correction of Sentences etc. (Weightage 30%)

(ii) Section – 2: Numerical and Quantitative Reasoning Ability on Computation Ability, Quantitative Reasoning and Interpretation of Tables etc. (Weightage 30%)

(iii) Section – 3: General Knowledge, Finance, Retail, Logistics, Hospitality & Tourism (Weightage 40%)

Combined weightage for group discussion and interview shall be 20% of the total marks of the written test, i.e., 72 marks. The number of the candidates, in order of the merit, to be called for interview and group discussion shall be decided by the Admission Committee.

(xlv) **Common Entrance Test for Master of Vocation in Food Processing & Management/ Master of Vocation in Medical Laboratory Technology (Under Vocational Courses)**

The admission to the courses will be on the basis of a composite merit comprising of marks in the entrance test, group discussion and interview. There shall be one paper of 120 minutes duration carrying 360 marks containing 120 multiple choice questions divided into following three sections:

(a) Section – A: 40% Questions, i.e., 48 questions: General Aptitude, Mathematics, English Comprehensive and General Knowledge

(b) **The Section – B** Paper shall comprise two sections: Food Processing & Management and Medical Laboratory Technology, each containing 60% Questions, i.e., 72 questions.

(i) Food Processing & Management 60% Questions, i.e. 72 questions: Food Science and Technology related questions (Dairy, Fruits and Vegetables, Cereals Processing, Beverages, Food Processing and Preservation, Food Safety and Quality Management, Waste Management, Food Nutrition, Health Hygiene, Food Packaging, Confectionary, Meat and meat Products, Food Chemistry, Food Microbiology, Food Biotechnology).

(ii) Medical Laboratory Technology 60% Questions, i.e. 72 questions: Anatomy, Physiology, Clinical Pathology, Hematology, Clinical Biochemistry, Medical Microbiology, Serology, Histopathology, Biostatics, Molecular Biology and Applied genetics, Immunology and Immunological techniques, Biotechnology and Biomedical Techniques.

Note on language of Question Papers:

(i) Question papers for M. Lib. & Information Science, M.B.A. [(Agri Business), M.Sc. (Ag.), M. C. A., M. A. Mass Communication and all M. Sc. (except common subjects)] will be in English only.
(ii) Question papers for LL. M. (2-Years)/(1-Year)/(HRDE), M. A./M.Sc. (Stats., Maths, Geography, Psycho, and Home Science) and all M. A. (excluding languages) will be in English and Hindi both.
(iii) Question papers of all Acharya will be in Sanskrit only.
(iv) Question papers of all languages (except Sanskrit) will be in respective languages. Question papers for M. A. (Sanskrit) will be in English and Hindi both.

16. METHOD OF ANSWERING IN THE TEST

(i) A Question Booklet containing the questions and a separate Answer Sheet shall be provided to the candidate at the beginning of the Test.

(ii) The candidate, **within 10 minutes of the issue of the Question Booklet**, shall check the Question Booklet to ensure that it contains all the pages in correct sequence and that no page/question is missing. In case of faulty Question Booklet, the candidate shall immediately bring it to the notice of the Superintendent/Invigilators to obtain a fresh Question Booklet.

(iii) The candidate is required to write his/her Roll Number, Question Booklet No. and Set No., if any, at the appropriate places provided in the answer sheet in **INK/Ball Point pen only**. In addition, **he/she is also required to fill up Roll Number in the space provided** on the answer sheet **by darkening the appropriate ovals by Blue/Black Ball Point pen only.** (**Note**: Please note that any error in darkening the Roll Number or writing set number will result in wrong evaluation of the Answer Sheet. He/She may take further note that non-filling of Set No., if any, Roll No. and other vital details would lead to non-evaluation of Answer Sheet and cancellation of his/her candidature. Hence, the candidate should be careful in darkening Roll Number and writing set number).

(iv) The candidate is required to write **in INK/Ball Point pen only**, his/her Roll number and Serial Number of Answer Sheet at the appropriate places on the cover page of the Question Booklet.

(v) Each question shall be followed by four alternative answers. The candidate is required to identify the **one** which he/she feels to be the correct answer and record the answer by darkening the **appropriate oval** in the answer sheet with **Blue/Black Ball Point pen only,** as will also be mentioned in the guidelines given on the first page of the Answer Sheet. For example, if out of 4 alternatives (1) (2) (3) & (4) given against **question No. 15, the candidate identifies (2) as the correct answer, he/she is required to darken the oval No. 2 only in the Answer Sheet as given below**:

Q.No.15 (1) ● (3) (4)

Wrong Method of Answering*

Q.No.15 (✔1) (2) (3) (4)
Q.No.15 (1) (2) (3✘) (4)
Q.No.15 (1) (●) (3) (4)

*** Wrong Method of answering will not be evaluated.**

(vi) The answer will be treated incorrect if more than one oval is darkened or an oval is darkened improperly. Any other method of marking such as tick mark, cross mark, use of dot, line mark and half-filled oval or marks outside the oval shall not be evaluated.

(vii) If any question is not attempted, the candidate is required to leave all the ovals against that question as blank. Such an answer will be awarded zero mark.

(viii) Inner cover page of the Question Booklet or the blank space/page at the end of Question Booklet may be used for rough work.

(ix) No page from the Question Booklet is to be torn or removed. If a candidate is found tearing any page from the Question Booklet, he/she shall be liable to punishment for adopting unfair means and shall not be allowed to continue in the Entrance Test.

NOTE:

a. If the candidate commits any error in writing/filling the Roll No., Set No. etc. on the answer sheet, it will not be possible to rectify the error and the answer sheet will be evaluated accordingly. **CANDIDATES TO NOTE THAT SINCE ANSWERS ARE TO BE MARKED IN INK, IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO CHANGE ANY ANSWER AFTER MARKING IT. (USE OF WHITENER FOR CHANGE IN ANSWER IS NOT ALLOWED)**

b. (i) Question Booklet will be given to the candidates after University Entrance Tests.
(ii) After completion of the tests, the provisional answers (key) will be displayed on the BHU Website www.bhu.ac.in ordinarily within 04 to 05 days of the test.
(iii) In case of any complaint about the questions/answers the candidate(s) will be given 03 days time after the display of provisional key on the website to put up his/her complaint before the Office of the Controller of Examinations. The evaluation will be done with key so finalized and no request for review will be entertained thereafter.
(iv) While making the complaint, the candidate must mention his/her name, Roll Number, Name of Course, Course Code Number, Set Number of Question Booklet (if any) and Serial Number of Questions and its/their key(s).
(v) The decision of the University regarding Question(s)/ Key will be final.

17. IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES APPEARING IN PET

(i) In addition to his/her valid Admit Card for the concerned Entrance Test issued by the University, it will be essential for a candidate to have Aadhaar Card for entry into the examination Hall. He/She must occupy only his/her allotted seat as per his/her

Roll Number in the seating arrangement made for the concerned Test. Further, if any candidate have not issued his/her Aadhaar Card must carry one of the following ID proofs for entry into the examination Hall:

1. Passport Number
2. Ration Card Number
3. Bank Account Number and
4. any other valid Government ID Number

(ii) **No Candidate will be allowed** entry to the Test Hall **after 30 minutes** of the start of the Entrance Test.

(iii) **No Candidate shall be allowed** to leave the Test Hall **till the end** of the Test.

(iv) There is no provision to provide or permit a 'writer' in the Entrance Test except for blind candidates, who will be provided 'writers' on request [for details please refer to **Section 5 (iii)** of this Information Bulletin].

(v) The Candidates shall be checked for any resource materials frequently and at random by the Invigilators and other staff conducting the Test, routinely and also on the slightest doubt.

(vi) **Calculators/watch calculators, electronic diary, pager, mobile phones, earphones, alarm clock, digital watches with memory, slide rule, etc. are not allowed in the examination hall. Also, carrying of licensed weapons, fire arms, tools which can be used as lethal weapons are not allowed in the examination hall.**

(vii) **The Entrance Examination of a candidate shall be cancelled in case of any of the following actions by a candidate:**

Relevant or irrelevant resource material or loose paper found on his/her possession, or, lying on or around his/her seat, Possession of any unauthorized instrument or equipment as mentioned at (vi) above/document/paper/ information materials or any resource materials, Communication of information in writing or verbally or exchange of Question Booklet/Answer Sheets to and from any other person during the Test period and any other malpractice amounting to obtaining undue advantage, Writing anything in the Admit Card, Carrying of the envelope of the Admit Card into the examination hall, Any alterations or corrections in the entries made by a candidate in Question Booklet and OMR Sheet [Roll Number in words & figures and OMR sheet no. in Question Booklet and Roll Number, Question Booklet no. and Set no. (if any) in OMR sheet] but not duly verified by the invigilator concerned, Non-matching of signature made at the time of Entrance Test with that already done at the time of filling of Application Form.

(viii) **The Entrance Examination of a candidate shall be cancelled and candidate shall be debarred to appear from future Entrance Tests in case of any of the following actions by a candidate:**

Tampering with the Admit Card including that of the photograph, Face not resembling the photograph on the Admit Card, Not occupying the allotted seat, Tampering/disturbing the seating arrangements, Smuggling-out or smuggling-in Question Booklet in part or in full, or Test material, or any resource material connected with the Test, Making any attempt to influence the University authorities directly or indirectly, disturbing or trying to disturb the Entrance Test, Noting down the questions or their answers, Shouting of slogans or creating unruly scene at the examination hall/examination centre/University campus.

(ix) **Impersonation is a legally punishable offence**. No Candidate will be permitted to appear in the Test without a valid Admit Card. The Admit Card should be presented to the invigilators/other authorized officials for verification. The candidate's identity will be verified in respect of his/her details on the Admit Card. If the identity is in doubt, the candidate may not be allowed to appear in the Test. The authorities may at their discretion **provisionally** permit the candidate to appear in the Test after completing formalities including taking of thumb impression/several signatures for further verification. No extra time will be granted for these formalities to be completed.

Similarly, at the time of Counseling, the candidate's identity will be verified from the documents available with the University and in case of any doubt, his/her admission will be deferred till final verification.

A person found to impersonate a candidate shall be handed over to the Police under an FIR lodged by the University. The **candidate in reference shall be debarred from future Entrance Tests of the University**.

A student or employee of the University if found to impersonate in the Entrance Test will be respectively **rusticated or dismissed from the University service**.

(x) **Suppression/concealment of information:** The candidate must ensure that he/she is qualified to appear in the Entrance Test. If it is detected at any stage that he/she did not fulfill the minimum qualifications, or, there was something against the candidate which would have prevented him/her from being admitted in the concerned subject/course, or, the candidate has provided false

information or no information about his/her previous involvement in an act punishable under law or act of gross misconduct and indiscipline, then his/her candidature shall not be considered and his/her admission, if already made, shall be cancelled at any stage and he/she shall be debarred from appearing in any of the future Entrance Tests of the University.

(xi) Nobody other than the University authorized personnel is permitted to move around the Test venue. Any unauthorized person loitering around the Test venue shall be handed over to the police under an FIR lodged by the University.

(xii) **No scrutiny/re-evaluation of answer sheet of PET is allowed in any case at any stage.**

(xiii) The candidate shall be bound by the BHU Statutes/Ordinances/Rules and Regulations framed from time to time.

(xiv) Any litigation in respect of the PET shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the local Court of Varanasi and/or Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Allahabad only.

(xv) **For any interpretational difficulties, the interpretation through English language shall be deemed as correct.**

18. EVALUATION AND RESULT

There shall be negative marking in entrance tests for all Courses of study in PET. Three marks shall be awarded for each correct answer while one mark shall be deducted for each incorrect answer. Unattempted question will be awarded zero mark.

Candidate shall be selected in order of merit on the basis of aggregate marks secured in the Entrance Test provided he/she fulfils the minimum eligibility criteria and minimum qualifying marks in the test. The University reserves the right to fix minimum qualifying marks for different courses and/or different categories. However, for MPA and MFA, minimum qualifying marks for theory paper will be 35% and in the practical minimum qualifying marks will be 45%. The Merit shall be based on the sum of two components viz., marks obtained in Theory and practical tests.

For M.P.Ed.*, minimum qualifying marks in Theory Paper shall be 35% while in Physical Fitness Test it will be 45%. The merit for M.P.Ed., will be the sum of two components viz. Marks in Theory Paper and marks in Physical Fitness Test. The University reserves the right to modify the above minimum qualifying marks. If lowering down in the minimum qualifying marks is done, the merit for MFA and MPA will be computed as follows: (i) Firstly those candidates will be put in the merit list according to their combined marks who have secured the minimum qualifying marks in the theory as well as practical; (ii) After that those candidates will be put in the merit list on the basis of their combined marks in theory and practical tests who have obtained the minimum qualifying marks in the practical test but could not get minimum qualifying marks in theory.

In case of MPA and MFA, the above procedure will be applicable for candidates of all categories. Further, a candidate will be considered deemed appeared in the PET who appeared in the Theory as well as Practical(s).

If the lowering down in the minimum qualifying marks in M. P. Ed. in Theory Paper, then the merit shall be prepared as under:

(i) Firstly those candidates will be put in the merit list according to their combined marks in Theory Paper and Physical Fitness Test who have secured the minimum qualifying marks in the theory as well as Physical Fitness Test **(ii)** After that those candidates will be put in the merit list on the basis of their combined marks in Theory Paper and Physical Fitness Test who have obtained the minimum qualifying marks in the Physical Fitness Test but could not get minimum qualifying marks in theory.

Remarks: The above procedure will be applicable for candidates of all categories. Further, a candidate will be considered Deemed to have appeared in the PET who has appeared in the Theory as well as in Physical Fitness Test/Practical Test.

INTER-SE RANKING: In case of equal index in PET (for all courses), the following criteria shall be adopted for **inter-se** ranking:

(a) Preference shall be given to the candidates who have higher aggregate percentage of marks at the Qualifying Examination. (in cases where candidates with graduation/post-graduation such as M.A. in Linguistics and M.A. in Mass Communication are eligible, the inter-se-ranking will be decided on the basis of percentage of marks in aggregate at graduation level)

(b) In case the aggregate percentages of the marks at the Qualifying Examination are also equal then preference shall be given to a candidate who has higher marks in the concerned subject (wherever applicable). **In MCA:** In case the aggregate percentages of the marks at qualifying examination are also equal, then the candidates having Mathematics at Bachelor's level shall be considered first. If there are several such candidates, then preference shall be given to a candidate who has higher percentage of marks in Mathematics at Bachelor's level, and if these are also equal, then at Intermediate or +2 level. Lastly, candidates having Mathematics at +2 level but not at Bachelor's level will be considered similarly.

(c) In case the candidates have equal marks in the above stated examinations, then the candidate senior in age shall be given preference.

RESULT:

The University shall try to announce the results of the candidates around **3rd-4th week of June 2018** which would be available on BHU's Entrance Test Portal (**www.bhuonline.in**). In addition, marks obtained by the candidate in the test, his/her overall merit and merit within the category to which he/she belongs shall be emailed at his/her registered email address and sent through SMS at his/ her registered mobile number provided by the candidate in the application form. **Therefore the candidates are advised to give correct e-mail addresses/mobile phone numbers for correspondence.**

IMPORTANT:

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained anywhere in the Ordinances of the University, no scrutiny/ re-evaluation of the answer sheet/book of the test shall be allowed on any ground. Further, no representation or any query regarding the conduct/content of evaluated sheet of the test shall be entertained.

19. DOCUMENTS IN ORIGINAL REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ADMISSION:

Only those candidates who are selected/ waitlisted shall be informed through a **'Call Letter' (to be downloaded from the Entrance Test Postal)** by the concerned Dean of Faculty/Head of the Department, BHU about their admission. If a candidate is called for admission to a particular course on a particular date/dates, he/she shall have to bring with him/her all the necessary documents mentioned below in ORIGINAL failing which his/her admission shall NOT be considered. (The 'Call Letter' will contain more details.)

(i) Transfer Certificate.
(ii) Migration Certificate, if passed from a university other than BHU (To be submitted not later than 90 days of admission).
(iii) High School Certificate/equivalent Certificate.
(iv) Intermediate (+2) Certificate/equivalent Certificate.
(v) Mark sheets of High School/equivalent & Intermediate (+2)/equivalent.
(vi) Mark sheet of the Qualifying Examination.
(vii) PET Admit Card issued from the office of the Controller of Examinations, BHU.
(viii) SC/ST/OBC Certificate on the basis of which reserved quota seat is claimed.
(ix) Certificate(s) in support of claim for 'Sports Seats'.
(x) Certificate of being the son/daughter of a permanent in-service employee/Retired/Reemployed/ Deceased employee of BHU in the prescribed format issued by the Central Registry.

Candidates must have in their possession all original documents such as High School Mark sheet and Certificate, Intermediate or equivalent Mark sheet and Certificate (if issued), Certificate of Reservation, Transfer Certificate, Migration Certificate (if issued by the Board) and ADMIT CARD OF THE RESPECTIVE ENTRANCE TEST **at the time of admission** failing which their admission shall not be considered. **However, Marksheet downloaded from the Website of the concerned examining body (subject to verification by the Admission Committee), CONFIDENTIAL MARKSHEETS or PROVISIONAL RESULTS issued by the Registrar/ Controller of Examinations of the concerned University or Secretary of the concerned Board (in case qualifying examination is of Senior Secondary level) shall also be entertained at the time of admission.**

20. ADMISSION PROCEDURE

The admission of a candidate in a course will be done only when he/she satisfies all the eligibility requirements, appears in the PET, qualifies in the Entrance Test and completes all formalities required for admission in the course. The admissions shall be made strictly on the basis of merit index in the PET, availability of seats in the course, as per rules given in this Information Bulletin and rules framed by the University from time to time.

The admission process will begin after the declaration of PET results. The admission will be done by the Admission Committees of the respective departments. The concerned Head of the Department/Coordinator will issue electronic **call letters** to the candidates for Counseling. As soon as the electronic call letters are issued, the shortlisted candidates may 'Login' **on the Candidate's segment of the Entrance Test Portal [www.bhuonline.in] for downloading the call letter. Information on issue of Call Letter will be sent to the candidate's on their registered e-mail ids/ mobile numbers. Therefore the candidates are advised to give correct e-mail addresses/mobile number for correspondence. Candidates may also note that there will be no postal dispatch of call letter.** The number of call letters will be nearly two-four times the number of seats available in the course. Admission is based strictly on merit index obtained in the Entrance Test.

NOTE: Sometimes there may be technical reasons for non-delivery of e-mails/SMS to candidates, therefore, candidates are advised to visit BHU's Entrance Test Portal (www.bhuonline.in) everyday after the entrance test results have been declared to have detailed information on counselling schedule, downloading call letters, offer of admission payment of fee etc.

Counselling Procedure:

The University will adopt computerised counseling procedure for admissions to various courses during the academic session 2018-19. The counseling procedure will involve following steps:

STEP 1: Online Preference Entry (on or after issue of Call Letter and before the Counselling Date)

Every candidate called for counseling for admission to a Course shall be required to fill up an online **Preference Entry Form which will be available and active on the on the Candidate' segment of the Entrance Test Portal [www.bhuonline.in] for online preference entry after they have received the password.** In the Preference Entry Form, a candidate is required to give his/her preference of the following:

- **Choice of Course**. This preference option is available only if admission to more than one course is done based on merit index/rank obtained in a Common Test [some of the PG programmes].
- **Preference of location** [Faculty/Department on the Main Campus or RGSC or Affiliated Colleges]. This preference option is available only if a course runs at more than one location.
- **Seat Type**: Whether the candidate wants seats with regular fee only or he/she is willing to take admission in Paid Seat if the regular fee seats are full. This preference option is not available for Special Courses of Study and certain other regular/professional programmes (such as MCA on the main campus).

Note:

Give your order of preference carefully. No section of the online preference form should be left blank. If any section is left blank, it will be presumed that candidate is not interested in that option. Candidates will get another opportunity of making changes in the entries made in the Online Preference Entry Form on the day of counselling (prior to verification of documents). Admission to Paid Seats will be done after the regular fee seats are full. All those candidates who opted for Paid Seat while filling up the '**Preference Entry Form**' at the time of Counselling will be arranged in order of merit, their preference of a course (as given in preference entry form) and availability of seats. In case a candidate, who initially got provisionally admitted in regular fee seat of his/her lower preference, gets an opportunity of higher preference course/honours/honours (combinations)/ location under Paid Seat, he/she will be considered for Paid Seat for the course to migrate from his/her lower preference to higher preference.

STEP 2: Activity on the day of Counselling

- Reach the counseling venue at the prescribed time/date given in this Call letter. Contact the Counseling Centre/Venue Incharge and mark your attendance by signing the attendance sheet available with the Counseling Centre Incharge.
- Discuss with the teachers available at the Counseling Centre/Venue about the available options of PG courses [in case common entrance test is held for admission to more than one course], locations and fee structures, availability of hostels etc. In case you want to change your preference [earlier filled up by you ONLINE], you can do at this stage. Request the Counselling Centre/Venue Incharge for change. After preference entry form is finalised, get its printout, sign it and submit it alongwith other required original documents at the Verification Desk. **Preference Entry Form once signed and confirmed by a Candidate on the Counselling Date shall be final and shall not be changed later.** The computer will allot seats strictly in order of merit in the entrance test taking into account the order of preference filled up by the candidate and availability of seats.

  NOTE: If a Reserved Meritorious candidate is called for counselling alongwith General category candidates his/her claim on seats reserved for his/her category shall remain intact.
- In case you are provisionally admitted, collect the Provisional Admission Letter from the Counselling Centre/ Venue Incharge at **10:00 am on the next day of Counseling.** The Admission letter will show the course in which you are provisionally admitted on the date of counseling, amount of admission fee (regular fee) to be paid and deadline for fee payment **(ordinarily 4:00 pm of the day following the Counseling date)**. In case you are provisionally admitted to a special Course of Study or on Paid Seat, you will be required to pay the Special Course/ Paid Seat Fee in addition to regular Fee of the Course. Please checkup from the Counseling Centre Incharge about the amount, mode of payment and deadline for payment of Special Course/ Paid Seat Fee.

- **Mode of Payment of Admission Fee (Regular Fee of the University):** After the candidate has received the provisional admission letter from the Counseling Centre/Venue Incharge, he/she will have following options for payment of Admission Fee:

  a) Online payment through credit card/ debit card through the payment gateway available on the Entrance Test portal
  b) Payment of Fee in cash at the Fee Counters (check the location of the nearest Fee Counter at the Counseling Centre/Venue)

STEP 3: Activity on next day of Counselling date

Candidates must submit the proof of payment of admission fee to the Counselling Centre/Venue Incharge latest by 04:00 pm on the next day of the Counselling (deadline for payment of Fee). This will not be required if fee is paid Online payment through credit card/ debit card through the payment gateway available on the Entrance Test portal. In case they fail to produce the evidence/proof of payment by the said deadline, it will be presumed that he/she is not interested in the admission and his provisional admission letter shall be treated as cancelled/withdrawn.

NOTE:

(i) After (i) each day of counselling and (ii) fee payment deadline, computerised allotment/rearrangement of seats in order of merit and based on preference of candidates and availability of seats will be done. There are chances of upward mobility of candidates in the order of preference filled up by him/her after subsequent days of counseling/ last day of counseling if the seats in the higher preferences of a candidate get vacated after he/she has attended the counseling. This will be done automatically by the computer. The final allotment will be done by the computer only after the expiry of payment deadline of the last date of counselling. Based on the preference of candidate given at the time of counseling, there could be change in course options, location and seat type (free to paid and *vice versa*). The final allotment done in this manner shall be binding on the candidate.

(ii) Candidates must have in their possession all the original documents mentioned above. **However, Marksheet downloaded from the Website of the concerned examining body (subject to verification by the Admission Committee), CONFIDENTIAL MARKSHEETS or PROVISIONAL RESULTS issued by the Registrar/ Controller of Examinations of the concerned University or Secretary of the concerned Board (in case qualifying examination is of Senior Secondary level) shall also be entertained at the time of admission. Failure to pay the fees within the prescribed period given in the admission letter will result in cancellation of the allotted seat.**

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21. SCHEDULE OF POSTGRADUATE ENTRANCE TEST (PET) 2018 (There will be separate Test Paper for each subject)

Day	Date	Shift	Course	Timings of Test	Duration
Sunday	**13/05/2018**	3rd	M. P. Ed. (Theory*)	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
Sunday	**20/05/2018**	1st	Master in Corporate Communication Management;	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
		2nd	M. Lib.I.Sc.	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	
			COMMON EXAM		
		3rd	M.A. Anthropology	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
			M.A. in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy,		
			M.A. in Integrated Rural Development and Management;		
Monday	**21/05/2018**	1st	M.Sc. in: - Physics	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
			M.Sc. in: - Chemistry		
			M.Sc. in: - Zoology		
			M.Sc. in: - Botany		
			M.Sc. in: - Computer Science		
			M.Sc. in Geology		
			Master of Agri-Business Management		
		2nd	M.C.A.	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.A./M.Sc.: - Geography	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
			M.A./M.Sc.: - Mathematics		
			M.A./M.Sc.: - Home Science		
			M.A./M.Sc.: - Psychology		
			M.A. in Education,		
			M.Com.		
Tuesday	**22/05/2018**	1st	Master of Personnel Management and Industrial Relations **(MPMIR)**	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
		2nd	M.A. in Mass Communication	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.Sc. in Plant Biotechnology,	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
			M.A. in Public Administration		
Wednesday	**23/05/2018**	1st	M.Sc. (Ag)	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM 2 hrs.	
			M.Sc. Biochemistry		
			M. Ed.		
			M.A. in Energy Economics		
		2nd	M.Sc. in Food Science & Technology	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM 2 hrs.	
			M. A. in: - Arabic		
			M. A. in: - Bengali		
			M. A. in: - Hindi		
			M. A. in: - Marathi		
			M. A. in: - Persian		
			M. A. in: -Pali		
			M. A. in: - Sanskrit		
			M. A. in: -Telugu		
			M. A. in: - Urdu		
			M. A. in: - Nepali		
			M. A. in: - English		
			M. A. in: - French		
			M. A. in: - I.P.R.		
			M. A. in: - German		

			M. A. in: - Economics		
			M. A. in: - History		
			M. A. in: - Political Science		
			M. A. in: - Sociology		
		3rd	M.F.A. (Theory*);	4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	1 hrs.
		3rd	M. Ed. (Spl.) V.I.;	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.Sc. (Ag) in Soil Science – Soil and Water Conservation,		
			COMMON EXAM		
		3rd	M.Sc. in Health Statistics,	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.A./M.Sc.- Statistics,		
		3rd	M.Sc. in Statistics and Computing,		
Thursday	**24/05/2018**	1st	M.Sc. (Tech.) in Geophysics;	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
		1st	M.Sc. (Ag.) Agro-forestry,		
		2nd	M.Sc. in Environmental Science (Environmental Technology) `	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
			COMMON EXAM:		
		2nd	LL.M. (1-year)/ LL.M.(2 Year)/LL.M. (HRDE)	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M. A. - A.I.H.C. & Arch.,	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.A.-History of Art		
		3rd	M.A.- Philosophy		
		3rd	M.A.- Linguistics		
		3rd	Acharya		
		3rd	M.Sc. in Forensic Science		
Friday	**25/05/2018**	1st	M.Tech. in Agricultural Engineering (Soil and Water Conservation Engineering)	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
		1st	M.Sc. in Computational Science and Applications in Signal Processing		
		1st	M. A. in Manuscriptology & Paleography,		
		1st	MPA- Vocal		
		1st	MPA- Instrumental		
		1st	MPA- Dance (Theory*)		
		1st	MBA in Agri-Business		
		1st	M.Sc Applied Microbiology,		
		2nd	**COMMON EXAM**: MBA (Financial Management) / MBA (Foreign Trade)/ MBA (Risk and Insurance)	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
			COMMON EXAM:		
		3rd	**MASTER OF VOCATIONAL PROGRAMME:**	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	**1.** Master of Vocation in Retail and Logistics Management		
		3rd	**2.** Master of Vocation in Hospitality & Tourism Management		
Saturday	**26/05/2018**	1st	Master of Tourism & Travel Management	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.
		2nd	M.A. Prayojanmoolak Hindi (Patrakarita)	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
		3rd	M.A. Social Work	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.
Sunday	**27/05/2018**	1st	M.A. in Conflict Management and Development	8:00 Am - 10:00 AM	2 hrs.

			M. Sc. in Bioinformatics;	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
			M.A. (Museology),		
		2nd	**COMMON EXAM:**	12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2 hrs.
			1. Master of Vocation in Food Processing & Management 2. Master of Vocation (Medical Laboratory Technology)		
		3rd	M. Sc. in Environmental Sciences,	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	2 hrs.

Schedule of Practical Tests* for MPA / MFA and Physical Fitness Test* for M.P.Ed. (To be conducted at the BHU Campus, Varanasi only)		
Monday to Wednesday	11.06.2018 to 13.06.2018	Physical Fitness Test for M.P.Ed.
All candidates appearing in theory will have to report to M.P.Ed. Physical Fitness Test, on the aforesaid dates at Amphitheatre ground at BHU Campus, Varanasi, U.P. at 6.00 a.m. in sports wear/Kit along with their Admit Card.		
Wednesday to Thursday	04.07.2018 to 05.07.2018	Practical examination for MPA
Friday to Saturday	29.06.2018 to 30.06.2018	Practical examination for MFA

NOTE:

***For the attention of applicants of MPA, MFA and M.P.Ed.**

(i) The written component of Test for **MPA, MFA and M.P.Ed.**will be held at all the centres fixed by the University. However, the Physical Fitness Test for M.P.Ed. [see Section 15 (vi)], one practical examination for MPA [See Section 15 (xxv)] and MFA [See Section 15 (xxvi)], **for the shortlisted candidates (drawn on the basis of merit of written test) will be conducted at Varanasi only as per aforesaid schedule**. Shortlisted candidates will be informed though e-mail/sms on their registered e-mail addresses/ mobile numbers.

(ii) The shortlisted candidates called for practical examinations are required to come prepared to stay for atleast 2-3 days.

(iii) **All shortlisted candidates of M.P.Ed. who are called for Physical Fitness Test will have to report on the aforesaid dates at Amphitheatre ground at BHU Campus, Varanasi, U.P. at 6.00 a.m. in sports wear/Kits along with their Admit Card.**

IMPORTANT DATES

Availability of PET-2018 ONLINE Form on the Entrance Test Portal	:	**22.01.2018**
Last date for ONLINE submission of Application Forms	:	**21.02.2018**

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

(i) Requirement of Aadhaar for the Applicants of PET -2018

The provisions of the Aadhaar Act and Regulations under the Act have come into effect from 14th September 2016. Section 57 of the Aadhaar Act 2016 permits the use of Aadhaar number for establishing the identity of an individual for any purpose pursuant to any law or any contract to this effect. For the said purpose, the University has decided to use Aadhaar for the applicants of PET-2018. The use of Aadhaar for the applicants of PET-2018 will result in accuracy of the applicants' details. This will also help in ascertaining identities of the applicants at the examination centres in a convenient and hassle free manner. Aadhaar obviates the need for producing multiple documents to prove one's identity. Accordingly, candidates are informed as following:

a) All the Indian citizen candidates should possess AADHAAR card issued by UIDAI. At the time of filling application form of PET- 2018, the candidates will have to enter their AADHAAR number, name, date of birth & gender which will be validated with the UIDAI's data. **In case, these particulars do not match, the candidates will not be able to fill the application form for PET- 2018.** Therefore, the candidates are advised to ensure that their AADHAAR card has correct particulars of their name, date of birth & gender as per school records. If there is some mismatch in these details, the candidates should immediately get it corrected in AADHAAR data and comply with (c) below.

b) Applicants not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, are hereby required to make application for Aadhaar enrolment in case he/she is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of Aadhaar Act. Such applicant may visit any Aadhaar enrolment center (list available at www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.

c) The applicants who have enrolled for Aadhaar or have applied for correction in Aadhaar data but have not received Aadhaar/corrected Aadhaar should enter 14 digit Aadhaar Enrolment Number/ Update Request Number with slash('/') printed on the Aadhaar enrolment slip/ Update Request slip at the time of filling online application form for PET-2018.

d) The candidates who have filled up their application form after verifying their Aadhaar details shall be compulsorily required to carry their Aadhaar Card to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, alongwith the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall.

e) The above provisions shall be applicable on all candidates except those who are resident of J&K, Assam & Meghalaya and do not possess Aadhaar number. Such candidates shall be required to enter the passport number, ration card number, bank account number or any other valid Govt. identity number containing the address of candidates in these states. These candidates shall be compulsorily required to carry the same document to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, along with the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall.

f) The applicants are also informed that his/her identity information (Aadhaar number, name, Fingerprint/Iris) would only be used for authentication and that his/her biometrics will not be stored/ shared and will be submitted to UIDAI'S Central Identity Data Repository (CIDR) only for purpose of authentication.

(ii) Online Application Form:

The Application Form for PET 2018 is available on the BHU"s entrance test portal (www.bhuonline.in). The online application making process will have following six stages:

Step 1: Registration on the Portal [www.bhuonline.in]- This step involves authentication of Candidate's email id and mobile number. As all important communications related to Entrance Test and Admission will be sent to the registered email id and mobile number, candidates are advised to give their correct email id/ mobile number (in use).

Step 2: Authentication of Candidate's identity- Only after successful registration on the Portal [www.bhuonline.in], the candidates would be required to fill up an Authentication Form giving particulars for authentication of their identification. Candidate's should carefully write the

correct spelling of their names as carried in their Aadhaar/identification document (as applicable). Indian citizen candidates who are resident of any state other than J&K, Assam and Meghalaya would be essentially required to provide Aadhaar Number/ Aadhaar Enrolment Number for authentication of their identity. The candidates who have filled up their application form after verifying their Aadhaar particulars shall be compulsorily required to carry their Aadhaar Card to the examination centre, for authentication of their identity, alongwith the Entrance Test Admit Card, failing which such candidate shall not be allowed in the examination hall. Please refer to the Public Notice and FAQs related to it (available on www.bhuonline.in).

Step 3: Online Application Form Entry and Course Selection- After successful authentication of identity, candidates would be allowed to fill-up details in the online application form and select the course after ensuring their eligibility for the concerned course in which they are desirous.

Step 4: Uploading of photographs and signature- Candidates have to scan their photo and signature as per instruction given in the portal and upload it.

Step 5: Payment of Application Processing/ Entrance Test Fee- After the candidate has filled up the application form online and clicks on the "CONFIRM" button, he/she will be provided with following options for payment of application processing/test fee:

c) **Online payment through credit card/ debit card through the payment gateway available on the Entrance test portal.**

d) **Payment of Entrance Test Fee in Cash through "Challan" in any branch of HDFC Bank (facility will be available only during banking hours on any banking day): After filling up the application form and its submission, the Challan can be printed from the portal. The printout of challan (in two folds) will contain all necessary details of the candidate and the bank account details of the Banaras Hindu University in which the entrance test fee will be deposited. The candidate will be required to visit any branch of the HDFC Bank of his/her choice (only during banking hours on any banking day) where he/she will be required to deposit the requisite Fee amount to the Bank and the bank will retain one fold of the Challan and its second fold containing the necessary Entrance Test Fee payment details will be given to the candidate. The candidate is required to retain it for his record.**

Step 6: Printout of Application Form for the record of candidates- After online submission of application form and successful payment of Application Processing/ Test Fee, candidates are advised to take a printout of the online filled up application form (containing the details he/she has filled in and the transaction details of payment of application fee) from either the Entrance Test portal for their own record.

NOTE:

1. **The application form is to be filled up and submitted online. Detailed instruction for filling up the application form, online payment of application fee and online submission is provided on the BHU's entrance test portal.**
2. **The PET Application Form shall be treated to have been successfully submitted only after the candidate has paid the Application Processing Fee/ Entrance Test Fee through either of the two modes given above.**

FAQs-Clarification regarding applying with Aadhaar		
S.No.	**Query**	**Clarification**
1.	Candidates who have recently submitted the request for Aadhaar enrolment but have not been issued Aadhaar Number	Such Candidates have to apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Enrolment ID (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting enrolment request.
2.	Candidate who have recently submitted the request for updation in Aadhaar details (including biometric updation) and unable to apply with the updated Aadhaar Card Details	Such Candidates have to apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request.
3.	Aadhaar authentication has failed in the first step of application submission	The candidates should verify whether they have entered the details exactly same as mentioned on their Aadhaar card.
4.	The date of birth is not fully or incorrectly mentioned in Aadhaar card or only birth year is mentioned.	Such candidates should submit a correction request at Aadhaar centre and apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by

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		Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request
5.	The name of the candidate in Aadhaar is not same as in school records.	Such candidates should submit a correction request at Aadhaar centre and apply for PET by entering 14 digits Aadhaar Update Request No. (Including slash) printed on the slip issued by Aadhaar centre after submitting updation request.
6.	The name of father/ mother is not exactly same as in school records. The address mentioned in Aadhaar has been changed due to transfer or some other reason.	These particulars are not matched with Aadhaar data so the candidates should correctly fill these particulars as per school records. The present/permanent address may also be filled accordingly since BHU do not send any communication on the candidates' address.
7.	For the Candidates of Assam/J&K/Meghalaya having Aadhaar Card	Candidates who are residents of these states and have Aadhaar Card need to enter the Aadhaar details only.
8.	For the Candidates of Assam/J&K/Meghalaya having no Aadhaar Card	Candidates who are residents of these states and do not have Aadhaar Card need to enter the passport number, ration card number, bank account number or any other valid Govt. identity containing their address. They will be required to carry the same document alongwith Admit Card for entry in the examination hall.

In addition to the Admit Card issued by the University, it will be essential for a candidate to have Aadhaar Card for entry into the examination Hall. **[KINDLY REFER POINT NUMBER 17 (1) ALSO].**

1) Before starting to fill the application get your photograph and signature scanned. Only jpg format is accepted. The photograph size should not be more than **100 KB** for the photograph and **100 KB** for signature (100 DPI and crop the image of signature to an approximate size of around 5 cm x 1.5 cm).
2) For scanning purpose use black sketch pen for signature.

3) You have to affix your photograph on the print out of admit card. Therefore, keep sufficient copies of the photograph you are using for scanning.

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