



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY

Prospectus for Admission to Academic Programmes 2026

(Post Graduate Programmes, B.B.A L.L.B (Hons.), M. Tech Programmes & MBA)

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From the Vice Chancellor's Desk

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome aspiring students to Mahatma Gandhi University through the Common Admission Test (CAT) 2026.

Over the past four decades, Mahatma Gandhi University has emerged as a distinguished centre of higher learning, recognised for its steadfast commitment to academic excellence, research, and innovation. The University has been honoured with the *Chancellor's Award for the Best University in the State* on three occasions and has secured the prestigious 'A++' Grade in the fourth cycle of NAAC reaccreditation. The University has consistently achieved commendable positions in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) and has been placed in the 500–600 band of the Times Higher Education World University Rankings. Significantly, Mahatma Gandhi University has been granted Category-I Graded Autonomy by the University Grants Commission, reflecting its academic leadership and institutional strength.

The University's reputation is anchored in the quality of its teaching and its vibrant research culture spanning both traditional and emerging disciplines. State-of-the-art research facilities, particularly within the Inter-University Centres, provide a dynamic ecosystem for knowledge

creation and innovation. Mahatma Gandhi University also takes pride in its notable achievements in sports and cultural activities, fostering the holistic development of its students.

Our academic programmes are offered under the Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) with an Outcome-Based Education (OBE) framework, ensuring flexibility, interdisciplinary learning, and industry relevance. The curriculum is continuously enriched through academic deliberations involving faculty, industry experts, and research professionals, enabling students to remain aligned with evolving global knowledge and skill requirements. A robust system of continuous assessment and evaluation ensures academic rigour and transparency.

At Mahatma Gandhi University, research, innovation, and consultancy are integral to the learning experience. Students benefit from exposure to live projects, problem-solving approaches, and opportunities that nurture creativity and entrepreneurial thinking. Dedicated initiatives, including the Business Innovation and Incubation Centre, support young innovators and aspiring entrepreneurs.

The University places strong emphasis on enhancing student employability through structured training programmes in soft skills and preparatory support for competitive examinations. Our academic environment is designed to cultivate leadership, professional competence, and a deep appreciation of Indian values and cultural heritage.

The Common Admission Test (CAT) 2026 provides a gateway for meritorious and talented students to join our vibrant academic community. I invite you to explore the diverse academic opportunities at Mahatma Gandhi University and experience an institution committed to excellence, innovation, and holistic education.

I look forward to welcoming you to Mahatma Gandhi University and wish you every success in your academic journey.

Prof. (Dr.) C.T. Aravindakumar

Vice Chancellor

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List of Academic Programmes, Number of Seats & Eligibility

| Sl No | Programmes | Seat | Eligibility |
|-------|--|------|---|
| 1 | M.Sc. in Biochemistry | 10 | B.Sc. degree in Botany, Zoology, Biochemistry, Biophysics, Microbiology, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Physics, Life Sciences/Allied Sciences/ Allied Health Sciences with not less than 50% marks in part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. |
| 2 | M.Sc. in Biotechnology | 10 | |
| 3 | M.Sc. in Biophysics | 05 | |
| 4 | M.Sc. in Microbiology | 10 | |
| 5 | M.Sc. in Chemistry (Inorganic Chemistry) | 12 | B.Sc. in Chemistry with Mathematics as one of the Subsidiaries with not less than 50% marks in Part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. |
| 6 | M.Sc. in Chemistry (Organic Chemistry) | 12 | |
| 7 | M.Sc. in Chemistry (Physical Chemistry) | 12 | |
| 8 | M.Sc. in Chemistry (Polymer Chemistry) | 12 | |
| 9 | M.Sc. in Computer Science | 25 | B.Sc. in Computer Science/ Computer Application/BCA or any other B Sc Degree/B.Tech with Computer Science/Allied areas as main subject with not less than 50% marks in part III. * |
| 10 | M.Sc. in Psychology | 16 | Pass in B.A/B.Sc Psychology with not less than 50 % marks in Part III.* |
| 11 | M.Sc. in Physics | 25 | B.Sc. in Physics with Mathematics as one of the subsidiaries with not less than 50% marks in Part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. |

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| 12 | M.Sc. in Environment Science & Management | 12 | B.Sc Degree in any one of the following subjects (Botany / Zoology / Chemistry / Physics / Geology / Geography / Life Science / Environment Management / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Biochemistry / Plant or Animal Science / Agriculture / Fisheries / Aquaculture / Horticulture / Forestry) or B.Tech in Civil / Mechanical / Chemical or Environmental with not less than 50% marks in Part III or CCPA not less than 5 at 10 point scale or CGPA not less than 2.5 at 5 point scale. |
| 13 | M.Sc. in Environment Science and Disaster Management | 12 | B.Sc. Degree in any one of the following subjects (Botany / Zoology / Chemistry / Physics/Geology / Geography / Life Science / Environment Management / Microbiology / Biotechnology / Biochemistry / Plant or Animal Science / Agriculture / Fisheries / Aquaculture / Horticulture / Forestry) or B. Tech in Civil / Mechanical / Chemical or Environmental with not less than 50% marks in Part III or CCPA not less than 5 at 10 point scale or CGPA not less than 2.5 at 5 point scale. |
| 14 | MSc Applied Geology | 10 | B.Sc. Geology / B.Sc. Geology and Water Management with pass, not less than 50% marks in Part III or CCPA not less than 5 at 10 point scale or CGPA not less than 2.5 at 5 point scale. |

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| 15 | M.Sc. Statistics | 20 | <p>BSc degree in Mathematics or Statistics main /B.Sc. (Triple main) with Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science as main subjects or B.Sc./B.Voc. Data science/Data Analytics or B.E/B.Tech (Computer Science)</p> <p>with at least 50% marks (CCPA 5.0 out of 10 under grading system) for the optional subjects taken together, provided the candidate has studied at least 4 courses in Probability/Statistics at degree level.</p> |
| 16 | MSc Mathematics | 20 | <p>B.Sc. Degree in Mathematics/ Applied Mathematics with at least 50% marks (CCPA 5.0 out of 10.00 under grading system) for the optional subject taken together.</p> |

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| 17 | M.Sc. Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning | 12 | <p>Bachelor's Degree in Artificial Intelligence/Computer Science/Computer Applications/Information Technology/Cyber Forensics/Cyber Security/Data Science/Electronics/Robotics or in allied subjects of Computer Science</p> <p>Or</p> <p>B.Tech/B.E Degree in Artificial Intelligence/Computer Science/Electronics/Robotics or in allied subjects of Computer Science or any other Bachelor's degree in Science with Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning/Computer Science/Computer Applications/Information Technology/Data Science at the subsidiary level. In all cases, Applicants must have secured a minimum of 50% marks in Part III.</p> |
| 18 | M.Sc. Physics (Nano Science and Nano Technology) | 10 | B. Sc Physics/ B. Sc Physics (Hons.) with any two subsidiaries with not less than 50% marks |

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| 19 | MSc Chemistry (Nano Science and Nano Technology) | 10 | B. Sc Chemistry/ B. Sc Chemistry (Hons.) with any two subsidiaries with not less than 50% marks |
| 20 | M.Sc. Data Science and Analytics | 20 | B.Sc. Degree in Mathematics or Statistics or Computer Science main / B.Sc. (triple main) with Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science as main subjects or BCA, B.Sc./B.Voc. Data Science or Data Analytics, B.E. / B. Tech.(CS or IT) with at least 50% marks (CCPA 5.0 out of 10.00 under grading system) for the optional subjects taken together, provided the candidate has studied at least 2 courses in Probability / Statistics at degree level. |
| 21 | M.Sc. Food Science and Technology | 20 | Bachelor's / B. Voc. degree in Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Food Science & Technology, Food Technology & Quality Assurance, Food Science & Quality Control, Food processing, Home Science with Chemistry (as auxiliary), Microbiology or Life Science stream with not less than 50 %marks or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. |
| 22 | M.Sc. in Botany and Plant Science Technology | 15 | Bachelor's degree in Botany or Botany-Biotechnology (double main) with not less than CCPA of 5.00 out of 10.00 in the Core Group (Core + Open + Complementary) under the 10+2+3 systems |
| 23 | M.Sc. Physics (Specialization in Energy Science) | 10 | A Pass in B.Sc Physics from Mahatma Gandhi University or equivalent from other Universities |

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| 24 | M.Sc. Chemistry (Specialization in Energy Science) | 10 | A Pass in B.Sc Chemistry from Mahatma Gandhi University or equivalent from other Universities |
| 25 | M.Sc. Material Science (Specialization in Energy Science) | 10 | A pass in B.Sc. or B.S in Physics / Chemistry / Materials Science / Nanoscience and Nanotechnology / Polymer Chemistry and Renewable Energy. |
| 26 | M.Sc. Industrial Polymer Science and Technology | 10 | B.Sc in Chemistry, Life Science, Computer Science, Physics, Mathematics or any other allied subjects with not less than 50% marks or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. Or B. Tech in Polymer Engineering/ Technology or Nanoscience and Nanotechnology or Chemical Engineering/ Technology or Electronics and Communication or Biotechnology or Material Science or Mechanical Engineering or any other allied subjects with not less than 50% marks or equivalent CGPA/CCPA. |
| 27 | M A Politics and International Relations | 15 | BA in Economics/ Politics/ History/ Law with not less than 45% marks for Part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA or B A in English/ Sociology/Anthropology/ Psychology/ Geography/ Philosophy/ Commerce with not less than 50% marks in Part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA or B Sc in any branch with not less than 60% marks in Part III or equivalent CGPA/CCPA . |
| 28 | M A Politics and Human Rights | 05 | |
| 29 | M A Politics (Public Policy and Governance): | 05 | |

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| 30 | M A in Malayalam | 13 | Bachelor's degree in Malayalam with not less than 45% marks (or CGPA of 1.8) in Part III or degree in Arts/Science with a minimum of 50% marks in Part II Malayalam * |
| 31 | M A in English | 13 | Bachelor's degree in English with not less than 45% marks in Part III or degree in Arts/Science with a minimum of 50% marks in Part I English. * |
| 32 | M A in Gandhian Studies | 12 | Any degree with an aggregate of 45% mark or equivalent CGPA/CCPA |
| 33 | M A in Development Studies (Approved as equivalent to MA Economics of the university) | 12 | |
| 34 | M A Economics | 16 | Pass in any Bachelor's Degree in BA Economics/B.Sc Mathematics/B.Sc Statistics examination of MG University or an equivalent degree of any other universities duly recognized by MG University with not less than 50 % marks in the aggregate for all parts of examination subject* |
| 35 | M A History | 20 | Bachelor's degree in any discipline with not less than 45% marks in Part III. * |
| 36 | M A Anthropology | 20 | |
| 37 | MA Social Work in Disability Studies and Action | 20 | Pass in any graduate programme |

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| 38 | MA Gender Studies | 15 | Bachelor's degree (including professional degrees) with not less than 50 % marks in any discipline of this University or any other University recognized by Mahatma Gandhi University.* |
| 39 | MA Counselling | 30 | A bachelor's degree in any discipline from a recognized University (Minimum percentage of mark not required) |
| 40 | Master of Tourism and Travel Management | 20 | Bachelor's degree (including professional degrees) with not less than 50% marks or equivalent CGPA/CCPA in any discipline of this University or any other University recognized by Mahatma Gandhi University.* |
| 41 | Master of Education (M Ed) Programme with Specialization in Language Education (English, Hindi, Malayalam, Sanskrit, Arabic), Mathematics, Science, Social Science, Commerce, IT & Computer Science Education | 50 | Not less than 50% marks or an equivalent grade in 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 degree(with 50% marks in each) |
| 42 | Master of Physical Education and Sports (M.PES) | 30 | Bachelor degree in physical Education (B.P.E/B.P.E.S/B.P.Ed/D.P.Ed) with not less than 50% marks or equivalent CGPA/CCPA |
| 43 | Master of Law (LLM , 2 year Programme) | 20 | Pass in LLB or equivalent examination approved by Mahatma Gandhi University with not less than 50% marks |

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| 44 | BBA LLB (Hons) | 50 | A candidate who has passed the Higher Secondary or Plus two Examination recognized by the Mahatma Gandhi University or any other examination recognized as equivalent there to and has secured not less than fortyfive percent of the marks in aggregate. Applicants belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes (SC/ST) and persons with disability need to secure 40 % of aggregate marks. Applicants belonging to Other Backward Classes (OBC) need to secure 42 % of aggregate marks. |
| 45 | Master of Business Administration | 60 | Graduate in any subject with 50% marks in Part III subjects with valid KMAT/CMAT/CAT score. |
| 46 | M. Tech Energy Science & Technology | 10 | <p>i) MSc in Nano Science and Nano Technology, Physics, Chemistry, Material Science, Polymer Science or an equivalent degree with not less than 50%marks</p> <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> <p>ii) B.Tech in NanoScience and NanoTechnology or chemical Engineering / Technology or Polymer Engineering / Technology or Electronics and Communication or Bio Technology or Material Science or Mechanical or Civil or an equivalent degree with not less than 50% marks</p> |

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| 47 | M. Tech in Nanoscience and Technology | 10 | <p>M.Sc: Physics / Chemistry / Polymer Science / Biotechnology / Nano Science and Nano Technology / Industrial Chemistry / Industrial Physics / Polymer Chemistry / Photonics / Electronics / Energy Science / Renewable Energy / Microbiology / Biochemistry or any other allied subjects.</p> <p>or</p> <p>B.Tech : Chemical Engineering / Mechanical Engineering / Electronics and Communications / Polymer Technology / Biotechnology / Nano Science and Nano Technology / Metallurgy / Engineering Physics / Industrial Chemistry / Architecture / Civil or any other allied subjects.</p> |
| 48 | M. Tech Polymer Science and Engineering | 10 | <p>i. MSc in Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Physics, Chemistry, Material Science, Polymer science or an equivalent degree with not less than 50% Marks.</p> <p>ii. B.Tech in Polymer Engineering/Technology or Nanoscience and Nanotechnology or Chemical Engineering/ Technology or Electronics and Communication or Biotechnology or Materials Science or Mechanical, an equivalent degree with not less than 50% Marks.</p> |

*In the case of credit and semester pattern eligibility shall be corresponding grades

| CAT- MGU 2026-27: TENTATIVE SCHEDULE | |
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| ONLINE REGISTRATION | 20-02-2026 ONWARDS |
| LAST DATE OF ONLINE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION | 19-03-2026 |
| DOWNLOADING OF HALL TICKET | 08-04-2026 |
| ENTRANCE EXAMINATION | MAY 2026 |
| ENTRANCE RESULT | MAY 2026 |
| INTERVIEW/G.D/WRITTEN TEST | DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED BY DEPARTMENT CONCERNED |
| RANK LIST & ADMISSION | DATE WILL BE ANNOUNCED LATER |
| COMMENCEMENT OF CLASSES | SAME AS ABOVE |
| CLOSING OF ADMISSION | SAME AS ABOVE |

| SCHEDULE FOR FOREIGN STUDENT APPLICATION | |
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| ONLINE REGISTRATION | 20-02-2026 |

EXAM CALENDAR

The Exam Calendar will be published later.

Chapter 01

1. General Information

This prospectus provides the vital information regarding the Common Admission Test – 2026 and allied admission procedures for the year 2026-2027.

Applicants are required to read this prospectus carefully so as to make them fully aware of the eligibility criteria & fee structure of each programme, rules/procedures related to Application/Test/Option Registration/ Allotment and all other relevant details related to Admission 2026.

Applicants are also required to visit the University website www.cat.mgu.ac.in regularly so as to get the latest updates about the notifications, notices, announcements, instructions etc. published in the website in connection with the admission from time to time.

1.1 In case of any disputes the English Version of the Prospectus will be considered as final and binding.

1.2 Any other items not specifically covered in this prospectus pertaining to the admission procedures of 2026 will be decided by the Mahatma Gandhi University and the decision shall be final.

1.3 At the time of the submission of application the eligibility of the applicants are not verified and the same shall be verified at the time of admission only. Hence, Applicants are advised to ensure that they are eligible for the courses they have applied for.

1.4 Appearance of a candidate in the Entrance Examination, or inclusion of a candidate in the rank lists or allotment does not entitle him/her for admission to a Programme, unless the rules regarding eligibility for admission, as laid down in the Prospectus under various Clauses, are satisfied.

1.5 All applicants shall register through online mode only

1.6 Mahatma Gandhi University will not entertain any application for change of schedule.

1.7 Applicants applying for various programmes must make sure that they fulfil the minimum eligibility criteria prescribed under the relevant chapter of this Prospectus before filling up the online application.

1.8 The prospectuses issued in previous years are not valid for the year 2026. Applicants are advised to go through the current prospectus carefully and acquaint themselves with all the relevant information relating to the admission process. They are also instructed to visit the website www.cat.mgu.ac.in for notification and announcements.

1.9 Those who are awaiting final semester results of qualifying exam can also apply provided that they should produce certificates and mark lists of qualifying exam before the closing date of admission.

* For the M.Ed Programme, Applicants who are waiting for the results of the last two semesters of qualifying examination can apply for the Entrance examination.

1.10 Admission to MBA programme is not based on the Common Admission Test (CAT 2026) conducted by MG University (MBA admission is based on the score obtained in CMAT/CAT/KMAT, Group Discussion and Interview, subject to norms of AICTE & Admission Supervisory Committee). There may be difference in the admission schedule specified in this prospectus. So Applicants are advised to go through the website regularly or contact the concerned department.

1.11 The claims for Mandatory reservation, Bonus marks/ Weightage mark at the time of online registration cannot be altered by the candidate under any circumstances. So Applicants are advised to go through the prospectus carefully before online registration. Only those who make such claims within the time limit prescribed by the University will be considered.

1.12 No Individual call letter/ communications will be sent by post. Applicants must visit the websites www.cat.mgu.ac.in, www.admission.mgu.ac.in on a daily basis and keep themselves updated with the latest news/notification/instruction published therein and are advised to adhere strictly to the instructions/directions given therein.

This Prospectus is subject to modification / addition / deletion, as may be deemed necessary by the Mahatma Gandhi University from time to time.

1.2 CAT-MGU and CENTRALIZED ALLOTMENT PROCESS

The admissions based on CAT- MGU will be through a Centralized Allotment Process. Applicants may submit only one application (online) and can apply for a maximum of programmes from four different schools/departments/centres except MBA in SMBS. However, the candidate needs to pay a separate application fee for examinations opted from different schools/departments/centres.

A cluster of academic programmes in the **same** School/Department/Centre to which admissions are made based on the single Entrance Test will be reckoned as a single option with a single application fee. The candidate has also to mark his/her preference for the different specializations within the cluster at the time of online registration. In such cases also there will be separate rank lists for the different specialized programmes within the cluster based on the score in the Entrance Test and the preference marked by the candidate at the time of registration.

If an applicant submits more than one application in CAT-MGU his/her candidature is liable to be cancelled. It is a simple and transparent process of allotment which gives the candidate an opportunity to exercise a maximum of 4 options of his/her choice conveniently in the order of preference. The allotments will be strictly based on the options exercised, the rank obtained and eligibility for reservations of the candidate.

1.3 General Rules for Admission

1.3.1 All the admissions will be provisional in nature until the Applicants submit the original certificates/ documents in proof of academic eligibility before the University authority concerned. If an applicant fails to furnish the relevant certificates on or before the last date announced by the University for the same his/her admission will be cancelled. Applicants awaiting results/appearing for the final semester exam can also apply. However, they shall produce the original certificates before the closing date of admission.

1.3.2. For Applicants who have passed the qualifying exams under the direct grading system where the grades are calculated on a CGPA out of 4, the grade points of the corresponding percentage of marks will be applicable. And for those whose scores are calculated under the CCPA out of 10 points also, the corresponding percentage of marks will be applicable.

1.3.3 If an applicant for admission is found to have indulged in ragging in the past or if it is noticed later, admissions shall be denied or he/she shall be expelled from the educational institution.

1.3.4. After the Seat Allotment process there will be provision for the admitted students to get transferred from one academic programme to another subject to their eligibility and the University norms in this regard.

1.3.5.An Online Entrance Test shall be conducted for the selection of Applicants.All Applicants **except** foreign students seeking admission,applicants having CUET Score (Open All India Quota), applicants for MBA and applicants for M. Tech with GATE score shall attend the Entrance Test.

1.3.6 The Common Entrance Test is of **90 minutes** (One and half hours) duration for all the programmes.

1.3.7.In programmes where an interview/Group Discussion/Written Test is conducted for the preparation of final rank list three times the required number of Applicants for all categories will be called for interview /Group Discussion/Written Test in the first batch on the basis of their rank in the objective Test. The final rank list will be prepared on the basis of the score in the objective test, interview/Group Discussion/Written Test and adding the eligible bonus marks for NCC/NSS, Ex-Servicemen and the like.

1.3.8. Norms to avoid a tie: The first criteria to avoid a tie would be the score in the Common Admission Test (Objective test) and the second criteria would be age seniority.

1.3.9 Question Pattern; Test Score and time allotted: 60 MCQ with 4 choices for each question; each correct answer will enable a candidate to score 1 mark; there will be no negative score for incorrect answers.

1.4 Open All India Quota - Applicants with CUET PG Score/ Non Keralites with MGU CAT score

1.4.1 20 % of the total approved seats of each PG programme (except MBA, M Ed, MA Social work in disability studies and action, M. Tech Programmes and Integrated Programmes)are reserved as Open All India Quota seats which will be allotted to applicants registered for MGU CAT admission on the basis of their *CUET PG score.

1.4.2 The Allotment of candidates to the programmes will be as per the guidelines below.

- If a candidate appears for CAT 2026 and also register their intention to be considered for the CUET reserved seats, the allotment of such candidates will be considered based on the MGU CAT rank list against the general/eligible reservation seats first. If they do not receive allotment from MGU CAT rank list they will be considered for CUET reserved seats based on the CUET rank list.
 - If a candidate does not appear for MGU CAT examination they will be considered in the CUET reserved seats only, the allotment of such candidates will be considered based on the CUET rank list against the seats reserved for Open All India Quota candidates.
 - After accommodating the registered CUET PG score holders, the remaining seats shall be filled from the eligible Non -Keralite applicants in the order of their rank in the MGU CAT examination.
- 1.4.3** If there is no applicant for Open All India Quota, the 20% seats additionally created will be cancelled.
- 1.4.4** Communal reservation is not applicable for Open All India Quota
- 1.4.5** Applicants for Open All India Quota shall have to present the valid Nativity Certificate issued by the competent authority at the time of the interview.
- 1.4.6** Candidates desirous of applying to the seats set aside for CUET candidates for the PG programmes offered by Mahatma Gandhi University should appear for the CUET-PG test codes noted against each programme in the table below.

For details regarding CUET-PG test codes , Please visit the CUET-PG admission portal.

| Sl. No | Department/School | CUET Test Paper Code | Programme(Subject) |
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| 1. | School of Environmental Science | SCQP11 | M.Sc. Environment Science and Management, M.Sc. Environment Science and Disaster Management |
| | | SCQP14 | M.Sc. Applied Geology (Department of Geology) |
| 2. | School Of Tourism Studies | COQP12 | Master of Tourism and Travel Management |
| 3. | School of Physical Education and Sports Sciences | COQP18 | Mater of Physical Education and Sports |
| 4. | School of Pure and Applied Physics | SCQP24 | Physics |
| 5. | School of Social Sciences | HUQP02 | Anthropology |
| | | HUQP01 | History |
| | | HUQP03 | |
| 6. | School of Mathematics & Statistics | SCQP19 | M.Sc Mathematics |
| | | SCQP27 | M.Sc. Statistics |
| 7. | School of Data Analytics | SCQP09 MTQP04 | M.Sc. Data Science and Analytics |
| 8. | School of Food Science and Technology | SCQP01 SCQP03 SCQP05 SCQP07 SCQP08 SCQP12 SCQP17 SCQP25 SCQP30 | M.Sc. food science and Technology |

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| 9. | School of Letters | LAQP01 | M.A English |
| | | LAQP23 | M.A Malayalam |
| 10. | School Of Computer Sciences | SCQP09 | M.Sc Computer Science |
| 11. | National Institute of Plant Science Technology | SCQP07 SCQP17 SCQP25 | MSc Botany and Plant Science Technology |
| 12. | School of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics | SCQP09 MTQP04 MTQP05 | M.Sc. Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning |
| 13 | School of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology | SCQP08 | M. Sc. Chemistry(Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) |
| | | SCQP24 | M. Sc. Physics(Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) |
| | | SCQP08 SCQP24 SCQP17 SCQP18 | M. Sc. Industrial Polymer Science and Technology |
| 14. | School of Gandhian Thought and Development Studies | HUQP01 HUQP06 HUQP09 HUQP16 HUQP18 HUQP22 COQP10 COQP11 | M.A Gandhian Studies &M.A Developmental Studies |
| 15. | School of Behavioural Sciences | HUQP20 | M.Sc. Psychology |
| 16. | School Of Chemical Sciences | SCQP08 | M.Sc.Chemistry(Inorganic Chemistry) M.Sc.Chemistry(Organic Chemistry) M.Sc.Chemistry(Physical Chemistry) M.Sc.Chemistry(Polymer Chemistry) |

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| 17. | School of Bio Sciences | SCQP01 SCQP02 SCQP03 SCQP05 SCQP06 SCQP07 SCQP16 SCQP17 SCQP20 SCQP22 SCQP25 SCQP28 | M.Sc. Biochemistry M.Sc Biotechnology M.Sc Biophysics M.Sc Microbiology |
| 18. | School of Energy Materials | SCQP08 | M.Sc.Chemistry (Specialization in Energy Science) |
| | | SCQP24 | M.Sc. Physics (Specialization in Energy Science) |
| | | SCQP08 SCQP24 SCQP18 | M.Sc. Material Science (Specialization in Energy Science) |
| 19. | K N Raj School of Economics | COQP10 | M.A Economics |
| 20. | School of Indian Legal Thought | COQP14 | Two Year LLM Criminal Law and Cyber Forensics. |
| 21. | School of Gender Studies | HUQP06 HUQP02 HUQP11 HUQP21 HUQP22 | MA Gender Studies |

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| 22 | School of International Relations & Politics | HUQP06 HUQP08 HUQP09 HUQP16 HUQP18 HUQP21 HUQP22 COQP08 COQP09 COQP10 COQP14 COQP17 SCQP08 SCQP10 SCQP11 SCQP14 SCQP19 SCQP24 LAQP01 | M A Politics & International Relations M A Politics & Human Rights M A Politics (Public Policy & Governance) |
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1.5. How to apply (Not for International Applicants and MBA Programme)

Applicants can register their applications online within the time schedule specified.

The candidate should read carefully the Prospectus and the detailed instructions before submitting the online application. The method of submitting the online application is as follows:

Applicants awaiting results can also apply. They need to furnish the testimonials before the closing date of admission.

Applicants who seek admission should either visit the official portal of the University www.mgu.ac.in and go to the link CAT-MGU 2026 or go directly to www.cat.mgu.ac.in

For admission to MBA go through the website www.admission.mgu.ac.in

For International Students go through the website ucica.mgu.ac.in

Online Registration for admission is a multi-step process. Before starting online registration read the CAT MGU Prospectus carefully.

The Applicants have to go through the mandatory steps given below for the successful submission of online application.

1.5.1 Online Registration

By clicking on the **APPLY NOW** link on the website www.cat.mgu.ac.in , applicants can initiate the online application process. The candidate should first create an account on the webpage by typing the required minimum personal details and by creating a password for future login. The password can be a combination of alphabets, numerals and special characters. It should contain at least 1 special character and 1 numeral. **The candidate should remember the password set by him/her and it should not be disclosed to anyone who may misuse it for tampering the options.** The University will not be responsible for any such eventuality.

Once the registration process is completed click **‘SAVE and CONTINUE’**, the account will be generated, and the applicant will be shown his/her application number. **This Application Number must be remembered for future login.**

1.5.2) Entering Personal Details

After completing the registration process, click on the **‘Personal Profile’** button to enter personal details and bonus mark details. Then click **‘Save & Next’** to proceed to the next step.

1.5.3) Entering Qualifying Exams Details

Click on the **‘Applied For’** button and select the qualification you have already acquired or are going to acquire. Based on the selected qualification the list of programmes available under CAT will be listed. Applicants may choose a maximum of programmes from four different Schools/Departments/Centres. The eligibility of the Applicants is not verified at the time of application and it will be verified only during the admissions. Hence, Applicants are advised to ensure that they are eligible for the courses.

1.5.4) Photo uploading

After completing the Applied For process, applicants need to upload a scanned copy of a recent passport size photograph (below 200kb of file size). The dimensions of the photo should be 200px X 150 px along with the application. The image format can be JPG, JPEG.

1. You can either take a new photograph or recent passport size photograph with good quality
2. The picture should be in colour, against a light coloured background, preferably white. Look straight at the camera with a relaxed face.
3. Make sure the uploading photograph is straight and not tilted

4. Do not upload selfies, group photos and casual photos

5. Caps, sun glasses are not acceptable. If you wear glasses make sure that there are no reflections and your eyes can be clearly seen.

If the photo uploaded is not as per the prescribed specification, the application is liable to be rejected.

1.5.5) Education & Qualification & Centre

Click on ‘**Education & Qualification & Centre**’ to select the University you studied and the scheme of study. Then choose your preferred examination centre.

A total of 16 test centres will be allotted, with one centre in each district and one each in Bengaluru and Chennai. Please note that the centre selection is only indicative and is subject to change during the actual centre allocation stage, which will be performed by the University. The exact venue, date and time of the Entrance Examination will be in the Hall Ticket which has to be downloaded by the applicant from their home page in the University Admission Website.

1.5.6) Registration fee

After selecting the programmes the registration fee has to be paid. The candidate should review all the details of the application furnished by him/her before making payment of registration fee. The registration fee can be remitted by the online payment system only. Credit/Debit cards and Internet Banking facilities can be used for making payment. The details of registration fee will be as follows.

For General Applicants: Rs. 1250/- for one programme/cluster of programmes to which one entrance exam is applicable and Rs. 250/- for each additional programme (one can apply maximum of four programmes only).

For SC/ST Applicants: Rs. 625/- for one programme/cluster of programmes to which one entrance exam is applicable and Rs. 125/- for each additional programme (one can apply maximum of four programmes only).

After remitting the fee and ensuring the correctness of the application the candidate should click the ‘**Final Submit**’ button.

Application fee once remitted is not refundable

1.5.7) Print out of the Application Confirmation Document

After completion of the online registration, the candidate should take a printout of the **confirmation document** and keep it with him/her. **DO NOT SEND HARD COPIES OF THE PRINT OUT OF ONLINE APPLICATION TO THE UNIVERSITY.** The hard copy of the

online application with supporting documents should be kept by the applicant and it has to be submitted at the time of admission to respective departments.

1.6 Admit Cards:

At the time announced by the University for downloading the admit card, Applicants should log in to the CAT website using their application number and password. Applicants can download the admit card. The exact venue, date and time of the Entrance Examination will be mentioned on the admit card.

For more details visit www.cat.mgu.ac.in

For admission related queries Contact- 0481 273 3518, 595 Mail to cat@mgu.ac.in

For Online Payment related queries: epayhelp@mgu.ac.in, itcellhelp@mgu.ac.in,

Ph:0481 27 33 505, 516, 580, 626

For Payment Refund queries: internalaudit2@mgu.ac.in, Ph: 0481 27 33 609

1.7 അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പിക്കേണ്ട വിധം:

www.cat.mgu.ac.in എന്ന വെബ്സൈറ്റിൽ കൂടി മാത്രമേ ഓൺലൈൻ അപേക്ഷകൾ സമർപ്പിക്കാവൂ. MBA പ്രവേശനത്തിനായി www.admission.mgu.ac.in സന്ദർശിക്കുക. അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പിച്ചതിനു ശേഷം പ്രിൻ്റ് ചെയ്ത കോപ്പികൾ അപേക്ഷാർത്ഥികൾ സർവ്വകലാശാലയിലേക്ക് അയക്കേണ്ടതില്ല. അപേക്ഷകർ ഓൺലൈനിലൂടെ അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പണം, ഫീസ് ഒടുക്കൽ, മറ്റ് നടപടിക്രമങ്ങൾ എന്നിവ നിർദ്ദേശിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള തീയതികളിൽ തന്നെ പൂർത്തിയാക്കണം. ഓൺലൈൻ രജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ പല ഘട്ടങ്ങളുള്ള പ്രക്രിയയാണ്. ആരംഭിക്കുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് CAT MGU പ്രോസ്പെക്ട്സ് ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കുക. ഓൺലൈൻ അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പിക്കുന്നതിനായി താഴെ നൽകിയിരിക്കുന്ന ഘട്ടങ്ങൾ വിജയകരമായി പൂർത്തീകരിക്കണം

1.7.1 ഓൺലൈൻ രജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ:

APPLY NOW ടാബിൽ ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്ത് അപേക്ഷ പ്രക്രിയ ആരംഭിക്കാം. ആവശ്യമായ വ്യക്തിഗത വിവരങ്ങൾ നൽകുന്നതിനോടൊപ്പം ഒരു പാസ്പോർട്ട് സൈസിലുള്ള സമീപകാല ചിത്രം നൽകേണ്ടതാണ് . പാസ്പോർട്ട് അക്ഷരങ്ങൾ, അക്കങ്ങൾ, പ്രത്യേക ചിഹ്നങ്ങൾ എന്നിവയുടെ സംയോജനം ആയിരിക്കണം. കുറഞ്ഞത്

ഒരു പ്രത്യേക ചിഹ്നവും ഒരു അക്കവും ഉൾപ്പെടണം. പാസേഡ് രഹസ്യമായി സൂക്ഷിക്കണം. ഇതുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട പ്രശ്നങ്ങൾക്ക് സർവകലാശാല ഉത്തരവാദിയായിരിക്കില്ല. രജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ പൂർത്തിയാക്കിയ ശേഷം 'Save and Continue' ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്യുമ്പോൾ അപേക്ഷ നമ്പർ ലഭിക്കുന്നതായിരിക്കും. അപേക്ഷ നമ്പറും പാസ്സ് വേർഡും വെബ്സൈറ്റിൽ ലോഗിൻ ചെയ്യുന്നതിനായി സൂക്ഷിച്ചു വയ്ക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

1.7.2 വ്യക്തിഗത വിവരങ്ങൾ നൽകുക:

രജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ പ്രക്രിയ പൂർത്തിയാക്കിയതിനു ശേഷം 'Personal Profile' ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്ത് വ്യക്തിഗത വിവരങ്ങളും ബോണസ് മാർക്ക് വിവരങ്ങളും നൽകുക. ശേഷം 'Save & Next' ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്യുക.

1.7.3 യോഗ്യതാ പരീക്ഷ വിവരങ്ങൾ നൽകുക:

'Applied For' ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്ത് യോഗ്യത തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കുക. യോഗ്യതയുടെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിൽ ലഭ്യമായ പ്രോഗ്രാമുകളുടെ പട്ടിക കാണാവുന്നതാണ്. പരമാവധി നാല് വ്യത്യസ്ത സ്കൂൾ/ഡിപ്പാർട്ട്മെന്റ്/സെന്ററുകളിൽ നിന്ന് പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾ തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കാം. അപേക്ഷ സമയത്ത് യോഗ്യത പരിശോധിക്കാത്തതിനാൽ, അപേക്ഷകർ ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട കോഴ്സുകൾക്ക് യോഗ്യരാണെന്നു ഉറപ്പാക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

1.7.4 ഫോട്ടോ അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്യുക:

'Applied For' പ്രക്രിയ പൂർത്തിയാക്കിയ ശേഷം അപേക്ഷകർ സ്കാൻ ചെയ്ത സമീപകാലത്തെ പാസ്പോർട്ട് സൈസ് ഫോട്ടോയുടെ (200kb-ൽ താഴെ) അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്യണം. ഫോട്ടോയുടെ വലുപ്പം 200px X 150px ആയിരിക്കണം. JPG അല്ലെങ്കിൽ JPEG ഫോർമാറ്റ് സ്വീകരിക്കും.

.മുഖവും തോൾഭാഗവും കണ്ണും വ്യക്തമായി കാണത്തക്ക വിധത്തിൽ വെളുത്തതോ ഇളം നിറത്തിലോ ഉള്ള പശ്ചാത്തലത്തിൽ എടുത്ത ഫോട്ടോ ആയിരിക്കണം. അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്യുന്ന ഫോട്ടോ ചെരിവുള്ളതോ ഗ്രൂപ്പ് ഫോട്ടോയോ സെൽഫിയോ ആകാൻ പാടില്ല.

അത് പോലെ സൺഗ്ലാസ് വച്ചതോ തൊപ്പി വച്ചതോ ആയ ഫോട്ടോകൾ അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്യാൻ പാടില്ല.

നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ പാലിക്കാത്ത ഫോട്ടോ അപ്ലോഡ് ചെയ്താൽ അപേക്ഷ നിരസിക്കാം.

1.7.5 വിദ്യാഭ്യാസം & യോഗ്യത & പരീക്ഷാ കേന്ദ്രം

'Education & Qualification & Centre' ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്ത് അപേക്ഷകൻ പഠിച്ച സർവകലാശാലയും പഠനരീതിയും തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കുക. തുടർന്ന് ഇഷ്ടപ്പെട്ട പരീക്ഷ കേന്ദ്രം തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കുക.

ആകെ 16 പരീക്ഷ കേന്ദ്രങ്ങൾ ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.ഓരോ ജില്ലയിലും ഒന്ന് വീതവും കൂടാതെ ബെംഗളൂരു,ചെന്നൈ എന്നിവിടങ്ങളിൽ ഓരോ കേന്ദ്രവും ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കുന്നതാണ്.ഒരു അപേക്ഷകന് ഒരു കേന്ദ്രം മാത്രമേ തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കാൻ സാധിക്കുകയുള്ളൂ. അന്തിമ വിന്യാസം സർവകലാശാല നിർണ്ണയിക്കുന്നതാണ്.

1.7.6 അപേക്ഷാ ഫീസ്

പ്രോഗ്രാം തിരഞ്ഞെടുക്കുന്നതിന് ശേഷം രജിസ്ട്രേഷൻ ഫീസ് അടയ്ക്കണം. ഫീസ് അടയ്ക്കുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് എല്ലാ വിവരങ്ങളും പരിശോധിക്കുക. ഓൺലൈൻ വഴി മാത്രമേ ഫീസ് അടയ്ക്കാൻ കഴിയൂ. ക്രെഡിറ്റ്/ഡെബിറ്റ് കാർഡ്, ഇന്റർനെറ്റ് ബാങ്കിംഗ് എന്നിവ ഉപയോഗിക്കാം.ഓഫ്ലൈൻ ആയി ഫീസ് സ്വീകരിക്കുന്നതല്ല.

1.7.6.1 ജനറൽ വിഭാഗം: ഒരു പ്രോഗ്രാമിനും/പ്രോഗ്രാമുകളുടെ ക്ലസ്റ്ററിനും Rs. 1250/- അധിക പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾക്ക് Rs. 250/- വീതം (പരമാവധി നാല് പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾക്കു മാത്രം അപേക്ഷിക്കാം).

1.7.6.2 SC/ST വിഭാഗം: ഒരു പ്രോഗ്രാമിനും/പ്രോഗ്രാമുകളുടെ ക്ലസ്റ്ററിനും Rs. 625/-; അധിക പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾക്ക് Rs. 125/- വീതം (പരമാവധി നാല് പ്രോഗ്രാമുകൾക്കു മാത്രം അപേക്ഷിക്കാം).

ഒരിക്കൽ അടച്ച അപേക്ഷ ഫീസ് തിരികെ ലഭ്യമാകില്ല.

അപേക്ഷാർത്ഥികൾ ഫീസ് അടച്ചതിനുശേഷം അപേക്ഷയിൽ തെറ്റുകളൊന്നുമില്ല എന്ന് ഉറപ്പാക്കി **FINAL SUBMIT** ബട്ടൺ ക്ലിക്ക് ചെയ്യുക. .

1.7.7 അപേക്ഷയുടെ പ്രിന്റ് ഔട്ട് എടുക്കൽ

അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പണത്തിനു ശേഷം പിന്നീടുള്ള ആവശ്യങ്ങൾക്കായി അപേക്ഷ സമർപ്പിച്ചതിന്റെ വിശദാംശങ്ങൾ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളുന്ന പ്രിന്റ് ഔട്ട് എടുത്ത് എല്ലാ അപേക്ഷകരും സൂക്ഷിക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

ശ്രദ്ധിക്കുക: ആവശ്യപ്പെടാത്ത പക്ഷം ഒരു രേഖകളും സർവ്വകലാശാലയിലേക്ക് അയക്കേണ്ടതില്ല. എന്നാൽ സർവകലാശാല നിർദ്ദേശിക്കുന്ന സമയത്ത് യോഗ്യത/സംവരണം /ഫീസ് ഇളവ് /ബോണസ് മാർക്ക് എന്നിവയെ സംബന്ധിക്കുന്ന അസ്സൽ രേഖകൾ ഹാജരാക്കേണ്ടതാണ് .അല്ലാത്ത പക്ഷം]മറ്റ് ആനുകൂല്യങ്ങളും അഡ്മിഷനുമുള്ള അവസരം നഷ്ടമായേക്കാം .ഇക്കാര്യത്തിലുള്ള പരിപൂർണ്ണ ഉത്തരവാദിത്തം അപേക്ഷകന് മാത്രം ആയിരിക്കും.സർവകലാശാലയ്ക്ക് ഇക്കാര്യത്തിൽ യാതൊരു വിധ ഉത്തരവാദിത്തവും ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കുന്നതല്ല

ഒരാളുടെ അപേക്ഷയിന്മേലുള്ള തുടർ നടപടികളെ കുറിച്ചുള്ള വിവരങ്ങൾ അപേക്ഷകരെ നേരിട്ട് അറിയിക്കുന്നതല്ല .സർവകലാശാല വെബ്സൈറ്റിൽ ഇക്കാര്യങ്ങൾ പ്രസിദ്ധീകരിക്കുന്നതായിരിക്കും പ്രവേശനം ആഗ്രഹിക്കുന്നവർ ഇത് നിരന്തരമായി പരിശോധിക്കേണ്ടതാണ്.

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Chapter 02

Master of Science (MSc.) Programmes

2.1 M Sc in Biochemistry, Biotechnology, Biophysics and Microbiology

School of Biosciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: sbs.mgu.ac.in, phone:0481 273 3373
- email- schoolofbiosciences@mgu.ac.in



- The School of Biosciences (SBS) is focusing on high quality education and training in advanced areas of Life Sciences.
- The dedicated faculty of the School along with the high quality curriculum provide an ideal platform to shape the younger talents to explore their scientific potential.
- The Department was established in 1983 as Department of Basic Medical Sciences, as one of the first five Departments of the university; offering M.Sc. Microbiology and B.Sc. MLT. M.Sc. Biochemistry course was later introduced in 1989.
- The School was renamed as School of Biosciences in 1990. Other M.Sc. programmes like the M.Sc. in Biophysics, M.Sc. in Biotechnology and M. Phil in Biosciences were introduced in 1992.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Graduate level Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Biophysics, Microbiology and other branches of life sciences.

2.2. M Sc in Chemistry (Organic Chemistry), M Sc in Chemistry (Physical Chemistry), M Sc in Chemistry (Polymer Chemistry) and M Sc in Chemistry (Inorganic Chemistry)

School of Chemical Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: scs.mgu.ac.in, phone: 0481273 1036
- email: office.scs@mgu.ac.in



- The School, since its inception, has been making a steady progress in all spheres of activity and has academic programmes spread in four broad divisions namely; Division of Inorganic Chemistry, Division of Organic Chemistry, Division of Physical Chemistry, and Division of Polymer Science.
- The M.Sc. programmes provide a unique opportunity for the students to take up a research project in any of the National Laboratories or R & D institutes of their choice as part of their fourth semester course.
- This project work provides excellent exposure and instills confidence in the students, enabling them to make the right choice in their career in science after completing the Masters Programme.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test
- **Test Syllabus:** B Sc level Chemistry

2.3. M Sc. in Computer Science

School of Computer Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Website:** socs.mgu.ac.in, **Phone:** 0481 273 3364
- **email:** socs@mgu.ac.in



- School of Computer Sciences was founded in 1990 with an objective to meet the increasing demand for high-quality IT Professionals.
- The School has been able to create a reputation in the field of post-graduate learning and research in frontier areas of Computer Science.
- The School has produced a good number of well trained IT professionals and Computer Scientists, many of whom are well placed in premier organizations in India and abroad.
- The School offers Post-Graduate and Research Programmes.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Graduate level Computer Science, Logical Reasoning and Numerical Ability. The Admission Test for M.Sc. Computer Science programme comprises of 60 objective type questions in two parts as given below. Part I: Based on Graduate level Computer Science Subjects - 30 Questions; Part II : Based on Logical Reasoning and Numerical Ability - 30 Question.

2.4. M Sc. in Psychology

School of Behavioural Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: sobs.mgu.ac.in, Phone: 0481 2733365,
- email: schoolofbehaviouralsciences@mgu.ac.in

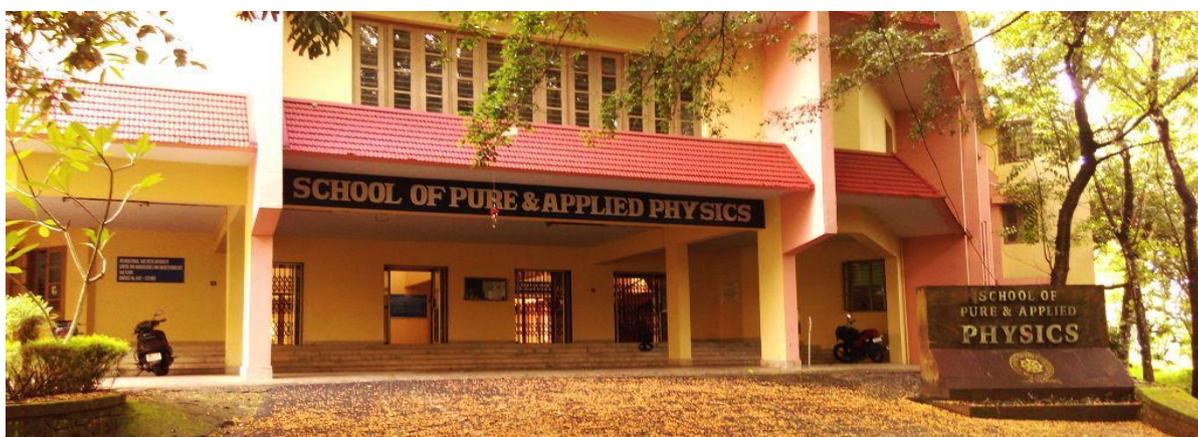


- School of Behavioural Sciences, established in 1988 is one of the pioneering institutions in the field of Mental Health and Disability Rehabilitation in India.
- The School of Behavioural Sciences is committed to excellence in teaching and research activities in addition to addressing problems and issues in the field of Disability Rehabilitation with a holistic approach.
- Academic programmes offered by the institution are mostly inter disciplinary in nature having branches in Behavioural Medicine, Rehabilitation Nursing, Special Education, Psychology, Rehabilitation Sciences and Social work in Disability studies.
- The School aims to bring out Professionals, Researchers and Potential Scholars having a holistic view and integrated approach for bringing in cutting edge solutions to the issues in Mental Health and Disability Rehabilitation.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** General English 20%, Basic Mathematics 20%, and BA/BSc level Psychology 60%

2.5. M Sc. in Physics

School of Pure and Applied Physics

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- website: spap.mgu.ac.in, Phone: 0481-273 3368
- email: spap@mgu.ac.in



- The School of Pure and Applied Physics (SPAP) was established in 1983 along with the establishment of Mahatma Gandhi University and is now one of the premier research and postgraduate centres of Kerala.
- UGC has identified SPAP as a centre of potential research and supported through SAP-DRS programs and Department of Science and Technology through DST-FIST and PURSE programs.
- The major research areas of the school include Materials Physics, Nanoscience and nanotechnology, Biomaterials, Photonics, Thin films, Plasma physics, Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics.
- The M.Sc. program in SPAP offers elective courses in the specialized branches such as Materials Science, Nanoscience, Photonics, Laser Physics, Semiconductor Physics, Plasma Physics, Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics based on the choice of the students.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** B Sc Level Physics including subsidiary Mathematics

2.6 M Sc. in Environment Science & Management; M Sc in Environment Science and Disaster Management

School of Environmental Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: ses.mgu.ac.in, Phone: 0481 273 3369
- email: ses@mgu.ac.in



- The School came into existence in 1995 as a Centre of learning in the frontier of areas of environmental sciences.
- It is one of the premier departments for advanced environmental studies under Mahatma Gandhi University.
- The major mandate of the school is to develop appropriate technologies and skilled human resources for conservation of nature, pollution prevention, sustainable utilization and management of natural resources for development.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test (80%) and Interview (20%).
- **Test Syllabus:** Environment Science, Biosciences, General Science

2.7 M Sc. Applied Geology

School of Environmental Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: ses.mgu.ac.in, Phone: 0481 273 3369,
- email: sesmgu@gmail.com, ses@mgu.ac.in



- Earth science education is an integral component of science education. Deciphering records from Earth's past provides the context for comprehending present earth processes.
- Geology is a branch of earth science that involves the study of minerals, rocks, the Earth's structure, landforms, and the processes that affect them.
- Investigating historical records, as well as human engagement with present earth processes and resources, is crucial to humanity's and the planet's well-being.

- Applied geology is concerned with the application of the aforementioned disciplines to economics, engineering, water resource management, environmental issues, climate change, and geology as they relate to human activities.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test (80%) and Interview (20%).
- **Test Syllabus :**Geology (B.Sc. Level)

2.8 M.Sc. Mathematics, M.Sc. Statistics

School of Mathematics & Statistics

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone:** 9446560608
- **email:** sms@mgu.ac.in



- The School of Mathematics and Statistics is established for promoting teaching and research in theoretical and applied areas of Mathematical Sciences with interdisciplinary applications.
- In the emerging data driven world, all decisions and planning are deep rooted in mathematics and statistics. In the present era of increasing thrust on interdisciplinary applications of Mathematical and Statistical Modelling, there is wide scope and potential for postgraduate and research level interdisciplinary programs in these disciplines.
- One full semester Project Work and Internship are part of each program and will be carried out in reputed industries / national level institutes / universities etc. giving wide exposure for research and on the job training
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Mathematics (40%), Probability & Statistics (40%), Computing & General Mental Ability (20%).

2.9 M Sc. in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning

School of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone:** 0481 273 3387, 9446 459 644
- **email:** sair@mgu.ac.in



- School of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics was established by the University with a vision to meet the growing demands of trained professionals and scientists in the field of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics.
- The school also envisions to promote academic research in specialized areas like vision intelligence, speech and language processing, big data analytics and robotics by establishing specialized labs and workstations equipped with, high-end computing and supporting facilities.
- The M Sc programme in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning offered by the School aims to impart theoretical and practical knowledge in the specialized area of Artificial Intelligence and expose students to new, much sought-after skills and up-to-date areas of research.
- Recent technological advances are incorporated into the programme by developing novel interdisciplinary approaches and subject areas.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a Rank List prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Graduate level Computer Science, Logical Reasoning and Numerical Ability.
- **Question Pattern:** The Admission Test for M. Sc. Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning programme comprises of 60 objective type questions in two parts. Part I: Based on graduate level Computer Science subjects - 30 questions; Part II: Based on Logical Reasoning and Numerical Ability - 30 questions.

2. 10 MSc.Physics(NanoScience and Nanotechnology)

School of Nano Science and Nano Technology

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone: 0481 273 3391**
- **email: snsnt@mgu.ac.in**
- The academic programs including M. Sc. Physics(Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) intend to create trained manpower in the emerging as well as inevitable future areas of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology.
- The knowledge and hands-on expertise acquired from these tailored Masters programs are particularly meant towards a wide scope sustainable development of the environment.

- Personal scientific growth and exposure would also be accomplished, hand in hand with societal progress.
- The students will get ample opportunities to interact with international experts and their project works will be carried out for a span of one semester (at least and can be extended further) in well-known, established and specialized laboratories within the country as well as abroad, all of which are expected to promote a research career for the students.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** B Sc Level Physics including subsidiary Mathematics

2.11 MSc. Chemistry (NanoScience and Nanotechnology)

School of Nano Science and Nano Technology

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone: 0481 273 3391**
- **email:**snsnt@mgu.ac.in
- The academic programs M. Sc. Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) intend to create trained manpower in the emerging as well as inevitable future areas of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology.
- The knowledge and hands-on expertise acquired from these tailored Masters programs are particularly meant towards a wide scope sustainable development of the environment. Personal scientific growth and exposure would also be accomplished, hand in hand with societal progress.
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- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** B Sc level Chemistry

2.12 MSc. in Data Science & Analytics

- 4th Floor, Convergence Academia Complex, Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **School of Data Analytics,**
- **Phone: 0481 2733385, 8304870247**
- **email: sda@mgu.ac.in**



- In the present data driven world all decisions and planning are deep rooted in data analytics and data science.
- The School of Data Analytics is established to train students in all aspects of Data Science and Data Analytics to meet the demand from scientific and industrial fields as well as business and health.
- In the new era of increasing thrust on interdisciplinary applications in Statistical Data Analytics and Data Science, there is wide scope and potential for postgraduate and research level interdisciplinary programs in these disciplines.
- One full semester Project Work and Internship are part of this program and will be carried out in reputed industries / national level institutes / universities etc. giving wide exposure for research and on the job training
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Graduate level Mathematics (25%), Statistics (25%), Computer Science (25%), Logical reasoning, General Mental Ability, Numerical Ability (25%).

2.13 MSc. in Food Science and Technology

School of Food Science and Technology

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Phone :0481 273 3371,9497664697
- email: sfst@mgu.ac.in

- Food Technology is a science which deals with the techniques and principles involved in processing and preservation of food products. The subject comprises of both science and engineering.
- In the context of increasing demand for trained manpower and need for further research in the field of food science and technology, Mahatma Gandhi University has proposed to start a new statutory department exclusively for Food Science and Technology.
- The students will be well equipped to pursue careers in academia or industry with tremendous opportunity for entrepreneurship in the area of Food science and technology.
- The unique aspect of the programme will be training of students not only in basic aspects of food science but also, in applied areas of nutrition such as development of food products that caters to specific needs of human beings. The school offers post graduate programme in food science and technology

- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.

- **TestSyllabus:** B.Sc. Life sciences

2.14M Sc. in Botany and Plant Science Technology

National Institute of Plant Science Technology (NIPST)

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Phone: 0481 273 3388
- email: nipst@mgu.ac.in

- National Institute of Plant Science Technology (NIPST) is a unique inter school centre
- for advanced education in plant science, promoting research in Interdisciplinary areas of 'Plants and their Environment Relations' towards developing 'Plant-based Eco-technologies'.
- The Institute will inspire students to apply their creative talents to research potentials of the rich botanical wealth of Kerala in the development of globally significant technologies useful in sustainable agricultural, phyto-medicinal, bio-fuel, bio-based industrial and eco-remediation purposes.
- Instead of keeping science and technology as watertight compartments in conventional programmes, this institute will enable science students to end up their post-graduation to a productive research on plant-based eco-technology and entrepreneurship based on the technology that they develop.
- This centre will help students to study and explore the potential plant wealth of the nation; apply creatively and positively plant science for sustainable economic growth of the nation and becoming a leader of eco-technologies in the world.
- **The MSc programme in Botany and Plant Science Technology** is innovative and unique in the sense that it seeks to create a talent pool of highly competent and motivated applied plant scientists who will be capable of applying their knowledge of plants in cutting edge plant-based technologies useful in sustainable agriculture and phytoremediations or bioremediations of environmental problems.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.

- **Test Syllabus:** B.Sc. Life science

2.15M.Sc Physics (Specialization in Energy Science)

School of Energy Materials

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Phone :0481 273 3391
- email: sem@mgu.ac.in

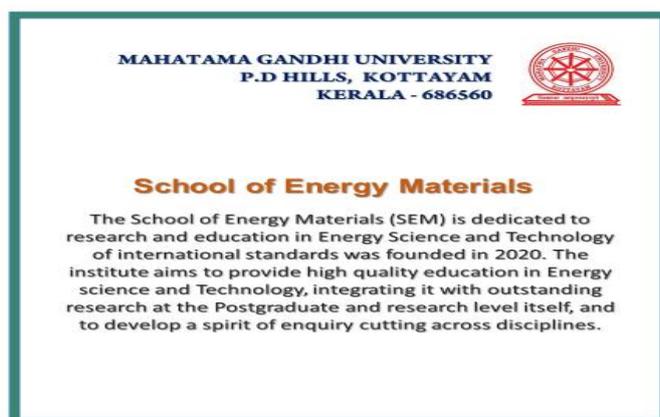


- MSc Physics (Specialization in Energy Science) aims to provide systematic knowledge of the subject to the graduates of Physics with specification in modern and job-oriented areas.
- The syllabus is developed keeping in mind that students should be enabled with problems solving skills by an approach that describes physical phenomena with relevant mathematical models and formulae and thereby equip them to clear national level competitive examinations.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test
- **Test Syllabus : Bsc leve Physics**

2.16 M.Sc Chemistry (Specialization in Energy Science)

School of Energy Materials

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus,
- Phone: 0481 273 3391
- email: sem@mgu.ac.in

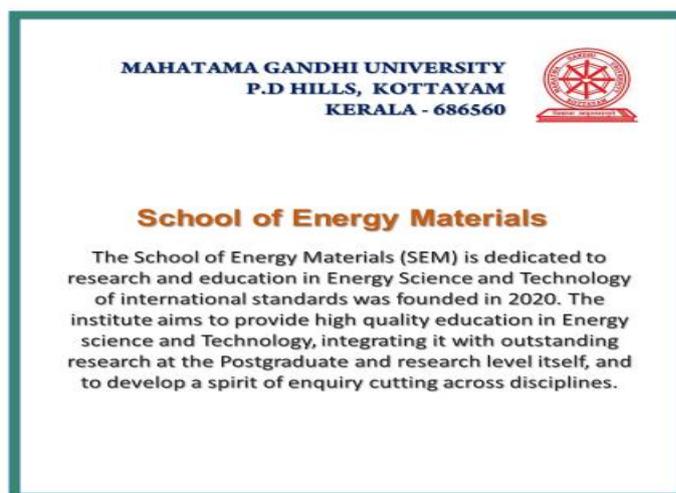


- The programme M.Sc. Chemistry (Specialisation in Energy Science) is a highly specialised multidisciplinary course in applied Chemistry.
- The course will focus on the science and technology related to various energy sectors giving emphasis to the energy science and technology.
- The course has immense job potential in industries and research organizations working on battery, fuel cell and power generation (hydroelectric, thermal, geothermal, tidal, wind, biofuel and nuclear) in India and abroad. The syllabus of the said program is envisaged to ensure eligibility and equivalency for the new course with that of existing M.Sc. Chemistry program of Mahatma Gandhi University by matching 70 percentage of the syllabus of the new course with that of the M.Sc. Chemistry and the rest 30% on advanced topics in Energy Science.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test
- **Test Syllabus: B Sc level Chemistry**

2.17 M.Sc Material Science (Specialization in Energy Science)

School of Energy Materials

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Phone :0481 273 3391
- email: sem@mgu.ac.in



- New materials underpin development and progress across a wide variety of sectors. New technologies, from planes to batteries, from hip implants to electronic devices, are made possible, and often limited by, the materials we currently know and use.
- Materials Scientists and Engineers work hard to understand how and why materials behave the way they do, and exploit this knowledge to develop new materials with amazing properties.
- Studying Materials Science (Specialization in Energy Science), you will develop a fundamental understanding of how the properties of a material, such as strength, electronic properties and biocompatibility, are affected by the material's structure, such as its crystal structure or microstructure and used to formulate strategies to develop new energy materials
- This programme will equip you with the skills required to join a wide variety of industries in the capacity of materials specialist, or continue your education at a PhD level.

- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test

- **Test Syllabus:**

Section1: Processing of Materials:

Powder synthesis, sintering, chemical methods, crystal growth techniques, zone refining, preparation of nano particles and thin films

Section2: Nanomaterials and Characterisation Techniques:

Definition of Nanomaterials, Classification of Nanomaterials, Synthesis of Nanomaterials, X-ray diffraction, Bragg's law, space lattice, UV-Visible Spectroscopy, Infrared Spectroscopy, Fourier transform infrared Spectroscopy, Raman Spectroscopy, Optical and Electron microscopy

Section3: Structure and Imperfections:

Crystal symmetry, point groups, space groups, indices of planes, close packing in solids, bonding in materials, coordination and radius ratio concepts, point defects, dislocations, grain boundaries, surface energy and equilibrium shapes of crystals

Section4: Thermodynamics and Kinetics:

Phase rule, phase diagrams, solid solutions, basic heat treatment of metals, solidification and phase transformations, Fick's laws of diffusion, mechanisms of diffusion, and temperature dependence of diffusivity

Section5: Properties of Materials:

Mechanical Properties: Stress-strain response of metallic, ceramic and polymer materials, yield strength, tensile strength and modulus of elasticity, toughness, plastic deformation, fatigue, creep and fracture

Electronic Properties: Free electron theory, Fermi energy, density of states, elements of band theory, semiconductors, Hall effect, dielectric behaviour, piezo, ferro, pyroelectric materials

Magnetic Properties: Origin of magnetism in metallic and ceramic materials, paramagnetism, diamagnetism, ferro and ferrimagnetism

Thermal Properties: Specific heat, thermal conductivity and thermal expansion, thermoelectricity

Optical Properties: Refractive index, absorption and transmission of electromagnetic radiation in solids, electro optic and magneto optic materials, spontaneous and stimulated emission, gas and solid state lasers

Section6: Material types

Concept of amorphous, single crystals and polycrystalline materials, crystallinity and its effect on physical properties, metal, ceramic, polymers, classification of polymers, polymerization, structure and properties, additives for polymer products, processing and applications, effect of environment on materials, composites

Section7: Environmental Degradation

Corrosion, oxidation and prevention

Section8: Elements of Quantum Mechanics and Mathematics

Basics of quantum mechanics, quantum mechanical treatment of electrical, optical and thermal properties of materials, analytical solid geometry, differentiation and integration, differential equations, vectors and tensors, matrices, Fourier series, complex analysis, probability and statistics.

2.18 M.Sc Industrial Polymer Science and Technology

School of Polymer Science and Technology (SPST)

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Tel: 9497812510, 9562578730,
- E.mail: spst@mgu.ac.in

- Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, has topped the list of the best universities in India in polymer science for the year 2022-23 in the list prepared by U.S. News. Hence, M G University started a new polymer science and technology specialization school.

- The School of Polymer Science and Technology (SPST) was established as a statutory School of Mahatma Gandhi University in 2023 to meet the challenges in the coming years and achieve sustainable development of society.
- The school provides a new-generation M.Sc. program in Industrial Polymer Science and Technology with industry collaboration. The M.Sc. students do their fourth-semester project work in the world's top foreign universities. The students also get industry exposure through their one-month compulsory industry internship, which helps them perform well in various industries' campus recruitment.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a Rank List prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test (50%) and qualifying examination marks (50%).
- **Test Syllabus :**

Module 1: Physics

Physical Measurements; Kinematics; Laws of Motion; Work; Energy and Power; Rotational Motion; Gravitation; Properties of Solid and Liquids; Thermodynamics; Kinetic Theory of Gases; Oscillation and Waves; Electrostatics; Current Electricity; Magnetic Effects Of Current and Magnetism; Electromagnetic Induction And Altering Currents; Electromagnetic Waves; Optics; Dual Nature of Matter and Radiation; Atoms and Nuclei; Electronic Devices

Module 2: Chemistry

Some Basic Concepts in Chemistry; Atomic Structure; Chemical Bonding and Molecular Structure; Chemical Thermodynamics; Solutions; Equilibrium; Redox Reaction and Electro Chemistry; Chemical Kinetics; Classification of Elements and Periodicity in Properties; Purification and Characterisation of Organic Compounds; Basic Principles of Organic Chemistry; Hydrocarbons; Organic Compounds Containing Halogens; Oxygen and Nitrogen; Biomolecules; Principles related to Practical Chemistry

Classification of Polymers; Molecular Structure and Properties; Polymerization mechanisms and Techniques; Isomerism in Polymers; Tactility; Molecular Weight and Distribution; Mechanical Properties; Glass Transition Temperature; Polymer Processing Techniques; Applications of Polymers

Module 3: Biology

Diversity in Living World; Structural Organisation in Animals and Plants; Cell Structure and Function; Plant Physiology; Human Physiology; Reproduction; Genetics and Evolution; Biotechnology and its Applications; Ecology and Environment

Module 4: Mathematics

Relations and Functions; Inverse Trigonometric Functions; Matrices; Determinants; Continuity and Differentiability; Application of Derivatives; Integrals; Application of Integrals; Differential Equations; Vector Algebra; Three Dimensional Geometry; Linear Programming; Probability

Module 5: Reasoning; Mental Ability & Simple Arithmetic

Coding-Decoding; Logical Reasoning and Analytical Ability; Venn diagram; Problems based on Calendar; Clock and Age; Number series; Problems related to Shapes and their subsections and Relations.

Chapter 03

Master of Arts (MA) Programmes

3.1 M A Politics and International Relations (programme 1); M A Politics and Human Rights (programme 2); M A Politics - Public Policy and Governance (programme 3)



School of International Relations and Politics

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **website:** www.sirp.mgu.ac.in
- **Tel:** 0481 271040
- **e.mail:** sirp@mgu.ac.in

- The teaching-learning process at School of International Relations and Politics is shaped by a view of higher education as a process of developing a critical faculty on questions of polity, governance, culture, economy and international society so that the students will become involved learners.
- The School provides wide-ranging opportunities for students and faculty to interact with each other as persons, to learn from each other in a cooperative community, an important aspect of which is collaborative student/faculty research.

- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.
- **Test Syllabus:** The Entrance Test will include foundational questions from the broader field of Social Sciences, along with General Knowledge , Current Affairs and the basic concepts of the post graduate subject chosen by the student. The Rank List will be prepared by giving additional weight to questions from the selected subject.

3.2. M A in Malayalam; M A in English

School of Letters

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Website:** sol.mgu.ac.in
- **Phone:** 0481 273 3366
- **email :** schoolofletters@mgu.ac.in



- In the domain of language and literature, the School of Letters offers interdisciplinary areas of specialization such as comparative literature, literary/cultural theory, theatre/performance studies, translation studies, women’s writing and cinema studies.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the following categories

Common Admission Test : 60 Mark (marks scored will be converted into scores out of 50 Mark taking upto 2 decimal places)

Descriptive Test : 40 Mark

Interview : 10 Mark
Total : 100 Mark

Then convert the total marks into 1000

- **Test Syllabus:** English Language and Literature at B A Level for M A in English and Malayalam Language and Literature at B A Level for M A in Malayalam

3.3. M A in Gandhian Studies; M A in Development Studies

School of Gandhian Thought and Development Studies

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **website:**sgtds.mgu.ac.in
- **Tel:** 0481-2731039
- e-mail:sgtds@mgu.ac.in



- The School of Gandhian Thought and Development Studies was set up in 1983 as one of the founding departments of Mahatma Gandhi University. The School has been selected by the UGC for Special Assistance Programme (SAP).
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely on the basis of a rank list prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.

- **Test Syllabus:** : The Entrance Test will include foundational questions from the broader field of Social Sciences, along with General Knowledge , Current Affairs and the basic concepts of the post graduate subject chosen by the student. The Rank List will be prepared by giving additional weight to questions from the selected subject.

3.4 M.A Economics

K.N. Raj School of Economics

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **website:**knrc.org.in
- **Phone:**0481 2733382, **Mob.no:**9447101530
- **email:** knrajschool@mgu.ac.in



- Dr. KN Raj Study Centre for Planning & Centre- State Financial Relations was established in 2012.
- Named after Prof.KN Raj in honour of, and to perpetuate the memory of the late Prof.K.N.Raj, a highly esteemed Indian economist of post-independent generation and a great institution builder, the Centre is a befitting tribute to this renowned economist whose contributions to India’s development economics and planning are profound and enduring.
- The institution of the Centre with a focus on Planning and Centre-State Financial Relations has special significance.

- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Out of the total 60 MCQ, 10 questions will to test candidate's General Knowledge/Awareness and the remaining 50 questions will cover the following areas: Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Development Economics, Banking, International Trade, Public Economics and Quantitative Theory for Economics at the Graduate level.

3.5 MA in History (programme 1); M A in Anthropology (programme 2);

School of Social Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Pullarikkunnu, Campus,
- website:sss.mgu.ac.in
- Phone:04812392383
- email:sss@mgu.ac.in



- School of Social Sciences provides interdisciplinary higher learning in areas like, socio-linguistic philosophy, political sociology, political economy, ethnography, economic anthropology, social history, social theory, social empowerment and transformation

research and human ecology.

- The interdisciplinary structure, composition and academic practice of the school have enabled it in securing several international recognitions.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.
- **Test Syllabus:** : The Entrance Test will include foundational questions from the broader field of Social Sciences, along with General Knowledge , Current Affairs and the basic concepts of the post graduate subject chosen by the student. The Rank List will be prepared by giving additional weight to questions from the selected subject.

3.6 MA Social Work in Disability Studies and Action



(Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi Approved Programme) School of Behavioural Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: sobs.mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 0481 2733365
- email : schoolofbehaviouralsciences@mgu.ac.in



- School of Behavioural Sciences, established in 1988 is one of the pioneering institutions in the field of Mental Health and Disability Rehabilitation in India.
- The School of Behavioural Sciences is committed to excellence in teaching and research activities in addition to addressing problems and issues in the field of Disability Rehabilitation with a holistic approach.
- Academic programmes offered by the institution are mostly inter disciplinary in nature having branches in Behavioural Medicine, Rehabilitation Nursing, Special Education, Psychology, Rehabilitation Sciences and Social work in Disability studies.
- The School aims to bring out Professionals, Researchers and Potential Scholars having a holistic view and integrated approach for bringing in cutting edge solutions to the issues in Mental Health and Disability Rehabilitation.
- Mahatma Gandhi University is very much privileged to announce that School of Behavioural Sciences is the one and the only University School in the country which offers the course ‘Social work in Disability Studies’ approved by the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI).
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the following categories.

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| Common Admission Test | : 60 Marks |
| Written Test | : 20 Marks |
| Interview | : 90 Marks |
| Bio Sketch | : Maximum 10 Marks |

1. Syllabus for CAT Entrance Examination: General Knowledge, Indian society, economy and polity.

2. Test Syllabus for Written Test conduct in department concerned: Written Test will be conducted to test the knowledge of the candidate in areas like Indian Society, Economy, Polity, General Knowledge and the candidate’s comprehension ability. Applicants are also required to write an essay of 1500 words on contemporary social developments issues choosing one subject out of three choices given.

3. Interview: The personal interview is intended to test the candidate’s interest and aptitude for social work in the field of Disability studies. Applicants will be interviewed on the basis of the details mentioned in the application submitted. The Applicants are expected to be acquainted with

the programme as questions may be asked on this topic during the personal interview. The personal interview also evaluates the candidate's knowledge in the area of social work and disability studies.

4.Bio- Sketch:General reservation rules applicable for admission to Post Graduates degree programme at the regular University Departments shall be followed while admitting Applicants from the rank list. Besides this, there will be weightage of score for applicants based on the following grounds.

Familial Background of Disability (7.5 Scores)

Employment/Work Experience in a recognized institution for persons with disabilities. (One score for one year; up to a maximum of 10 scores.)

The Applicants with challenges as per RPWD Act 2016 (10 score)

Educational Qualifications in the field of Disability studies and Special Education.

The details regarding award of weightage can be had from the Website: sobs.mgu.ac.in

3.7 MA Gender Studies

School of Gender Studies

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone: 0481 2733404, 9868 41 31 41,**
- **email: sgs@mgu.ac.in,**
- The Master of Arts in Gender Studies is a flagship programme of the School of Gender Studies, MGU which seeks to amalgamate rigorous theoretical explorations on gender with meaningful, actionable feminist practice.
- The programme offers future change makers a holistic educational experience that will engage them in learning and critiquing interdisciplinary texts and perspectives to make critical interventions in theory, policy and practice.
- The programme will provide students with an in-depth knowledge of the epistemological, conceptual, legal and empirical contexts in which gendered inequalities and power dynamics are produced and enacted.
- The programme aims to also challenge pedagogical inertia with syllabi that combine gender-centred core courses with multidisciplinary foundational courses and an evolving basket of innovative electives that will bring in practitioners, thinkers and activists engaging in gender issues in various institutional contexts in local, regional and global frameworks.

- The programme also emphasises an introduction to research methods that will help the students chart unique pathways and perspectives on gender in their future endeavours.

Objectives

The MA in Gender Studies aims to provide students with an opportunity

- to critically understand the theoretical and ethical concerns of gender, identity and sexuality in multidisciplinary contexts
- to create an inclusive pedagogical space where students can engage in learning conceptual categories that feminist and queer theory offers while also critiquing the various marginalities produced by inequalities of class, caste, race, religion, disability and sexuality.
- to apply gender theory to ongoing and emerging discussions in policy, planning and practice with an interdisciplinary approach and to contribute to contemporary feminist and queer political movements and projects.
- to develop skills in feminist and queer research and documentation to make transformations in various organizational and institutional contexts.

Future Opportunities

- Students upon successful completion of this course will be equipped for professional careers in diverse fields. They can incorporate their studies on gender in academia as researchers and educators.
- The students will also find the courses on gender, culture and visual studies beneficial for a career in journalism, media and filmmaking.
- The action-oriented and field-based components of the courses offered in the programme will hold them in good stead in future employment as development workers and activists in NGOs and the development sector.
- The specific core and electives which focus on the intersections of gender and law, health, environment and international politics will prepare students for work in civil, political and

administrative functions of the government departments in national, regional and international organisations working on women and gender issues.

- Most importantly the programme will help students in their personal evolution as responsible citizens of the world who can form meaningful connections with thinkers, movements, and activists across social divides.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test (80%) and Interview (20%).
- **Test Syllabus :** : The Entrance Test will include foundational questions from the broader field of Social Sciences, along with General Knowledge , Current Affairs and the basic concepts of the post graduate subject chosen by the student. The Rank List will be prepared by giving additional weight to questions from the selected subject.

3.8 MA Counselling

DEPARTMENT OF LIFELONG LEARNING AND EXTENSION

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus.
- **Website:** www.dlle.mgu.ac.in
- **Phone:** 0481- 2733399, 8301000560
- **Email:** dlle@mgu.ac.in



- The Master of Arts in Counselling is designed to train students to develop the required essential professional knowledge, understanding, skills and competencies in the counselling field.
- The programme will help to mould the students to understand the basic foundations of human behaviour, adjustment mechanisms and adaptive functions of human behaviour and mental health issues.
- The programme helps students to learn competencies like interview the client, understand the adaptive and maladaptive functions of behaviour, help to function effectively with appropriate strategies in the helping process. This programme is also helping the students to use appropriate tests in the counselling setting.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the Common Admission Test.

- **Test Syllabus**

1. **INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY**

Branches of psychology–Psychology Past, present and future, Biological understanding of behavior–Neuron–Elements of behavior – structure of neuron Firing the neuron–Neuron transmitters, The nerves system–Central and peripheral nerve system – Autonomic nerve system – The brain – structure, function, Endocrine system – chemicals and glands. Seeing

the world around – Vision, hearing, sensing the sound, balance, smell and taste, touch, pressure, temperature, pain, Perceptual organization – The Gestalt law of organization – Focusing on the parts of the whole – perceptual constancy, depth perception, motion perception, perceptual illusions.

2. **LEARNING** Theories of learning- Classical conditioning, operant conditioning, Remembering and Forgetting – Encoding – Storage and retrieval – Three systems of memory – Memory storage and levels of processing–Recalling long term memories– Forgetting Thinking and reasoning–problemsolving–Understanding and diagnosing problems–Language – influence of language on thinking.

INTELLIGENCE

Measuring intelligence–variations in intellectual ability – Individual differences in intelligence Heredity and Environmental determinants.

3. MOTIVATION AND EMOTION

Maslow's hierarchy of needs–Human needs and motivation–Needs for achievement striving for success – needs for affiliation – need for power Theories of emotion: The James–Lange theory, The Cannon–Bard theory, The Schechter – Singer theory.

4. DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

History and methods of developmental psychology-Specific Determinants of Development: Ecology- Heredity - Environment- family and the community- Theories of Human Development: Psycho Dynamic Theories- Behaviourist Theories – Social Learning Theories-Cognitive Theories – Humanistic Theories-Developmental principles- Stages of Development-Prenatal Development and Pregnancy: Stages of prenatal development - stages of labour - Birth Difficulties.

5. RECENT TRENDS IN COUNSELING PROCESS

Role of emotions in counseling – Postmodern trends – Brief counseling approaches –Brief solution focused counseling – Narrative counseling.

6. ETHICAL AND PROFESSIONAL ISSUES IN COUNSELING

Ethical and professional issues–Common problems of beginning counsellors –Knowledge–attitude–practice–values and counselling – Current status of counselling with special reference to Kerala

7. PERSONALITY

Definition and Nature-structure of personality- Traits and Type-Factors contributing to personality development- Theories of personality: Sigmund Freud, Erik Erikson, Abraham Maslow, Albert Bandura, William Sheldon

8. CHILDHOOD DISABILITIES

Orientation of the following disabilities, neuro developmental and neuro cognitive disorders: Mental Retardation – Learning disabilities – Speech and hearing handicap- visually handicap-Orthopaedic handicap- cerebral palsy-Autism – AD/HD.

9. MOOD(AFFECTIVE) DISORDERS

ManicEpisode-Hypomania-Maniawithoutpsychoticsymptoms-Maniawithpsychotic symptoms- Bipolar affective disorder- Bipolar affective disorder – currentepisodemanicwithoutpsychoticsymptoms-Bipolaraffectedisorder-currentepisodemildormoderatedepression-Bipolaraffectedisorder-currentepisodesevere depression without psychotic symptoms- Bipolar affective disorder-current episode mixed-Bipolar affective disorder, currently in remission.

Chapter 04

4. Postgraduate Programme in Tourism and Travel Management: Master of Tourism and Travel Management

School of Tourism Studies

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- website: sts.mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 0481-273 3374
- e-mail: sts@mgu.ac.in



- The School of Tourism Studies established in 2010 is envisaged as a Centre of Higher Learning in the fast growing areas of Tourism and Hospitality.
- The school was founded with an objective to generate skilled personnel with abroad range of applied, technical, interpersonal, analytical and communication skills in tourism leadership. It integrates teaching, research and strong industry expertise for the sustainable development of the tourism industry.
- The School maintains a well equipped library, digital class rooms, Language Lab and e-Tourism Lab which ensure dynamic learning experience.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.

Test Syllabus: The MCQ exam will carry objective type questions for 60 marks, i.e., English Language (20 marks), General Knowledge and Current affairs (20 marks) and Travel Geography (20 marks).

Chapter 05

5. Postgraduate Programme in Education: Master of Education (M Ed)

School of Pedagogical Sciences

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- website: sps.mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 0481-2731042,
- e-mail: sps@mgu.ac.in



- The school was established in 1992 with the objective of promoting a global perspective of education placing new demands on learning, envisaging a wide spectrum of cognitive and reflective empowerment to students and to develop uniquely suited teacher education to attain a level of excellence.
- The M.Ed. Programme at the School offers specializations in the optional subjects English, Malayalam, Hindi, Sanskrit, Arabic, Mathematics, Sciences, Social Sciences, Commerce as well as IT and Computer Science.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** The MCQ exam will carry objective type questions for 60 marks in the subject field of Education

Chapter 06

Master of Physical Education and Sports (M.PES)

School of Physical Education and Sports Sciences:

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: spess.mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 0481-2733377
- email: spess@mgu.ac.in



- MPES is a two year duration postgraduate course in physical education.
- Physical education is a domain concerned with sports related activities and deals with subjects such as sports science, sports research methodology, sports medicine, exercise physiology etc.
- The postgraduate programme in physical education acquaints with dynamics of sports activities and offers them professional training as well as knowledge about fitness in sports. The course also enables students to enhance their skills in the respective field.
- Admission to MPES programme is provided on the basis of Applicants performance in the entrance exam followed by a practical/physical fitness test conducted by the department of physical education.

- The programme offers a wide variety of opportunities in the field of teaching, coaching and fitness. On completion of the programme they can join schools, colleges and universities based on their merit and educational aptitude. The career choices are plenty including that of an athletic trainer, recreational worker, Health educator, exercise management and fitness specialist.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be solely based on a Rank List prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test (80%) and Sports Merit Certificate (20%).

Eligible Applicants should bring duly certified Medical Certificate (Fitness Certificate) at the time of Physical fitness test. Format for Medical Certificate can be downloaded from the website www.cat.mgu.ac.in.

- **Applicants should be physically fit for daily heavy load of physical activities and should not have any physical deformity or mental disability.**

Compulsory test under CAT: Test Syllabus: CAT written exam for admission to MPES will be based on the syllabus of BPEd./BPES/ BPE

Chapter 07

Postgraduate programme in Law

7.1 Master of Law and Legal Studies (LLM) (2 Year Programme)

School of Indian Legal Thought

- Mahatma Gandhi University Suryakalady Campus
- Website: silt.mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 9495464828
- e-mail: silt@mgu.ac.in



- School of Indian Legal Thought, Mahatma Gandhi University, was established in 1989 to impart an integrated legal education with unique programmes for Under-Graduate, Post-Graduate and Research levels.
- One of the major objectives of the School is to undertake systematic research and study of law with a dynamic curriculum that is constantly evolving and by engaging in innovative interdisciplinary research.
- The School promotes clinical and experiential learning where theory is put to practice. An excellent community of academicians, professionals, industry experts and research scholars

supports the School and its students. True to the vision of Justice V.R Krishna Iyer ,Prof.(Dr.)U.RAnanthamoorthi Prof.(Dr.)V.D.Sebastian,and Prof.(Dr.)Vikraman Nair School of Indian Legal Thought has remained a leader in the field of legal education for over 30 years

- **Specialization available:** Criminal Law and Cyber Forensics
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.
- **Test Syllabus:** Graduate level Law and Legal Studies

7.2 BBA LLB (Hons.), 5 Year Programme

- The B.B.A.LL.B (Hons.) Course shall be of five years duration consisting of ten semesters. Each semester shall consist of six papers.
- The total number of papers in the course shall include, among other additional papers and papers in the B.B.A component, twenty Compulsory papers, six Optional papers; four papers on Practical Training and eight Honours papers, carrying hundred marks each, as prescribed by the Bar Council of India. There shall also be a Project and a Viva-voce examination in the tenth semester of the course.
- **Admission Criteria:** Admission will be on the basis of a Rank List Prepared as per the score obtained in the common admission test.

Test Syllabus: The entrance test is intended to test the language skills, current affairs including general knowledge, legal reasoning and legal aptitude.

Chapter 08

1. Postgraduate Programme in School of Management and Business Studies: Master of Business Administration (MBA)

School of Management and Business Studies

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Website: smbs.mgu.ac.in,
- e-mail: smbs@mgu.ac.in
- Phone: 0481 273 3367



- School of Management and Business Studies is a Regular Statutory Department for Management studies in Mahatma Gandhi University.
- This School had a humble beginning on 25th March 1999 with a two-year full-time MBA programme for the management aspirants with the objective of moulding enterprising youth into career-oriented and competent management professionals.
- With dedicated and high calibre professional expertise and state-of-art infrastructure, the institution imparts the best of theory and practical knowledge to carve a niche for itself in the challenging two year MBA programme with specializations in Finance, HRM, Marketing, Operations, and System management.
- Its industry integrated curriculum, outstanding calibre of faculty, and innovative teaching methodology have endeared it to both students and industry.

- Each student is made to learn through interactive classroom sessions, research driven project work and field visits- all contribute to the making of these well-rounded individuals who are seeking to engage usefully with global development processes.

Admission to MBA for the academic year 2025 in the School of Management and Business Studies is subject to norms of AICTE & Admission Supervisory Committee

Admission to the MBA programme through www.admission.mgu.ac.in

Number of Seats :60

Open All India Quota : NIL

Additional International Quota:12

Minimum Qualification: A pass in any Bachelor's Degree Examination of Mahatma Gandhi University or an equivalent degree of any other universities duly recognized by Mahatma Gandhi University with not less than 50% marks in the aggregate for all parts of examination or a Masters Degree in any subject. Only a pass in the qualifying exam is required for SC/ST Applicants. Those who are awaiting final semester results of qualifying exam can also apply provided that they should produce certificates and mark list of qualifying exam before the commencement of their first semester MBA examination.

Relaxation of marks and Reservation of seats are based on University/ Government Rules. Applicants should have a valid CMAT/CAT/ KMAT (Kerala Management Aptitude Test) score.

Admission Criteria: Admission to the MBA Degree programme of the School is based on the score obtained in CMAT/CAT/KMAT, Group Discussion, and Personal Interview in the ratio 80:10:10. Based on the performance on the Entrance Test, Group Discussion and Interview, the Rank list for MBA admission will be prepared.

Chapter 09

Master of Technology (M. Tech) Programmes

09. 1 M. Tech Energy Science & Technology

School of Energy Materials

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Phone: 0481 273 3391**
- **e-mail: sem@mgu.ac.in**

- The M. Tech. program in Energy Science is a newly introduced interdisciplinary program run by School of Energy Materials, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam. It is designed to attract highly motivated science and engineering graduates from India and abroad.
- The course will equip students to meet the requirements of a whole set of new opportunities both in industry as well as R&D in energy sectors of India in the coming years.
- The main objective of the program is to develop researchers who can provide fundamental inputs required to meet the challenges of a sustainable energy future.
- Out of a four semester course, two semesters fully dedicated for theoretical and laboratory classes. The last two semesters for project work will be with an industry or a highly reputed international lab abroad.
- During the course, expert faculties from national and international universities or research laboratories will conduct classes and guide students. Upon the completion of this course, students will be awarded a Master of Technology Degree in Energy Science under the Faculty of Technology of Mahatma Gandhi University.

- **Admission Criteria:** The admission to this program will be solely based on the Common Admission Test conducted by Mahatma Gandhi University (Mode of examination will be announced later). Those with a valid GATE score will be exempted from the entrance test and given preference in admission but need to apply for the program through the portal of Mahatma Gandhi University.

- **Test Syllabus:** Based on the syllabi of the respective required qualification for the programme.

09. 2 M. Tech NanoScience & Technology

School of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- **Website:**snsnt.mgu.ac.in
- **Phone:** 0481 273 3391
- **e-mail:**snsnt@mgu.ac.in

- The M. Tech. program in Nanoscience and technology is designed with an interdisciplinary and cross-disciplinary approach to attract highly motivated science and engineering graduates to the hugely sought-after field.
- The program is intended to create highly skilled manpower in the field of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, to take up challenging opportunities in this emerging discipline.
- The main objective of the program is to induce and cultivate an enhanced sense of research awareness and aptitude with perspectives on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology applications.
- The program spans over 4 semesters with the first two semesters fully for conceptual studies and laboratory experiments. The final 2 semesters are fully dedicated to a 12-month research-oriented project work in an industry or in a highly reputed international laboratory in India or abroad.
- This program is expected to ensure a research career-oriented post-graduate degree course, uplifting the students' prospect in the ever-advancing field of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology with emphasis on translational research.
- Upon successful completion of two years in the program, the Applicants will be awarded a Master of Technology Degree in Nanoscience and Nanotechnology under the Faculty of Technology of Mahatma Gandhi University.

- **Admission Criteria:** The admission to this program will be solely based on the Common Admission Test conducted by Mahatma Gandhi University (Conduct of examination will be announced later). Those with a valid GATE score will be exempted from the entrance test

and given preference in admission but need to apply for the program through the portal of Mahatma Gandhi University.

- **Test Syllabus:** Based on the syllabi of the respective required qualification for the programme.

09. 3 M. Tech Polymer Science and Engineering

International and Inter University Centre for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

- Mahatma Gandhi University Main Campus
- Phone : 0481 273 3392 (Office)
- e-mail: cnnmgu@mgu.ac.in



- The Centre for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology was established as a nodal research Centre of Mahatma Gandhi University in the year 2009.
- The Centre focuses on the enhancement of research and higher studies in the cutting-edge areas of polymer sciences and nanoscience and nanotechnology.
- Considering the achievements in its academic and research pursuits in the past years since its inception, the state Govt. of Kerala has elevated the status of the Centre to International

and Inter University Centre for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (IIUCNN) in the year 2013.

- The M Tech Polymer Science and Engineering course at IIUCNN consists of a two-year duration with four semesters. The first and second semesters consist of regular classes and laboratory work, including mini-projects. The first two semesters also included industrial visits in India, including tyre manufacturers (Apollo Tyres, MRF Tyres), the paints industry, oil refineries, etc. The third and fourth semesters encompass research projects with scholarships, and the students may also get the chance to pursue projects with fellowships from Australia, Japan, and Europe.
- During the entire course, students get classes from foreign university professors and expert lecture series talks (national and international). Also, the facility to present students' research works at international conferences. This M Tech program enlightens, motivates, and enriches the students to pursue the Ph.D. in different multidiscipline of material science.
- **Admission Criteria:**The admission to this program will be solely based on the Common Admission Test conducted by Mahatma Gandhi University (Conduct of examination will be announced later). Those with a valid GATE score will be exempted from the entrance test and given preference in admission but need to apply for the program through the portal of Mahatma Gandhi University.
- **Test Syllabus :** Basics of polymer: Types of polymers, Techniques of polymerization, Types of copolymers, Concept of reactivity ratio, Natural polymers, Addition and condensation polymer, Polymer alloys and blends, Properties of commodity and engineering polymers, Thermosetting polymers and their applications, Elastomers, TPEs rubber technology, plastics technology, Processing of polymers, Testing and characterisation of polymers, speciality polymers, Additives for polymers.

Basics of Material Science - Nature and Properties of Materials, Physics of Materials, Mechanical Behaviour of Materials, Phase Equilibrium in Materials, Heat Treatment of Metals, Corrosion and Degradation of Materials, Materials Characterization, Quantum dots

Basics of Nanoscience and nanotechnology – Basics of nanoscience and nanotechnology, chemical synthesis of nanomaterials, Top-down techniques, Semiconductor nanoparticles, Organic nanoparticles, polymer nanocomposites, nanotechnology for biomedical applications

Basics of Biotechnology - Introductory Biological Chemistry, Animal and Plant Physiology, Recombinant DNA Technology, DNA Typing, Proteomics and Beyond, Biodiversity and Taxonomy, Microbiology and Macromolecule, Biostatistics.

Basics of Electronics and communication: Basic Concepts in Electrical Engineering, Kirchhoff's laws, Magnetic circuits, DC machines, three phase circuits, Transformers, three phase induction motor, Amplifiers and oscillators.

Chapter 10

Bonus Marks/Weightage Marks, Preparation of Rank list and Counselling for Admission

10.1 Bonus Marks,Weightage Marks, Relaxation of Marks

10.1.1NCC/NSS

10.1.1.1 For Post Graduate Programmes

A bonus of 5 marks will be awarded to NCC (for 'B' and 'C' Certificate holders) and NSS Applicants for admission to all courses. For NCC Applicants the bonus marks will be awarded on the basis of the NCC certificates signed by the Director and issued by the Directorate provided the Applicants have secured at least 75% attendance after having participated in NCC activities during the course of study of the qualifying undergraduate programme. . An additional bonus mark of 3 will be given to 'A' certificate holders and 5 marks each to 'B' and 'C' Certificate holders for their high proficiency.

The Claim of Applicants who have participated in NCC/NSS activities prior to the university level programme i.e. Higher secondary/ Plus two / Vocational Higher Secondary etc. will not be taken for awarding bonus marks.

In respect of NSS Applicants the bonus marks will be awarded on the basis of NSS certificates signed by the Vice-Chancellor or the Pro-Vice-Chancellor and issued to volunteers who have completed 240 hours of work within a period of 2 years in the course of study of the qualifying undergraduate programme.

10.1.1.2 For BBA LLB (Hons.)

A bonus of 15 marks will be awarded to applicants with NCC or NSS Certificates at 'Plus Two Level'. In respect of NCC Applicants, the bonus marks will be awarded on the basis of NCC Certificates signed by the Director and issued by the Directorate of NCC to Applicants who have secured at least 75% attendance after having participated in its activities during the programme of study immediately preceding the programme for which admission is sought. *An additional bonus mark of 5 to 'B' Certificate holders in proof of their high proficiency.*

The benefit of bonus mark can be availed by an applicant only under one category ie, either NSS/NCC

10.1.2 EX-SERVICE

A bonus of 15 marks will be awarded to the Ex-servicemen applicants and widows and children of Jawans and Ex-service men seeking admission to the P.G. Courses. Applicants in this category should invariably produce the certificate in support of their claim at the time of admission. The certificate should be obtained not earlier than six months from the last date of submission of application from the military authorities or state/Zilla Sainik Welfare Officer to the effect that the applicant is the son/daughter of ex service man or an ex service man himself. The certificate should clearly show that the benefit of reservation has not been granted earlier to any member in the family. In the absence of the above certificate the claim will not be considered.

10.1.3 SCOUT, GUIDE, ROVER, RANGER

As per University order no.126573/ACA1-2/2021/ACA1 dated 24.09.2021,15 marks will be awarded as grace mark for the admission to the under graduate programme to the recipients of Rajya Puraskar/ Nanmamudra certificate at 'Higher Secondary Level' in Scout, Guide, Rover, Ranger.

10.1.4 STUDENT POLICE CADET

For BBA LLB (Hons) and Integrated Programmes, weightage marks of 15 will be awarded to the Student Police Cadet applicant as per University order no.4999/ACA1/2021/M.G.U dated 25.09.2021. Applicants in this category should produce certificates of successful completion of the Student Police training programme issued by the District Nodal Officer and District Police Chief together.

10.1.3 Relaxation in Marks in the Qualifying Examination

Kerala SC/ST Applicants – The minimum requirement for PG admission is a pass in the Qualifying Examination.

PD Category - The minimum requirement for PG admission is a pass in the Qualifying Examination.

SEBC Applicants- Relaxation of 3% marks in qualifying examination.

OEC & Person with disability Applicants- Relaxation of 5% marks in qualifying examination.

Minimum required marks for qualifying examination unless specified otherwise, provided that the Applicants have passed the qualifying examination.

10.2 PREPARATION OF RANK LIST:

10.02.01: For M Sc. Biosciences (M Sc. Biochemistry, M Sc. Biotechnology, M Sc. Biophysics, M Sc. Microbiology), MSc Inorganic Chemistry, MSc Organic Chemistry, MSc Physical Chemistry, MSc Polymer Chemistry), MSc Psychology, M. Sc Physics, M. Sc Mathematics, MSc Statistics, , MSc Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (Chemistry), MSc Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (Physics), MSc Data Science & Analytics, MSc Food Science and Technology, MSc Botany and Plant Science & Technology, MA Politics and International Relations, MA Politics and Human Rights, MA Politics Public Policy and Governance, MA Economics, MA Gandhian Studies, MA Development Studies, MA History, MA Anthropology, Master of Tourism and Travel Management, Master of Education (M Ed), Master of Law (LLM), MA Counselling, M.Sc Physics (Specialization in Energy Science), M.Sc Chemistry (Specialization in Energy Science), M.Sc Material Science (Specialization in Energy Science), MSc. Computer Science and MSc Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning will be prepared based on:

- A) Total marks scored in the Objective Test converted out of 800
- B) The Bonus Marks/Weightage Marks

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly.

10.02.02: MSc Environmental Science & Management, MSc Environmental Science & Disaster Management, MSc Applied Geology, MA Gender Studies will be prepared based on:

- A) Total marks scored in the Objective Test (80 percentage weightage)+ Marks scored in Interview (20 percentage weightage) converted to a score out of 1000
- B) The Bonus Marks/Weightage Marks

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly.

10.02.03: For M.Sc Industrial Polymer Science and Technology the rank list will be prepared:

- A) By giving fifty percent weightage to the CAT Score and fifty percent weightage to the qualifying examination marks.
- B) The Bonus Marks/Weightage Marks

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly.

10.02.04: For Master of Physical Education and Sports programme the rank list will be prepared based on:

- A) The marks scored in objective Test (80 percentage weightage) + Marks scored based on Sports Merit Certificate (20 percentage weightage) converted to a score out of 1000
- B) the bonus marks/ weightage marks

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly

10.02.05: For MA social work in disability studies and action programme the rank list will be prepared based on:

- A) The marks scored in objective test (80 percentage weightage) + Marks scored in Descriptive test (20 percentage weightage) will be converted to a score out of 1000.
- B) The bonus marks/Weightage marks
- C) Interview mark (Maximum 100 mark out of which 10 mark weightage allocated for Biosketch data)

A+B+C shall be the index mark. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly

10.02.06: For M. Tech Energy Science & Technology, M. Tech in Nano Science and Technology, M. Tech Polymer Science and Engineering Rank list will be prepared based on:

In the case of Applicants with valid Gate Score, the rank list will be prepared on the basis of GATE score. Regarding the applicants without GATE Score, the rank list will be prepared on the basis of the marks scored in the objective type entrance examination (CAT). Eligible bonus marks if any will also be taken into account in the preparation of rank list.

10.02.07: For MA English, MA Malayalam programmes in the School of Letters, Rank list will be prepared based on

- A) The marks scored in objective test (50 percentage weightage taking upto 2 decimal places) + Marks scored in descriptive test (40 percentage weightage) + Interview (10 percentage weightage). Then convert the total marks into a score out of 1000.
- B) The bonus marks/Weightage marks

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly

10.02.08: For Sports and Cultural Quota:

A) The marks scored in objective test converted into out of 800

B) Points awarded in the proficiency in Sports/Cultural events

A+B shall be the index marks. The rank list will be prepared and published accordingly.

10.3 Admission:

Admission is conducted by the rank list prepared based on the objective test result. The rank list will be published separately in the University portal. Among the University Departments which consider marks of interview /Group Discussion/ Descriptive examination/physical fitness test in addition to the marks of the Entrance test for admission, the eligible applicants of respective departments will be invited for interview /Group Discussion/ written examination by the university departments concerned. Those who fail to report for interview /Group Discussion/ written examination will be treated as Not Joined and further claim for admission from these applicants will not be entertained.

The Applicants should produce the following documents in original at the time of Admission/ Interview/Group Discussion/Written Test as per the instructions for each.

(I) Non Keralite Applicants for Open All India Quota will have to produce the relevant Nativity Certificate issued by the concerned competent authority.

(II) Certificate to prove date of birth.

(III) Transfer Certificate (TC) from the Institution last attended and Conduct Certificate.

(IV) Mark lists of Qualifying Degree examination and Provisional/Degree Certificate (if results are announced).

(V) Equivalency Certificate for the Qualifying Examination, if applicable

(VI) Migration Certificate, if applicable.

(VII) Caste Certificate, Income Certificate, BPL Certificate, NCLC certificate, Income & Asset Certificate, if applicable

(VIII) Applicants to the programme MA Social Work in Disability Studies and Action, if they have Qualification or information/experience in the field of disability should produce relevant certificates.

(IX) Document proving proficiency in sports & games (Applicant to the Master of Physical Education and Sports (M.PES), if applicable)

Counseling shall be conducted by the Department/School concerned after verifying the above documents shall admit the candidate. The original certificates of all the admitted students shall be kept in the respective schools. On getting allotment in a higher option, the student should get the certificates back from the School and submit the same to the newly allotted institution.

Wherever letter grades are given for the qualifying examination, the candidate should furnish corresponding grade points or marks and the relevant documents concerning grade conversion at the time of admission

10.3.1 Confirmation of Admission

As the allotment is based only on the Entrance score and the information furnished by the candidate online, eligibility, claim for bonus mark/weightage mark, reservation and if there is any other details required for admission, Head of the department will verify the details furnished in the rank list prepared by the University based on the Entrance test mark and online application in respect of the candidate by comparing the same with the original documents produced by the candidate before the deadline announced by the University for the same. The eligibility shall be confirmed before closing of admission. Any discrepancy which results in the invalidation of the allotment and in such cases admission will be denied.

Chapter 11

11. Reservation of Seats

Types of Reservation: Out of the total Seats available for each programme in the University Departments, seats will be reserved for the different constituents of the following main categories:

- (i) Reservation for International Students
- (ii) Reservation for Applicants with CUET score/Non Keralites with CAT MGU score
- (iii) Reservation for Persons with Disabilities

- (IV) Reservation for Transgender Applicants
- (V) Sports Quota
- (VI) Cultural Quota
- (VII) Special Reservation
- (VIII) Mandatory Reservation

11.1 Reservation for International Students

An additional 25 percent of seats (over and above the sanctioned strength) is earmarked for foreign students for each PG programme in the University Teaching Departments. International students admission process will be through International Students Admission Committee (ISAC) co-ordinated by University Center for International Co-operation (UCIC – www.ucicmgu.org, email – ucicmgu@gmail.com, Mobile - 9446224240). **Foreign Students are exempted from the requirement of entrance test.** They can apply either on self or through the Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) attached to the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India.

The ICCR offers a number of scholarships to enable International students to pursue higher studies in Universities and other recognized institutions of higher learning in India. The international students (except Govt. of India sponsored scheme) are required to submit the application online (through admission portal www.ucica.mgu.ac.in) by paying the application fee of **US\$ 100**

(equivalent Indian Rupees on the date of payment) through international payment facility before the stipulated time(see schedule) attaching the following documents(all in English Version).

i) Curriculum vitae.

ii) Copies of Degree Certificates, Pass Certificates, mark lists, transcripts of all examinations undergone.

iii) Proof of credibility of the University/Institution where the candidate has undergone the Qualifying examination including the recognition of the institution in Association of Indian Universities/Association of Commonwealth Universities/International Association of Universities or such accredited institutions of Higher learning.

iv) Two copies of recent passport size photographs.

iv) Conduct certificate from the Head of the Institution last studied.

vi) Reference letters from two persons from respective countries, who have intimate knowledge of the academic capabilities of the applicant.

vii) Medical Certificate from competent Authority from the country concerned.

viii) Copy of Passport.

11.2 Reservation for Open All India Quota - Applicants with CUET PG score/ Non Keralites with MGU CAT score

11.2.1 20 % of the total approved seats of each P G programme (except MBA, M Ed, MA Social work in disability studies and action, M. Tech Programmes and Integrated Programmes), are reserved as `Open All India Quota seats which will be allotted to applicants registered for MGU CAT admission on the basis of their Common University Entrance Test -PG (CUET)score.

After accommodating the registered CUET PG score holders,the remaining seats shall be filled from the eligible Non -Keralite applicants in the order of their rank in the MGU CAT examination.

11.3 Reservation for Differently Abled Persons PD :

The students who seek admission in this category should submit their application(online) through CAT- MGU and qualify themselves in the Entrance Test. **5% seats of the sanctioned strength shall be created over and above in all exclusively for Applicants with benchmark disability** (as per clause 32 (1) of chapter VI, The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016). **If Applicants are not available in a particular category, the seats shall not be filled from any**

other categories.

‘Person with disability’ means a person suffering from not less than 40% of any disability as certified by a Medical Board constituted for this purpose. Applicants who have a minimum of 40% disability alone will be eligible for this quota. Applicants seeking admission under Differently Abled category should submit the “Certificate of disability”, issued not earlier than 5 years prior to the submission of application, by the District Medical Board or bodies of higher status, certifying the degree of percentage of disability. The Permanent Disability Card issued by the State Government is also considered. The permanent disability card has a lifelong validity when issued to a disabled person - above the age of 18 years. For disabled children below 18 years of age, the card is to be updated once every five years. Based on the details furnished in the online application, Applicants will be provisionally included under the “Differently Abled” category. Applicants seeking admission under PD category should produce ‘Certificate of disability’ issued by a District Medical Board or bodies of higher status, certifying the degree or percentage of disability at the time informed by the University. The selection of Applicants under this category will be based on the rank in the inter se-merit list and not on the basis of the degree of disability. If there are no applicants in a particular category, the seats shall not be filled from any other categories.

Categories of Disabilities (As per University Order No. 11645/ACA 3/2023/MGU dated 20.11.2023)

- 1) Blindness
- 2) Low Vision
- 3) Leprosy Cured Persons
- 4) Hearing Impairment (deaf and hard of hearing)
- 5) Loco motor Disability
- 6) Dwarfism
- 7) Intellectual Disability
- 8) Mental Illness
- 9) Autism Spectrum Disorder
- 10) Cerebral Palsy
- 11) Muscular Dystrophy
- 12) Chronic Neurological Conditions
- 13) Specific Learning Disability
- 14) Multiple Sclerosis
- 15) Speech and Language Disability
- 16) Thalassemia
- 17) Haemophilia
- 18) Sickle Cell disease
- 19) Multiple Disability including deaf- blindness
- 20) Acid attack victims
- 21) Parkinson’s disease
- 22) Any other disability specified in the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016

11.4 Reservation for Transgender Applicants:

As per the University order 2532/ACA1/2/2019 dated 10.06.2019 ,2 seats are additionally created for transgender category in addition to the existing seats in each programme in university. As per the University order 2290/ACA1/2025/MGU dated 12.03.2025 they should produce certificate of identity / Identity card issued as per the Transgender Act 2020 published by the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.

11.5 SPORTS& CULTURAL QUOTA:

An additional one seat is earmarked in PG programmes over and above the sanctioned strength for admitting candidates under Sports / Cultural Quota on rotation basis, as per Order no. 3084/A1/2017/Academic dated 24.05.2017.

As per university order no.1038/ACA 1/2022/MGU dated 01.02.2022 admission to the Arts/Cultural quota shall be in compliance with the criteria as follows.

- i. If there are no eligible Applicants for the seat reserved in Arts/Sports category in any year, it will be transferred to the next category and this reservation should be reversed in the next year. In case of unoccupancy of seats, it will be interchanged.
- ii. The rank list for Arts/Sports Quota will be prepared by adding the marks scored in the entrance examination converted into out of 800 along with the points allotted for various categories in Arts/Sports quota admission.
- iii. If a candidate qualifies for admission in both the Arts/Sports quota and General merit, He/she shall be considered for admission in General merit seats only after being not selected in Arts/Sports quota.
- iv. Other reservations such as SC/ST, OBC etc are not applicable for Arts/Sports quota admission.
- v. If there are no applicant for Arts/Sports quota, the earmarked seats will be cancelled

11.5.1 RESERVATION OF SEATS UNDER SPORTS QUOTA

The admission shall be based on the guidelines issued vide UO No. 2435/ACA1/2020/MGU dated 09.06.2020.

Age Limit: Upper age limit for applying through sports quota is 25 years.

The following norms are prescribed for admission under sports quota.

The applicant for admission to the Sports quota should have represented the College in the Inter Collegiate Competitions. Preference shall be given to Sportsmen who have represented the State/University over the sportsmen who have represented the District/College. **Performance in any year during the Under Graduate Programme only will be taken into consideration.**

The following guidelines shall be followed in determining merit in sports and games for admission to the PG programmes.

Points shall be awarded to the 1st(Winner or the Winning Team), Second (Runners up or Runners up team), third (third place) and participation as:

| Sl No | Item | Points |
|-------|--|--------|
| 1 | Representing India in approved world Championships/Olympics and winning Gold Medal | 200 |
| 2 | Representing India in approved world Championships/Olympics and winning Silver Medal | 195 |
| 3 | Representing India in approved world Championships/Olympics and winning Bronze Medal | 190 |
| 4 | Representing India in approved world Championships/Olympics | 185 |
| 5 | Representing India in Commonwealth games/ Asian Games/Asian Championship etc. and Winning Gold medal | 180 |
| 6 | Representing India in Commonwealth games/ Asian Games/Asian Championship etc. and Winning Silver medal | 175 |
| 7 | Representing India in Commonwealth games/ Asian Games/Asian Championship etc. and Winning Bronze medal | 170 |
| 8 | Representing India in Commonwealth games/ Asian Games/Asian Championship etc | 165 |
| 9 | Representing India in World University games and winning a Gold medal | 160 |
| 10 | Representing India in World University games and winning a Silver medal | 155 |
| 11 | Representing India in World University games and winning a Bronze medal | 150 |
| 12 | Representing India in World University games | 145 |
| 13 | Representing India in Regional Championship such as SAF Games and winning a Gold medal | 140 |
| 14 | Representing India in Regional Championship such as SAF Games and winning a Silver medal | 135 |
| 15 | Representing India in Regional Championship such as SAF Games and winning a Bronze medal | 130 |
| 16 | Representing India in Regional Championship such as SAF Games | 125 |
| 17 | Representing Kerala State in National Championship for Senior / Youth and Winning Gold medal | 120 |

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| 18 | Representing Kerala State in National Championship for Senior /Youth and Winning Silver medal | 115 |
| 19 | Representing Kerala State in National Championship for Senior /Youth and Winning Bronze medal | 110 |
| 20 | Representing Kerala State in National Championship for Senior /Youth championship | 105 |
| 21 | Representing a University in All India / South Zone Inter University Competition and Winning a Gold medal | 100 |
| 22 | Representing a University in All India / South Zone Inter University Competition and Winning a Silver medal | 95 |
| 23 | Representing a University in All India / South Zone Inter University Competition and Winning a Bronze medal | 90 |
| 24 | Representing Kerala State in South Zone Championship for Senior/Youth and Winning Gold Medal | 85 |
| 25 | Representing Kerala State in South Zone Championship for Senior/Youth and Winning Silver Medal | 80 |
| 26 | Representing Kerala State in South Zone Championship for Senior/Youth and Winning Bronze Medal | 75 |
| 27 | Representing Kerala State in South Zone Championship for Senior/Youth | 70 |
| 28 | Representing University in All India / South Zone Inter University Championship | 65 |
| 29 | Representing State in all India Rural Sports/ women's Sports and Winning a Gold Medal | 60 |
| 30 | Representing State in all India Rural Sports/ women's Sports and Winning a Silver Medal | 55 |
| 31 | Representing State in all India Rural Sports/ women's Sports and Winning a Bronze Medal | 50 |
| 32 | Representing Kerala State in All India Rural Sports/Women's Sports | 45 |
| 33 | Representing District in Inter- District Championship for Seniors / Youth and Winning a Gold Medal | 40 |
| 34 | Representing District in Inter- District Championship for Seniors / Youth and Winning a Silver Medal | 35 |
| 35 | Representing District in Inter- District Championship for Seniors / Youth and Winning a Bronze medal | 30 |
| 36 | Representing District in Inter- District Championship for Seniors / Youth Students selected for KSSC Sports hostel scheme | 25 |
| 37 | Representing a college in the Inter Collegiate championship and Winning a Gold Medal | 20 |
| 38 | Representing a college in the Inter Collegiate championship and Winning a Silver Medal | 15 |
| 39 | Representing a college in the Inter Collegiate championship and Winning a Bronze Medal | 10 |
| 40 | Representing a college in the Inter Collegiate Tournament | 05 |

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- ii. The highest score will be counted
- iii. Where bracketed, scores in other categories will be counted
- iv. Where still bracketed, Priority will be given in the order of merit i.e.; 1st , 2nd , and 3rd place respectively.
- v. Those with a higher number of achievements in the same level will be placed above the others (more number of 1st places, more number of 2nd places and so on).
- vi. Individual achievements will be ranked above team achievements.
- vii. A new record is created; he/she will be given priority.
- viii. If the tie could not be resolved by any of the above mentioned sports achievements, the index marks based on the qualifying examination shall be considered for breaking the tie.
- ix. Performance in any year during the Under Graduate Programme will be taken into consideration.
- x. The students admitted in Sports quota shall mandatorily be available to represent the University in the Inter University competitions unless specifically exempted by the Vice-Chancellor/Director of Physical Education, Mahatma Gandhi University.

Addendum

1. Only the events, which are having intercollegiate competitions in Mahatma Gandhi University alone, will be considered for Sports Quota admissions.
2. Approved World competitions means the competitions organized by the International Apex Bodies of the concerned discipline and in which the national Teams are sponsored by the National Apex Bodies and cleared by Sports Authority of India/ Government of India .
3. The National Championship means the championships conducted by the National Apex Bodies of the concerned discipline. District Competition means revenue district competition conducted by district association in respective sports.
4. Individual games /event means a game/event in which an individual performs alone.
5. When an Applicant has a number of achievements in a sports /different discipline his/ her best achievement will be taken into consideration.
6. For team events, colleges should upload the events they wish to choose in the beginning of each academic year

Competitive items to be considered under sports quota admission

1. Judo (M&W)
2. Fencing (M&W)
3. Tennis (M&W)
4. Yoga (M&W)
5. Hockey (M&W)
6. Football (M&W)
7. Wrestling (M&W)

8. Kabbadi (M&W)
9. Table Tennis (M&W)
10. Volleyball (M&W)
11. Swimming (M&W)
12. Basket Ball (M&W)
13. Badminton (M&W)
14. Cycling
15. Weight lifting (M&W) & Best Physique
16. Athletics (M&W)
17. Roll ball (M&W)
18. Base ball (M&W)
19. Net ball (M&W)
20. Ball Badminton (M&W)
21. Chess (M&W)
22. Handball (M&W)
23. Softball (M&W)
24. Kho-Kho (M&W)
25. Taekwondwo (M&W)
26. Cross Country (M&W)
27. Powerlifting (M&W)
28. Tug of war (M&W)
29. Hockey 5's (M&W)
30. Cricket (M&W)
31. Roller Sports (M&W)

11.5.2 RESERVATION OF SEATS UNDER CULTURAL QUOTA:

The admission shall be based on the guidelines issued vide UO No. 3823/ACA1/2021/MGU dated 05.08.2021.

The maximum age limit for the applicant shall be 25 years

The selection shall be made from among the applicants for the cultural quota on merit as follows.

1. Whether ranked 1st in National/Inter University Youth Festival /Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 50
2. Whether ranked 2nd in National/Inter University Youth Festival /Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 30
3. Whether ranked 3rd in National/Inter University Youth Festival /Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 20

4. Whether ranked 4th in National/Inter University Youth Festival /Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 10
5. Whether ranked 1st in Zonal Inter University Youth Festival/Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 30
6. Whether ranked 2nd in Zonal Inter University Youth Festival/Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 20
7. Whether ranked 3rd in Zonal Inter University Youth Festival/Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 10
8. Whether ranked 4th in Zonal Inter University Youth Festival/Competition of Association of Indian Universities : 05
9. Whether ranked 1st in Annual University Youth Festival of any University in Kerala: 20
10. Whether ranked 2nd in Annual University Youth Festival of any University in Kerala: 10
11. Whether ranked 3rd in Annual University Youth Festival of any University in Kerala: 5
12. Whether ranked 4th in Annual University Youth Festival of any University in Kerala: 3
13. In the absence of applicants who do not secure 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th places, applicants with 'A' grade shall be considered for admission with score 2 each.

Addendum

Applicants who possess 'A Grade' will be guided by the following conditions.

- i. A person can score points only in one category
- ii. The highest score will be counted
- iii. Where bracketed, scores in other categories will be counted
- iv. Where still bracketed, person who won 'University Champion/Kala Prathibha' title will be given 3 extra points
- v. Performance in any year during the degree programme in any University will be taken into consideration.
- vi. He/She must be available for University events unless specifically exempted by the competent authority.

Applicants seeking admission under Arts/Sports quota should appear for the Common Admission Test (CAT) and seats reserved under Arts Quota are filled from the rank list prepared by the University.

11. 6 Special Reservation:

The seats reserved for Applicants belonging to the following categories come under this group.

12.6.1: Economically Weaker Section (EWS): 10% of the total seats are reserved for applicants belonging to the Economically Weaker section. For availing the benefit of reservation under this category as stipulated in GO (MS) No. 128/2020/H Edn dated 20/03/2020.

Applicants who wish to claim this reservation should submit their applications through CAT-MGU and qualify themselves in the Entrance Test. These Applicants will also be considered for the general allotment if no seats are available in the EWS Reservation category. For the same reason they should not submit separate application for the general allotment. **If eligible Applicants for EWS Reservation are not available all such vacant seats shall be converted to Open Merit seats.** If the number of seats in a University Department for a programme is very small, all the seats for the different programmes in a Department are pooled together to calculate the EWS reservation seats.

Applicants who wish to avail reservation under EWS will have to produce the Income & Assets Certificate from the village officer concerned.

11.6.2: Teacher Quota (for M Ed only): One seat is reserved as Teachers Quota. Teachers who are working in Govt./Aided Colleges/Schools on a regular basis at the time of notification only are eligible to be considered for admission under this category. Certificates of teaching experience countersigned by AEO/DEO/DD to be furnished at the time of admission. They will be admitted giving weightage to teaching experience calculated as below.

The minimum period for considering the weightage to teaching experience is a continuous service of 6 months. For each month of teaching experience approved by DEO/DCE, 0.1 marks will be given. The weightage will be given to those who are having 5 years or more for retirement. Such Applicants should have appeared for the MGU CAT.

11.7 Mandatory Reservation

The break-up of mandatory reservation will be as follows:

a) *For Non-Professional Programmes:*

| Mandatory Reservation Categories | % of Reservation |
|---|-------------------------|
| Ezhava, Thiyya & Billava | 8 |
| Muslims | 7 |
| Latin Catholics other than Anglo Indians | 1 |
| Other Backward Christians | 1 |
| Other Backward Hindus | 3 |

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| Scheduled Caste | 15 |
| Scheduled Tribe | 5 |
| EWS | 10 |

b)For Professional Programmes:

| Mandatory Reservation Categories | % of Reservation |
|--|-------------------------|
| Ezhava, Thiyya & Billava | 9 |
| Muslims | 8 |
| Other Backward Hindus | 3 |
| Latin Catholics and Anglo Indians | 3 |
| Dheevara and related communities | 2 |
| Viswakarama and related Communities | 2 |
| Kusavan and related communities | 1 |
| Other Backward Christians | 1 |
| Kudumbi | 1 |
| Scheduled Caste | 8 |
| Scheduled Tribe | 2 |
| EWS | 10 |

Claims for Mandatory Reservations must be made by a candidate at the time of submission of online application, and original certificates and supporting documents in proof of the claim should be produced at the time of Counselling.

11.7.1: Claim for Communal reservation under ‘Socially and Educationally backward Classes’ (SEBC): Reservation of seats to the Socially and Educationally backward Classes will be in accordance with the provisions contained in G.O.(P) 208/66/Edn. dated 2.5.1966, as amended from time to time. Applicants belonging to Socially and Educationally Backward Classes as per G.O.(P) 02/2018/BCDD dated 08.03.2018 who belong to the non-creamy layer are eligible for reservation under this category. The non-creamy layer certificate should have been issued not earlier than 12 months prior to the submission of application. Only the claims of the Applicants of those communities that are included in the list of communities appended in the prospectus will be considered. If eligible Applicants for SEBC Reservation are not available all such vacant seats shall be converted to Open Merit seats

11.7.2: Claim for Reservation under Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Quota:

Applicants claiming reservation under Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes Quota should obtain caste/community certificate from the Tahsildar.

11.7.3 : Claim of OEC Applicants against the un-availed seats of SC/ST Applicants:

Other Eligible Community (OEC) Applicants who claim allotment to the un-availed seats, if any, under SC/ST quota should furnish community and income certificates obtained from the Village Officer concerned. Those OEC Applicants whose annual family income is up to Rs. 8lakhs alone are eligible for such seats.

11.7.4 : OTHER GENERAL RULES FOR MANDATORY RESERVATION :

a) The seats unavailed by the SC Applicants will be diverted to ST Applicants and vice versa. If the seats reserved for SC/ST are remaining vacant such vacancies will be re-notified through print media. If SC/ST seats remain vacant even after the process noted above such seats will be filled up in the following manner:

b) The unfilled SC/ST vacancies shall be filled from Applicants belonging to OEC, and in their absence from Applicants belonging to SEBC. If the seats still remain unfilled, the same will be given to the open quota.

11. 8 All the aforesaid information is general in nature and all reservations will be subjected to rules of the University in force at the time of admission. Communal & Other Reservation will be subject to satisfactory verification of required Certificates (in originals) produced at the time of GD /Interview /Counselling /Admission wherever applicable as directed by the university and will be governed by the rules of the university in force and as amended from time to time.

11.9 Guidelines for Conducting written examination for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities.

Persons with benchmark disabilities in the category of blindness, locomotive disability (both arm affected-BA) and cerebral palsy, the facility of Scribe shall be given. Applicants who need Scribe for writing CAT exam, have to find eligible Scribe and should inform the university two weeks prior to the examination. **The Qualification of the scribe should be one step below the qualification of the candidate taking the examination.** The persons opting for scribe should submit details of the scribe as per proforma at Appendix -II. The scribe shall not be a relative of the differently abled Applicants and the scribe should produce a certificate to that effect. The proforma can be downloaded from the home page of the CAT website.

Other category of persons with benchmark disabilities, the provision of scribe is allowed on production of a certificate to the effect that the person concerned has physical limitation to write, and scribe is essential to write examination on this behalf, from Medical Officer/Civil Surgeon/Medical Superintendent of a Government health care institution as per proforma at Appendix-1. The proforma can be downloaded from the home page of the CAT website. The persons opting for scribe of Benchmark disability (except blindness, locomotive disability (both arm affected-BA) and cerebral palsy should submit proforma at Appendix-1 & Appendix-II

Persons with benchmark disabilities who are allowed use of Scribe shall be given Compensatory time of 40 min.

Chapter 12

Fee, Payment of fee, Refund of fee

12.1 FEE

12.1.1 Fee for the PG programme offered in the University Departments will be as per the university decision. The fee may change from time to time according to the decision of the University / Government. The respective orders of the fees structures of the various programmes have been published on the website.

12.1.2 Applicants belonging to SC/ST communities allotted against merit seats or against the seats reserved for them are exempted from payment of fee. Applicants belonging to OEC who are admitted against merit seats or against the un-availed seats of SC/ST are exempted from payment of fee (As per G.O.(Ms) No.14/2005/SCSTDD dated 5.4.2005 & G.O.(Ms) No.36/07/SCSTDD dated 03.07.2007). Applicants belonging to OEC admitted through SEBC reservation are also exempted from payment of fee. (As per G.O.(Ms) No.50/2006/SCSTDD dated 22.09.2006).

12.1.3 Claim for fee concession to OEC Applicants : Applicants belonging to Other Eligible Communities (OEC) are exempted from payment of fee at the time of allotment to Post Graduate Courses under Government/Community quota irrespective of annual family income as per G.O.(Ms) No.36/07/SCSTDD dated 03.07.2007. They should provide a Community Certificate from the Village Officer in order to avail this benefit.

12.1.4 All Applicants including SC/ST/OEC Applicants will have to pay the ‘Caution Deposit’ as per rules.

12.1.5 In case of duplicate payment & payment failure, Candidate can apply for refund using the link <https://epay.mgu.ac.in/Refund/RefundProcess/refundRequestFormMgu> (Read the instruction

carefully before submitting the application)

12.2 PAYMENT OF FEE

The fee for a course allotted to the candidate should be paid in the prescribed method within the stipulated time.

12.3 Excess fee

Excess fee if any, collected from the Applicants will be refunded. The amount of fee/excess fee collected will be refunded to the Applicants only after the closing of admissions for the year. The Applicants need to submit individual requests in this regard. No interest will be paid to the candidate on the balance amount due to him/her.

12.4 PUNISHMENT FOR MALPRACTICE

If a candidate is found indulged in any malpractice during the Common Admission Test, before or later on, shall be deemed to have committed malpractice at examination and his/her candidature will be cancelled.

Annexure

List of SCHEDULED TRIBE (ST)

(As Amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act,2002 (Act 10 of 2003) Vide Part- VII- Kerala – Second Schedule Notified in the Gazette of India dated 8.1.2003, G.O. (Ms) No.06/2014 SCSTDD dated 29.01.2014.

1. Adiyar
2. Arandan (Arandan)
3. Eravallan
4. Hill Pulaya, Mala Pulayan, kurumba Pulayan, kuruvazhi pulayan, pamba pulayan
5. Iruvar, irulan
6. Kadar (wayanad kadar)
7. xxx
8. Kanikkar, kanikkar
9. Kattunayakan
10. Kochuvelan
11. Xxx
12. Xxx
13. Koraga
14. Xxx
15. Kudiya, melakudi
16. Kurichchan(kurichiyan)
17. Kurumans mullu kuruman, mulla kuruman Mala kuruman
18. Kurumbas, (kurumbar, kurumban)
19. Maha malasar
20. Malai arayan (mala arayan)
21. Malai pandaram
22. Malai vedan (malavedan)
23. Malakkuravan
24. Malasar
25. Malayan, Nattu malayan, kongga Malayan
30. Palleyan, palliyan, palliyar, palliyan
31. xxx
- 32.xxx
- 33.paniyan
- 34.ulladan (ullatan)
35. Uraly
36. Mala vettuvan (in kasargod & kannur district)
37. Ten kurumban, Jennu kurumban
38. Thachanadan, thachanadan moopan
39. Cholanaickan
40. Mavilan
41. Karimpalan
42. Vetta kuruman
43. Mala panikkar
44. Maratis of kasarkod and hosdurg taluk

(excluding the areas comprising the kasargod,
Kannur,Wayanad and Kozhikode district)

26. Malayarayar
27. Mannan
28. Xxx
29. Muthuvan, mudugar, muduvan

LIST OF SCHEDULED CASTES (SC)

(As Amended by the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Second Amendment) Act, 2002 (Act 61 of 2002) Vide Part VIII Kerala- Schedule 1 Notified in the Gazette of India dated 18.12.2002, The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order (Amendment) Act 2007)

[see Clause 5.4.3(a)]

1. Adi andara
2. Adi dravida
3. Adi karanataka
4. Ajila
5. Arunthathiyar
6. Ayyanavar
7. Baira
8. Bakuda
9. XXX
10. Bathada
11. XXX
12. Bharathar (other than parathar),
Paravan
13. XXX
14. Chakkiliyan
15. Chamar, Muchi
16. Chandala
17. Cheruman
18. Domban
19. XXX
20. XXX
21. XXX
22. Gosangi
23. Hasla
24. Holeya
25. Kadaiyan
26. Kakkalan, Kakkan
27. Kalladi
28. Kanakkan, Padanna, Padannan
29. XXX
30. Kavara (other than telugu speaking or
Tamil speaking balija Kavaraj, havara,
Gavarai, Gavarai naidu, balija naidu,
38. XXX
39. Moger (other than mogeyar)
40. Mundala
41. Nalakeyava
42. Nalkadaya
43. Nayadi
44. XXX
45. Pallan
46. Palluvan
47. Pambada
48. Panan
49. XXX
50. Paraiyan , parayan, sambavar, sambavan
sambava, paraya, paraiya, parayar
51. XXX
52. XXX
53. XXX
54. Pulayan, cheramar, pulaya, pulayar
cherama, cheraman, wayanad pulayan
wayanadan pulayan, matha,
matha pulayan
55. XXX
56. Puthirai vanna
57. Reneyar
58. Samagara
59. Samban
60. Semman, chemman, chemmar
61. Thandan (excluding ezhuvas and)
thiyyas, who are known as thandan,
in the erstwhile Cochin and Malabar
areas) and (carpenters who are known)
as thachan, in the erstwhile cochin and
Travancore state.

- Gajalu, Baliya or valai chetty)
62. Thoti
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| 31. Koosa | 63. Vallon |
| 32. Kootan, Koodan | 64. Valluvan |
| 33. Kudumban | 65. XXX |
| 34. Kuruvan, sidhanar, kuravar Kurava, sidhana | 66. XXX |
| 35. Maila | 67. Vetan |
| 36. Malayan (in the areas comprising the Malabar district as specified by sub- Section (2) of section 5 of the Re- organization Act. 1956 (37 of 1956) | 68. Vettuvan, pulaya vettuvan (in the areas of erstwhile cochin state only) |
| 37. Mannan , pathiyan, perumannan Vannan, velan | 69. Nerian |

LIST OF OTHER ELIGIBLE COMMUNITIES (OEC)

[See Clause 5.4.3(f)](Annexure to G. O. (MS) No. 14/2017/BCDD
dated 02/08/2017)

OEC (ST)

1. Allar (Alan)
2. Chingathan
3. Irivavan
4. Kalanadi
5. Malayan, Konga-Malayan (Kasaragod, Kannur, Wayanad & Kozhikode Districts)
6. Kundu – Vadiyan
7. Kunuvarmanadi
8. Malamuttan
9. Malavettuvar (Except Kasargod & Kannur Districts)
10. Malayalar
11. Panimalayan
12. Pathiyan (Other than Dhobies)

OEC (SC)

1. Chakkamar
2. Madiga
3. Chemman/Chemmar
4. Kudumbi

5. Dheevara/Dheevaran (Arayan, Valan,Nulayan, Mukkuvan, Arayavathi, Valanchiyar, Paniyakal, Mokaya, Bovi, Magayar, Mogaveerar)
6. Scheduled Caste converted to Christianity
7. Kusavan, Kulalan, Kumbharan, Velaan. Odan, Andhrta Nair, Andhuru Nair
8. Pulayan Vettuvan (Except Kochi State)

LIST OF SOCIALLY AND EDUCATIONALLY BACKWARD CLASSES (SEBC)

[Vide G.O. (P) 208/66/Edn. dated 02.05.1966, G.O. (Ms) No. 95/08/SCSTDD dated 06.10.2008 & G.O. (Ms) No. 58/2012/SCSTDD dated 16.04.2012, G.O.(Ms) No. 10/2014/BCDD dated: 23.05.2014,

Lr No. 1538/A2/2014/BCDD dated 02.07.2014]

[See Clause 5.4.2 (a)]

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|-------|--|-----|---|
| I. | Ezhavas including Ezhavas, Thiyyas, Ishuvan, Izhuvan, Illuvan and Billava | 4. | Arya, Atagara, Devanga, Kaikolan, (Sengunthar) Pattarya, Pattariyas, Saliyas (Padmasali, Pattusali, Thogatta, Karanibhakatula, Senapathula, Sali, Sale, Karikalabhakulu, Chaliya, Chaliyan) Sourashtra, Khatri, Patnukaran, Illathu Pillai, Illa Vellalar, Illathar |
| II. | Muslims (all sections following Islam) | 5. | Bestha |
| III. | Latin Catholics and Anglo Indians | 6. | Bhandari or Bhondari |
| IV. | Dheevera including Dheeveran, Araya, Arayas, Arayan, Valan, Nulayan, Mukkuvan, Arayavathi, Valinjiar, Paniakkal, Paniakel, Mukaya, Bovis-Mukayar, Mukaveeran, Mogaveera, Mogavirar, Mogayan | 7. | Boya |
| V. | Viswakarmas including Viswakarma, Asari, Chaptogra, Kallassari, Kalthachan, Kammala, Kamsala, Kannan, Karuvan, Kitaran, Kollan, Malayala Kammala, Moosari, Pandikammala, Pandithattan, Perumkollan, Thachan, Thattan, Vilkurup, Villasana, Viswabrahmanan or Viswabrahmanar, Viswakarmala and Palisa Perumkollan | 8. | Boyan |
| VI. | Kusavan including Kulalan, Kulala Nair, Kumbaran, Velaan, Velaans, Velaar, Odan, Kulala, Andhra Nair, Anthuru Nair | 9. | Chavalakkaran |
| VII. | Other Backward Christians (a) SIUC (b) Converts from Scheduled Castes to Christianity (c) Nadar Belonging to Christian denominations other than SIUC (As per order no. $\text{M.}\underline{\text{O.}}$ (666.) M. 08/2021/ പി,പി.പി.വ തീയതി 21.06.2021) | 10. | Chakkala (Chakkala Nair) |
| VIII. | Kudumbi | 11. | Devadiga |
| IX. | Other Backward Hindus, i.e. 1. Agasa 2. Kharvi 3. Aremahrati | 12. | Ezhavathi (Vathi) |
| | | 13. | Ezhuthachan, Kadupattan |
| | | 14. | Gudigara |
| | | 15. | Galada Konkani |
| | | 16. | Ganjam Reddies |
| | | 17. | Gatti |
| | | 18. | Gowda |
| | | 19. | Ganika including Nagavamsom |
| | | 20. | Hegde |
| | | 21. | Hindu Nadar |
| | | 22. | Idiga including Settibalija |
| | | 23. | Jangam |
| | | 24. | Jogi |
| | | 25. | Jhetty |
| | | 26. | Kanisu or Kaniyar-Panicker, Kaniyan, Kanisan or Kamnan, Kannian or Kani, Ganaka |
| | | 27. | xxx |
| | | 28. | Kalarikurup or Kalari Panicker |
| | | 29. | Kerala Muthali, Kerala Mudalis |

30. Oudan (Donga) Odda (Vodde or Vadde or Veddai)
31. Kalavanthula
32. Kallan including Isanattu Kallar
33. Kabera
34. Korachas
35. x x x
36. Kannadiyans
37. Kavuthiyar, Kavuthiya
38. Kavudiyaru
39. Kelasi or Kalasi Panicker
40. Koppala Velamas
41. Krishnanvaka
42. Kuruba
43. Kurumba
44. Maravan (Maravar)
45. Madivala
46. Maruthuvar
47. Mahratta (Non-Brahman)
48. Melakudi (Kudiyar)
49. x x x
50. Moili
51. Mukhari
52. Modibanda
53. Moovari
54. Moniagar
55. Naicken including Tholuva Naicker and Vettillakkara Naicker, Naikkans
56. Padyachi (Villayankuppam)
57. Palli
58. Panniyar or Pannayar
59. Parkavakulam (Surithiman, Malayaman, Nathaman, Moopandar and Nainar)
60. Rajapuri
61. Sakravar (Kavathi)
62. Senaithalaivar, Elavania, Senaikudayam
63. Chetty/Chetties including Kottar Chetties, Parakka Chetties, Elur Chetties, Attingal Chetties, Pudukkada Chetties, Iraniel Chetties, Sri Pandara Chetties, Telugu Chetties, Udiyankulangara Chetties, Peroorkada Chetties, Sadhu Chetties, 24 Mana Chetties, Wayanadan Chetties, Kalavara Chetties and 24 Mana Telugu Chetties
64. Tholkolan
65. Thottiyar, Thottian
66. Uppara (Sagara)
67. Ural Goundan
68. Valaiyan
69. Vada Balija
70. Vakkaliga
71. Vaduvan(Vadugan), Vaduka, Vadukan, Vadugar
72. Veera Saivas (Pandaram, Vairavi, Vairagi, Yogeaswar, Yogeaswara, Poopandaram, Malapandaram, Pandaran, Matapathi and Yogi)
73. Veluthedathu Nair including Vannathan, Veluthedan and Rajaka
74. Vilakkithala Nair including Vilakkathalavan, Ambattan Pranopakari, Pandithar and Nusuvan
75. Vaniya including Vanika, Vanika Vaisya, Vaisya Chetty, Vanibha Chetty, Ayiravar Nagarathar, Vaniyan, Vaniya Chetty, Vaniar
76. Yadava including Kolaya, Ayar, Mayar, Maniyani, Eruman, Iruman, Erumakkar, Golla and Kolaries
77. Chakkamar
78. Mogers of Kasaragod Taluk
79. x x x
80. x x x
81. x x x
82. Reddiars (throughout the State except in Malabar area)
83. Mooppar or Kallan Moopar or Kallan Moopar
84. Chakravar (As per Order No. 185/ACA1/2021 dated 11.01.2021)

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has directed that if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the student concerned shall be given liberty to explain and if his explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him from the institution.”

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REGISTRAR



Letter of Undertaking for Using Own Scribe

I..... a candidate with(name of the disability) appearing for the(name of the examination) bearing Register No. at (name of the centre) in the District, (name of the state). My qualification is.....

I do hereby state that (name of the scribe) will provide the service of scribe/reader/lab assistant for the undersigned for taking the aforesaid examination.

I do hereby undertake that his qualification is In case, subsequently it is found that his qualification is not as declared by the undersigned and is beyond my qualification, I shall forfeit my rights to the post and claims relating thereto.

I am also certify that the scribe is not a relative of me.

(Signature of the Applicants with disability)

Place:

Date :

APPENDIX-I

Certificate regarding physical limitation in an examinee to write

This is to certify that, I have examined Mr/Ms/Mrs.....
(name of the Applicants with disability), a person with
(nature and percentage of disability as mentioned in the certificate of
disability),S/o,D/o..... a resident of
.....(Village/District/State) and to state that he/she has
physical limitation which hampers his/her writing capabilities owing to his/her disability.

Signature
Chief Medical Officer/Civil Surgeon/
Medical Superintendent of a Government health
care institution

Name & Designation

Name of Government Hospital/Health Care Centre with Seal

Place:

Date:

Note: Certificate should be given by a specialist of the relevant stream/disability (eg. Visual impairment- Ophthalmologist, Locomotor disability – Prthopaedic specialist/PMR)