

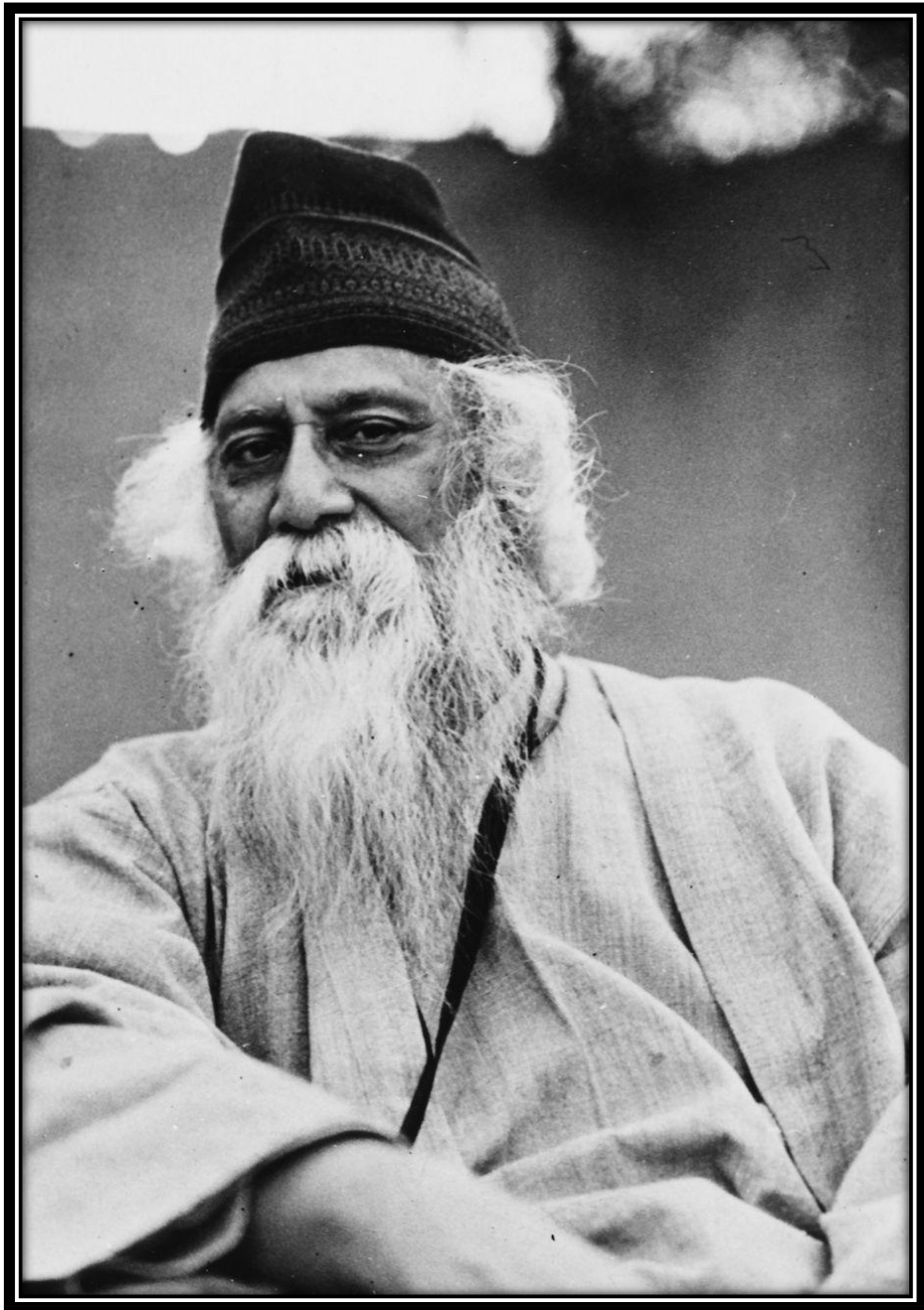
# VISVA-BHARATI SANTINIKETAN



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A Central University and an Institution of National Importance  
(Established by the Visva-Bharati Act, 1951  
(Central Act no. XXIX of 1951))

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(Admission Guidelines)



# THE VISVA-BHARATI ACT, 1951

(NO. XXIX OF 1951)

An Act to declare the institution known as Visva-Bharati to be an Institution of National Importance and to provide for its functioning as a Unitary, teaching and residential university.

\*[9 May 1951]

Incorporating the provisions of  
The Visva-Bharati (Amendment) Act, 1961 No. 60 of 1961  
as published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part II-Section 1, No.64  
dated 20 December 1961

The Visva-Bharati (Amendment) Act, 1971 No. 57 of 1971  
as published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part II-Section 1,  
dated 15 December 1971\*\*

And of

The Visva-Bharati (Amendment) Act, 1984 No. 31 of 1984  
as published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part II-Section 1,

\*\*\* [21 May 1984]

*\* This Act came into force on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1951 by Notification No. 40-5/50 G3 of the Central Government. It has been referred to as the Principal Act, vide Sec. 2 of the Amendment Act 1984.*

*\*\* This Act came into force on the 15 December 1971 in the form of an Ordinance as Published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part-II-Section 1, dated 15 December 1971.*

*\*\*\* This Act came into force on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1984 by Notification No. F. 12-3/84-Desk-U, dated 7<sup>th</sup> August 1984 of the Central Government*

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Date of Application/Registration for School/UG/PG/Certificate/Diploma:	To be announced in the University Admission Portal: <a href="http://www.vbadmission.in">www.vbadmission.in</a>
Date of Application of Ph.D.:	

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## INTRODUCTION

Visva-Bharati is a pilgrimage for education and culture. It reflects the Tagorean ethos of making a complete human being. It is a hallowed place of learning cradled in a serene environment in the lap of the Nature, where Rabindranath founded a school for children at Santiniketan and it was round this nucleus that the structure of an unconventional University developed through careful planning and meticulous execution of those ideas and ideals.

In 1863, on a 20 Bigha plot at the site of the present institution, Debendranath Tagore, the poet's father, had built a small retreat for meditation, and in 1888 he dedicated, by a trust deed, the land and buildings, towards establishment of an Ashrama where seekers after truth irrespective of their formal religious affiliations, sect, creed and caste could come and meditate in seclusion; a Brahmavidyalaya and library. Rabindranath's school BrahmacharyAshrama which started functioning formally from December 22, 1901 with only five students on the roll, was, in part, a fulfillment of the wishes of his father who was a significant figure of his time in the field of educational reforms. From 1925, this school came to be known as Patha-Bhavana.

The school was a conscious repudiation of the system introduced in India by the British rulers, and Rabindranath initially sought to realize the intrinsic values of ancient education in India. The school and its curriculum, therefore, signified a departure from the way the rest of the country viewed education and teaching. Simplicity in externals was a cardinal principle. Classes were held in open air in the shade of trees where man and nature entered into an immediate harmonious relationship. Teachers and students shared the single integral socio-cultural life. The curriculum had music, painting, dramatic performances and other performance-based practices. Beyond the accepted limits of intellectual and academic pursuits, opportunities were created for invigorating and sustaining the manifold faculties of human personality.

After Rabindranath was awarded the Nobel Prize in 1913, he was invited on numerous visits all over the world and came close to knowing a large part of the world and its people. By 1917, the range of his experience and the restlessness of his exploration led to his own self-clarification regarding the idea of a centre of Indian culture at Santiniketan. The centre, as conceived by him, was to provide "for the coordinated study of the different cultures". As "music and the fine arts are among the highest means of national self-expression... in the proposed centre of our culture, music and art must have prominent seats of honour". This centre should not only be a centre of the intellectual life of India but the centre of economic life as well. Participating thus in all the major spheres of Indian life, the institution would attain a representative character and enter into an encounter with the rest of the world.

The institution chose for its motto the Vedic text "*Yatra visvam bhavatyekanidam*" (where the world makes a home in a single nest). On 23 December 1921, Visva-Bharati became a registered public body which adopted a constitution of its own. The aims and objects as set forth on occasion have since then remained the objectives of Visva-Bharati.

In 1922, the Department of Higher Studies became Uttara Vibhaga to be renamed Vidya-Bhavana in 1925. Hindu philosophy, medieval mysticism, Islamic culture, Zoroastrian philosophy, Bengali literature and history, Hindustani literature, Vedic and Classical Sanskrit, Pali, Prakrit, Chinese, Tibetan, Persian, Arabic, German, Latin and Hindi formed its areas of study and research.

Vidya-Bhavana was the manifestation of the ideal of the proposed centre of comprehensive studies in the cultures of the East and the West. The centre was viewed principally as a community of scholars, Indian as well as foreign, who would be engaged in the creation and dissemination of systematized and philanthropic reasoning. The concern was epistemological. Those who visited included Moriz Winternitz, V. Lesny of Prague, Carlo Formichi and Giuseppe Tucci of Rome, Sten Konow of Oslo. They added a new dimension to the work that was being carried on by a remarkable group of Indian scholars and creative artists of rare dedication, the services of some of who Rabindranath had secured even from the days of the BrahmacharyAshrama.

In 1937, Cheena-Bhavana, the Department of Sino-Indian studies was established, and even today it remains, by any standard, an exceptionally remarkable symbol of cultural collaboration. In 1938, the Hindi-Bhavana with certain distinct projects of studies was founded. Kala-Bhavana, which was originally the institute for both Fine Arts and Music, came into existence in 1919 but in 1933 it branched

off into two independent institutions. Kala Bhavana and Sangit Bhavana, are unique with each of its own distinct discipline. In generating more informed and cultured interest and more inputs of educational components, these two institutions played pioneering roles in our country. 'Rabibitan' a Rabindra Sangit Research Centre was established under Sangit Bhavana.

The Institute of Rural Reconstruction was founded in 1922 at Surul at a distance of about three kilometers from Santiniketan. It was formally inaugurated on February 6, 1922 with Leonard K. Elmhirst as its first Director. Thus, the second but contiguous campus of Visva-Bharati came into existence in 1923 at a site which assumed the name of Sriniketan. The chief object was to help villagers and people to solve their own problems instead of a solution being imposed on them from outside.

In consonance with the ideas about reconstruction of village life, a new type of school, meant mainly for the children of neighboring villages who would eventually bring the offering of their acquired knowledge for the welfare of the village community, was also conceived. This school, Siksha-Satra, was started in Santiniketan in 1924 but was shifted to Sriniketan in 1927. The Lok-Siksha Samsad, an organization for the propagation of non-formal education amongst those who had no access to usual educational opportunities, was started in 1936. Siksha-Charcha for training village school teachers followed next year.

A few more institutions were added after Rabindranath's death on August 7, 1941. Rabindra-Bhavana, the archive on Rabindranath and the institute exclusively devoted to study and research on him was established in 1942. In 1948, Vinaya-Bhavana, a teachers' training institution, came into being.

In May 1951, Visva-Bharati was declared to be a Central University and "An Institution of National Importance" by an Act of Parliament. It was granted the status of unitary teaching and residential University. The status and function of all the major institutions have been redefined in successive Amendment Acts and the University has continued to grow by giving accreditation to new centers in response to the needs newly felt.

The old Vidya-Bhavana started Honours and M.A. courses of the usual type. Siksha-Bhavana, given originally the responsibility of conducting under-graduate courses, was split off from Vidya-Bhavana. In 1972, when the institutes were restructured faculty-wise, Vidya-Bhavana became the faculty of Humanities, Languages and Social Sciences. In 2010 Bhasha Bhavana separated from Vidya Bhavana and became the faculty of Languages. Besides that, Visva-Bharati established the Centre for endangered Languages. The erstwhile departments of Sriniketan have been amalgamated into Palli Samgathana Vibhaga (Institute of Rural Reconstruction), with the exception of the independent faculty of Agriculture, Palli Siksha Bhavana, which came into existence in 1960.

The school has reshaped itself into a full-fledged modern University with diverse concerns and interests. The defining maxim of excellence remains intact.

From the very beginning Rabindranath tried to foster a self-sufficient social life along with new values of creative as well as participatory culture. The most joyful expressions of the community are the festivals which at different times of the year celebrate the cycle of the seasons and the diverse manifestations of Nature. Dances and songs presented on such occasions draw as much upon Rabindranath as other cultural resources of all parts of India. The community comes together in these festivals and, for the young students in particular, it is an unobtrusive process of cultural enrichment. Cultural events and festivals are a legacy from the inception of the institution. The open-air devotional service that is held on 7<sup>th</sup> Poush (on or about 23 December) every year under the Chhatim tree where Maharshi Debendranath once meditated is an occasion of particular significance for the institution since it is the foundation day of the Ashrama. In accordance with the trust deed, a mela (fair) popularly known as the Poushmela is held to mark the occasion. Another three-day village fair, called Maghmela is held early in February every year at Sriniketan. 'Vasanta Utsav' (Spring Festival), Briksaropan (Tree Planting Ceremony) and Halakarsana (Ploughing) are not just festivities but are curricular activities contributing to the core courses on Tagore Studies and Environmental Studies.

There is a prayer-hall, referred to as Upasana Griha, where on every Wednesday a non-denominational community prayer service is held. This prayer-hall is the place of congregation for all important

occasions of commemoration for the community. It was the founder's belief that the moral influence radiating from here would afford a silent but constant guidance to the members of the community.

## OBJECTIVES OF VISVA-BHARATI

To study the mind of man in its realization of different aspects of truth from diverse points of view.

To bring into more intimate relation with one another, through patient study and research, the different cultures of the East on the basis of their underlying unity.

To approach the West from the standpoint of such a unity of thought of Asia.

To seek to realize in a common fellowship of study the meeting of the East and the West, and thus ultimately to strengthen the fundamental conditions of peaceful world through the establishment of free communication of ideas between the two hemispheres.

And, with such ideals in view, to provide at Santiniketan, a centre of culture where research into and study of the religion, literature, history, science and art of Hindu, Buddhist, Jain, Islamic, Sikh, Christian and other civilizations may be pursued along with the culture of the West, with that simplicity in externals which is necessary for true spiritual realization, in amity, good fellowship and co-operation between the thinkers and scholars of both Eastern and Western countries.

The objectives of the University shall also include harmonizing the cultures of India, the East and the West by, among other things, the admission of students and appointment of adhyapakas from various regions of India and various countries of the world and by providing incentive thereof.

## SANTINIKETAN AS UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE

Mr. L.E. Assomo, Director, Culture Sector, World Heritage Culture Sector, World Heritage Centre of UNESCO vide his memo no CLT/WHC/NOM/23/122 dated 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 informed the Ambassador and Permanent Delegate of India to UNESCO that Santiniketan has been inscribed on the World Heritage List of UNESCO as per decision taken by the World Heritage Committee of UNESCO at its extended 45<sup>th</sup> session (Riyadh, 2023). The Asram and surrounding areas of the Santiniketan campus of the University including the Upasana Griha, Chatimtala, Amrakunja, Hindi Bhavana, China Bhavana, Kala Bhavana, Sangit Bhavana and Rabindra Bhavana are part of the core area of the World Heritage Site, measuring approximately 36 hectares.

Inscription of this part of our campus is an excellent opportunity to draw the attention of visitors and remind local residents and the students, teachers and staff of the outstanding universal value of Santiniketan. Following the inscription, the University has initiated the process of conservation, preservation and restoration of the heritage buildings, structures, artworks etc. by forming a World Heritage Cell.

## INFORMATION AND FACILITIES

### LOCATION

Visva-Bharati is ensconced in a setting in the district of Birbhum, about 160 km by road from Kolkata. The nearest railway station is Bolpur-Santiniketan on the Eastern Railway and nearby air-terminal are Kazi Nazrul Islam Airport, Durgapur & Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose International Airport at Kolkata. The University campus at Santiniketan, about 3 km from the railway station, can be reached in a little over two hours from Kolkata by rail or road. By train it is about 146 km. The University has two campuses, one at Santiniketan and the other at Sriniketan which is about 3km from Santiniketan. The institutional Bhavanas and Departments are distributed among them.

## **CLIMATE**

Placed on the fringe of the Chhotanagpur plateau, Santiniketan & Sriniketan have a hot dry summer followed by rains from July to September with an average rainfall of 140 cm and a short bracing winter. The maximum temperature in the summer exceeds 40° C and the minimum in the winter can be below 5° C. The region is known for its discernible seasonal changes.

## **UNIVERSITY GUEST HOUSES**

The University has six Guest Houses with catering arrangement, in order to provide accommodation to individuals and groups associated with official visits to Visva-Bharati or guests visiting our campus. The Guest houses are Rathindra Atithi Griha, Ratan Kuthi, Purbapalli Guest House, International Guest House, SAIL Guest house and Sriniketan Guest House.

University Guest houses are equipped with fully furnished 44 standard AC Rooms, 21 Non-AC Rooms and 03 Suites. All the rooms have attached bathrooms and other essential amenities.

Particulars about charges and other information may be obtained from the University website. For further details, kindly e-mail at: [guest\\_booking@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:guest_booking@visva-bharati.ac.in)

## **SCHOLARSHIP / STIPEND**

University merit scholarships are awarded on the basis of merit. Stipends on the basis of merit-cum-means are available for pre-degree, under-graduate and post-graduate students. Some government and private agencies also award Scholarships for studying in different courses.

## **RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**

A number of research fellowships in different fields are awarded by the UGC, CSIR, ICAR, ICHR, DST, INSPIRE, DAE, ICSSR, Rajiv Gandhi Fellowship for SC/ST/PWD and Maulana Azad Scholarship for minority students etc.

## **EARN WHILE YOU LEARN SCHEME**

The University offers selected number of part-time positions of Student Assistants in Library, Mess, and in Sports board with some monthly allowances.

## **COMPUTER FACILITY**

A full-fledged, well-equipped Computer Centre with Internet and software facilities is available for students, researchers, teachers and administrative employees of the University, subject to the rules and regulations of the Centre. The Computer Centre is open from 9.30 am to 6.00 pm (Saturday & Sunday closed). However, the campus-wide WiFi-based internet service is available round-the-clock in support of the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

Physical Education is an integral part of education at Visva-Bharati. Students of Patha-Bhavana go through a compulsory physical education programme conducted by the Sports Board at Santiniketan with sub-units at Sriniketan. It also arranges physical education activities for students throughout the year. Facilities for indoor games are also available in the hostels. There is a swimming pool of international standard and state of the art gymnasium in the Vinaya-Bhavana campus of the University. Yoga facilities are also available at Dwijabiram.

## **SPORTS BOARD**

Sports have great importance in Education. Visva-Bharati has gradually developed sports infrastructure in six nodal areas of sports by organizing inter class competitions, inter department, inter Bhavana and inter university championships and by conducting various coaching camps for Inter University participation. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra student go through compulsory sports activities conducted by the Sports Board for general fitness, physical and mental health and identification of talented players in early age for higher level of performance.

## **NCC AND NSS**

The University NCC unit has two Junior Division Boys' Troops (at Siksha-Satra, Patha-Bhavana) and a Senior Division Boys' company and a Girls' Wing. These units undertake extra-curricular activities like excursions to army contingents, cycle expeditions, social services etc.

Under the banner of NSS, the students of this University regularly undertake social welfare programmes within and outside the University. Each Bhavana has a Program Officer whose activities are coordinated by a coordinator.

Students' application for medical fitness certificate for swimming, NCC etc. should get forwarded by the principals of the respective Bhavanas.

## **STUDENTS' AID FUND**

The University operates a Students' Aid Fund from which students get grants for purchasing books or for reimbursement of expenditure incurred towards the purchase of medicines or medical check-ups which are not available in the University hospital.

## **STUDENTS' INFORMATION CENTRE**

The Centre displays information on different courses of studies as well as job-related information from time to time.

## **TRANSPORT**

The University offers limited transport facilities to its students and employees within the campus. The university bus runs between the two campuses from 6.00 am (every 40 minutes interval) to 6.30 pm.

## **COMMUNICATION**

Nearest rail stations are Bolpur (Santiniketan) and Prantik on the Eastern Railway. Nearby air-terminal are Kazi Nazrul Islam Airport, Durgapur & Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose International Airport, Kolkata.

## **POST OFFICE**

There are two Post Offices operating in Santiniketan and Sriniketan respectively offering all postal services including savings bank facilities. The Sriniketan post office also has a passport information centre.

## **BANK**

The State Bank of India operates a Branch with all services including ATMs, within the University campus. The State Bank of India has also one branch with e-corner services at Sriniketan. Other National Banks facilities are also available in Santiniketan/Bolpur.

## **VISVA-BHARATI PUBLICATION**

There is a dedicated sales-counter for Visva-Bharati publications in Chatak Buildings, Santiniketan and Granthana Vibhaga, Kolkata.

## **LIBRARY**

The University has a well-equipped Central Library including 12 Sectional Libraries and 29 Seminar Libraries named as Visva-Bharati Library Network (VBLN) which holds old and rare documents including multi-lingual and multi-discipline books, reports, etc. It also has many important collections like Abanindranath Tagore, Prabodh Chandra Bagchi, Pramatha Choudhuri, Humayun Kabir, Sati Kumar Chaotopadhyay, Lila Ray, Asok Rudra, and Bangladesh Collections.

The libraries in the system are connecting with the campus-wide MHRD WiFi. We are extremely happy to inform that after using for more than twenty years, Visva-Bharati Library Network (VBLN) has successfully migrated from subscription & Cloud-based Library Management Software "LibSys-10" to a newly platform which is Open-Source Cloud-based Library Management Software "Koha" as IILMS (Integrated Library Management Software) for automating library activities and offering services from April 2024. The Central Library and most of the Sectional Libraries are wi-fi enabled.

## RESOURCES

Sl	Resources	Total
1	Books	8,72,349
2	e-book (including 8368 purchased)	1,23,687+
3	Digitized Book	29,909
4	Theses	3,727
5	Theses uploaded at Sodhganga	2,034
6	Online Database	08
7	News Paper + Magazine	60
8	Print Journal*	70
9	Online Journals**	12678

\*List may be accessed through the website, Link – [https://vblibrarynetwork.in/images/pdf/VBLN\\_Journals\\_2025.pdf](https://vblibrarynetwork.in/images/pdf/VBLN_Journals_2025.pdf);

\*\*Online Journals: 12678 (from e-ShodhSindhu, link- <https://vblibrarynetwork.in/index.php/resources/journals/online-journals/subject-wise>).

## LIBRARY WEBSITE

The website of Visva-Bharati Library Network can be accessed at <https://vblibrarynetwork.in/index.php> which is the gateway of Visva-Bharati Library Resources, Services, Facilities and other related issues. All the online resources (from all sources), Institutional Repository of Articles, Project Reports, Question Papers, Syllabus, Annual Reports, e-Newsletter can be accessed through the digital library (<http://dspace.vblibrarynetwork.in/>), To search/discover required resources from all resources with a single search through Discovery with OPAC at <https://vbu-opac.kohacloud.in/>.

## SERVICES AND FACILITIES

Remote Access: To facilitate global access of library resources round the clock.

Discovery Services: To search/discover required resources from all resources with a single search. Link- <https://vbu-opac.kohacloud.in/>

Plagiarism Detection – The level of plagiarism may be checked through DrillBit (Plagiarism Detection Software). Link – <https://vblibrarynetwork.in/index.php/services/drillbit-plagiarism-checker>

Library Network e-Newsletter – The library has been publishing a monthly e-Newsletter to create awareness amongst its clientele about the collections, services, activities, and developments. The access link is- <https://vblibrarynetwork.in/index.php/publications/library-e-newsletter>

Inter Library Loan facility: from the reputed libraries in Indian universities. Link – <https://vblibrarynetwork.in/index.php/services/inter-library-loan>

Users Friendly Stack – Through bay wise and subject wise guides users can locate their target book(s) within moments. To control the misplacing of the library books in the stack by the users (as it is open access stack), subject wise colour code has been assigned at the spine of the books and arranged in the rack accordingly.

Research Support Service – As part of research support service, VBLN has introduced monthly VB PhD Scholars Lecture Series (VBPSLS), Scholars / Research Assistance Cell to accelerate the quality research work.

Article Delivery Services, Current Awareness Service, Newspaper Clipping Service, Scholarship Awareness, Career Corner, Textbook Reading Corner, Braille Libraries, supply of Outreach & Publicity Materials, Orientation Programmes for varied groups, Special Sessions, Workshop/ Training/Demonstration for stakeholders, teaching of Research and Publication Ethics paper etc. are some other services rendered by the Library Network.

Visva-Bharati Library is also using Social Network to reach unreachable though YouTube Channel ([https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfv9MHVyWy0b0g\\_reOFaHpw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfv9MHVyWy0b0g_reOFaHpw)), Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100011039705523>), WhatsApp Group. Telegram Group, etc.

Reading room service of the Central Library is available on all days of the year including holidays and weekly off-days except few days.

VBLN is an institutional member of the DELNET, INFLIBNET, American Library Kolkata, ILA, BLA, IASLIC.

## UNIVERSITY HOSTEL FACILITY

There are 10 hostels for senior girls and 14 hostels for senior boys at Visva-Bharati at the university level (Bachelor Degree onwards). Patha Bhavana has 3 boys and 4 girls' hostels. Siksha Satra does not have any hostel. **Hostel accommodation means hostel seat plus mess facility wherever available.**

**Students interested in availing hostel should click "yes" tab for hostel while filling online Visva-Bharati SAMARTH application form. No separate application for Hostel will be entertained.**

It is important to note that in-view of the limited hostel accommodation facilities, the candidates should understand that merely selecting hostel accommodation as "yes" does not necessarily confirm the hostel facilities for the applicants. It would be allotted through the merit and distance score after the applicant gets the admission, as per availability.

### DURATION OF STAY IN THE HOSTEL

Accommodation is allowed initially for the current semester to be renewed subsequently subject to continuing registration and fulfilling academic requirements. The final semester boarders will have to vacate the rooms within seven days from the date of the last examination. Other boarders will also have to proceed on leave within seven days from the date of last examination.

### RESERVATION RULE

The percentage of reservation is strictly followed as per GoI rules for admission to hostels.

### ALLOTMENT OF ROOMS TO JRF/SRF/RESEARCH ASSOCIATES WORKING ON PROJECTS IN THE UNIVERSITY

- The maximum duration of stay will be as per the UGC guidelines.
- The monthly rent of the seats will be as per the rate applicable for the particular hostel allotted.

### DISCIPLINES FOR HOSTEL(S) BOARDER(S)

- The residents should be back to their respective hostels latest by 9.00 pm (it may change as per decision of the authority on specific occasions).
- non-resident visitors are allowed in the guest rooms only during the presence of the host boarders.
- The hostel residents on account of harboring unauthorized person(s) in his/her room would be fined Rs. 1000/- and Rs. 2000/- in the first and second instance. If found guilty for the 3rd time he/she will be evicted from the hostel.

- Proctor/Dy. Proctor/Wardens/any other authorized university official can visit any hostel or individual rooms without informing any border/warden to carry out surprise checks in the hostel.

### **EVICTED FROM HOSTEL**

Hostel residents may be fined or evicted on the following grounds:

- Loss or damage to hostel property
- Acts of intimidation, drinking of alcoholic beverages and consumption of banned/addictive substances, riotous behaviour, keeping of pets, cooking of food, gambling, harbouring of unauthorized persons, ragging/hazing or abetment to ragging/hazing, non-payment of hostel dues, any other act deemed as against the rules and regulations of the university, etc.
- Holding of meetings or staying out of the hostel without prior permission of the authority.

### **MESS FACILITIES**

There are mess facilities available in hostels of the university. Regarding mess the following points may be noted:

- ❖ As per hostel rules of Visva-Bharati, mess is mandatory for all boarders.
- ❖ All boarders are required to take meals in the Dining hall of the kitchen only. Mess food cannot be taken out from the Dining Hall at all
- ❖ Only sick /unwell boarders may be permitted to take mess food in their respective rooms only on the written advice of the university doctors.
- ❖ Roommates are not allowed to take food on behalf of absentee boarders.
- ❖ The number of compulsory meals is to be decided on a month-to-month basis at the rate of 70% of calendar days in a month.
- ❖ Appropriate steps, as per university rules, will be taken for those boarders who do not enrol themselves to the mess facility of the university.
- ❖ Hostel rent to be paid regularly. In case if the rent is unpaid for more than one semester, the hostel allotment will be subject to review.
- ❖ Henceforth, no home deliveries and use of plastics will be allowed.

### **RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AVAILABLE**

Indoor and outdoor games, Yoga, Meditation, Cable TV, Gymnasium facilities etc.

### **REFECTORY AND CANTEEN FACILITIES**

There are altogether several hostel kitchens at Santiniketan and Sriniketan including one general kitchen for girls and one girls' kitchen at Patha-Bhavana (school section), besides, there are five general canteens in the campus.

## **UNIVERSITY HEALTH CARE**

Free medical treatment is provided to all students (both residential and day scholars) of the University at University Hospitals: Pearson Memorial Hospital located at Santiniketan and C.F. Andrews Hospital located at Sriniketan. Health Insurance at a nominal fee of Rs. 192/- per annum is mandatory for all Students. Sum insured for each student is Rs. 50,000/- (yearly basis), terms and conditions to be applied.

#### **POLICY COVERAGE:**

- Section – I: Mediclaim: Sum Insured of each student – Rs. 50,000/- (Yearly Basis)
- Section – II: Personal Accident cover to students: On the event of Personal Accident of the student resulting in Death the parent or Legal Guardian of the insured student will be paid an amount of Rs. 2.00 lacs as compensation. For permanent disability of the student, the student will be paid an amount of Rs. 2.00 lacs as compensation.

- Section – III: Personal Accident cover to parent: on the event of Personal Accident of the Parent or Legal Guardian resulting in Death/Permanent disability, the parent or Legal Guardian of the insured student will be paid an amount of Rs. 3.00 lacs as compensation.
- Section – IV: Education expenses after death of parent/Legal Guardian: Over and above Rs. 3.00 lacs compensation, expenses incurred to study during the insurance policy period will be covered up to (Rs. 6,000/- to Rs. 36,000/-). This is applicable up to Master Degree.
- Age Limit: 4 to 30 years.

## CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY

1. Students enrolled at Visva-Bharati must recognize their responsibilities to this University, to the teachers, to the officials and to fellow students bearing in mind the prestige and the reputation of the institution. Failure to maintain appropriate standard of conduct, decency and decorum will attract disciplinary action. Students have to participate in the monthly cleanliness drive in second Thursday of each month.
2. Students shall have to attend classes regularly. At least 75% attendance is required to appear in the examination. Students who have attendance between 75% and 60% have to pay Rs. 500/- as fine to appear in the Semester Examination. Students failing to have 60% attendance will not be allowed to appear in the Examination. In such cases, those students have to repeat the course once again.
3. Attending University functions/festivals/scheduled events including weekly prayer (Mandir) is mandatory.
4. Formal dress for attending functions/festivals: white dhoti/pyjama & Punjabi/kurta for boys and white sari for girls.
5. Students should not possess mobile phones or any other electronic device for communication in the classrooms/seminar halls/examination halls/library/any other place of academic interest within the University.
6. Consequent upon the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on curbing Ragging in educational institutions, it has been decided 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/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority will expel him/her from the university.
7. Visva-Bharati is committed to implementation of a 'Zero Tolerance Policy towards sexual harassment' and maintenance of a campus free from discrimination, harassment, retaliation or sexual assault at all levels.
8. Misconduct: Student misconduct includes but is not limited to the following:
  - a. Disruption of classroom activities or hindering the learning of other students anywhere in the University,
  - b. Cheating on assignments or examinations,
  - c. Behaviour which interferes significantly with the normal operation of the University, disrupts education, challenges the health or safety of staff or students, or damages University property,
  - d. The possession and/or use of intoxicating beverages on campus,
  - e. The possession of illicit drugs on the campus,
  - f. Falsification of documents or the supply of false information in order to obtain admission,
  - g. The possession of weapons,
  - h. The failure to return loaned materials to settle debts with the University.

Failure to adhere to the guidelines as above shall invite strict disciplinary action.
9. All students are to attend the congregational service at the Mandir on Wednesday morning.

10. All students are to participate in the various co-curricular activities of the institution and actively share in the corporate community life of the Ashrama. All students must attend the different functions and festivals of the Ashrama.
11. Resident students, except foreign students who are permitted to take meals in the University Guest House, must take their meals – principal and light meals in the Refectory at appointed hours, perform the duties allotted to them by the Refectory Committee and observe general rules of courtesy and discipline in the Refectory.
12. Resident students must take care to keep their respective rooms clean and tidy.
13. They must not cause any damage to any University property and must not tamper with electric installations in their hostels. Students will be liable to charge for any wilful damage of university property. Use of unauthorized fans, heaters, electric stoves etc. is forbidden.
14. All students must return to their respective rooms after the last retiring bell and observe silence. They are not to go into the rooms of other students after the last retiring bell. None will be allowed to go out of the premises after the last retiring bell without the permission of the Adhyaksha/Proctor/Warden/Paridarsika.
15. Students returning to the hostels beyond the last retiring bell must sign the gate-book with the Supdt. /Warden/Paridarsika.
16. No outsider or day-scholar or resident of a different hostel will be allowed to visit the boarders of a dormitory outside specified hours to be notified by the Adhyaksha//Proctor/Warden/Paridarsika. In particular, no male student is allowed to remain within the premises of girls' hostels after the evening Upasana.
17. Students are to take permission of the Warden/Paridarsika/Adhyaksha while going out of the campus of the University and must obtain leave before they go out of station.
18. Students desirous of leaving station will be required to apply for leave in the prescribed form. All leave applications must be submitted through the Warden/Paridarsika to the Adhyaksha. No student will leave station before the leave prayed for is granted in writing.
19. Students are requested to maintain required minimum percentage of attendance in classes to be eligible to sit for any examination under the semester or annual system.

### ADDITIONAL RULES FOR THE FEMALE STUDENTS

1. Boarders of Girls' Hostels with annexes must return straightway to their hostels after the evening Upasana and also after taking meals in the Refectory.
2. Except in the Sangit-Bhavana Block, music and dance are strictly forbidden during the study period.
3. (a) On Saturday and Sunday and notified University holidays visiting hours at the girl's hostels will be observed from 8.30 am to 10.00 am and from 4.00 pm to 7.00 pm.  
(b) On other days visiting hours will be as specified by the respective controlling officers of the Hostels.
4. No outsider or day-scholar or resident male student will be allowed to visit girl boarders in their hostels outside the hours as indicated above.
5. The female students will take permission from the Paridarsika while going out of the campus of the University and must obtain leave in writing before they go out of station.
6. Only such persons as having been approved by the natural guardians of students at the time of admission will be allowed to visit the boarders of the Girls Hostels at appointed hours as mentioned in rule No. 4 above, however in case of emergency, special permission may be granted by the

Paridarsika to any person to see the boarder concerned at any time. Visitors are not allowed to visit the Girls' Hostel ordinarily after 8.00 pm.

7. Boarders wishing to call at the house of their local guardians may be permitted to go and stay with their local guardians on Sundays and on university holidays on the production of a letter of request from the local guardian to that effect.
8. Female students shall not be allowed to meet visitors at the Guest House without the previous permission of the Paridarsika. Female students shall not be allowed to go anywhere outside the Ashrama area without proper escorts authorized by the Paridarsika or the Adhyaksha of the Bhavana concerned.
9. Permission of the Paridarsika will be required for keeping guests.

### INFORMATION FOR ICC & GRIEVANCE CELL

- **SC/ST/OBC-NCL Cell:** Visva-Bharati has a separate Cell to protect the rights of SC/ST/OBC-NCL candidates of both students and employees. The guidelines followed for this is mentioned on the link – <https://tribal.nic.in/actRules/preventionofAtrcities.pdf>. To register complaints related to any act of discrimination by members of faculty/staff against SC/ST students on the grounds of their social origin, SC/ST students may lodge their complaint by email at [complaints.sct@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:complaints.sct@visva-bharati.ac.in).
- **Students Grievance Cell:** Students Grievance Cell is also there for taking care in any kind of grievance of the students and University also has an Anti-Ragging Committee ([https://visvabharati.ac.in/files/400250522\\_University\\_Anti-Ragging\\_Committee\\_2022\\_250522.pdf](https://visvabharati.ac.in/files/400250522_University_Anti-Ragging_Committee_2022_250522.pdf)) based on the link <https://www.ugc.ac.in/oldpdf/ragging/minuterag230409pdf>.
- **Anti-Ragging Affidavits format (For all Students):**  
According to the UGC guidelines and orders of the Supreme Court of India, students admitted in any course of the University need to submit Anti-Ragging undertaking through the UGC portal (<http://www.antiragging.in>). The students are advised to provide the copy of the registration slip and number to the concerned Department HOD's at the time of commencement of class or physical verification. Failing to submit such a declaration may lead to cancellation of admission.
- **Internal Complaints Committee (ICC):** University has an Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) for taking special care on harassment of both female employees and girl students who are supposed to submit their grievances through the mail to [complaints.pshww@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:complaints.pshww@visva-bharati.ac.in). The guideline as mentioned in the link – [https://saksham.ugc.ac.in/content/downloads/7203627\\_UGC\\_regulations-harassment.pdf](https://saksham.ugc.ac.in/content/downloads/7203627_UGC_regulations-harassment.pdf) is taken into consideration to resolve the issues.

**\*Visva-Bharati advocates Zero Tolerance Policy with respect to sexual harassment and Gender Discrimination in campus.**

**Students' Grievance Redressal Committee (SGRC):**

SL. No.	Name	Contact details	Mail ID
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3	Prof. Sumanta Mandal, Vinaya-Bhavana	9475242056	sumantavb@gmail.com
4	Prof. Avijit Banerjee, Head, Department of Chinese, Bhasha-Bhavana	9434210858	avijitchinese@gmail.com
5	Prof. Goutam Bramhachari, Department of Chemistry, Siksha-Bhavana	9434385744	goutam.brahmachari@visva-bharati.ac.in
6	Dr. Bholanath Mandal, Nodal Officer, UGC's Student Grievance Portal	9475847310	bholanath.mondal@visva-bharati.ac.in
7	Smt. Ashmita Mukherjee, Student of the Department of Life Long Learning & Extension (REC) - <b>Special Invitee</b>	8436063233	ashmita2003doll@gmail.com
8	<b>Ombudsperson:</b> Prof. Nirmalya Banerjee, Retired Professor, Visva-Bharati	9932619010	nirmalya_b@rediffmail.com

Email ID of SGRC is [sgrc.vb@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:sgrc.vb@visva-bharati.ac.in), for any communication.

### ID NUMBER ALLOTMENT

ID will be allotted to the newly admitted students in the following format.

Bhavana Code		Programme Code		Subject Code			Year of Admission		Sl. No.	

**Example**

Bhasha Bhavana-11, BA-11, Chinese-101, Year of Admission-25, Sl No. 01: ID- 11111012501

Bhavana Code		Programme Code		Subject Code			Year of Admission		Sl. No.	
1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	5	0	1

## UNIVERSITY FEE STRUCTURE

### FEE STRUCTURE FOR UG/ DIPLOMA/ADVANCED DIPLOMA/CERTIFICATE

		UG Programmes of Bhasha, Vidya, Kala, Sangit and Vinaya Bhavana				Science Stream of Siksha Bhavana and Palli Siksha Bhavana (Science/Agriculture)						UG Programmes of Palli Samgathana Vibhaga except B. Des programme				UG Programmes of Palli Samgathana Vibhaga (B Des programme)			
		1 <sup>st</sup> Year		2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> year		1 <sup>st</sup> Year				2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> year		1 <sup>st</sup> Year		2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> year		1 <sup>st</sup> Year		2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> year	
Sl. No	FEES Head	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS		SC, ST & PWD		Gen, OBC - NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC - NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC - NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC - NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD		
						Science	Agriculture	Science	Agriculture										
1	Tuition Fee	840		840		840	840			840				840		840		840	
2	Admission Fee	2000	2000			2000	4000	2000	4000			4000	4000			4000	4000		
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	1000	1000			1000	1000	1000	1000			1000	1000			1000	1000		
4	Laboratory Fee					500	500	500	500	500	500								
5	Library Admission Fee	150	150			150	150	150	150			150	150			150	150		
6	Examination Fee****																		
7	Marksheet Fee****																		
8	Annual Fees															5000	5000	5000	5000
9	Sports Fee	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	
10	Students Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	
11	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	
12	Students Aid Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	
13	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
14	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	
15	Field Work Fee											500	500	500	500	500	500	500	
16	Practice Teaching Fee																		
17	Caution Money (refundable)	500	500			500	500	500	500			500	500			500	500		
18	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300			300	300	300	300			300	300			300	300		
19	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200	200	200										
20	ID card Fee	50	50			50	50	50	50			50	50			50	50		
21	Residence Fee #																		
22	Medical Insurance Fee***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>6045</b>	<b>5205</b>	<b>2045</b>	<b>1205</b>	<b>6745</b>	<b>8745</b>	<b>5905</b>	<b>7905</b>	<b>2545</b>	<b>1705</b>	<b>8545</b>	<b>7705</b>	<b>2545</b>	<b>1705</b>	<b>13545</b>	<b>12705</b>	<b>7545</b>	<b>6705</b>

#Residence Fee is payable by those to whom seats are allotted in Hostel as per applicable fees.

\*\*\*Medical Insurance fee is subject to change.

\*\*\*\*Examination (Rs. 500) & Mark sheet (Rs. 100) fee will be paid at the time of Examination form Fill-up as and when notified by the Examination section.

Fees Structure applicable for Foreign Students: (a) Students admitted from SAARC Countries have to pay two times of normal fees as per applicable fees from the above table;

(b) Students admitted from NON-SAARC Countries have to pay five times of normal fees as per applicable fees from the above table.

**Total Admission fee for Certificate / Skill development course (duration up to six months) amounts to Rs. 1,250/-**

- In case of Add on Certificate, Diploma & Adv. Diploma courses for which applicant pays double amount of admission fee with respect to few items (like Sports fee, Students Amenities fees, medical fees, Medical Insurance fees), the extra amount of fees will be refunded.

## FEE STRUCTURE FOR PG PROGRAMMES

Sl No	Fees Head	Humanities Stream (except J&MC)				Science Stream				Social Science Stream				Teacher Education									
		(Arts/Fine Arts/ Music)				(Science/ Agriculture)				(Social Work/ Design)				Physical Education (M.P. Ed)				M.Ed Course					
		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd Year			
	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OB C-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OB C-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OB C-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OB C-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD			
					Science	Agriculture	Science	Agriculture															
1	Tuition Fee	1200		1200		1200	1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200						
2	Admission Fee	3000	3000			3000	6000	3000	6000			6000	6000		6000	6000			6000	6000			
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	1000	1000			1000	1000	1000	1000			1000	1000		1000	1000			1000	1000			
4	Laboratory Fee					750	750	750	750	750	750												
5	Library Admission Fee	200	200			200	200	200	200			200	200						200	200			
6	Examination Fee****																						
7	Mark sheet Fee****																						
8	Sports Fee	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	500	500	500	500	240	240	240	240	
9	Student's Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	
10	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	253	253	253	253	
11	Student's Aid Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	
12	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	
13	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	
14	Field Work Fee											500	500	500	500								
15	Co-Curricular Fee														250	250	250	250					
16	Course Fee (for two semesters)																		5000	5000	5000	5000	
17	Caution Money (refundable)	500	500			500	500	500	500			500	500		500	500							
18	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300			300	300	300	300			300	300		300	300							
19	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200	200	200														
20	ID card Fee	50	50			50	50	50	50			50	50		50	50			50	50			
21	Residence Fee #																						
22	Medical Insurance Fee***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>7575</b>	<b>6375</b>	<b>2525</b>	<b>1325</b>	<b>8525</b>	<b>11525</b>	<b>7325</b>	<b>10325</b>	<b>3275</b>	<b>2075</b>	<b>11075</b>	<b>9875</b>	<b>3025</b>	<b>1825</b>	<b>10885</b>	<b>9685</b>	<b>3035</b>	<b>1835</b>	<b>13585</b>	<b>13585</b>	<b>6335</b>	<b>6335</b>

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## FEE STRUCTURE FOR UG/PG PROGRAMMES (CJMC & ISERC)

Sl No	Fees Head	Humanities Stream (Journalism & Mass Communication)				Science Stream (Integrated Science)			
		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd year	
		Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD
1	Tuition Fee	5000		5000		1500		1500	
2	Admission Fee	5000	5000			3000	3000		
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	1000	1000			1000	1000		
4	Laboratory Fee	5000	5000	5000	5000	600	600	600	600
5	Library Admission Fee	200	200			200	200		
6	Examination Fee ****								
7	Mark sheet Fee ****								
8	Sports Fee	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
9	Student's Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
10	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243
11	Student's Aid Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
12	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
13	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
14	Field Work Fee								
15	Co-Curricular Fee								
16	Course Fee (for two semesters)	8000	8000	8000	8000				
17	Caution Money (refundable)	500	500			500	500		
18	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300			300	300		
19	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200		
20	ID card Fee	50	50			50	50		
21	Residence Fee #								
22	Medical Insurance Fee***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>26255</b>	<b>21255</b>	<b>19205</b>	<b>14205</b>	<b>8555</b>	<b>7055</b>	<b>3305</b>	<b>1805</b>

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## FEE STRUCTURE FOR B.P.Ed. AND B.Ed. PROGRAMMES

		Teacher Education							
		Physical Education (B.P.Ed)				B.Ed Course			
Fees Head		1st year		2nd year		1st year		2nd Year	
Sl No		Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD
1	Tuition Fee	1200		1200		840		840	
2	Admission Fee	4000	4000			6000	6000		
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	1000	1000			1000	1000		
4	Laboratory Fee								
5	Library Admission Fee	150	150			150	150		
6	Examination Fee ****								
7	Mark sheet Fee****								
8	Sports Fee	500	500	500	500	120	120	120	120
9	Students Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	50	50	50	50
10	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243
11	Students Aid Fee	200	200	200	200	100	100	100	100
12	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	50	50	50	50
13	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	100	100	100	100
14	Co-Curricular Fee	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
15	Practice Teaching Fee	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600
16	Caution Money (refundable)	500	500						
17	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300						
18	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)								
19	Residence Fee #								
20	ID Card Fee	50	50			50	50		
21	Medical Insurance Fee***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>9635</b>	<b>8435</b>	<b>3635</b>	<b>2435</b>	<b>9745</b>	<b>8905</b>	<b>2545</b>	<b>1705</b>

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## FEE STRUCTURE FOR Ph.D. PROGRAMMES

Sl No	Fees Head	Ph. D Course (Humanities/ Social Science) (Sangit/Fine Arts)				Ph. D Course (Science/Agriculture)					
		1st year		2nd year - 6th year		1st year				2nd year - 6th year	
		Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC- NCL & EWS	Gen, OBC- NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC- NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD
						Science	Agriculture	Science	Agriculture		
1	Tuition Fee										
2	Admission Fee	8000	8000			8000	10000	8000	10000		
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	2000	2000			2000	2000	2000	2000		
4	Laboratory Fee					750	750	750	750	750	750
5	Library Admission Fee	500	500			500	500	500	500		
6	Examination Fee****										
7	Mark sheet Fee****										
8	Annual Fees										
9	Sports Fee	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
10	Student's Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
11	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243
12	Student's Aid Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
13	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
14	Cultural Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
15	Field Work Fee										
16	Co-Curricular Fee										
17	Caution Money (refundable)	1000	1000			1000	1000	1000	1000		
18	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300			300	300	300	300		
19	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200	200	200		
20	Internet Fees	1000	1000			1000	1000	1000	1000		
21	Course Work Fees	1100	1100			1100	1100	1100	1100		
22	ID Card Fee	50	50			50	50	50	50		
23	Residence Fee #										
24	Medical Insurance Fee ***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>15055</b>	<b>15055</b>	<b>1105</b>	<b>1105</b>	<b>16005</b>	<b>18005</b>	<b>16005</b>	<b>18005</b>	<b>1855</b>	<b>1855</b>

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## FEE STRUCTURE FOR SCHOOL

SL NO	Fees Head	Humanities Stream								Science Stream							
		Indian Students				SAARC Students		Non SAARC Students		Indian Students				SAARC Students		Non SAARC Students	
		IX/X/XI/XII		Upto Class VIII		IX/X/XI/XII	Upto Class VIII	IX/X/XI/XII	Upto Class VIII	IX/X/XI/XII		Upto Class VIII		IX/X/XI/XII	Upto Class VIII	IX/X/XI/XII	Upto Class VIII
UR, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD					UR, OBC-NCL & EWS	SC, ST & PWD						
1	Tuition Fee	600				1200	1200	3000	3000	600				1200	1200	3000	3000
2	Admission Fee**	1000	1000			3000	3000	5000	5000	1000	1000			2000	2000	5000	5000
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	250	250			500	500	1250	1250	250	250			500	500	1250	1250
4	Laboratory Fee																
5	Library Admission Fee	25	25			50	50	125	125	25	25			50	50	125	125
6	Examination Fee ****																
7	Marksheet Fee ****																
8	Sports Fee	120	120			240	240	600	600	120	120			240	240	600	600
9	Student's Amenities Fee	50	50			100	100	250	250	50	50			100	100	250	250
10	Medical Fee	123	123	123	123	243	243	603	603	123	123	123	123	123	123	603	603
11	Student's Aid Fee	50	50			100	100	250	250	50	50			100	100	250	250
12	Development Fee	50	50			100	100	250	250	50	50			100	100	250	250
13	Cultural Fee	50	50			100	100	250	250	50	50			100	100	250	250
14	Magazine Fee	70	70	70	70	140	140	350	350	70	70	70	70	140	140	350	350
15	Dinalipi (School Diary)	25	25	25	25	50	50	125	125	25	25	25	25	50	50	125	125
16	News Letter	25	25	25	25	50	50	125	125	25	25	25	25	50	50	125	125
17	Ashram Sammilani	30	30	30	30	60	60	150	150	30	30	30	30	60	60	150	150
18	Caution Money (refundable)	100	100			200	200	500	500	100	100			200	200	500	500
19	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	100	100			200	200	500	500	100	100			200	200	500	500
20	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)									100	100			200	200	500	500
21	Residence Fee #	900	0	900	0	1800	1800	4500	4500	900	0	900	0	1800	1800	4500	4500
22	ID Card Fee	50	50	50	50	100	100	250	250	50	50	50	50	100	100	250	250
23	Medical Insurance Fee***	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192	192
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3810</b>	<b>2310</b>	<b>1415</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>8425</b>	<b>8425</b>	<b>18270</b>	<b>18270</b>	<b>3910</b>	<b>2410</b>	<b>1415</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>7505</b>	<b>7505</b>	<b>18770</b>	<b>18770</b>

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**LIST OF BHAVANA/VIBHAGA/INSTITUTE WITH THE COURSES OFFERED AND CODE NUMBERS:**

Bhavana/Vibhaga	Bhavana/ Vibhaga Code	Programme	Programme Code No.
<b>Bhasha-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Language, Literature & Culture)	11	B.A. (Honours)	11
		M.A.	12
		Diploma	14
		Advanced Diploma	15
		Certificate	16
		One Year Course for Foreign Students	17
		Ph.D.	18
<b>Vidya-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences)	22	B.A. (Honours)	21
		M.A.	22
		One Year Course for Foreign Students	27
		Ph.D.	28
<b>Siksha-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Science)	33	B.Sc. (Honours)	31
		M.Sc. (Inclu. Five Year Integrated M.Sc.)	32
		Ph.D.	33
<b>Sangit-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Music, Dance & Drama)	44	B.P.A (Honours)	41
		M.P. A	42
		Certificate	43
		One Year Course for Foreign Students	45
		Skill Development Course in Esraj	47
		Ph.D.	46
<b>Kala-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Arts & Crafts)	55	B.F.A. (Honours)	51
		M.F.A.	52
		2 Year Skill Development course in textile design	55
		1 Year Post Graduate Diploma leading to MFA in History of Art	50
		One Year Course for Foreign Students	57
		One Year Course for Indian Students	58
		Ph.D.	59
<b>Palli-Samgathana Vibhaga</b> (Institute of Rural Reconstruction)	66	B.S.W. (Honours)	61
		M.S.W.	62
		Bachelor of Rural Studies (Honours)	63
		Master of Rural Studies	64
		M.A. in Rural Management	65
		B. Des.	66
		M.Des.	69
		Ph.D.	68
		Skill development course in folk Music	67
		Diploma in disability studies & social exclusion and inclusive policy	70
<b>Palli-Siksha Bhavana</b> (Institute of Agricultural Science)	77	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture	71
		M.Sc. (Ag.)/(Hort.)/Animal Science (Poultry)	72
		Ph.D.	73
<b>Vinaya-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Education)	88	B.Ed.	81
		M.Ed.	82
		M.A. (Education)	83
		Bachelor of Physical Education and Sports (BPES)	89
		B.P.E.D.	86
		M.P.E.D.	87
		B.Sc. (Hons.) Yoga	84
		M.Sc. Yoga	80
		Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga	80
Ph.D.	88		
<b>Patha-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Elementary, Secondary and Higher Secondary Education)	98	Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Science)	91
		Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Humanities)	92
<b>Siksha-Satra</b> (Institute of Elementary, Secondary and Higher Secondary Education)	99	Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Science)	96
		Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Humanities)	97

### NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY (NEP) 2020: UG PROGRAMMES:

Visva Bharati has introduced National Educational Policy: 2020 for the Undergraduate Programmes from the academic session 2023-24. The curriculum for the four-year Undergraduate Programmes of Visva-Bharati, is primarily based on the regulations of Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes framed under the guideline of UGC & MHRD, Govt. of India in light of National Education Policy: 2020

1. Structure of Course: Four Years Undergraduate course will be comprised of the following –

- Discipline-Specific Course - Major & Minor
- Multi-disciplinary course
- Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course
- Skill Enhancement Course
- Value Added Course
- Internship
- Research Project/Dissertation

2. Duration of Course:

Undergraduate (Honours) is a four-year duration program with multiple entry and exit points and re-entry options, with appropriate certifications such as:

- An Undergraduate Certificate after completing 1 year (2 semesters) of study in the chosen fields of study.
- An Undergraduate Diploma after 2-years (4 semesters) program of study.
- An Undergraduate Degree after 3-years (6 semesters) program of study.
- An Undergraduate Honours after 4-years (8 semesters) program of study. If the student completes a rigorous research project in their major area(s) of study in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of Undergraduate degree (Honours with research).

3. Awarding Undergraduate Certificate, Undergraduate Diploma, Undergraduate Degree, Undergraduate Honours Degree, Undergraduate Honours with Research Degree.

- Undergraduate Certificate: Students who opt to exit after completion of the first year and have secured 46+4 credits will be awarded an Undergraduate Certificate if, in addition, they complete one vocational course of 4 credits. These students are allowed to re-enter the degree program within three years and complete the degree program within the stipulated maximum period of seven years.
- Undergraduate Diploma: Students who opt to exit after completion of the second year and have secured 80+4 credits will be awarded an Undergraduate Diploma if, in addition, they complete one vocational course of 4 credits. These students are allowed to re-enter the degree program within three years and complete the degree program within the stipulated maximum period of seven years.
- 3-years Undergraduate Degree: Students who wish to undergo a 3 years Undergraduate program will be awarded Undergraduate Degree in major discipline after successful completion of three years, securing 120+4 credits.
- 4-years Undergraduate Degree (Honours): A four years Undergraduate Honours Degree in the major discipline will be awarded to those who completed four years degree program with 160+4 credits.
- 4-year Undergraduate Degree (Honours with Research): Student(s) who secure 75% marks and above in the first six semesters and wish to undertake research at the undergraduate level can choose a

research stream in the fourth year. They should complete a research project or dissertation under the guidance of a faculty member having a Ph.D. The research project/dissertation will be in the major discipline. The students who secure 160+4 credits, including 12 credits from a research project/dissertation are awarded Undergraduate Degree (Honours with Research).

4. Visva-Bharati has also adopted the Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) system. Keeping in view of this, 10% of total seats in UG courses can be considered for lateral entry/exit if such application is received, subject to admission eligibility criteria and availability of seats.

The applicants must have a valid Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) account.

The applications will be considered subject to:

- a) Fulfillment of Entrance requirements (having CUET score higher than its cut off value for the subject at entry year).
- b) Fulfillment of Credit equivalence.
- c) Fulfillment of Departmental criteria.

Point b and c will be checked and approved by the NEP Equivalence Committee.

The candidates are required to submit an application for lateral entry to the Visva-Bharati Admission Coordination Cell, along with the following documents:

- The CUET scorecard for the year in which the candidate secured admission.
- Mark Sheets of all completed semesters prior to the semester for which the candidate is seeking admission.

## **NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY (NEP) 2020: PG PROGRAMMES:**

Visva-Bharati will admit students in different 2-year PG Programmes of various departments under NEP 2020 in the coming academic session 2026-2027. A student shall be eligible for admission to the 2-year PG Programmes under NEP 2020 of Visva-Bharati if he/she has passed a 3-year undergraduate degree with a minimum of 120 credits and as per university rules.

### **1. Exit Opportunity:**

Students who join the 2-year PG programmes will get one exit point at the end of 1st year i.e., second semester and students who exit at the end of 1st year shall be awarded a Post graduate Diploma.

### **2. Structure of the Programme:**

Minimum number of credits to be earned during a 2-year PG programme under NEP is 80 which are distributed as under:

Year 1: Semester I: - at least 20 credits (course level 400)

Semester II: - at least 20 credits

- (a) For those who will take exit after one year of the programme at least 20 credits (course level 400)

- (b) For those who will continue the programme for the Second year at least 20 credits (course levels 400 and 500)

Year 2: Semester III: - at least 20 credits (courses of level 500)

Semester IV: - at least 20 credits (courses of level 500)

## **NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY (NEP) 2020: FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED M.Sc. PROGRAMME:**

Visva-Bharati will admit students in Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. Programme of Integrated Science Education and Research Centre (ISERC) under NEP-2020 in the coming academic session 2026-2027. At the beginning of the first semester, a student will opt for one major subject out of four subjects, *viz.*, Chemistry, Life Science, Mathematics and Physics. However, offering major subjects will be at the discretion of the Centre.

At the end of first year, any student, if willing, may change the major subject. However, no further change in the major subject of a student will be permitted.

After successful completion of third year (Semesters – I to VI), students may exit with ‘B.Sc. degree in major (Chemistry/Life Science/Mathematics/Physics)’ or continue further.

After successful completion of fourth year (Semesters – I to VIII), students may exit with ‘B.Sc. Honours degree in major (Chemistry/Life Science/Mathematics/Physics)’ or continue further.

After successful completion of fifth year (Semesters – I to X), students will obtain two degrees, *viz.* ‘B.Sc. Honours degree in major (Chemistry/Life Science/Mathematics/Physics)’ and ‘Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. degree in major (Chemistry/Life Science/Mathematics/Physics)’.

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOLS: 2026-2027

For the academic session 2026-27, Visva-Bharati will admit students in different classes under Schools of Visva-Bharati.

1. MODALITIES FOR ADMISSION ARE SPECIFIED IN THE RELEVANT SECTION IN EACH SCHOOLS/BHAVANA.
2. Students must apply through ONLINE PORTAL: [vbadmission.in](http://vbadmission.in)
3. The modalities of Admission Test (wherever applicable), dates, notifications for the different classes will be informed from time to time on Visva-Bharati Website/ Admission Portal/ School Notice Board.
4. **Selection will be made for Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala and Santosh Pathshala through online lottery system or otherwise and details will be announced in due course through university admission portal.**
5. The qualifying marks of Admission Test shall be 30% for UR & EWS candidates and 27% for OBC-NCL candidates (wherever applicable). There shall be no qualifying marks in case of SC & ST candidates.
6. Incomplete applications are liable to be summarily rejected.
7. **Applicants must upload their original final marksheet (both sides) of previous examination and other relevant documents at the time of application, failing which his/her candidature will not be considered for admission. In case of online provisional admission, the original documents will be verified by the Bhavana/ School concerned before the commencement of class. If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled. Uploaded documents will be treated as final and the same documents will have to be produced at the time of physical verification.**
8. In case of grading system in 10<sup>th</sup> board result, the applicants must obtain the percentage of marks for their grades mentioned in the mark sheets, otherwise the minimum marks in the range against the grade will be considered for the calculation.
9. Candidates coming from other Institution/ Schools must submit Transfer Certificates / School Leaving Certificates from their respective Institution/ Schools within 3 (Three) months from the date of their admission to the University as per rules; otherwise, their admission are liable to be cancelled.
10. Candidates should collect, on their own, information about the exact dates of publication of the results of the admission tests 2026-2027 from the University website/ Admission Portal /offices of the respective Schools.
11. Admission to Class XI for the Schools will be solely on the basis of marks obtained at the Secondary Level (Madhyamik Pariksha or an equivalent examination) in 2025 & 2026 [percentage is to be calculated on the basis of the marks obtained by the candidate except additional subject (if any)].
12. Total intake capacity printed in the Prospectus for class XI is applicable for the external (Day Scholar/ Residential) candidates only.
13. The candidates must bring medical fitness certificate from any hospital or doctor with registration number at the time of admission/ physical class.
14. The medical Insurance is mandatory. All candidates are requested to pay medical Insurance fee. Amount will be taken as shown in the School Fee structure in the Prospectus.
15. It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class (Online/Offline) for first seven working days from the commencement of classes. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled.
16. 25% of intake capacity will be made available for international students/ foreign students which will be calculated as supernumerary seats. 5% of seats out of the 25% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and Southeast Asia.

Foreign Applicants need to apply separately for the Schools at Visva-Bharati for their admission as their admission process is not same for Indian nationals. They are requested to visit Visva-Bharati Admission Portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>) regularly for updated information and fill up the form accordingly.

**17. Applicants are advised to visit Visva-Bharati website: <http://www.visvabharati.ac.in> or Admission Portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/> for any updates(inclusion/omission) at regular intervals.**

**18. Candidates must be very careful during entry of the marks obtained in the Class X board examinations on the basis of which merit list will be prepared for class XI Admission. No claim shall be entertained subsequently for data entry mistake committed by the applicant at the time of online application.**

The category declared in the registration form by the applicant shall be considered final while preparation of merit list.

**19.A. Merit List for admission to class XI will be made based on the results of the X<sup>th</sup> or equivalent examination.**

- i. Merit list will be prepared solely on the basis of aggregate marks obtained at the secondary level (Madhyamik Pariksha or an equivalent examination) in 2025 & 2026 [aggregate marks will be calculated on the basis of the marks obtained by the candidate except additional subject (if any)].
- ii. If two or more applicants rank the same in the merit list, preference will be given in the following order:
  - a) The candidate securing higher marks in English in class X board examination conducted by a recognized Board/Council/University/Institute.
  - b) The candidate senior by date of birth.

**Example Sample:**

Marks obtained: English-90, Bengali-80, Physical Science-95, Mathematics-98, Life Science-90, Geography-90, History -98, Additional Subject-89. The aggregate marks (English-90, Bengali-80, Physical Science-95, Mathematics-98, Life Science-90, Geography-90, and History 98) is equal to 641.

**19.B. Merit List for admission to class II - VIII will be made based on the results of Admission Test (Online/ Offline).**

- i. Merit list will be prepared solely on the basis of Admission Test.
- ii. If two or more applicants rank the same in the merit list, preference will be given to the candidate senior by date of birth.

**20. Admit cards for Admission Tests (wherever applicable) to be collected from the respective Schools.**

**21. Applicants will have to report at least one and a half hours before the commencement of admission tests if it is conducted through offline mode.**

**22. Students against whom disciplinary action has been taken for indiscipline/anti-institutional activities etc. shall not be eligible for admission to the university academic programme.**

**23. All matters of dispute shall be taken to Bolpur Court, District Birbhum under the jurisdiction of Calcutta High Court.**

**24. Reservation Guidelines for admission**

- a. **Reservation in admission to all courses of the University shall strictly be done as per Government of India Rules.**
- b. Percentage of Reservation: Not less than 5% seats for PWD candidates, 15% seats for SC candidates, 7.5 % seats for ST candidates, 27% seats for OBC-NCL candidates and 10% for EWS candidates.
- c. Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)

[UGC (MHRD) order F.No.81-1/2019 (CU) dated 18<sup>th</sup> January. 2019] CRITERIA OF INCOME & ASSETS:

- i. Candidates who are not covered under the scheme of reservation for SCs, STs and OBC-NCLs and whose family has gross annual income below Rs.8.00 lakh (Rupees eight lakh) only are to be identified as EWSs for benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to the year of application. Further candidates whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income:
  - 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
  - Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft and above;
  - Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
  - Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- ii. The property held by a “Family” in different locations places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land of property holding test to determine EWS status.
- iii. The term “Family” for the purpose will include the person who seeks benefits of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years

#### **Income and Asset certificate issuing Authority and Verification of certificate**

- a) The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format will only be accepted as proof of candidate’s claim as belonging to EWS:
  - District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/First class Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner;
  - Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate;
  - Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
  - Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides,
- b) The officers who issue the certificate would do the same after carefully verifying all relevant documents following due process as prescribed by the respective state/UT.
- c) The crucial date for submitting income and asset certificate by the candidate may be treated as the closing date for receipt of application.
- iv. Relaxation of Marks: 5% marks for PWD candidates and 10% marks for OBC-NCL candidates in minimum qualifying marks/standard. SC/ST candidates passed in qualifying examination shall be admitted in the order of merit.
- v. Only ‘non-creamy layer’ OBC-NCL candidates as per ‘Central list of OBC-NCL’ (<http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user-panel/centralliststateview.aspx>) shall get the benefit of reservation in admission.
- vi. PWD, SC, ST and OBC-NCL candidates shall have to produce original disability certificate/caste certificate issued by competent authority at the time of admission.
- vii. Any change in Govt. of India Reservation policy prior to the date of admission shall be applicable during the admission process.
- viii. Certificates in respect of SC/ST/OBC-NCL/Differently abled candidates should be issued by appropriate authorities authorized by the respective Government in this regard within their respective jurisdictions (e.g. District Magistrate/District Collector/ Additional District Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Officer/Sub-Divisional Magistrate)/ Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate/Revenue Officer not below the rank of

Tehsildar/Deputy Commissioners/First Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/ Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta/Deputy Collector of Land Revenue, Calcutta). Certificates issued by an appropriate authority, who have been authorized by the Government to issue such certificates in case of candidates claiming to be Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates and ordinarily residing within such jurisdictions, may only be accepted.

- ix. Category Certificates (OBC-NCL Non-Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD) should be issued by competent authority.

Validity period for category certificates will be as follows:

**For OBC: The OBC Certificate must remain valid during the application process (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC-NCL Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory.**

**For EWS: One (01) year (last financial year).**

**For PWD: Certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate.**

No request for further timing will be entertained.

### Differently Abled Persons (Divyangan)

(Certificates from at least Sub-Divisional level Govt. hospitals are necessary) Minimum degree of disability should be 40% in order to be eligible for any benefits.

### Orthopaedically Handicapped/Locomotor Disability/Cerebral palsy:

The Orthopedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity which cause an interference with the normal functioning of the bones, muscles and joints. All cases of orthopedically handicapped persons would be covered under this category.

### Visually Handicapped (Blind and partially blind)

A person inflicted with any of the following disabilities shall be considered;

- Total absence of sight
- With visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with correcting lenses
- With limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of 20 degrees or worse

The Visually Handicapped (VH) candidates should possess the latest certificates issued by an authorized hospital under the Govt. of India/State Governments.

### Hearing Impairment/Deafness

The deaf are those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purposes of life. They do not hear or understand sounds at all events with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having hearing loss for more than 60 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) or total loss of hearing in both ears.

- Certificate of Category (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PWD etc.) must be produced during counselling. If the candidate fails to produce the same, the next candidate in the panel will be given the chance.
- Presence of Natural Guardian of a Candidate during admission is desirable.

The Differently abled (PWD) candidates with not less than 40% disability shall be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility of 5% in the qualifying examination.

25. Application fees (non-refundable):

Category	For first Application	For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Application to another school, VB
For GEN, OBC-NCL & EWS Candidates	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 400/-
For SC, ST & PWD Candidates	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 150/-

## 26. ONLINE APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Candidates have to apply through our online application system [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in). The online application allows the candidate to provide all information and also to upload scanned photograph (4 cm x 3 cm) and signature.

27. The application fee in case of an online application may be paid by any one of the following ways:
- Candidate can make the payment online using any of the online payment methods of Net Banking, Debit Card, Credit Card, payment through mobiles (A nominal TDR charge would be applicable). Candidates would get INSTANT confirmation of their payments and submissions when they pay through online payment methods as listed.

### **No Cash payment will be allowed**

Prospective candidates are advised to visit Visva-Bharati website/ Admission portal ([www.visva-bharati.ac.in](http://www.visva-bharati.ac.in) or <https://www.vbadmission.in/>) at regular intervals for updates.

28. Rights of cancellation or selection/admission lie with the Admission Committee of the Institute concerned: The University reserves the right to limit the number of eligible applicants to be called for admission test (wherever applicable).
29. Admission Test Centres: Admission Tests for the school (wherever applicable) will be held at Santiniketan and Sriniketan. The dates and venues will be notified on the University website/ Admission portal/Bhavana notice board. In case of online admission test, modalities will be announced on the University website/ Admission portal/Bhavana notice board.

## 30. Important Dates and Times:

Submission of Application (Online)	Deadline of all courses
Online publication of Merit list /Rank list	To be announced in the University Admission Portal: <a href="https://www.vbadmission.in/">https://www.vbadmission.in/</a>
Admission from First Merit List	Details of Counselling Process will be notified in due course of time
Admission from Second Merit List	
Commencement of Classes	

\*Not more than one type of relaxation shall be granted to any candidate.

Registrar  
Visva-Bharati

## PATHA BHAVANA

### INSTITUTE OF ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY & HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION

#### CODE NO: 98

Patha-Bhavana, The Poet's School, was originally founded as *Brahmacharya Ashrama* in 1901 by Rabindranath Tagore in the model of *Tapovana* education. The idea of making it an institute 'where the world meets in a single nest' (*yatra visvambhatyekanidam*) led to its growth as a university, Visva-Bharati in 1922. *Brahmacharya Ashrama* was later renamed as Patha-Bhavana in 1924. Visva-Bharati was made a Central University and an Institution of National Importance in 1951 by an act of the parliament.

Patha-Bhavana still upholds Tagore's idea of education, which he conceived as going beyond rote learning to add to the complete development of an individual. It was, and still is a deviation from other conventional institutions. Tagore tried to develop a curriculum which would be different from only text-based learning. Facilities are there to let one's sensitive heart feel a harmony that exists in nature and to be one with it. Joy, freedom mutual trust and co-operation are the basic principles of Patha-Bhavana. At Patha-Bhavana classes are still held in open air under the trees. Various activities are designed to help children learn the value of innovation and creativity. Along with the normal school subjects, students are exposed to painting, clay modelling, handicraft and other creative assignments. Every student has to take part in music and dance. All these are given equal importance in the learning process.

Till today, *Asram Sammilani* (the students' council), founded by the Poet himself in 1912 and an important aspect of his educational idea, aims at developing self-reliance, self-discipline and self-restraint among students. It has several wings and notable among them are the activities *Sahitya-Vibhaga* (Literary Unit), *Seva Vibhaga* (Social Service), *Paribesh Vibhaga* (Environment) and *Vichar Sabha* (Judiciary). Attending weekly prayer meetings at the *Upasana Griha*, participating in games and sports and different festivals of the University are part of life of a student of Patha-Bhavana.

As was envisaged, Patha-Bhavana is primarily a residential institution, though there is provision to study as a day-scholar for staff-wards and candidates admitted at Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala. It is a co-educational institution. It imparts education from K. G. to Class XII. The medium of instruction is primarily Bengali. However, facilities of learning in English are provided to students whose mother tongue is other than Bengali. Students appear in 'School Certificate Examination' after Class X and Pre-Degree Examination after Class XII, both conducted by Visva-Bharati.

The academic session for Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala and Patha-Bhavana up to Class X is January to December every year. The academic session for pre-Degree course commences in May every year.

#### ADMISSION TO MRINLINI ANANDA PATHSHALA

Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala, established in memory of Rabindranath's wife Mrinalini Devi, is the nursery unit of Patha-Bhavana. Children move on to Patha-Bhavana on completion of two years of learning at the Pathshala.

Children are admitted to Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala at 4+ years. An advertisement for admission to Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala is generally published in the university website [www.visva-bharati.ac.in](http://www.visva-bharati.ac.in) in September every year. Application Forms can be submitted through online mode. Candidates are selected on the basis of a computerized random selection generally held in December every year. Classes commence in January next year.

#### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS II

Generally residential students are admitted to Class II. The age of the candidates should be 7+ years. An advertisement for admission to Class II is generally published in the university website: [www.visva-bharati.ac.in](http://www.visva-bharati.ac.in)

[bharati.ac.in](http://bharati.ac.in) in September every year. Candidates have to apply online. Candidates are selected on the basis of an admission test. The admission test is generally held in December every year. Classes commence in January next year.

### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO OTHER CLASSES

For admission to other classes [between classes III to VIII], admission will be opened subject to availability of seats. Necessary notification will be published on the University admission portal in September every year. Candidates can apply online. Candidates are selected on the basis of an admission test. The admission test is generally held in December every year. Classes commence in January next year.

### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO PRE - DEGREE (10+2) COURSE (NEP 2020)

- Online applications are invited for Admission of students to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level) (NEP 2020). External residential candidates are admitted to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level) (NEP 2020) in Patha-Bhavana. For external admission to class XI in the academic year 2026-27, candidate who have successfully completed the class 10<sup>th</sup> level Board Examination from any board in the year 2025 or 2026, will be eligible to apply (subject to fulfilment of eligibility marks).

Course	Stream	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC-NCL candidates	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Tot
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 915	Natural Science	80% marks in aggregate and 80% in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination 2025 or 2026	72% marks in aggregate and 72% in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination 2025 or 2026	5	3	2	1	1	12
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 916	Social Science	70% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination 2025 or 2026	63% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination 2025 or 2026	5	3	2	1	1	12

For SC/ST candidates: Pass marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent Examination 2025 or 2026.

- Staff-wards may also apply if he / she fulfils the above-mentioned eligibility criteria.
- Integrated students from Patha Bhavan, Visva-Bharati who have successfully completed the School Certificate Examination 2025 or 2026 of Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly. The requisite percentage for Integrated students is as follows:

Course	Stream	Eligibility	
		For UR candidates	For OBC-NCL candidates
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 915	Natural Science	70% marks in aggregate and 70% in mathematics in School Certificate	63% marks in aggregate and 63% in mathematics in School Certificate

		Examinaton 2025 or 2026	Examinaton 2025 or 2026
<b>Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 916</b>	<b>Social Science</b>	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examinaton 2025 or 2026	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examinaton 2025 or 2026

For SC/ST candidates: Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examinaton 2025 or 2026

Reservation for SC / ST / OBC-NCL / EWS and PWD will be as per the Government of India rules.

### Course of Study and subjects offered:

Natural Science (Subjects offered)				Social Science (Subjects offered)			
Group-1	L1	Bengali, Hindi, Sanskrit	(Any one)	Group-1	L1	Bengali, Hindi, Sanskrit	(Any one)
	L2	English, Japanese	(Any one)		L2	English, Japanese	(Any one)
Group-2	Batik Work, Elements of Computer Science, Library Science, Physical Education, Textile and Weaving, Wood Work		(Any one)	Group-2	Batik Work, Elements of Computer Science, Library Science, Physical Education, Textile and Weaving, Wood Work		(Any one)
Group-4	I. Food & Nutrition / Mathematics II. Biology/ Statistics* III. Physics IV. Chemistry	At least 3 maximum 4	Group-3	I. Food & Nutrition / Mathematics / Political Science II. Geography / Philosophy / Statistics* III. Economics / History IV. Esraj/ Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)/ Manipuri Dance/ Painting/ Rabindra Sangeet/ Sitar/ Tabla	At least 3 maximum 4		

\* For Statistics, Mathematics is compulsory.

Note:

1. Candidates once admitted as Residential cannot be recategorized as Day Scholar.
2. Admission to Class XI will be solely on the basis of marks obtained at the Secondary Level (Madhyamik Pariksha or an equivalent examination) in 2025 & 2026 (except the additional subject) for external candidates and on the basis of marks obtained in the School Certificate Examination 2025 and 2026 for integrated students.
3. Candidates may contact Patha-Bhavana Office for subject combination.
4. Subject combination may vary as per NEP-2020.

Weekly Holidays: Wednesday & Sunday

# SIKSHA SATRA

INSTITUTE OF ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY & HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION

CODE NO: 99

(NON-RESIDENTIAL)

Siksha-Satra, an integral part of Visva-Bharati, was established on July 1, 1924 as an experimental School at Santiniketan. The school was later shifted to Sriniketan in the year 1927. Rabindranath had conceived that Siksha-Satra would perform the most significant function of Sriniketan, in helping students to the attainment of manhood complete in all its various aspects. The primary objective of Siksha-Satra is to educate one's head, heart and hands not merely to be in readiness for all emergencies, but also to be in perfect tune in the symphony of response between life and the world.

*The poet confesses, "... I myself attach much more significance to the educational possibilities of Siksha-Satra than to the school and college at Santiniketan which are everyday becoming more and more like so many schools and colleges of this country: borrowed cages that treat students' minds as captive birds whose sole value is judged according to the mechanical repetition of lessons prescribed by an educational dispensation foreign to the soil".* He had visualized that the 'Poet's School' would one day realize his dreams.

**Mahatma Gandhi came to visit Siksha-Satra in 1925 and became so pleased with its activities that he wanted to borrow the services of the Headmaster of Siksha-Satra for giving shape of his own plan of Basic Education. The Basic Education of Mahatma Gandhi started in the year 1937.**

In 1982, Siksha-Satra became an independent unit of Visva-Bharati gaining its complete administrative control (earlier it was a part of Palli Samgathana Vibhaga). The junior division NCC unit was opened at Siksha-Satra in 1982 and NSS unit was opened in 2009. In 1988, Santosh Pathshala, the Kindergarten Institute at Sriniketan was opened under the administrative control of Siksha-Satra which later became an integral part of the School. The students of Santosh Pathshala move on to Siksha-Satra after successful completion of two years of Pre-Primary schooling.

In 1976, when the 10+2 system of education was introduced all over India, Uttar Siksha Sadana came into existence as a separate unit of Visva-Bharati for classes XI and XII. However, in 2009 the Academic Council of Visva-Bharati decided that the students will benefit more if they remain within the careful guidance of their respective institutions after completing Class X. As a result, Uttar Siksha Sadana was merged with Siksha-Satra and Patha-Bhavana and, at present, both the schools offer Pre-Degree course for Natural Science and Social Science.

In respect to objective, curriculum, pedagogy and methodology, Siksha-Satra today functions as a Non-residential Institution offering several subjects of study unique to its nature. The students of Siksha-Satra appear in the School Certificate Examination after Class X and Pre-Degree Examination after Class XII conducted by Visva-Bharati.

## ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO SANTOSH PATHSHALA

In 1988, Santosh Pathshala was established in the memory of Sri Santosh Chandra Majumder, the first Principal of Siksha-Satra, one of the most dedicated co-workers of Gurudev Rabindranath, the pioneer, in forming and developing Sriniketan. Children are admitted to Santosh Pathshala at the age of 4+ years. Advertisement for admission to Santosh Pathshala is generally published on the university website: [https:// www.visvabharati.ac.in](https://www.visvabharati.ac.in) & [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in), tentatively in September every year. Candidates will have to apply online through Visva-Bharati website. Candidates are selected on the basis of Computerized Random Selection (Lottery). Classes of new academic session normally commence in January every year.

## ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS V and VI

The day scholar students at the age of 10+ and 11+ years are admitted to Class V & VI respectively. Advertisement for admission to Class V & VI is generally published on the university website: [https:// www.visvabharati.ac.in](https://www.visvabharati.ac.in) & [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) tentatively in September every year. Candidates will have to apply Online through Visva-Bharati Website for the specified classes mentioned in the advertisement. Age is the basic eligibility for applying in the concerned class. Candidates are selected on the basis of Admission Test. The Admission Test is generally held, tentatively in December every year. Classes of new academic session normally commence in January every year. Academic session is from January to December, every year.

## ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO PRE-DEGREE (NEP) PROGRAMME (10+2) FOR EXTERNAL STUDENTS

Online applications are invited for Admission of students to Pre-Degree Course (10+2). External Day-Scholar candidates are admitted to Pre-Degree (NEP) Course (10+2) in Siksha-Satra.

There will be a two-year Pre-Degree programme consisting of two semesters in each academic year, i.e. Class-XI and Class XII. The division of semesters will be as follows:

- Class- XI, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester
- Class-XII, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester

For the semester examinations of the Pre-Degree first year (Class-XI), matters related to evaluation and publication of results will be undertaken by the respective institutes (i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra).

The semester examinations of the Pre-Degree second year (Class-XII) will be conducted by the Examination Section of the University.

A candidate after passing both the semesters of Class- XI conducted by the Institutes concerned (i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra) will be permitted to continue his/her studies for Class-XII.

The results of the Pre-Degree Examinations will be based on the performance of a candidate in both the semesters of Class-XII.

The candidates who have successfully passed the Madhyamik Pariksha (10<sup>th</sup> level) or equivalent examination from any recognized board in the year 2025 or 2026 will be eligible to apply (subject to fulfilment of eligibility marks) in the academic session 2026-2027.

**The minimum requisite percentage of marks for external students is as follows:**

Course	Stream	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR Candidates	For OBC Candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Pre-Dgree (+2 Level) Code: 917	Natural Science	Minimum 80% marks in aggregate and 80% marks in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha (10 <sup>th</sup> Level) or equivalent examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	Minimum 72% marks in aggregate and 72% marks in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha (10 <sup>th</sup> Level) or equivalent examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	5	3	2	1	1	12

<b>Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code: 918</b>	<b>Social Science</b>	Minimum 70% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10 <sup>th</sup> Level) or equivalent examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	Minimum 63% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10 <sup>th</sup> Level) or equivalent examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	5	3	2	1	1	12
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- **For SC/ST Candidates:** Pass marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10<sup>th</sup> Level) or equivalent examination in the year 2025 or 2026 for both Natural Science and Social Science Stream.
- **Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/EWS and PWD will be as per Govt. of India rules.**

Integrated students of Siksha-Satra, Visva-Bharati, who have successfully passed the School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026 from Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly. Limited number of integrated students of Siksha-Satra will be offered Natural Science in Pre-Degree Course according to marks obtained in the School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.

The minimum requisite percentage of marks for integrated students is as follows:

- **For SC/ST candidates:** Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026 for both Natural Science and Social Science Stream.

Course	Stream	Eligibility	
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
<b>Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code: 917</b>	<b>Natural Science</b>	70% marks in aggregate and 70% marks in Mathematics in School Certificates Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	63% marks in aggregate and 63% marks in Mathematics in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.
<b>Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code: 918</b>	<b>Social Science</b>	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2025 or 2026.

❖ **Course of study and subjects offered:**

\* For Statistics Mathematics is compulsory.

Social Science (Subjects offered)				Natural Science (Subjects offered)			
Group 1	L1	Bengali, Hindi	(Any one)	Group 1	L1	Bengali, Hindi	(Any one)
		English			L2	English	
Group 2	Batik Work, Library Science, Physical Education, Tabla, Wood Work, Rabindra Sangeet, Spinning and Weaving, Elements of Computer Science, Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal), Survey Training, Manipuri Dance, Painting		(Any one)	Group 2	Batik Work, Library Science, Physical Education, Tabla, Wood Work, Rabindra Sangeet, Spinning and Weaving, Elements of Computer Science, Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal), Survey Training, Manipuri Dance, Painting		(Any one)
Group 3	1. Mathematics/Political Science/ Food and Nutrition 2. Statistics*/Philosophy/ Geography 3. Economics/History 4. Japanese/Sanskrit		At least 3, Maximum 4	Group 4	1. Mathematics/Food and Nutrition 2. Biology/ Statistics* 3. Chemistry 4. Physics		At least 3, Maximum 4

**Note:**

1. Admission to Class XI for Siksha-Satra for external students will be solely on the basis of marks obtained in the Madhyamik Pariksha (10<sup>th</sup> level) or an equivalent examination in the year 2025 or 2026. (percentage is to be calculated on the basis of marks obtained by the candidates except additional subject if any)
2. Candidates may contact Siksha-Satra Office for subject combination.

Weekly Holidays: Saturday and Sunday

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR UG PROGRAMMES: 2026-27

For the Academic session 2026-27, Visva-Bharati will admit students for different Under Graduate (UG) programmes on the basis of the score of CUET-2026 except for a few activity/performance-based subjects.

1. Eligibility criteria for admission are specified in the relevant section in each Bhavana.
2. Students have to apply through ONLINE PORTAL: <https://cuet.nta.nic.in/> & for instructions visit <https://cuet.samarth.ac.in/index.php/app/registration/instructions>. CUET score is mandatory (EXCEPT FOREIGN NATIONAL) to get admission in any UG programme at Visva-Bharati for the session 2026-27. Other applications/requests will not be entertained, in any way.
3. For step-to-step online application guidelines for UG programmes candidates should have to follow information bulletin:  
<https://cdnbbsr.s3waas.gov.in/s3d1a21da7bca4abff8b0b61b87597de73/uploads/2026/01/202601031633478370.pdf>.
4. For CUET-2026 (UG) examination, candidate had to select test paper(s) based on the following table:

Programme/ Course offered	Test Paper to CUET - 2026 (with code)	Programme/ Course offered	Test Paper to CUET - 2026 (with code)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Bengali (Major)	Bengali (104)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - German (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Chinese (Major)	English (101) or General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Italian (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - French (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Russian (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - English (Major)	English (101) or General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - History (Major)	History (314)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Hindi (Major)	Hindi (102) or General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Rabindra Sangit (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Indo-Tibetan (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Instrumental) - Sitar (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)

Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Japanese (Major)	English (101) or General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Instrumental) - Esraj (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Persian (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Instrumental) - Esraj (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Odia (Major)	Odia (109)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Kathakali Dance (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501) Test
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Sanskrit (Major)	Sanskrit (325)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Drama & Theatre Arts (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Santali (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Rabindra Nritya (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Economics (Major)	Mathematics (319) [Compulsory]; Economics/Business Economics (309) [Optional] Criterion for preparation of the Merit list: Candidate must appear in Mathematics (319). The candidate may additionally appear in Economics/Business Economics (309). Decision on rank in merit list will be based on the following: (i) If the candidate appears only in Mathematics (319); then score of Mathematics (319) will be considered (ii) If the candidate appears in both the papers Mathematics (319) and Economics/Business Economics (309); then the best of the two scores will be considered.	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Ceramic & Glass Design	General Aptitude Test (501)

Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Geography (Major)	Geography (313)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Furniture & Interior Design (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Ancient Indian History Culture and Archeology (Major)	History (314)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Textile Design (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Philosophy (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Physical Education & Sports (Major)	Physical Education (321) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Yoga (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501) or Physical Education (Yoga, Sports) (321)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Vocal) [Major]	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Ceramics and Glass Design (Major)	Fine Arts (312)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Instrumental) - Tabla (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Graphic Art (Printmaking) [Major]	Fine Arts (312)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - HCM (Instrumental) - Pakhawaj (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Painting (Major)	Fine Arts (312)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Manipuri Dance (Major)	Performing Arts-(Dance, Drama and Music) (320) or General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Sculpture (Major)	Fine Arts (312)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Comparative Religion (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Textile Design (Major) [Kala-Bhavana]	Fine Arts (312)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Social Work (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - History of Art (Major)	Fine Arts (312) or General Aptitude Test (501)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Rural Studies (Major)	General Aptitude Test (501)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Zoology (Major)	Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry (304)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Physics (Major)	Physics (322)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Botany (Major)	Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry (304)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Mathematics (Major)	Mathematics (319)

Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Chemistry (Major)	Chemistry (306) and Mathematics (319)	Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Statistics (Major)	Mathematics (319)
Four Year Undergraduate Programme - Computer Science (Major)	Mathematics (319)		
Five-Year Integrated M.Sc.	Candidates seeking admission to the Five-Year Integrated M. Sc. Programme in Visva-Bharati have to appear for CUET (UG) 2026. They are required to appear for all the four subjects, viz. Biology (304), Chemistry (306), Mathematics (319) and Physics (322), for admission to the Five-Year Integrated M. Sc. Programme in Visva-Bharati. Candidates, who will not appear in all the four subjects (viz. Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics) will not be considered for admission to the Five-Year Integrated M. Sc. programme in Visva-Bharati. Criterion for preparation of the Merit list: Sum of the scores obtained in all the four subjects (Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics).	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture	Physics (322), Chemistry (306), Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry (304), Mathematics (319) or Physics (322), Chemistry (306), Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry (304) Agriculture (302). Criterion for preparation of the Merit list: Sum of the scores obtained in all the four subjects in either combination.

5. Merely participating in the above-mentioned tests does not ensure admission in Visva-Bharati. Candidates (External & VB Integrated) willing to get admission in PG programmes at Visva-Bharati, must register their candidature in the Visva-Bharati Admission Portal- [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) .

<b>Registration Fee (Not Refundable)</b>	
<b>Category</b>	<b>Fee</b>
<b>For GEN, EWS &amp; OBC-NCL</b>	<b>Rs. 250/-</b>
<b>For SC, ST &amp; PWD</b>	<b>Rs. 100/-</b>

6. During registration, candidates are advised to safeguard their log in id, email and passwords to prevent its misuse. In case of any mishap with id and password, it will be sole responsibility of the candidate.
7. If multiple applications are submitted by an applicant for a single subject/program, the latest application will be considered for admission.

8. It is advised to all the applicants to use email ID and mobile number (preferably WhatsApp) either of the candidates or his/her parents for direct/easy contact from the VB admission coordination cell. Better not to use any contact number and mail ID of others or cyber cafe. VB admission cell may not be responsible for improper/incorrect mail ID and mobile number noted during online form fill up by the applicant
9. Subject-wise rank list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate(s) in CUET-2026 for the admission to different UG programmes except, for some activity/performance-based subjects, under Kala Bhavana, Sangit Bhavana, BPES (Bachelor of Physical Education & Sports) and Yogic Art & Science under Vinaya Bhavana where both CUET score as well as admission test conducted by the concerned department will be considered.
10. **Tie-break for UG programmes:** If two or more applicants rank the same in the merit list based on the CUET 2026 score, preference will be given in the following order:
- I. **The candidate securing higher % in aggregate marks in best of five subjects at 10+2 level in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board/Council/University/Institute.**
  - II. **The candidates securing higher % of marks in the relevant subject corresponding to the concerned honours subject at UG level in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board/Council/University/Institute which is mentioned in the table below:**

Following table will be consulted to find out the marks of the corresponding Honours Subject:

Hons. Subjects offered	Marks of the subject which is considered as Honours	Hons. Subjects offered	Marks of the subject which is considered as Honours
Agriculture	The combination of following subjects will be considered: 1) Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Life Science), Agriculture or 2) Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Life Science) and Mathematics.	All subjects of B.P.A. (Hons.) Sangit Bhavana	Best of any subject
AIHC&A	Best of History, English, Social Science and Science, Philosophy and Classical Languages.	Bachelor of Physical Education and Sports	Best of any subject
Bengali	Bengali	Japanese	English
Botany	Biology/Biological Science/ Life Science	B. Des.	English
Chemistry	Chemistry	Mathematics (B.Sc.)	Mathematics
Chinese	English	Persian (Prep)	English
Comparative Religion	Best of any Subject	Philosophy	Best of any Subject
Computer Science	Mathematics	Physics	Physics
Economics	Best of Economics/ Mathematics/ Business Economics including Business Mathematics	Rural Studies	Best of concerned subjects (Subjects names are mentioned under Department description)

English	English	Odia	Odia
French/German/ Italian/Russian	English	Santali	Best of any Indian Languages
Geography	Geography	Social Work	Best of any subject except vocational subjects.
Hindi	Hindi	Statistics	Best out of Statistics/ Mathematics
History	History/English (If history not available)	Yoga (B.Sc.)	Best of any Subject
Indo-Tibetan	English	Zoology	Biological Science/Life Science
Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Any other subjects not specified above	Best of any subject
All subjects of BFA (Hons.) Kala Bhavana	Best of any subject		

### III. The candidate is senior by date of birth.

11. Candidates must be very careful during the entry of the data/information. No claim shall be entertained subsequently for data entry mistakes committed by the applicant at the time of the online application. Incomplete applications are liable to be rejected summarily.  
The category declared in the registration form by the applicant shall be considered final while preparation of merit list.
12. In the case of the grading system in 10+2 result, the applicants must obtain the percentage of marks for their grades mentioned in the mark sheets and mention the same on the form properly.
13. **There shall be no restriction on year gap for candidates seeking admission to Undergraduate (UG) and Postgraduate (PG) programmes subject to fulfilment of other prescribed eligibility criteria.**
14. Total intake capacity in different UG courses (Except a few courses) is mentioned in the Prospectus for both external and integrated candidates (i.e. two schools) of Visva-Bharati. After the admission of integrated students to UG programmes from two schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra, the remaining integrated seats will be made available for external applicants under different categories i.e. PWD, UR, EWS, OBC-NCL, SC and ST.
15. Some Undergraduate Programme of Sangeet Bhavana, Kala Bhavana, Palli Samgathana Vibhaga and Vinaya Bhavana, a separate skill tests (online/offline) shall be conducted. Date, time and details of which will be published in the University admission portal- [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in).
16. The mode of counselling for admission will be announced in due course.
17. If online counselling:
  - a) The admission granted to the candidates based on the information furnished by the applicants during online registration process will be purely provisional.
  - b) **The list of documents required to be presented during the counselling process shall be specified in the counselling notice which will be available on [vbadmission.in](http://vbadmission.in). The students must present their credentials/documents in Digi locker format. The number of candidates invited for counselling will depend on the availability of seats and applicable**

**reservation guidelines. Candidates shortlisted for counselling will be notified via email and SMS; therefore, they are advised to provide valid and accurate email addresses and contact numbers. The University shall not be held responsible for any failure to receive communication due to incorrect contact details. Candidates are further advised to regularly check their email accounts, including spam folders, for updates related to the counselling process.**

- c) This should also be noted that the date of counselling/admission may be announced 24-48 hrs before, including holidays. Applicants must be careful to ensure their candidature(s) for counselling/document verification for confirming the admission.
  - d) The information furnished by the applicants will be verified by the Bhavana Admission Committee/any other committee as notified by the university from time to time. The original documents should match with the submitted documents at the time of physical verification. In case of any aberration or misinformation, the candidature of the applicant shall be cancelled/rejected.
  - e) If for any reason a candidate misses or fails to appear for the scheduled counselling, he/she shall not be provided chance to appear for any other following counselling (if conducted) for that particular subject.
  - f) Date, time, procedures of counselling will be also be notified on vbadmission.in in due course. Candidates are requested to follow the website on regular basis.
18. In case of non-production of caste certificate at the time of physical verification, the applicant shall be treated under unreserved category (UR) and the next applicant in the merit list, with valid caste certificate, shall be considered for admission under the particular category.  
In case of non-production of valid PWD certificate, at the time of physical verification, the applicant shall be treated as any other regular applicant and the next applicant in the merit list, with valid disability certificate, shall be considered for admission under PWD category.
19. The counselling of integrated students will happen first. Primarily, the Internal seats will be filled up by the integrated students as per merit and a combined merit list of External Students and rest of the integrated students will be prepared according to the Merit list of CUET to fill up the remaining seats.
- 20. After the counselling, the selected candidates shall receive a payment link as per the merit and reservation guidelines, for the remittance of the admission fee. Candidates are required to complete the payment by logging into their respective portals within the stipulated timeframe. Notification regarding the activation of the payment link will be communicated via the candidate's registered email address and SMS. Therefore, candidates must ensure the provision of valid email addresses and mobile numbers during the application process. The University shall not be held responsible for any failure to access or act upon the payment link due to negligence, invalid contact details, or failure to review email or SMS notifications.**
21. The applicants are advised to use their own/parents/guardians or relative's bank account for payment of admission/application fee. In case of cancellation/subject change or otherwise, an automated refund will be processed to the same account from where payment was made.
22. All applicants applying as "Integrated" in any programme will be considered as "Integrated" if they are registered in a programme and not migrated or pursuing a programme on the respective date of closure of submission of application for admission during the session 2026-27.
23. To claim under "Integrated" category while applying for any programmes the applicant must be an immediate (current year i.e. 2026) pass-out student of the corresponding last qualifying examination (like for UG admission, applicant has to pass pre-Degree programme from any of the two schools i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra of Visva Bharati during the current year i.e. 2026.
24. Students already studying in UG programme (i.e., admitted 2025 or before and UG student at present) at Visva-Bharati will not be considered as integrated candidate for admission into another UG programme for the year 2026.

25. Applicants must produce their original final mark sheets of all previous public examinations and other relevant documents along with self-attested photo-copies at the time of physical verification failing which his/ her candidature will not be considered for admission. If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled.
26. In case of document verification, documents will be physically verified by the Department during physical class and if document is found incorrect the provisional admission will be treated as cancelled. Further, students have to submit the different undertaking forms, affidavits, and medical fitness certificates to the department during physical verification of the documents. All the related formats will be made available through the admission portal so that candidates may download to submit.
27. Candidates coming from other Universities/Institutions/Schools must submit Migration Certificates / School Leaving Certificates from their respective Universities/Institutions/ Schools within 3 (three) months from the date of their admission to this University as per rules otherwise their provisional admissions are liable to be cancelled.
- 28. It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class at least for 70% of first 20 working days from the day of commencement of class. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled and candidates from the waiting list will be considered for admission.**
29. Applicants are advised to visit admission portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/> for any updates (inclusion/ omission) at regular intervals.
30. Minor courses under NEP: Under Graduate students can opt for minor courses (Sem I – Sem VIII) under NEP curricula after confirmation of admission.
31. All admissions will be based on these guidelines and subsequent notification published on the University admission portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/>. Application/request in other mode will not be entertained.
32. In case of Lost/damage of ID card, duplicate Identity card will be issued on application through proper channel (HOD and Principal, Bhavana or as the case may be) and money receipt for deposition of rupees 150/- to the Accounts Office Visva-Bharati as fee for duplicate ID card.

### **33. RESERVATION GUIDELINES FOR ADMISSION**

- i. Reservation in admission to all courses of the University shall strictly be done as per Government of India rules.
- ii. Percentage of Reservation: Not less than 5% horizontal seats for PWD candidates, 15% seats for SC candidates, 7.5% seats for ST, 27% seats for OBC-NCL candidates and 10 % seats for EWS.
- iii. Economically Weaker Sections (EWS).

[UGC (MoE) Order F.No. 81-1/2019 (CU) dated 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2019] CRITERIA OF INCOME & ASSETS:

- a) Candidates who are covered under the scheme of reservation for SCs, STs and OBC-NCLs and whose family has gross annual income below Rs.8.00 lakh (Rupees eight lakh) only are to be identified as EWSs for the benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year (2025-26) prior to the year of application. Further candidates whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income:
  - 5 acres of agriculture land and above;
  - Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft and above;
  - Residential plot of 100 sq. ft yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- b) The property held by a “Family” in different location or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.

- c) The term “Family” for the purpose will include the person who seeks benefits of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

Income and Asset certificate issuing Authority and Verification of certificate:

- a) The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset Certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format only be accepted as proof of candidate’s claim as belonging to EWS:
- District Magistrate/additional District Magistrate/ Collector / Deputy Commissioner / additional Deputy Commissioner/ 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendiary Magistrate /Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra assistant Commissioner;
  - Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency magistrate;
  - Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
  - Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.
- b) The officers who issue the certificate would do the same after carefully verifying all relevant documents following due process as prescribed by the respective state/UT.
- c) The crucial date for submitting income and asset certificate by the candidate may be treated as the closing date for receipt of application.
- iv. Upper Age Relaxation: for SC/ST – 05 years; for OBC-NCL – 03 Years; for PWD of UR/EWS – 05 Years; for PWD of SC/ST – 10 years and for PWD of OBC-NCL – 08 Years.
- v. Only ‘non-creamy layer’ OBC-NCL candidates as per ‘Central list of OBC-NCL’ ([http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user\\_panel/centralliststateview.aspx](http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user_panel/centralliststateview.aspx)) will get the benefit of reservation in admission.
- vi. PWD, SC, ST, OBC-NCL & EWS candidates shall have to produce original disability certificate/caste certificate issued by competent authority at the time of admission. In case of provisional online admission, the original certificates will be verified by the Bhavana concerned during the new normal. If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled.
- vii. Any change in Govt. of India reservation policy prior to the date of admission shall be applicable during the admission process.
- viii. Certificates in respect of SC/ST/OBC-NCL/Differently abled candidates should be issued by appropriate authorities designated by the respective Government in this regard within their jurisdictions (e.g. District Magistrate/ District Collector/ Additional District Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Officer/ Sub Divisional Magistrate/ Deputy Collector/Executive Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Stipendiary Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of First Class Magistrate)/ Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate/Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar/Deputy Commissioners/First Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/ Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/ Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta/Deputy Collector of Land Revenue, Calcutta). Certificates issued by an appropriate authority, who have been authorized by the Government to issue such certificates in case of candidates claiming to be Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates and ordinarily residing within such jurisdictions, may only be accepted.
- ix. Category Certificates (OBC-NCL Non-Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD) should be issued by competent authority.

**Validity period for category certificates will be as follows:**

**For OBC: The OBC Certificate must remain valid during the application process (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC-NCL Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory.**

**For EWS: One (01) year (last financial year).**

**For PWD: Certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate.**

No request for further timing will be entertained.

- x. Variation of category wise intake break-up may arise (within the same intake capacity) due to adjustment of fraction for distribution of seats as per GOI reservation norms.

### **Differently-abled Persons (Divyangjan)**

(Certificates from at least Sub-Divisional level Govt. hospitals are necessary) Minimum degree of disability should be 40% in order to be eligible for any benefits.

Orthopedically Handicapped/ Locomotors disability/ Cerebral Palsy:

The orthopedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity which causes an interference with the normal functioning of the bones, muscles and joints. All cases of orthopedically handicapped persons would be covered under this category.

### **Visually Handicapped (Blind and partially blind)**

A person inflicted with any of the following disabilities shall be considered:

- i. Total absence of sight
- ii. With visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with correcting lenses.
- iii. With limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of 20 degrees or worse, the Visually Handicapped (VH) candidates should possess the latest certificates issued by an authorized hospital under the Govt. of India/State Governments.

### **Hearing Impairment/Deafness**

The deaf is those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purposes of life. They do not hear or understand sounds at all events with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having hearing loss for more than 60 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) or total loss of hearing in both ears.

- Certificate of Category (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PWD etc) must be produced during counseling. If a candidate fails to produce the above certificate, he/she will be dropped from the panel and the next candidate in the panel will be given the chance.
- **Presence of Natural Guardian of a Candidate during admission is desirable.** The Differently abled (PWD) candidates with not less than 40% disability shall be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility in the qualifying examination of 5%.

### **34. Reservation for Outstanding Sports person (OSP):**

In UG programmes, two (02) supernumerary seats per Bhavana will be reserved for outstanding sports person who must have score in CUET-2026. Outstanding sports persons are required to submit their Inter-University / Inter-State / International level certificates of achievement in games and sports mentioning the year of the tournament & position there of i.e. 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> place holder in the above-mentioned level of participation within the last three years only.

### **35. Reservation for Jammu & Kashmir migrants (J&K):**

Two seats under supernumerary quota are reserved at Bhavana level for admission of students from Jammu & Kashmir (as per Govt. of India Rules). Relaxation in cut-off percentage up to 10% subject to minimum eligibility requirement will be provided to the wards of Kashmiri migrants as per Govt. of India Rules.

### 36. Reservation for Children/Widows of Personnel of the Armed Forces (CW):

Program-wise maximum one (01) supernumerary seat is reserved for candidates under this category.

**Candidates desirous of taking admission under the CW quota of the University must appear in CUET-2026 for UG.** In all the cases admission modalities and the eligibility criterion of the concerned Bhavana/Department need to be satisfied.

All such candidates have to upload the Educational Concession certificate issued by any of the following authorities on the proper letterhead:

- Secretary, Kendriya Sainik Board,
- Secretary, Rajya Zila Sainik
- Officer-in-Charge, Record Office.
- 1st Class Stipendiary
- Ministry of Home Affairs (For Police Personnel in receipt of Gallantry Awards)

No other format shall be permissible. Proofs of the CW category in the form of ID card of parent or dependent, medical card, Ration card, CSD card, etc. are not admissible in lieu of certificate in correct format. The priority must be clearly mentioned in the certificate. Certificates that do not mention the relevant priority will not be considered.

Admission may be offered to the Children/Widows of Personnel of the Armed Forces (Priority to IX) including Para-Military Personnel (only Priority I to V), in the following order of preference:

Priority I	Widows/Wards of Defence personnel killed in action;
Priority II	Wards of Defence Personnel disabled in action and boarded out from service with disability attributable to military service;
Priority III	Widows/Wards of Defence Personnel who died while in service with death attributable to military service;
Priority IV	Wards of Defence Personnel disabled in service and boarded out with disability attributable to military service;
Priority V	Wards of Ex-servicemen and Serving personnel, including personnel of police forces who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i) Param Vir Chakra</li> <li>ii) Ashok Chakra</li> <li>iii) MahaVir Chakra</li> <li>iv) Kirti Chakra</li> <li>v) Vir Chakra</li> <li>vi) Shaurya Chakra</li> <li>vii) President's Police Medal for Gallantry/President Gallantry Medal for the fire services personnel</li> <li>viii) Sena Medal (Gallantry), Nau Sena Medal (Gallantry), Vayu Sena Medal (Gallantry)</li> <li>ix) Mention-in-Despatches</li> <li>x) Police Medal for Gallantry/Gallantry Medal for fire services</li> </ul>
Priority VI	Wards of Ex-Servicemen.
Priority VII	Wives of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Defence personnel disabled in action and boarded out from service.</li> <li>ii. Defence personnel disabled in service and boarded out with disability attributable to military service</li> <li>iii. Ex-servicemen and serving personnel who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards.</li> </ul>
Priority VIII	Wards of Serving Personnel
Priority IX	Wives of Serving Personnel

### 37. Reservation for staff-ward (who must have scored in CUET-2026 for UG)

- i. 2% (two percent) of the existing seats in every Department in the undergraduate level will be marked as supernumerary staff ward quota subject to a minimum of 1(one) seat in each Department.
- ii. The staff concerned must be a permanent employee having Visva-Bharati Employee ID card who is in service at the time of admission of the ward.
- iii. For UG-
  - I. The ward of the Staff should have passed the 10+2 Examination in the current year i.e. 2026 from any recognized Board other than Visva-Bharati only will be considered for admission as staff ward at the Department where “Integrated” reservation exists for the candidates of two schools (Patha-Bhavana & Siksha Satra) of Visva-Bharati.
  - II. But Departments where there is no “Integrated” reservation for the candidates of two schools (Patha Bhavana & Siksha Satra), the ward of the staff who has passed the 10+2 examination in the current year i.e. 2026 from Visva-Bharati Board will be considered for admission as staff ward if such candidates do not apply in any courses where “Integrated” reservation exists.
  - III. In any course if there are staff-wards applicants from both Patha Bhavana/Siksha Satra and other boards, the admission preference will be given to the ward of staff passed from other board.
- iv. The staff ward seeking admission must satisfy the minimum eligibility criteria for Visva-Bharati admission including any specific departmental criteria.
- v. The merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET-2026. But, in case of some activity/performance-based Subjects / Bhavanas where merit list will be prepared on the basis of combined score obtained by the candidate from CUET-2026 and Departmental /Bhavana Admission Test.

**\*Those staff wards who are also eligible as integrated students will not be covered under staff ward quota. Double benefit will not be allowed at any point of time.**

**The staff ward quota shall be applicable only once in a candidate’s lifetime, and shall not be availed multiple times.**

Passing year of the qualifying examination should be the current year i.e. 2026.

**Reservation for Integrated students** (two Schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra passing in the current year i.e. 2026 including back students will be considered for the reservation as integrated students for admission to different UG programmes as applicable.)

Up to a maximum of 50 % seats are reserved for integrated students (students studying in the two Schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra) in all undergraduate courses except Sangit Bhavana, Kala Bhavana, Vinaya Bhavana (Department of Yogic Art & Science), Palli Siksha Bhavana (only 6 seats are reserved), Palli Samgathana Vibhaga (only 9 seats are reserved in BSW). Un-filled integrated seats will automatically be converted to external vacancy.

\* Not more than one type of relaxation shall be granted to any candidate. Modalities followed for admission for integrated students (two Schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra passing in the current year i.e. 2026):

- a) Integrated students from two schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra passing Pre-Degree (PD) Examination in the current year i.e. 2026 from Visva-Bharati will only be considered as Integrated Students of Visva-Bharati.
- b) Integrated students must have to appear CUET-2026, as the merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET-2026. But, in case of some activity/performance-based Subjects / Bhavana where merit list will be prepared on the basis of combined score obtained by the candidate from CUET-2026 and Departmental /Bhavana Admission Test.

- c) Integrated students shall have to fulfill the departmental requirements, as noted for respective UG programme(s).
- d) Reservation (SC, ST, OBC-NCL, EWS, PWD) in admission from integrated students of Visva-Bharati schools' system will be considered as per GOI rules.

### **38. Reservation for International/Foreign students:**

25% of intake capacity at the university level will be made available for international students/foreign students including NRI on supernumerary basis. 5% of seats out of the 25% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South-East Asia.

Foreign Applicants need to apply separately for the Under Graduate programmes at Visva-Bharati for their admission as their admission process is not same for Indian (through CUET-2026). They are requested to visit Visva-Bharati Admission Portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>) regularly for updated information and fill up the form accordingly.

- 39. In case of any seat lying vacant in any subjects in Visva-Bharati University integrated intake those seat(s) will be filled up by the external candidates (PWD/UR/ OBC-NCL/ SC / ST/ EWS), and if any seat is lying vacant in any subjects in any external intake (UR/ OBC-NCL/ SC / ST), the seat(s) will be filled up from the VBU integrated (PWD/UR/ OBC-NCL/ SC / ST/ EWS)) candidates list.
- 40. Rights of cancellation or selection/admission lie with the Bhavana Admission Committee of the Bhavana concerned. The University reserves the right to limit the number of eligible applicants to be called for admission test (wherever applicable).
- 41. All foreign students applying to any course in Visva-Bharati will have to appear for an admission test conducted by the Department concerned. The candidate passing the admission test will be considered for admission to the University subject to compliance of all other admission eligibility criteria.
- 42. If any seat remains vacant in any programmes even after exhaustions of combined/UR list, the vacant seat/s may be filled up on merit from the OBC-NCL/SC/ST. The unfilled seat/s in UR category may be filled with such candidates who fulfil minimum eligibility criteria of OBC-NCL/SC/ST.  
  
If seats still remain vacant, the department may invite direct application and set a feasible entrance merit procedure for merit list. In case seats still remain vacant, the minimum eligible passing criteria may be relaxed not more than 10% for the respective category. If any seat still remains vacant, a first come first allot procedure may be followed with proper notification.
- 43. It's mandatory to create individual Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) IDs according to UGC Norms. (Except foreign students).
- 44. All undergraduate students will be required to study Compulsory Foundation Courses in Tagore Studies and Environmental Studies.
- 45. National Education Policy is offered by Visva-Bharati and students may opt for a range of minor and multidisciplinary subjects across the Bhavanas subject to the fulfilment of departmental criteria.
- 46. The medical insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required to pay medical insurance fee.
- 47. **Participation in the admission process does not guarantee admission confirmation. If it is discovered at any stage that eligibility criteria are not met, admission, if granted, will be automatically cancelled. The university will not refund fees in such cases. University has no responsibility for candidates' lack of awareness regarding admission schedules, eligibility criteria, Entrance examination dates (if any). So, candidates are advised to frequently check the admission portal- vbadmission.in, their email ids.**
- 48. Students against whom disciplinary action has been taken for indiscipline/anti-institutional activities etc. shall not be eligible for admission to the university academic programme.

49. All matters of dispute shall be taken to Bolpur Court District Birbhum under the jurisdiction of Calcutta High Court.

**50. Important Dates and Times:**

Submission of Application (Online)	Deadline for all courses:
Online publication of results (UG)	To be announced by the NTA and will be displayed in the University Admission Portal : <a href="https://cuet.samarth.ac.in">https://cuet.samarth.ac.in</a> <a href="https://visvabharati.ac.in/admissions/index.php">https://visvabharati.ac.in/admissions/index.php</a>
Date of Entrance Tests, Publication of Merit list of UG (wherever applicable).	Will be notified on <a href="https://www.vbadmission.in/">https://www.vbadmission.in/</a>
Round wise counseling followed by admission through Visva-Bharati Admission Portal	

**Note:** Visva-Bharati remains closed on Saturday and Sunday, Rabindra Bhavana (Wednesday and Thursday) and Patha-Bhavana (Wednesday and Sunday). However, all the Bhavanas (Institutes)/Administrative offices work from 9.30 am 6.00 pm.

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Visva-Bharati

# BHASHA BHAVANA

## (INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)

### CODE: 11

In a bid to promote interaction among various language departments, the University has set up Bhasha Bhavana (Institute of Languages, Literature & Culture) in the campus. Bhasha Bhavana houses English and other European languages and various Asian Languages, i.e., Chinese, Japanese, Tibetan, Arabic & Persian, and Indian Languages like Sanskrit, Odia, Hindi, Bengali, Santali, Assamese, Marathi, Tamil, Pali, and Prakrit. Bhasha Bhavana offers Ph.D. programmes in various subjects.

All these departments offer regular programmes of study at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels, as well as research facilities in their constituent department of languages. Bhasha Bhavana also offers Certificate, Diploma & Advance Diploma courses in languages mainly for regular students and members of staff of Visva-Bharati as well as the residents of the locality.

Visiting Prof.s and scholars from all over the world regularly visit Bhasha-Bhavana, where exchanges of ideas open up new areas of research to which significant contributions have been made. Bhasha Bhavana (Institute of Languages, Literature & Culture) holds the promise of upholding Tagore's excellent idea of establishing national integration and harmony through the dissemination of learning and the values of self-sacrifice and universal brotherhood.

## UNDER-GRADUATE

### PROGRAMME CODE: BA

### PROGRAMME CODE NO: 11

#### GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE B.A. (HONS.):

Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.

#### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake Capacity						Total Seat	
			Ext./ Int.	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS		TOTAL
Bengali	106	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	12	7	4	2	2	27	55
			Int.	11	8	4	2	3	28	
Chinese	101	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	11	7	4	2	3	27	55
			Int.	11	8	4	2	3	28	
English	107	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	10	8	4	2	3	27	55
			Int.	11	8	4	2	3	28	
Hindi	108	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	15	30
			Int.	6	4	2	1	2	15	
Indo-Tibetan	104	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	3	1	0	1	0	5	10
			Int.	1	1	1	1	1	5	

Japanese	102	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	12	8	5	2	3	30	60
			Int.	12	8	5	2	3	30	
Persian	111	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	2	2	1	0	0	5	10
			Int.	2	1	0	1	1	5	
Sanskrit	113	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	8	6	3	1	2	20	40
			Int.	8	5	3	2	2	20	
French	115	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	4	2	1	2	15	30
			Int.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
German	110	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	4	2	1	2	15	30
			Int.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
Italian	125	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	4	2	2	1	1	10	20
			Int.	4	3	1	1	1	10	
Russian	155	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	4	2	1	2	15	30
			Int.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
Odia	109	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	3	2	1	1	1	8	8
Santali	114	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	8	5	3	2	2	20	20
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>181</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>453</b>

#### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE COURSES B.A. (HONS.) FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

Integrated students from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2026 of Visva-Bharati will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit of CUET-2026 score.

# VIDYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

**Code: 22**

Vidya Bhavana the keystone of Tagore's concept of Visva-Bharati as a centre of Indian Culture, is now the major faculty of the University with eight major departments, one women's study centre and one subsidiary unit are functioning under it. It offers regular courses of study both at the under-graduate, and post-graduate levels as well as research facilities in its constituent Departments of Humanities and Social Sciences. The Bhavana has one archaeological museum.

Visiting Prof.s and scholars from all over the world regularly visit Vidya-Bhavana where exchanges of ideas open up new areas of research to which significant contributions have been made. Thus, Vidya-Bhavana holds the promise of going ahead towards establishing National Integration and world peace through religious and cultural harmony, dissemination of learning and values of human dignity, self-sacrifice and universal brotherhood.

### UNDER-GRADUATE [B.A. (HONOURS)]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BA**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 21**

**GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE B.A. (HONS.):** Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.

**DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:**

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake							TOTAL
			Int./Ext.	UR	OBC - NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total	
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	201	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			Int.	10	6	4	2	3	25	
Comparative Religion	202	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	1	1	1	0	1	4	8
			Int.	2	0	1	1	0	4	
Economics	203	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			Int.	10	7	3	2	3	25	
Geography	204	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	13	9	5	2	3	32	65
			Int.	14	9	5	2	3	33	
History	205	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	9	7	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Philosophy	206	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	5	3	2	1	1	12	24
			Int.	5	3	2	1	1	12	
<b>TOTAL</b>				99	66	39	19	24	247	247

### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE COURSES [B.A. (HONS.)] FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

Integrated students from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2026 of Visva-Bharati will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit of CUET-2026 score.

## INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

**CODE: 33**

Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Science) was originally an undergraduate college for teaching Humanities subjects, which during 1961-1963 was expanded to include in its curriculum B.Sc. (Honours) courses in Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Zoology and Botany. The M.Sc. programme in these subjects was introduced during 1963-1964. Finally, due to reorganization of the courses of studies in the Humanities and Science subjects, all the Departments in Science teaching undergraduate and post graduate courses were brought under Siksha- Bhavana (Institute of Science) in 1972.

Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Science), consists of nine Departments and two Centres, viz. the Department of Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Botany, Zoology, Statistics, Computer & System Sciences, Biotechnology and Environmental Studies, Integrated Science Education & Research Centre and the Centre for Mathematics Education. All these Departments run both teaching and research programme and have been awarding B.Sc. (Honours) degree in seven subjects, M.Sc. degree in ten subjects as well as Ph.D. degrees in the aforementioned subjects.

Fifteen (15) out of thirty-one (31) students admitted to the Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. Programme will be provided (according to merit) DST INSPIRE scholarship of Rs. 5,000/-per month along with mentorship support of Rs. 20,000/- annually for carrying out summer research internship during vacation period as per the following guidelines. According to Department of Science and Technology (DST), Govt. of India ([www.online-aspire.gov.in](http://www.online-aspire.gov.in)), INSPIRE scholarship is provided to a student who is either top 1% in XIIth standard examination of any state/Central Board or within 10,000 all India rank (AIR) in JEE (Main)/JEE (Advanced) or KVPY Scholar/International Olympiad Medalist/ JBNSTS Medalist/NTSE Scholar and pass-out of current year.

Siksha Bhavana has earned national and international recognition over the last decades due to the sincere efforts of its dedicated teachers and brilliant students. Several research projects in the front-line areas of science funded by agencies like UGC, CSIR, DST, BNRS, ICAR, ICMR, DBT, MNES and DAE are in progress.

Department of Zoology has been awarded with the Centre for Advanced Study programme of the UGC and COSIST grant for improvement of infrastructural facilities. DST has awarded the FIST grant to the Departments of Zoology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Botany, Environmental Studies, Biotechnology and Integrated Science. The Departments of Mathematics, Chemistry and Botany were awarded with Special Assistance Programme of UGC. The Department of Mathematics has been receiving NBHM Library grants for more than twenty years. National and international seminars, symposia and workshops are organized regularly by various departments under Siksha Bhavana with support from DST, UGC, INSA, CSIR, DAE and other national agencies.

## UNDER-GRADUATE [B.Sc. (HONOURS)]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BSC**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 31**

### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE [B.Sc. (HONS.)]

Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.

### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Total Intake (External & Integrated)							Total Seat
			Ext./ Int.	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOT	
Chemistry	301	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	13	9	5	2	3	32	65
			Int.	14	9	5	2	3	33	

Physics	302	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	11	7	4	2	3	27	55
			Int.	11	8	4	2	3	28	
Mathematics	303	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	13	9	5	2	3	32	65
			Int.	14	9	5	2	3	33	
Statistics	304	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	4	2	1	2	15	30
			Int.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
Computer Science	305	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	6	5	3	1	2	17	35
			Int.	7	5	2	2	2	18	
Botany	306	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	10	6	3	2	2	23	47
			Int.	9	6	3	3	3	24	
Zoology	307	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	Ext.	10	6	3	2	2	23	47
			Int.	10	6	4	2	2	24	
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>140</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>344</b>

## GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO B.Sc. (HONOURS) COURSES FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

Integrated students from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2026 of Visva-Bharati will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit of CUET-2026 score.

## FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED M.Sc.

**PROGRAMME CODE: MSC**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 32**

**DURATION: FIVE YEARS (TEN SEMESTERS)**

Instructions to the candidates for Five-Year (Ten Semester) Integrated M.Sc. in Chemistry/ Life Science/ Mathematics/ Physics at ISERC

The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2026 score.

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake					
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Five-Year Integrated M.Sc.	317	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	13	8	5	2	3	31

# SANGIT BHAVANA

## (INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA)

**CODE: 44**

Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore always acknowledged the rightful place of Music and Dance in his scheme of education. He regarded the language of sound and movement to be the highest means of self-expression without which people remain inarticulate. Himself being a composer of great originality, he wrote Music Drama, Dance-Drama and more than 2000 songs to fit where human emotions come to play.

At present Sangit-Bhavana imparts training in Rabindra Sangit, Hindustani Classical Music Vocal and Instrumental (Esraj, Sitar, Tabla, Pakhawaj), Manipuri Dance, Kathakali Dance, Rabindra Nritya, Drama and Theatre Arts. For exceptionally qualified post-graduates, there is scope for research. Sangit-Bhavana has been participating and performing regular functions and festivals like Bengali New Year's Day, Tagore Week (Rabindra-Saptaha), Varshamangal, congregational services of Poush, Spring Festivals etc.

Sangit-Bhavana tries to carry on the rich traditions ushered by Dinendranath Tagore, Bhimrao Shastri, Indira Devi Chaudhurani, Santidev Ghosh, V. V. Wazelwar, Dhruva Tara Joshi, Sushil Kumar Bhanja Choudhuri and Sailajaranjan Majumdar. Some of the noted exponents from Sangit Bhavana—Asesh Bandyopadhyay, Kanika Bandyopadhyay, Nimai Chand Boral, Suchitra Mitra, Nilima Sen, Kelu Nair, Haridas Nair, Arambam Amubi Singh, Indranil Bhattacharya, Ranadhir Roy, K. Jatindra Singh and other eminent personalities.

### UNDER-GRADUATE (BACHELORS IN PERFORMING ARTS)

**PROGRAMME CODE: BPA**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 41**

#### PROGRAMME WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY:

Department of Rabindra Sangit, Dance and Drama (RSDD) & Hindustani Classical Music (HCM)	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake Capacity					Total
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
Rabindra-Sangit	401	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	13	9	5	2	3	32
Manipuri Dance	402	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	7	4	3	1	1	16
Kathakali Dance	403	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	3	2	1	1	1	8
Drama & Theatre Arts	404	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	6	4	3	1	2	16
Rabindra Nritya	405	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	14	10	5	3	3	35
HCM Vocal	406	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	12	8	5	2	3	30
Sitar	407	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	3	2	1	1	1	8

Esraj	408	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	3	2	1	1	1	8
Tabla	409	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	4	3	1	1	1	10
Pakhawaj	410	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	2	2	1	0	1	6
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>67</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>169</b>

**Modalities followed for admission:**

1. CUET (UG) 2026 qualified candidates will be eligible for the admission test for B.P.A.(Hons.) in the Department of HCM and RSDD, Sangit Bhavana.
2. The Performance skill test (the date and venue will be notified on [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in), in due time) marks in Music, Dance, and Drama will be based on the performance skill test conducted by the Bhavana. The performance skill test will be evaluated out of 100 marks.
3. The final admission will be given as per the merit list prepared on the combined score of CUET-2026 and performance skill test conducted by the Sangit Bhavana with 50:50 ratio i.e., equal weightage.
4. Differently abled persons (Divyangan) -Candidates with following disabilities (previously PwD) are not eligible to apply for-
  - a. Vocal Music (Hindustani Classical Vocal & Rabindra Sangit) Deaf & Dumb.
  - b. Instrumental Music (Sitar, Esraj, Tabla & Pakhawaj) Deaf & Hand Disable.
  - c. Drama and Dance subjects – Visually, verbally and physically Disabled.

# KALA BHAVANA

## (INSTITUTE OF ARTS & CRAFTS)

CODE: 55

Kala-Bhavana is an internationally well-known and distinguished institute for Visual Arts training and research in India. This institute, which gave shape to the culture-specific modernism initiated by Rabindranath Tagore and carried forward by the commitment and wisdom of Nandalal Bose, Benode Behari Mukherjee, Ramkinkar Baij and their contemporaries, has richly contributed in giving a valid direction to individual art activity in contemporary social space. More recently several eminent artists and scholars attached to Kala Bhavana have been keeping the tradition alive by their personal visual experience, fresh exposure and openness for experiments.

Its academic programme is broad-based; it introduces the students to a vast repertoire of techniques and art forms backed by the knowledge of history of art. The studio practice, lectures, discussions and exhibitions keep the art atmosphere of the faculty alive, where the students get ample opportunity to sharpen their individual sensibilities and future prospectus.

### UNDER-GRADUATE (BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS)

PROGRAMME NAME: BFA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 51

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR BFA (HONS.) (BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS):

PROGRAMME NAME	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake Capacity					
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Ceramics & Glass Design	502	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	6	4	2	1	1	14
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	504	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	5	3	2	1	1	12
History of Art	505	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	4	3	1	1	1	10
Painting	506	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	5	4	2	1	2	14
Sculpture	507	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	5	3	2	1	1	12
Textile Design	503	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	5	3	2	1	1	12
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>30</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>74</b>

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTION AND INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS (UG)

- (1) Admission with CUET UG – 2026 is compulsory.
- (2) Applicants opting for the above mentioned Under-graduate programmes will have to appear in an OFF-LINE (Physical Mode) aptitude test at Kala- Bhavana to be conducted by the concerned departments as per criteria mentioned below:

#### DETAILS OF THE APTITUDE TEST (UG) TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE BHAVANA

##### Department of Ceramics & Glass Design:

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce with a presentation of their portfolio of artworks. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines, the evaluation will be conducted by the respective department with a portfolio of original works to be submitted by the candidate for the presentation/viva-voce evaluation, as per departmental criteria.

**Department of Graphic Art (Printmaking):**

Applicants will have to appear before an aptitude test, consisting of a practical evaluation and a viva-voce. The weightage of CUET and the aptitude test will be in the ratio of 25:75.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines, the evaluation will be conducted by the respective department with a portfolio of works submitted by the candidate followed by a viva-voce evaluation.

**Department of History of Art:**

The department will conduct an aptitude test in the form of a written test, followed by a viva -voce. The weightage between the two will be as follows: The weightage of CUET and the aptitude test will be in the ratio of 25:75. The departmental test will be distributed as- Written test: 40%; Viva-voce: 60%.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines.

**Department of Painting:**

Applicants have to appear before an aptitude test, consisting of a practical evaluation and a viva-voce with a presentation of their portfolio of works. The weightage of CUET- 2026 and the aptitude test will be in the ratio of 25:75.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines, the evaluation will be conducted by the respective department with a portfolio of works submitted by the candidate followed by a viva-voce evaluation. Further details will be communicated to the applicants through email from the Department of Painting.

**Department of Sculpture:**

**The Department will admit students to the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Sculpture based on a merit list prepared on the basis of the combined score of CUET-2026 evaluation and an aptitude test conducted by the Department of Sculpture, where the weightage will be in the ratio of 25:75.** The Aptitude test will comprise of a **Practical test of 60 %** and **Viva -Voce of 40%**. The applicants are required to bring their art works portfolio at the time of Viva-voce.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines.

**Department of Textile Design:**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75. The Applicants are required to bring their portfolio at the time of interview.

For Lateral entry: As per NEP guidelines

# PALLI SAMGATHANA VIBHAGA

## INSTITUTE OF RURAL RECONSTRUCTION

**CODE: 66**

Palli Samgathana Vibhaga was established at Sriniketan by Rabindranath Tagore in 1922 with the primary objective to bring back life into villages making the rural folk self-reliant, self-respectful, acquainted with the cultural tradition of their own country and competent to make efficient uses of modern resources for the improvement of their physical, intellectual and economic conditions.

### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

The Department of Social Work is situated at Sriniketan under Palli Samgathana Vibhaga (PSV) (Institute of Rural Reconstruction). The Department offers BSW (Hons.), MSW, Ph. D and Diploma programmes. The Department also conducts research and evaluation studies including training on specific themes as and when required by Government and other agencies.

There is a placement Cell in the Department over the past 20 years, and the Department has been successfully organizing placement for MSW students in development and corporate organizations in India.

### PALLI CHARCHA KENDRA (DEPARTMENT OF RURAL STUDIES)

Palli Charcha Kendra was founded as a teaching department in 1977 under the Institute of Palli Samgathana Vibhaga. It offers courses at UG and P.G. level in Rural Studies. The course has curriculum of compulsory field-work in villages. It conducts research on various aspects of life of the rural people and also has a Ph.D. programme.

### DEPARTMENT OF LIFELONG LEARNING (RURAL EXTENSION CENTRE)

The Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension (Rural Extension Centre, REC) is one of the oldest and vibrant departments under Visva-Bharati. It has been actively engaged in improving the condition of the villagers since its inception from 1922 by Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore himself. The objective of the Department is “to bring back life in its completeness into the villages, making them self-reliant and self-respectful, acquainted with the cultural traditions of their own country and competent to make an efficient use of modern resources for the improvement of their physical, intellectual and economic conditions” as envisaged by Gurudev Tagore. Considering the growing demands of the society, Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension (REC) has adopted an integrated approach to work in three vital areas viz. Teaching, Research and Extension & Field Outreach Programme.

### SILPA-SADANA

Silpa-Sadana, a Department under Palli Samgathana Vibhaga at Sriniketan is a pioneering institute in India in developing and revitalizing cottage industries and craft. It was set up in 1922 as an integral part of Tagore’s Sriniketan experiment on Rural Re-construction. It is well known for its technical training and production activities in craft-based trades for benefit of the rural sector since its inception. The Department has workshop facilities, classroom, library, basic computer facilities, laboratories, studio etc. required for the training programmes. It also has a sales emporium to sell the products made by the trainees, staff and workers of Silpa-Sadana. The department offers courses in Bachelor of design, Masters of design, Ph.D., Certificate and Short-term courses.

## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

### UNDER-GRADUATE [BSW (HONOURS)]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BSW**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 61**

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO BSW COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake					TOTAL
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
BSW (Honours) Bachelor Degree in Social Work	601	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	18	13	7	3	4	45
Integrated Candidates from Visva-Bharati Schools			4	3	1	1	1	10

### Modalities followed for admission for External Applicants and Integrated Students of Visva-Bharati:

Candidates who qualify in the CUET 2026 examinations are required to appear in the Personal Interview of 100 marks in physical mode to be conducted by the Department.

**Weightage of the scores for the final merit list: 50% of CUET score, 25% of marks obtained in 10+2 examination and 25% marks obtained in mandatory Personal Interview (to be conducted by the department).**

## DEPARTMENT OF RURAL STUDIES

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Palli Charcha Kendra (Department of Rural Studies) erstwhile running only MA in Rural Development has introduced two courses Bachelor of Rural Studies and Master of Rural Studies (According to Government of India, **MHRD, NEW DELHI, SATURDAY, JULY 5 - JULY 11, 2014 (ASADHA 14, 1936)** gazette notification.)

(1) BRS is an undergraduate course for 4 years (eight semesters) to receive Degree of Bachelor in Rural Studies (BRS); (2) MRS is a postgraduate course for 2 year (Four semesters) to receive Post graduate degree of Master in Rural Studies (MRS)

This programme is primarily meant for all those who would like to acquire higher education and are interested to work in the field of rural studies. Students completing these courses would not only be self-sufficient but will be well equipped to compete with students of various disciplines of Development Studies.

### UNDER-GRADUATE [BRS (HONOURS)]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BRS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 63**

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO BRS COURSE

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1.	<b>BRS (Honours)</b> <b>Bachelor of Rural Studies</b>	603	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	10	7	3	2	3	25
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system				9	7	4	2	3	25
<b>TOTAL</b>				19	14	7	4	6	50

#### Modalities followed for admission:

2. Integrated students from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2026 of Visva-Bharati subject to fulfillment of departmental requirements.
3. The merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET (UG)-2026.
4. SC & ST reservation quota for admission from integrated students of Visva-Bharati School system will be considered as per rules.
5. A student who has passed the school leaving Examination from Visva-Bharati Board, in the current year i.e. 2026 only will be considered as an Integrated Student.

## DEPARTMENT OF SILPA SADANA

### UNDERGRADUATE (B-DES)

**PROGRAMME CODE: B.DES.**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 66**

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO FOUR YEAR UG PROGRAMS IN SILPA-SADANA, 2026-27:**

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake capacity					Total
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
Bachelor of Design-Ceramic & Glass	613	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	8	5	4	1	2	20
Bachelor of Design-Furniture & Interior	614	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	8	5	3	2	2	20
Bachelor of Design- Textile	615	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	8	5	3	2	2	20
<b>TOTAL</b>			24	15	10	5	6	60

**Modalities followed for admission:**

Criteria for preparation of merit list: 50% weightage from UG-CUET score and 50% weightage from Departmental admission test (Creative aptitude test)

# PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA (PSB)

## INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE

CODE: 77

Palli Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Agriculture) was established on September 1, 1963 as Palli Siksha Sadana and later renamed as Palli Siksha Bhavana in the Visva-Bharati Act. as amended in 1984.

Palli Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Agriculture) imparts education in Agricultural Sciences both at under graduate and post - graduate levels. It offers four years (eight semesters) B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture course and two years M.Sc. (Ag.)/M.Sc. (Hort.)/M.Sc. course in Agronomy, Soil Science, Horticulture (Fruit Science/Vegetable Science), Agricultural Extension Education, Genetics & Plant Breeding, Entomology, Plant Pathology, Agricultural economics, Plant Physiology and Animal Science (Poultry).

There are facilities for research leading to Ph.D. degree in all branches of Agricultural Sciences. Apart from teaching and research, Palli Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Agriculture) is also engaged in extension activities in the field of agriculture in the surrounding villages and elsewhere. Rural Agricultural work experience and agro- industrial attachment (RAW & AIA) and Experiential Learning (EL) Programmes are compulsory and a part of the academic curriculum for under graduate students. Other academic support units are Agricultural Farm, Horticultural Farm, Dairy and Poultry Farm, Soil Testing Laboratory, Library and Rathindra Krishi Vigyan Kendra. The institute has its own placement cell.

“If a true school is to be founded in India, the school must be from the beginning group. The school will make use of best methods in agriculture, the breeding of livestock and development of village crafts. The teachers, students and people of the surrounding countryside will be related to each other with the strong and intimate ties of livelihood. They shall co-operate to produce all the necessities of their own existence.”

Rabindranath Tagore

### UNDER-GRADUATE [B.Sc. (Honours) Agriculture]

PROGRAMME CODE: BSG

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 71

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO B.Sc. (Hons.) AGRICULTURE COURSE

Course	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake Capacity					
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
B. Sc (Hons.) Agriculture	701	Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.	22	15	8	4	5	54
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School System			2	1	1	1	1	6
ICAR								17
Jammu & Kashmir (Supernumerary)								2

#### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS:

Modalities followed for admission:

1. Integrated students from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre Degree (PD) Examination 2026 of Visva- Bharati subject to fulfillment of departmental requirements.
2. The merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET UG-2026
3. SC & ST reservation quota for admission from integrated students of Visva-Bharati School system will be considered as per rules.
4. A student who has passed the school leaving examination from Visva-Bharati in the current year i.e. 2026 only will be considered as an Integrated Student.

# VINAYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

**CODE: 88**

Established in 1946 as Art Craft and Music Teachers Training Centre and subsequently developed as a full- fledged Teachers Training College in 1951. Vinaya Bhavana has the objective of training teachers' secondary schools as well as academicians committed to the cause of education in its various forms. Vinaya Bhavana has adopted Tagore's integrated system of education through which education, cultural sensitivity and service can be provided to a motley of communities that vary from one another.

Vinaya Bhavana has three departments i) Department of Education ii) Department of Physical Education & Sport Science iii) Department of yogic Art and Science. It offers B. Ed, M.Ed. M.A. in Education, Bachelor of Physical Education and Sports (BPES), B.P.Ed., M.P. Ed, B.Sc. Yoga, M.Sc. Yoga, Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga (PGDY) and research programmes leading to Ph.D. degree.

The institute has always been a committed participant in the ongoing debate on national /New Education Policies through its Extension services. It attempts to participate and meaningfully engage with communities and neighbourhood schools for mutual exchange of progressive, innovative and best practices of education.

The students of this Institute are provided with a very rigorous, serious, guided and supervised internship programme under the guidance and supervision of experienced and able mentors in the twin schools of Visva-Bharati as well as other neighbourhood secondary schools and selected schools of Visva Bharati adopted villages affiliated to West Bengal Board, CBSE & ICSE.

## DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT SCIENCE

The traditional programmes of Physical Education activities offered in Santiniketan since the inception of the Brahmaharyashram underpins the degree programmes in Physical Education in Visva-Bharati. The Department of Physical Education & Sport Science now boasts at two strong Bachelor Degree courses, namely, a 4-year BPES. in Physical Education and a 2-year B.P. Ed. (Teacher Training) followed by a 2-year Master of Physical Education (M.P.Ed.) course and Ph.D. Programmes.

The objective of the Department in producing honours graduates in Physical Education is to provide strong foundation in knowledge and skill to the future teachers and at the same time to extend opportunities to the aspirants for opting for Exercise and Sport Science-related career opportunities BPES, B.P.Ed. and M.P.Ed. Degree programmes are offered at par with guidelines of the National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), India.

Further, the Department of Physical Education & Sport Science has made noteworthy progress in the areas of research in Exercise and Sports Physiology, Exercise and Sports Biomechanics, Exercise and Sports Psychology etc. in addition to other studies in the fields of Physical Education and Sports. Due to increasing importance in Physical Education and Sport for the society, the Department also emphasizes extension programs in Physical Education offered in the form of recreational Sport or fitness sport or traditional sport.

The mission of the Department of Physical Education is to produce highly skilled and knowledgeable Physical Education professionals with a holistic understanding of physical, mental and spiritual benefits of human movement activities.

### UNDER-GRADUATE [BACHELOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION & SPORTS]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BPES**

**DURATION: 4 YEARS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO.:89**

**SUBJECT CODE NO: 899**

### SEMESTER- EIGHT

**Intake capacity: 50**

Programme		Intake Capacity						Total
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total	
B.P.E.S.	Integrated	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
	External	10	7	4	2	2	25	

## 1. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Any 10+2 pass student, regardless of their stream, is eligible to apply for admission to any UG course.

**Age:** 21 years as on 1st July, 2026.

### Reservation:

The relaxation in the percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC-NCL/EWS/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Central Government.

### Modalities of Admission:

1. The admission criteria for B.P.E.S. will be based on Common University Entrance Test (CUET-2026) with 50% weightage and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) with 50% weightage.
2. In addition to score obtained by candidates in CUET-2026, they are required to appear in the Departmental Entrance Test (DET)
3. Distribution of marks in Departmental Entrance Test (DET) on Physical Fitness and sports skill test (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

A	Physical Fitness Test (Candidates are to appear at their own responsibility and in sports attire)	70 Marks	Date of Entrance test: To be announced in the vbadmission.in
B	Sport Skill Test	30 Marks	Venue: Department of Physical Education & Sport Science Reporting Time: 6.30. a.m.

### 1. Physical Fitness Test Items:

- a) 50 mts Dash (Speed)
- b) Standing Broad Jump (Power)
- c) 4X10mts Shuttle Run (Agility)
- d) Over Head Back Medicine Ball Throw (Strength) [Men-3Kg, Women-2Kg]
- e) 1000mts Run (Endurance)

### 2. Choice of Sports for Skill Test as per the following list:

Athletics, Basketball, Badminton, Cricket, Football, Gymnastics, Hockey, Kho-Kho, Kabaddi, Swimming, Table-Tennis, Volleyball & Yoga.

3. Current medical fitness certificate will have to be submitted for appearing in physical performance tests.
4. Appearance in Physical Fitness Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for admission.
5. Rankings in entrance test will be made out of 100 marks.

Notes:

- The applicants aspiring for admission in different academic programmes in the department of Physical Education and Sport Science, Vinaya Bhavana, Visva-Bharati are required to perform vigorous physical activities and sports in admission test as well as in their respective academic programme.
- All applicants must produce their original final mark sheets as per the university rules and other relevant documents along with attested photo-copies thereof on verification, failing which an applicant will not be permitted to appear in the admission test.

### Documents to produce on Entrance Test (Original proof and a set of copies):

1. Mark sheet of Qualifying Examination passed
2. Date of Birth Certificate
3. Current Medical Fitness Certificate
4. Reservation Certificate, where applicable
5. Highest Sports achievement Certificate (as per NCTE norms).

### NB:

All newly admitted students in BPES (UG 4years) need to procure departmental uniform on their own for both practical and theory classes, as per the specification approved by the department. The approved colour combination of departmental uniform will be communicated after they take admission and report to the department.

For practical classes:

- A Track suit
- Practice Teaching Uniform (t-shirt & short)
- 2 sets of Jerseys and shorts
- 2 pair of stockings
- Kitbags
- Running Shoes

- Football Shoes

For Theory classes:

- A blazer
- Formal pants – Black Colour
- Formal Full sleeve shirt – White Colour
- Black shoe
- White socks
- Tie
- Whistle

In addition, students have to procure the following personal sports equipments on their own for practical activity classes.

- Badminton Racket
- Table Tennis Bat
- Hockey Stick
- Swimming Costume

## DEPARTMENT OF YOGIC ART AND SCIENCE

Yoga is an ancient holistic wisdom of India and a practical science which signifies a harmonious Integration at all levels of human existence. The essence of yoga is first available in Vedic literatures. All traditional Indian schools of Yoga advocate a movement towards the perfection of body and mind which lead to the soul and the almighty.

Objectives:

1. To impart knowledge of classical Indian traditional yoga.
2. To provide scientific knowledge of yoga and to prepare qualified yoga professionals for the world society.
3. To prepare excellent yoga teachers and researchers.
4. To promote health, fitness and wellness.
5. To apply the knowledge of yoga for the prevention, care and rehabilitation of psychosomatic diseases.
6. To apply the knowledge of yoga for the development of Indian Culture, value Education, peace Education and Harmony within the world society.

### UNDER-GRADUATE [B.SC. (HONOURS) IN YOGA]

**PROGRAMME CODE: BSY**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 84**

**SUBJECT CODE: 809**

**Duration:** The minimum duration of the programme will be 4 years (eight semesters) and the maximum duration will be 8 years.

**Eligibility Criteria**

**Minimum Qualification:** The candidate should have completed 10+2 level in any Discipline from a recognized board or equivalent and having score in CUET-(UG) 2026.

a) In addition to score obtained by a candidate in CUET-(UG) 2026, one is required to appear in the Departmental Entrance Test (DET) of 50 marks which will consist of two sections as below:

- i. Demonstration/Performance (Basic Asanas, Pranayamas, Shatkarmas, etc.) - 40 marks
- ii. Viva-Voce - 10 marks

Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the combined score obtained by the candidate both in CUET-UG 2026 and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) conducted by the Department with 50:50 ratio i.e. with equal weightage.

**Intake Capacity: 40 seats**

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
<b>B.Sc. (Hons.) in Yoga</b>	16	11	6	3	4	40	Supernumerary

**Reservation:** Reservation for PWD/OBC-NCL/SC/ST/EWS and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Government of India.

**The date and venue of DET will be notified on [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) .**

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR PG PROGRAMMES: 2026-27

For the Academic session 2026-27, Visva-Bharati will admit students for different Post Graduate (PG) programmes on the basis of the score of CUET (PG) -2026 except for the following:

- a) M.Sc. in Biotechnology where admission will be based on score obtained in GAT-B test 2026 conducted by Regional Centre for Biotechnology (RCB), Faridabad.
- b) MFA courses under Kala Bhavana, MSW, B.P. Ed, M.P. Ed, M.Sc. in Yoga where scores of both CUET (PG) 2026 and Departmental Entrance tests will be considered for admission.
- c) MPA courses under Sangit Bhavana, M. Des- Ceramics & Glass, M. Des. - Furniture and Interior, MRM, M.A. in Philosophy and Comparative Religion, M.A. in Santali, M.Sc. in Computer Science where only the scores of the Departmental Entrance Tests will be considered for admission.

1. Eligibility Criteria for admission are specified in the relevant section in each Bhavana.
2. Students must have applied through ONLINE PORTAL: <https://exams.nta.nic.in/cuet-pg/> . CUET score, & GAT-B score (for M.Sc. in Biotechnology) mandatory (EXCEPT FOREIGN NATIONAL) to get admission in any PG program at Visva-Bharati for the session 2026-27. Other applications/requests will not be entertained, in any way.
3. For CUET-2026 (PG) examination, candidate had to select test paper(s) based on the following table:

Sr. No.	Test Paper Code	Programme (Subject)	Degree
1	LAQP27	Odia	M.A.
2	LAQP07	Bengali	M.A.
3	LAQP30	Persian	M.A.
4	LAQP39	Indo-Tibetan	M.A.
5	LAQP09	Chinese	M.A.
6	SCQP30	Animal Science (Poultry)	M.Sc.
7	COQP11	Rural Studies	MRS
8	HUQP21	Social Work	MSW
9	SCQP19	Mathematics	M.Sc.
10	SCQP07 & SCQP17	Botany	M.Sc.
11	SCQP 28	Zoology	M.Sc.
12	SCQP27	Statistics	M.Sc.
13	SCQP11	Environmental Sciences	M.Sc.
14	SCQP08	Chemistry	M.Sc.
15	SCQP24	Physics	M.Sc.
16	COQP10	Economics	M.A.
17	HUQP02	Anthropology	M.A./ M.Sc.
18	COQP03	Education	B.Ed.
19	COQP15	Education	M.Ed.
20	COQP16	Education	M.A.
21	COQP11	Physical Education	B.P.Ed.
22	COQP18	Physical Education	M.P.Ed.
23	COQP21	Yoga	M.Sc.
24	HUQP10	History of Art	MFA
25	HUQP07	Ceramic & Glass Design	MFA
26	HUQP07/ HUQP17	Sculpture	MFA
27	HUQP07) / HUQP15	Graphic Art (Printmaking)	MFA
28	HUQP07 / HUQP23	Textile Design	MFA

29	HUQP15.	Painting	MFA
30	HUQP07	Mural	MFA
31	HUQP09	History	M.A.
32	LAQP01	English	M.A.
33	LAQP01	Comparative Literature	M.A.
34	LAQP03	Sanskrit	M.A.
35	LAQP02	Hindi	M.A.
36	LAQP15	Japanese	M.A.
37	LAQP10	French	M.A.
38	LAQP12	German	M.A.
39	LAQP41	Italian	M.A.
40	LAQP34	Russian	M.A.
41	LAQP35	Tamil	M.A.
42	COQP17	Journalism and Mass Communication	M.A.
43	HUQP01	Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology	M.A.
44	HUQP08	Geography	M.A.
45	SCQP01	Agronomy	M.Sc. (Ag.)
46	SCQP01	Horticulture (Vegetable Science)	M.Sc. (Hort.)
47	SCQP01	Horticulture (Fruit Science)	M.Sc. (Hort.)
48	SCQP01	Soil Science	M.Sc. (Ag.)
49	SCQP01	Agricultural Extension Education	M.Sc. (Ag.)
50	SCQP01	Genetics and Plant Breeding	M.Sc. (Ag.)
51	SCQP01	Entomology	M.Sc. (Ag.)
52	SCQP01	Plant Pathology	M.Sc. (Ag.)
53	SCQP01	Agricultural Economics	M.Sc. (Ag.)
54	SCQP01	Plant Physiology	M.Sc. (Ag.)

4. Merely participating in the above-mentioned tests does not ensure admission in Visva-Bharati. Candidates (External & VB Integrated) willing to get admission in PG programmes at Visva-Bharati, must register their candidature in the Visva-Bharati Admission Portal- <https://www.vbadmission.in/>

<b>Registration Fee (Non-Refundable) (For admission through CUET)</b>	
Category	Fee
For UR, EWS & OBC-NCL	Rs. 250/-
For SC, ST & PWD	Rs. 100/-

5. For those departments offering admission without CUET, the candidates are required to complete their registration process separately through VB Samarth Portal. The date, time, venue and modalities of admission tests for those departments will be notified on vbadmission.in.

<b>Registration Fee (Non-Refundable) (For admission without CUET)</b>		
Category	1 <sup>st</sup> Application Fees	2 <sup>nd</sup> Application Fees
For UR, EWS & OBC-NCL	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 400/-
For SC, ST & PWD	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 150/-

6. The candidates are advised to safeguard their log-in id, email and passwords to prevent its misuse. In case of any mishap with id and password, it will be sole responsibility of the candidate.
7. It is advised to all the applicants to use email ID and mobile number either of the candidates or his/her parents for direct/easy contact from the VB admission coordination cell. Better not to use any contact number and mail ID of others or cyber cafe. VB admission coordination cell may not be responsible for improper/incorrect mail ID and mobile number noted during online form fill up by the applicant.
8. Candidates must be very careful during the entry of the data/information. No claim shall be entertained subsequently for data entry mistakes committed by the applicant at the time of the online application. Incomplete applications are liable to be rejected summarily.

The category declared in the registration form by the applicant shall be considered final while preparation of merit list.

9. **There shall be no restriction on year gap for candidates seeking admission to Postgraduate (PG) programmes subject to fulfilment of other prescribed eligibility criteria.**
10. The intake capacities for all the PG programmes as noted in this prospectus are combination of Integrated and External seats. After the admission of integrated students (those will pass UG programmes in the concerned subject from Visva-Bharati in 2026 only including back and repeat candidates), Category wise (UR, PWD, EWS, OBC-NCL, SC & ST) external seats will be calculated and circulated during counselling/document verification. **Therefore, number of intakes published in this prospectus is not only for external applicants.** However, for PG programmes in Agriculture under Palli Siksha Bhavana (PSB) 22 number of seats will be admitted through ICAR and 20 numbers of seats will be admitted from the integrated students those will pass the UG programme current year i.e. 2026 only from PSB, VB.
11. All applicants applying as “Integrated” in any programme will be considered as “Integrated” if they are registered in a programme and not migrated or pursuing a programme on the respective date of closure of submission of application for admission during the session 2026-27.
12. Subjects having only PG programmes and having no UG programme at Visva-Bharati in the corresponding subject, there will be no “Integrated” reservation, VB.
13. Subject-wise merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate(s) in CUET (PG)-2026 & GAT-B (2026) for the admission to different PG programmes except, for some activity/performance-based subjects, under Kala Bhavana, Sangit Bhavana, Physical Education & Sport Sciences and Yogic Art & Science under Vinaya Bhavana and Silpa-Sadana & Dept. of Social Work under Palli-Samgathana Vibhaga, where both CUET (UG)-2026 score as well as admission test conducted by concerned department will be considered.
14. There shall be separate notifications for PG entrance tests conducted by different above-mentioned departments on Visva-Bharati Admission Portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/>. So, applicants are advised to visit admission portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/> for any updates at regular intervals.
15. **Different modalities may follow in the above-mentioned performance-based subjects, the details of those are given in respective departments’ pages.**
16. The merit list of PG programmes for external applicants will be made on the basis of CUET (PG) 2026 score and Departmental Entrance test (wherever applicable). However, if two or more candidates obtain same score in the merit list, **then tie-break will be done in the following sequence:**
  - i) For PG admission, the candidate securing higher % in aggregate marks in best of five subjects at 10+2 level in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board/Council/University/Institute.
  - ii) The candidate is senior by date of birth.
17. Once the merit list is published, candidates must keep all the documents (both original and photocopy) ready for verification prior to the declaration of date of verification.

18. No online or offline counselling process shall be conducted for admission to Postgraduate (PG) courses, except for a few courses where the number of applicants is high. A separate notification regarding counselling for such courses will be published on [vbadmission.in](http://vbadmission.in).
19. Visva-Bharati will offer provisional admission in Postgraduate admission in the academic session 2026-27 subject to the following conditions:
- The admission granted to the candidates based on the information furnished by the applicants during online registration process will be purely provisional.
  - **In order to expedite the admission process in PG courses at Visva-Bharati, Provisional Admission for the session 2026-27 will be offered at PG courses. Applicants must produce their original mark sheets of all previous public examinations and other relevant documents along with self-attested photo-copies at the time of physical verification. For the applicants who are unable to produce the Final semester mark sheets at the time of physical verification, have to submit the Final Mark sheet within 15.11.2026. Those candidates have to submit a Declaration in the provided format at the time of document verification.**
  - **The selected candidates shall receive a payment link as per the merit and reservation guidelines, for the remittance of the admission fee. Candidates are required to complete the payment by logging into their respective Samarth portals within the stipulated timeframe. Notification regarding the activation of the payment link will be communicated via the candidate's registered email address and SMS. Therefore, candidates must ensure the provision of valid email addresses and mobile numbers during the application process. The University shall not be held responsible for any failure to access or act upon the payment link due to negligence, invalid contact details, or failure to review email or SMS notifications.**
  - If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled.
  - The information furnished by the applicants will be verified by the Departmental Admission Committee/any other committee as notified by the university from time to time. The original documents should match with the submitted documents at the time of physical verification. In case of any aberration or misinformation, the candidateship of the applicant shall be cancelled/rejected.
20. **The applicants are advised to use their own/parents/guardians or relative's bank account for payment of admission/application fee. In case of cancellation/subject change or otherwise, an automated refund will be processed to the same account from where payment was made.**
21. Participation in the admission process does not guarantee admission confirmation. If it is discovered at any stage that eligibility criteria are not met, admission, if granted, will be automatically cancelled. The university will not refund fees in such cases. University has no responsibility for candidates' lack of awareness regarding admission schedules, eligibility criteria, Entrance examination dates (if any). So, candidates are advised to frequently check the admission portal- [vbadmission.in](http://vbadmission.in), their email ids.
22. **In case of online document verification, documents will be physically verified by the Department during physical class and if document is found incorrect the provisional admission will be treated as cancelled. The students must present their credentials/documents in Digi locker format.** Further, students have to submit the different undertaking forms, affidavits, and medical fitness certificates to the department during physical verification of the documents. All the related formats will be made available through the admission portal so that candidates may download to submit.
23. **RESERVATION GUIDELINES FOR ADMISSION:**

- i. Reservation in admission to all courses of the University shall strictly be done as per Government of India rules.
- ii. Percentage of Reservation: Not less than 5% seats for PWD candidates (horizontal reservation), 15% seats for SC candidates, 7.5% seats for ST, 27% seats for OBC-NCL candidates and 10 % seats for EWS.
- iii. Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)

[UGC (MoE) Order F.No. 81-1/2019 (CU) dated 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2019] CRITERIA OF INCOME & ASSETS:

- a) Candidates who are covered under the scheme of reservation for SCs, STs and OBC-NCLs and whose family has gross annual income below Rs.8.00 lakh (Rupees eight lakh) only are to be identified as EWSs for the benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year (2025-26) prior to the year of application. Further candidates whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income:
  - 5 acres of agriculture land and above;
  - Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft and above;
  - Residential plot of 100 sq. ft yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- b) The property held by a “Family” in different location or different places/cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
- c) The term “Family” for the purpose will include the person who seeks benefits of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

Income and Asset certificate issuing Authority and Verification of certificate:

- d) The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset Certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format only be accepted as proof of candidate’s claim as belonging to EWS:
  - District Magistrate/additional District Magistrate/ Collector / Deputy Commissioner / additional Deputy Commissioner/ 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendiary Magistrate /Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra assistant Commissioner;
  - Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency magistrate;
  - Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar and
  - Sub-Divisional Officer or the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.
- e) The officers who issue the certificate would do the same after carefully verifying all relevant documents following due process as prescribed by the respective state/UT.
- f) The crucial date for submitting income and asset certificate by the candidate may be treated as the closing date for receipt of application.
- iv. Upper Age Relaxation: for SC/ST – 05 years; for OBC-NCL – 03 Years; for PWD of UR/EWS – 05 Years; for PWD of SC/ST – 10 years and for PWD of OBC-NCL – 08 Years.
- v. Only ‘non-creamy layer’ OBC-NCL candidates as per ‘Central list of OBC-NCL’ ([http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user\\_panel/centralliststateview.aspx](http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user_panel/centralliststateview.aspx)) will get the benefit of reservation in admission.
- vi. PWD, SC, ST, OBC-NCL & EWS candidates shall have to produce original disability certificate/caste certificate issued by competent authority at the time of admission. In case of provisional online admission, the original certificates will be verified by the Bhavana concerned

- during the new normal. If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled.
- vii. Any change in Govt. of India reservation policy prior to the date of admission shall be applicable during the admission process.
  - viii. Certificates in respect of SC/ST/OBC-NCL/Differently abled candidates should be issued by appropriate authorities designated by the respective Government in this regard within their jurisdictions (e.g. District Magistrate/ District Collector/ Additional District Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Officer/ Sub Divisional Magistrate/ Deputy Collector/Executive Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Stipendiary Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of First Class Magistrate)/ Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate/Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar/Deputy Commissioners/First Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/ Metropolitan Magistrate, Calcutta/ Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta/Deputy Collector of Land Revenue, Calcutta). Certificates issued by an appropriate authority, who have been authorized by the Government to issue such certificates in case of candidates claiming to be Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates and ordinarily residing within such jurisdictions, may only be accepted.
  - ix. Category Certificates (OBC-NCL Non-Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD) should be issued by competent authority.

**Validity period for category certificates will be as follows:**

**For OBC: The OBC Certificate must remain valid during the application process (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC-NCL Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory.**

**For EWS: One (01) year (last financial year).**

**For PWD: Certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate.**

No request for further timing will be entertained.

- x. Variation of category wise intake break-up may arise (within the same intake capacity) due to adjustment of fraction for distribution of seats as per GOI reservation norms.

**Differently-abled Persons (Divyangjan):**

(Certificates from at least Sub-Divisional level Govt. hospitals are necessary) Minimum degree of disability should be 40% in order to be eligible for any benefits.

Orthopedically Handicapped/ Locomotors disability/ Cerebral Palsy:

The orthopedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity which causes an interference with the normal functioning of the bones, muscles and joints. All cases of orthopedically handicapped persons would be covered under this category.

**Visually Handicapped (Blind and partially blind)**

A person inflicted with any of the following disabilities shall be considered:

- I. Total absence of sight
- II. With visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen) in the better eye with correcting lenses.
- III. With limitation of the field of vision subtending an angle of 20 degrees or worse, the Visually Handicapped (VH) candidates should possess the latest certificates issued by an authorized hospital under the Govt. of India/State Governments.

**Hearing Impairment/Deafness**

The deaf is those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purposes of life. They do not hear or understand sounds at all events with amplified speech. The cases included in this category will be those having hearing loss for more than 60 decibels in the better ear (profound impairment) or total loss of hearing in both ears.

- Certificate of Category (SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PWD etc) must be produced during counseling. If a candidate fails to produce the above certificate, he/she will be dropped from the panel and the next candidate in the panel will be given the chance.
- **Presence of Natural Guardian of a Candidate during admission is desirable.** The Differently abled (PWD) candidates with not less than 40% disability shall be given a relaxation in the minimum eligibility in the qualifying examination of 5%.

#### **Reservation for Children/Widows of Personnel of the Armed Forces (CW):**

Program-wise maximum one (01) supernumerary seat is reserved for candidates under this category.

**Candidates desirous of taking admission under the CW quota of the University must appear in CUET PG-2026 and GAT-B 2026 (Wherever applicable).** In all the cases admission modalities and the eligibility criterion of the concerned Bhavana/Department need to be satisfied.

All such candidates have to upload the Educational Concession certificate issued by any of the following authorities on the proper letterhead:

- Secretary, Kendriya Sainik Board,
- Secretary, Rajya Zila Sainik
- Officer-in-Charge, Record Office.
- 1st Class Stipendiary
- Ministry of Home Affairs (For Police Personnel in receipt of Gallantry Awards)

No other format shall be permissible. Proofs of the CW category in the form of ID card of parent or dependent, medical card, Ration card, CSD card, etc. are not admissible in lieu of certificate in correct format. The priority must be clearly mentioned in the certificate. Certificates that do not mention the relevant priority will not be considered.

Admission may be offered to the Children/Widows of Personnel of the Armed Forces (Priority to IX) including Para-Military Personnel (only Priority I to V), in the following order of preference:

Priority I	Widows/Wards of Defence personnel killed in action;
Priority II	Wards of Defence Personnel disabled in action and boarded out from service with disability attributable to military service;
Priority III	Widows/Wards of Defence Personnel who died while in service with death attributable to military service;
Priority IV	Wards of Defence Personnel disabled in service and boarded out with disability attributable to military service;
Priority V	Wards of Ex-servicemen and Serving personnel, including personnel of police forces who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards; i) Param Vir Chakra ii) Ashok Chakra iii) MahaVir Chakra iv) Kirti Chakra v) Vir Chakra vi) Shaurya Chakra vii) President's Police Medal for Gallantry/President Gallantry Medal for the fire services personnel viii) Sena Medal (Gallantry), Nau Sena Medal (Gallantry), Vayu Sena Medal (Gallantry) ix) Mention-in-Despatches x) Police Medal for Gallantry/Gallantry Medal for fire services
Priority VI	Wards of Ex-Servicemen.
Priority VII	Wives of: i. Defence personnel disabled in action and boarded out from service. ii. Defence personnel disabled in service and boarded out with disability attributable to military service iii. Ex-servicemen and serving personnel who are in receipt of Gallantry Awards.

Priority VIII	Wards of Serving Personnel
Priority IX	Wives of Serving Personnel

### **Reservation for staff-ward (PG programmes)**

- i. 2% (two percent) of the existing seats in every Department in postgraduate level will be marked as supernumerary staff ward quota subject to a minimum of 1(one) seat in each Department.
- ii. The staff concerned must be a permanent employee having Visva-Bharati Employee ID card
  - I. The ward of the staff should have passed the UG examination in the current year i.e. 2026 from any recognized University/Institute other than Visva-Bharati will be considered for admission as staff-ward.
  - II. But departments where there is no integrated reservation for the candidates of Undergraduate programmes of Visva-Bharati, the ward of the staff that has passed UG examination in the current year i.e. 2026 from Visva-Bharati will be considered as staff-ward if such candidates do not apply in his/her UG Major Course.
  - III. In any course if there are staff-wards applicants from UG courses of both Visva-Bharati and other University/Institution, the admission preference will be given to the ward of staff passed from other University/Institution.
- iii. The staff ward seeking admission must satisfy the minimum eligibility criteria for Visva-Bharati admission including any specific departmental criteria.
- iv. The merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET PG-2026. But, in case of some activity/performance-based Subjects/Bhavanas where merit list will be prepared on the basis of combined score obtained by the candidate from CUET-2026 and Departmental/Bhavana Admission Test.

**\*The staff wards those are also eligible as integrated students will not be covered under staff ward quota. Double benefit will not be allowed at any point of time.**

**The staff ward quota shall be applicable only once in a candidate's lifetime, and shall not be availed multiple times.**

Passing year of the qualifying examination should be the current year.

### **Reservation for International/Foreign students:**

25% of intake capacity at the university level will be made available for international students/foreign students including NRI on supernumerary basis. 5% of seats out of the 25% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South-East Asia.

Foreign Applicants need to apply separately for the Post Graduate programmes at Visva-Bharati for their admission as their admission process is not same for Indian nationals. They are requested to visit Visva-Bharati Admission Portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>) regularly for updated information and fill up the form accordingly.

### **Reservation for Jammu & Kashmir migrants (J&K):**

Two seats under supernumerary quota are reserved at Bhavana level for admission of students from Jammu & Kashmir (as per Govt. of India Rules). Relaxation in cut-off percentage up to 10% subject to minimum eligibility requirement will be provided to the wards of Kashmiri migrants as per Govt. of India Rules.

24. In case of any seat is lying vacant in any subjects in VBU integrated intake those seat(s) will be filled up by the external candidates (UR/ OBC-NCL/ SC / ST/EWS).
25. If any seat remains vacant in any programmes even after exhaustions of combined/UR list, the vacant seat/s may be filled up on merit from the OBC-NCL/SC/ST/EWS. The unfilled seat(s) in UR category may be filled with such candidates who fulfil minimum eligibility criteria of OBC-NCL/SC/ST/EWS.

26. If seats still remain vacant, the department may invite direct application and set a feasible entrance merit procedure for merit list.
27. Candidates coming from other Universities/Institutions must submit Migration Certificates / School Leaving Certificates from their respective Universities/Institutions within 15.11.2026 as per rules otherwise their provisional admissions are liable to be cancelled.
- 28. It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class at least for 70% of first 20 working days from the day of commencement of class. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled and candidates from the waiting list will be considered for admission.**
29. The medical insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required to pay medical insurance fee.
30. In case of Loss/damage of ID card, duplicate ID card will be issued on application through proper channel (HOD and Principal or as the case may be) and money receipt for deposition of rupees 150/- to the Accounts Office, Visva-Bharati as fee for duplicate ID card.
31. Rights of cancellation or selection/admission lie with the Bhavana Admission Committee of the Institute concerned. The University reserves the right to limit the number of eligible applicants to be called for admission test (wherever applicable).
32. Students against whom disciplinary action has been taken for indiscipline/anti-institutional activities etc. shall not be eligible for admission to the university academic programme.
33. All matters of dispute shall be taken to Bolpur Court District Birbhum under the jurisdiction of Calcutta High Court.
- 34. Important Dates and Times:**

Submission of Application (Online)	Deadline for all courses:
Online publication of results (PG)	<a href="https://visvabharati.ac.in/admissions/index.php">https://visvabharati.ac.in/admissions/index.php</a>
Date of Entrance Tests, Publication of Merit list of PG programmes	Will be notified on <a href="https://www.vbadmission.in">https://www.vbadmission.in</a>
Round wise counseling followed by admission through Visva- Bharati Admission Portal	
Commencement of Classes	

**Note:** Visva-Bharati remains closed on Saturday and Sunday, Rabindra Bhavana (Wednesday and Thursday) and Patha-Bhavana (Wednesday and Sunday). However, all the Bhavanas (Institutes)/Administrative offices work from 9.30 am 6.00 pm. School (Patha-Bhavana) have their own working hours.

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# BHASHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)

CODE: 11

POST-GRADUATE [M.A.]

PROGRAMME CODE: MA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 12

## GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO POST-GRADUATE COURSES [M.A.]

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

## DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
Bengali	121	11	7	4	2	3	27
Chinese	122	3	2	1	1	1	8
Comparative Literature	132	10	7	4	2	2	25
English	123	11	8	4	2	3	28
Hindi	124	9	6	3	2	2	22
Indo-Tibetan	126	2	1	1	0	0	4
Japanese	127	10	7	4	2	2	25
Odia	128	19	13	8	4	4	48
Persian	129	3	2	1	1	1	8
Sanskrit	130	16	11	6	3	4	40
Santali	131	8	5	3	1	2	19
Tamil	192	2	2	1	0	1	6
French	133	2	1	0	1	1	5
German	134	2	1	1	0	1	5
Russian	135	2	1	1	1	0	5
Italian	136	2	1	1	0	1	5
Total		112	75	43	22	28	280

Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to M.A. will be strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score except for M.A. in Santali where the score of the Departmental Entrance Test will be used.

## **GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.A. COURSES FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS:**

All candidates qualified or appeared in the B.A. (Honours) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2026 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.A. courses.

Merit list for Admission for Integrated Students will be prepared strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score except for **M.A. in Santali** where the score of the departmental entrance test will be used for preparation of the merit list.

# VIDYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Code: 22

### POST-GRADUATE (M.A.)

PROGRAMME CODE: MA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 22

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

#### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Intake					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	208	12	8	4	2	3	29
Comparative Religion	209	2	1	1	0	1	5
Economics	210	8	6	3	2	2	21
Geography	211	10	6	3	2	2	23
History	212	14	9	5	3	4	35
Philosophy	215	15	10	6	3	4	38
Anthropology (M.A./M.Sc)	216	13	9	5	2	3	32
Journalism & Mass Communication	218	16	11	6	3	4	40
Total		90	60	33	17	23	223

**Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to M.A. will be strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score except for M.A. in Philosophy & M.A. in Comparative Religion where the where the scores of the Departmental Entrance Tests will be used.**

#### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.A. COURSES FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS:

All candidates qualified or appeared in the B.A. (Honours) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2026 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.A. courses.

Merit list for Admission for Integrated Students will be prepared strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score except for **M.A. in Philosophy & M.A. in Comparative Religion** where the score of the departmental entrance test will be used for preparation of the merit list.

# SIKSHA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

CODE: 33

### POST-GRADUATE [M.Sc.]

PROGRAMME CODE: MSC

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 32

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.Sc. COURSES:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

M.Sc. in Botany, Chemistry, Computer Science, Environmental Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, and Zoology: Admission will be on the basis of merit list prepared based on the marks secured in the relevant CUET (PG)-2026.

M.Sc. in Biotechnology Course: Admission will be on the basis of panel of successful candidates list solely from GAT-B test 2026 conducted by Regional Centre for Biotechnology (RCB), Faridabad subject to fulfillment of the departmental criteria as shown in table below. This year, RCB, Faridabad has entrusted the conduct of GAT-B 2026 to National Testing Agency (NTA). Applicants should frequently check the

#### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Intake					TOTAL
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
Physics	308	17	11	6	3	4	41
Chemistry	309	15	10	5	3	3	36
Mathematics	310	12	8	5	2	3	30
Statistics	311	8	5	3	1	2	19
Zoology	312	11	8	4	2	3	28
Botany	313	11	8	4	2	3	28
Computer Science	314	6	4	3	1	2	16
Environmental Science	315	11	8	4	2	3	28

Biotechnology	316	8	5	3	2	2	20
Total		99	67	37	18	25	246

**Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to M.Sc. will be strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score & GAT-B test 2026 for M.Sc. in Biotechnology except for M.Sc. in Computer Science where the where the scores of the Departmental Entrance Tests will be used.**

**GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.Sc. COURSES FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS:**

All candidates qualified or appeared in the B.Sc. (Honours) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2026 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.Sc. courses.

Merit list for Admission for Integrated Students will be prepared strictly in order of merit of CUET-PG 2026 score except for **M.Sc. in Computer Science** where the score of the departmental entrance test will be used for preparation of the merit list.

# SANGIT BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA

CODE: 44

POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN PERFORMING ARTS)

PROGRAMME CODE: MPA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 42

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

## DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Programme	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
Rabindra- Sangit	425	9	6	3	2	2	22
Manipuri Dance	426	1	1	1	0	0	3
Kathakali Dance	427	1	1	0	0	1	3
Drama & Theatre Arts	428	2	1	1	0	0	4
Rabindra Nritya	429	4	2	1	1	1	9
HCM Vocal	430	5	3	2	1	1	12
Sitar	431	2	1	1	0	0	4
Esraj	432	1	1	1	0	0	3
Tabla	433	1	1	0	1	0	3
Pakhawaj	434	1	1	0	0	1	3
Total		27	18	10	5	6	66

## Modalities followed for admission:

- Admission to different courses under Sangit Bhavana will be done through the Departmental Entrance tests.
- The Departmental Entrance tests (for integrated and external candidates) marks in Music, Dance, and Drama will be based on the performance skill test conducted by the Bhavana. The performance skill test will be evaluated out of 100 marks.
- Differently abled persons (Divyangna) - Candidates with DA (previously PwD) are not eligible to apply for-  
Vocal Music (Hindustani Classical Vocal & Rabindra Sangit) Deaf & Dumb.  
Instrumental Music (Sitar, Tabla & Pakhawaj) Deaf & Hand Disable.  
Drama and Dance subjects – Visually, verbally and physically Disabled.

# KALA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF ARTS & CRAFTS)

CODE: 55

POST GRADUATE (MASTERS IN FINE ARTS)

PROGRAMME NAME: MFA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 52

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

**DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:**

PROGRAMME NAME (MFA)	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Ceramics & Glass Design	517	6	4	2	1	1	14
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	516	6	4	2	1	1	14
History of Art	519	3	2	1	1	1	8
Mural	514	3	2	1	1	1	8
Painting	515	6	4	3	1	2	16
Sculpture	520	6	4	2	1	1	14
Textile Design	518	6	4	2	1	1	14
Total		36	24	13	7	8	88

**Note:** The total intake indicated in the last column to the right of the table includes one (1) seat each assigned to the top-scoring student from the disciplines of Ceramics & Glass Design, Textile Design, Graphic Art (Printmaking), History of Art, Painting and Sculpture, such that these six students from undergraduate course Kala-Bhavana are provided admission as direct-admission integrated students. Such students are exempted from the Aptitude test conducted at Kala-Bhavana. This seat is not transferable to other students.

## **GENERAL INSTRUCTION AND INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS (PG):**

Admission with CUET PG-2026 is compulsory.

Applicants opting for the above-mentioned post-graduate programmes will also have to appear in an aptitude test conducted at Kala-Bhavana, as per the departmental criteria mentioned below.

## **DETAILS OF THE APTITUDE TEST (PG) TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE KALA BHAVANA:**

### **Department of Ceramics & Glass Design:**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75.

Applicants to the Department of Ceramics & Glass Design are required to appear before an offline practical evaluation, followed by an offline viva-voce evaluation, during which the applicants are requested to be present with a portfolio of original artworks of (at least 3 to 5 artworks) authenticated by a competent authority (Either the teacher of the previous institute or any renowned artist).

### **Department of Graphic Art (Printmaking):**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75.

Applicants to the Department of Graphic Art (Printmaking) are required to appear before an offline viva-voce evaluation, during which the applicants are requested to be present with a portfolio of original artworks.

### **Department of History of Art:**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a written test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75

Applicants to the Department of History of Art are required to appear before an offline written as well as Viva-voce evaluation. It will be appreciated if the applicants bring along a portfolio of original essays (published or otherwise) during the viva-voce evaluation.

### **Department of Painting:**

#### **Aptitude test for MFA in Painting**

Departmental Admission Test for MFA (Painting) will be a Practical test followed by Portfolio Presentation and Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75

For practical test the applicants are required to bring their own preferable materials such as water color, acrylic, pencil, etc. except oil color.

During the offline Viva-voce evaluation, the applicants are required to produce an original portfolio of their past original artworks that will represent their practice and maximum six (6) original artworks.

#### **Aptitude test for MFA in Mural**

Departmental Admission Test for MFA (Mural) will be a Practical test followed by Portfolio Presentation and Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75

For practical test the applicants are required to bring their own preferable materials such as water color, acrylic, pencil, and collage etc. except oil color.

During the offline Viva-voce evaluation, the applicants are required to produce an original portfolio of their past artworks that will represent their practice and six (6) original artworks.

### **Department of Sculpture:**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of CUET: 25 and Aptitude Test: 75.

The applicants shall attend the aptitude Practical test in an offline mode that will be followed by an off-line Viva-Voce evaluation, during which the applicants are requested to be present with at least three (3) original artworks and a portfolio of original works.

### **Department of Textile Design:**

Departmental Aptitude test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce. The weightage of CUET-2026 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 25:75

Applicants to the Department of Textile Design are required to appear before an offline viva-voce evaluation, during which the applicants are requested to be present with a portfolio of original artworks.

## PALLI SAMGATHANA VIBHAGA

### INSTITUTE OF RURAL RECONSTRUCTION

CODE: 66

#### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

#### POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN SOCIAL WORK)

PROGRAMME CODE: MSW

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 62

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

#### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Intake					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
<b>MSW</b> Masters' degree in Social Work	602	7	5	3	1	2	18

**BSW students of Visva-Bharati with complete results are eligible for admission to MSW course as integrated part of Social Work Education offered by the department as per university rules.**

#### Modalities of Admission:

Candidates who qualify in the CUET (PG) 2026 examinations are required to appear in the Group Discussion & Personal Interview of 100 marks each in physical mode to be conducted by the Department. Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the combined score obtained by the candidate in CUET (PG)- 2026, Group Discussion (GD) and Personal Interview (PI) conducted by the Department with 50:25:25 weightage respectively. Candidates have to appear for both Group Discussion and Personal Interview to complete the Admission Test procedure to qualify for admission. The PI and GD will be conducted by the Department as it is a professional course and the attitude and motivation of the applicant needs evaluation by the department to evaluate the suitability of the applicant.

Date of admission test will be notified in the University Admission Website: [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)

## POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN RURAL STUDIES)

PROGRAMME CODE: MRS

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 64

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Sl.No.	Subject	Code	Intake capacity					Total
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
1.	Master of Rural Studies (MRS)	604	3	2	1	1	1	8

All candidates qualified in BRS Honours, 2026 examination of Visva-Bharati are eligible for admission directly.

Modalities of Admission: As per CUET-PG 2026.

## DEPARTMENT OF LIFE LONG LEARNING AND EXTENSION (REC)

### POST-GRADUATE (M.A. IN RURAL MANAGEMENT)

PROGRAMME CODE: MRM

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 65

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Sl. No	Subject	Code	Intake capacity					Total
			UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
1.	M.A in Rural Management (MRM)	605	13	8	5	3	3	32

**Modalities of Admission:** Modalities of Admission: Written examination (70 Marks) followed by Viva-Voce (30 Marks); Total 100 Marks and 100 marks weightage from marks obtained in last Exam in Honours or Equivalent at UG level.

Admission of Foreign students will be made as per university rules.

## POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN DESIGN)

PROGRAMME CODE: M.DES

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 69

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:** Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

### DEPARTMENT WISE INTAKE CAPACITY:

Subject	Code	Intake capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Master of Design- Ceramic & Glass	627	6	4	2	1	1	14
Master of Design- Furniture & Interior	628	6	4	2	1	1	14
Master of Design- Textile	626	6	4	2	1	1	14

### Modalities of Admission Test:

Candidates are required to appear in the creative aptitude test of 100 marks on physical mode to be conducted by the Department.

Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in the Departmental Admission Test.

# PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA (PSB)

**INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE**

**CODE: 77**

**POST-GRADUATE [M.Sc. (Ag.)/ M.Sc. (Hort.)/M.Sc. Animal Science (Poultry)]**

**PROGRAMME CODE: M. Sc (Ag)/Animal Science (Poultry)**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 72**

### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.Sc. COURSES:

All candidates seeking admission to M.Sc. courses [except M.Sc. Animal Science (Poultry)] should be B.Sc. (Honours) Agriculture/Horticulture graduate in the respective subject under 10+2+4 pattern or equivalent examination, subject to fulfilment of Departmental requirements as shown in table below.

General criteria to M.Sc. courses for integrated students qualified in B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture Examination of Visva-Bharati<sup>2</sup>- 2026 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.Sc. courses subject to satisfy the eligibility criteria of the respective subject. Un-filled seats under integrated quota will be filled-up from the external applicants.

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Course	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC-NCL, SC, ST & EWS Candidates	Intake capacity						
			EXT/INT	UR	OBC - NCL	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Agronomy	718	<b>UR &amp; EWS:</b> 60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. <b>OBC-NCL:</b> 54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. <b>SC &amp; ST:</b> Pass marks in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	Ext	3	2	1	1	1	8
			Int	1	1	1	1	1	5
Horticulture (Vegetable Science)	715	<b>UR &amp; EWS:</b> 60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture. <b>OBC-NCL:</b> 54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	1	1	0	0	0	2
			Int	0	1	0	0	0	1
Horticulture (Fruit Science)	705	<b>SC &amp; ST:</b> Pass marks in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	1	1	0	0	0	2
			Int	1	0	0	0	0	1
Soil Science	713	<b>UR &amp; EWS:</b> 60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four	Ext	1	1	1	1	0	4

		years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture. <b>OBC-NCL:</b> 54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture	Int	1	1	1	0	0	3
<b>Agricultural Extension Education</b>	734	<b>SC &amp; ST:</b> Pass marks in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture	Ext	1	1	1	1	1	5
			Int	1	1	0	0	0	2
<b>Genetics and Plant Breeding</b>	717		Ext	1	1	0	0	0	2
			Int	1	0	0	0	1	2
<b>Animal Science (Poultry)</b>	719	<b>UR &amp; EWS:</b> 60% marks or equivalent OGPA in B.V.Sc. & A.H./B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Zoology) Honours / B.Sc. (Fisheries) / B.F.Sc. <b>OBC-NCL:</b> 54% marks or equivalent OGPA in B.V.Sc. & A.H./B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Zoology) Honours / B.Sc. (Fisheries) / B.F.Sc. <b>SC &amp; ST:</b> Pass marks in B.V.Sc. & A.H./B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Zoology) Honours / B.Sc. (Fisheries) / B.F.Sc.	Ext	2	1	1	0	0	4
			Int	0	0	0	0	1	1
<b>Entomology</b>	714	<b>UR &amp; EWS:</b> 60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	1	1	1	0	0	3
			Int	1	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Plant Pathology</b>	716	<b>OBC-NCL:</b> 54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	1	1	1	0	0	3
			Int	1	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Agricultural Economics</b>	711	<b>SC &amp; ST:</b> Pass marks in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag. / B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture	Ext	1	1	0	0	0	2
			Int	1	0	1	0	0	2
<b>Plant Physiology</b>	712		Ext	1	1	0	0	1	3
			Int	1	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>				<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>58</b>

**Admission from ICAR:**

Course	Code	Intake capacity
Agronomy	718	7
Horticulture (Vegetable Science)	715	1
Horticulture (Fruit Science)	704	1
Soil Science	713	3
Agricultural Extension Education	734	3
Genetics and Plant Breeding	717	1
Entomology	714	1
Plant Pathology	716	1
Agricultural Economics	711	2
Plant Physiology	712	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>22</b>

**NOTE:**

1. ICAR seats falling vacant due to any reasons will be filled up by the University.
2. ICAR norms will be followed during time of admission

**Modalities of selection for admission:**

The admission to different M.Sc. (Ag.)/(Hort.) Course and M.Sc. in Animal Science (Poultry) course will be made strictly on the basis of separate applications made for the subjects concerned.

**Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to different courses in M.Sc. (Agriculture/Horticulture) will be based on the score obtained in CUET (PG) -2026.**

PWD candidates are also eligible to apply. They should be able to independently carry out the following:

(a) to handle different farm tools & implements, laboratory equipment's etc. (b) to carry practical classes. (c) to follow classroom instructions and lessons normally. If any specialized aids are required, the expenditure for the same has to be borne by the candidate concerned.

# VINAYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

CODE: 88

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### B.Ed. PROGRAM

COURSE CODE: B.Ed.

COURSE CODE NO: 81

DURATION: 2 YEARS

SUBJECT CODE: 801

(SEMESTER: FOUR)

Two-year B.Ed. is a regular full time professional program of four-semester recognized by National Council for Teacher Education, New Delhi.

**Student Intake: 125**

**Eligibility and Marks (As per NCTE rules):**

- I. Candidates must have completed a 4-year/3-year Undergraduate (UG) course with a minimum of 120 credits. The candidates shall have studied any of the following subjects in combination at under-graduation level, one of which is Honours/Major/Core subject: Bengali, English, Hindi, Sanskrit, Santali, Economics, Geography, History (Ancient/ Modern), Music (Rabindra-Sangeet/ Classical-Vocal), Philosophy, Mathematics, Statistics, Education, Physical Science (Physics/Chemistry) and Life Science (Botany/Zoology).

Or

Pre-service candidates (internal and external) and in-service candidates seeking admission to B.Ed. program shall have the required percentage according to NCTE rules in three-year B.A./B.Sc./B.Mus./BPA(Rabindra-Sangit/Classical-Vocal) degree with Honours/Major from a recognized University/Institution. The candidates shall have studied any of the following subjects in combination at under-graduation level, one of which is Honours/Major /Core subject: Bengali, English, Hindi, Sanskrit, Santali, Economics, Geography, History (Ancient/ Modern), Music (Rabindra-Sangeet/ Classical-Vocal), Philosophy, Mathematics, Statistics, Education, Physical Science (Physics/Chemistry) and Life Science (Botany/Zoology).

- II. **All admissions will strictly adhere to the NCTE (National Council for Teacher Education) norms, as in vogue from time to time.**
- III. In-service candidates shall have at least three years continuous experience as a fulltime approved regular teacher in any secondary school recognized by the Central or any State Government and they must apply through proper channel.
- IV. Preference shall be given for direct admission to those in-service candidates with at least three years continuous teaching experience as a full-time teacher from the intern school (not more than one teacher from each intern school) that has provided facility for internship at least for last three consecutive years to the B.Ed. interns of the Department. In case of more than one applicant from a particular intern school, selection will be done on the basis of service seniority.

**Admission Procedure:**

**Pre-service Candidates**

- I. Candidates who have qualified their Under Graduate examination/Post Graduate examination from 2023 onwards from Visva-Bharati shall be treated as internal. However, the application guidelines for PG programmes: 2026-27 specified in sl.no.19 is applicable in all cases.
- II. The eligible candidates will be selected on the basis of merit determined by the CUET PG-2026 score in Test paper code COQP03 obtained by the candidates.
- III. Selection shall primarily be made on pedagogy subject-wise (taking Honours/ Major subjects into consideration), on the basis of CUET PG-2026 score.
- IV. Pedagogy subject-wise separate merit list for UR, EWS, OBC-NCL, SC, and ST will be prepared.
- V. General merit list for PWD [Persons with Disabilities (i.e. HI, VI, Locomotor Disability)], will be prepared separately for external and internal students.

- VI. In case of any pre-service seat is lying vacant in any pedagogy subject in any internal or external category (UR/EWS/OBC-NCL/SC/ST), the seat will be filled up first from the same pedagogy subject and from the same internal or external category (UR/EWS/OBC-NCL/SC/ST). If the vacancy is not filled up in any category within a pedagogy subject, it will be transferred to category-wise (UR/EWS/OBC-NCL/SC/ST) all internal or all external merit list, irrespective of pedagogy subject.
- VII. Pre-service EWS and OBC-NCL seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non-availability of EWS and OBC-NCL candidate(s). SC seat(s) will be filled up from ST waiting list in case on SC candidates are available and vice-versa.
- VIII. The candidates who have already taken the migration certificate from VB will be treated as external candidates.
- IX. Final semester appearing candidates are eligible to apply for the B.Ed. programme. However, all required documents must be produced at the time of physical verification. The application guidelines for PG programmes: 2026-27 specified in sl. no.19 is applicable in all cases.

**In-service Candidates:**

1. Selection of in-service candidates will be done on the basis of their service seniority as well as fulfilment of eligibility conditions 1, 2 & 3.
2. In case any in-service seat remains vacant, the same will be filled-in on merit basis irrespective of Honours/ Major subjects from among the external candidates.

In-service candidates will make necessary arrangement to draw their salary drawn from the respective schools/institution.

**DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS**

**Pre-service: VBU Students:**

Sl No.	Pedagogy Subject	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
01	Bengali	3	2	1	1	1	8
02	English	3	1	1	1	0	6
03	Hindi	2	1	0	1	0	4
04	Sanskrit	2	2	1	0	1	6
05	Santali	2	1	0	1	0	4
06	Economics	1	2	0	0	0	3
07	Geography	2	2	1	0	1	6
08	AIHC&A	2	1	1	0	1	5
09	Modern History	2	2	1	0	1	6
10	Rabindra Sangit	2	0	1	0	0	3
11	Classical Vocal	1	0	1	0	0	2
12	Philosophy	2	1	1	1	0	5
13	Mathematics	2	2	1	0	1	6
14	Statistics	1	2	0	0	0	3
15	Education	2	1	1	0	0	4
16	Physics	2	1	0	1	1	5
17	Chemistry	2	2	1	0	1	6
18	Botany	3	1	1	1	0	6
19	Zoology	2	2	1	0	1	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		38	26	14	7	9	94

**Pre-service: External:**

Sl.No.	Pedagogy Subject	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1	Bengali	1	1	0	0	1	3
2	English	1	1	0	0	0	2
3	Hindi	1	0	1	0	0	2
4	Sanskrit	1	0	0	0	0	1
5	Economics	0	1	0	0	0	1

6	Geography	1	0	1	0	0	2
7	History (Ancient, Modern)	1	1	1	0	0	3
8	Music (Rabindra-Sangit & Classical-Vocal)	0	1	0	0	0	1
9	Philosophy	1	0	0	0	0	1
10	Mathematics	1	0	1	0	0	2
11	Statistics	0	1	0	0	0	1
12	Education	1	0	0	1	0	2
13	Physical Science (Physics, Chemistry)	0	1	0	0	0	1
14	Life Science (Botany, Zoology)	1	0	0	1	1	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		10	7	4	2	2	25

**In-service**

UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
2	1	1	1	1	6

Pre-service Internal + Pre-service External + In-service = 94+25+06=125

## M.Ed. PROGRAM

**COURSE CODE: MED**

**COURSE CODE NO: 82**

**SUBJECT CODE NO: 802**

**DURATIONS: 2 YEARS SEMESTER: FOUR**

Two-year M.Ed. is a regular full time professional program of four-semester recognized by National Council for Teacher Education, New Delhi.

**Student Intake: 63**

**Eligibility and Marks (As per NCTE rules):**

Candidates seeking admission to M.Ed. program shall have the required percentage according to NCTE rules in one of the following degrees/diplomas from a recognized University/Institution:

- A. B.Ed.
- B. BA.B.Ed./B.Sc.B.Ed.
- C. B.El.Ed.
- D. D.El.Ed. with an undergraduate degree

**All admissions will strictly adhere to the NCTE (National Council for Teacher Education) norms, as in vogue from time to time.**

**Admission Procedure:**

1. Selection shall be made on the basis of merit determined by the CUETPG-2026 score obtained by the candidates in Test Paper code COQP15. In case of tie, the general tie-breaking sequence will be followed.
2. **Candidates who have qualified their B.Ed. examination from 2023 onwards from Visva-Bharati shall be treated as internal.**
3. The candidate must produce their final marksheet and NCTE recognized certificate of qualifying degree at the time of physical verification. However, the application guidelines for PG programmes: 2026-27 specified in sl.no.17 is applicable in all cases.
4. Merit list would be prepared as follows-
  - (i) Separate merit lists will be prepared for three major groups of subjects, such as Language, Social Science, and Science taking into consideration the pedagogy subject in B.Ed., or B.A. B.Ed. /B.Sc. B. Ed., or/B. El. Ed., or/D. El. Ed.
  - (ii) The Group of subjects-wise **merit list for internal** seats will include internal candidates referred in Serial no 2 only.
  - (iii) The Group of subjects-wise **combined merit list** for external seats will include all the candidates, applied for that particular group of subjects.
  - (iv) A separate **exhaustive merit list** (category wise as PWD, UR, EWS, OBC-NCL, SC and ST) including all qualified candidates in M.Ed. admission will be prepared. Here, no separation would be done for the group of subjects.

- (v) General merit list for PWD [Person with Disabilities (i.e. HI, VI, Locomotor Disability)], EWS, SC, ST and OBC-NCL will also be prepared separately.
5. The selection shall primarily be made on group of subjects-wise (Social Science, Science and Language) based on the merit lists prepared as per 4(ii) till all seats are filled. While doing so, the reservation status of the vacancy will be maintained. There will be no conversion of seats at this stage.
  6. In case of any seat lying vacant in internal category of any group of subjects (Language, Social Science or Science); it will be converted to the corresponding reservation category of external seats.
  7. The selection shall then be made for external seats on group of subjects-wise (Language, Social Science or Science) based on combined merit lists prepared as per 4(iii).
  8. If any seat remains vacant in any group after exercising serial no 7, it will be filled up from the exhaustive merit list of all groups. In this case, merit list from serial no 4(iv) will be followed. While doing so, the reservation status of the vacancy will be maintained.
  9. Vacant EWS and OBC-NCL seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non-availability of EWS and OBC-NCL candidate(s). Vacant SC seat(s) will be filled-up from ST waiting list and vice-versa.
  10. In-service candidate must apply through proper channel.
  11. The candidates who have already taken the migration certificate from VB will be treated as external candidates.
  12. Final semester appearing candidates are eligible to apply for the M.Ed. programme. However, all required documents must be produced at the time of physical verification, failing which candidature will be cancelled. The application guidelines for PG programmes: 2026-27 specified in sl. no.17 is applicable in all cases.

## DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

Pedagogy Group		Intake Capacity					Total
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
Social Science	Internal	4	3	2	1	1	11
	External	4	3	1	1	1	10
Science	Internal	4	3	1	1	1	10
	External	4	3	2	1	1	11
Language	Internal	4	3	2	1	1	11
	External	5	3	1	0	1	10
<b>TOTAL</b>		25	18	9	5	6	63

## POST-GRADUATE: M.A. (EDUCATION) PROGRAM

**COURSE CODE: MAE**

**COURSE CODE: 83**

**SUBJECT CODE: 803**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**SEMESTER: FOUR**

M.A. (Master of Arts) in Education is a full time regular four-semester program.

**Student Intake: 48**

**Eligibility:**

1. Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.
2. **For Visva-Bharati Candidates: Candidates from Visva-Bharati seeking admission to M.A. (Education) must have passed or appeared in:**
  - A 3-year Undergraduate (UG) course with a minimum of 120 credits with Education as a Minor Subject.
  - A 3-year Honours/Major/Core course in any subject with Education as a Subsidiary subject (before implementation of NEP-2020).
  - A B.Ed. from Visva-Bharati.

3. General merit list for PWD [Person with Disabilities (i.e. HI, VI, Locomotor Disability)], SC, ST, OBC-NCL and EWS will also be prepared separately.
4. Final semester appearing candidates are eligible to apply for the M.A.(Education) programme. However, all required documents must be produced at the time of physical verification, failing which candidature will be cancelled.

**Admission Procedure:**

1. Selection shall be made on the basis of merit list determined by the score obtained by the candidates in CUET PG -2026 test paper code COQP16.
2. EWS & OBC-NCL seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non-availability of EWS & OBC-NCL candidate(s). SC seat(s) will be filled up from ST waiting list in case no SC candidates are available and vice-versa.
3. The candidate must produce their final marksheet of qualifying degree at the time of physical verification; otherwise, their candidature will be automatically cancelled. In such case, no claim for refund of registration fee will be entertained.
4. In-service candidate must apply through proper channel.

**DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS:**

Program	Code	Intake Capacity					Total
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	
M.A.(Education)	803	19	13	8	3	5	48

# DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT SCIENCE

## B.P.Ed.

(As per NCTE Guidelines, 2014)

**PROGRAMME CODE: BPD**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO.: 86**

**SUBJECT CODE: 806**

**SEMESTERS: FOUR**

**Intake Capacity: 63**

Programme	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
B.P.Ed.	806	25	17	10	5	6	63

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

#### Minimum Qualification:

The candidate should possess the following eligibility as per NCTE rules:

1. Bachelor's degree in any discipline with required percentage as per NCTE rules and having at least participation in the Inter-College/Inter-Zonal/District/ School competition in sports and games as recognized by the AIU/IOA/SGFI/ Govt. of India.

Or

2. Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education with required percentage as per NCTE rules.

Or

3. Bachelor's degree in any discipline with required percentage as per NCTE rules and studied Physical Education as compulsory/elective subject

Or

4. Bachelor's degree with required percentage as per NCTE rules and having participated in National/ Inter University/State Competitions or secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in the Inter-College/Inter-Zonal/District/School competition in sports and games as recognized by the AIU/IOA/SGFI/Govt. of India.

Or

5. Bachelor's degree with participation in international competitions or secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in National/Interuniversity Competition in sports and games as recognized by respective federations/AIU/IOA/SGFI/Govt. of India.

Or

6. Graduation with required percentage as per NCTE rules and at least three years of teaching experience (for deputed in-service candidates i.e. trained physical education teachers/coaches).

#### Reservation:

The relaxation in the percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC-NCL/EWS/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Central Government.

#### Modalities of Admission:

- The admission criteria for B.P.Ed. will be based on Common University Entrance Test (CUET-2026) with 50% weightage and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) with 50% weightage.
- In addition to score obtained by candidates in CUET-2026, they are required to appear in the Departmental Entrance Test (DET)
- Distribution of marks in Departmental Entrance Test (DET) on Physical Fitness and sports skill test (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

A	Physical Fitness Test (Candidates are to appear at their own responsibility and in sports attire)	70 Marks	Date of Entrance test: To be announced in the vbadmission.in
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B	Sport Skill Test	30 Marks	Venue: Department of Physical Education & Sport Science Reporting Time: 6.30. a.m.
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1. Physical Fitness Test Items:

- a) 50 mts Dash (Speed)
- b) Standing Broad Jump (Power)
- c) 4X10mts Shuttle Run (Agility)
- d) Over Head Back Medicine Ball Throw (Strength) [Men-3Kg, Women-2Kg]
- e) 1000mts Run (Endurance)

2. Choice of Sports for Skill Test as per the following list:

Athletics, Basketball, Badminton, Cricket, Football, Gymnastics, Hockey, Kho-Kho, Kabaddi, Swimming, Table-Tennis, Volleyball & Yoga.

3. Current medical fitness certificate will have to be submitted for appearing in physical performance tests.

4. Appearance in Physical Fitness Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for admission.

5. Rankings in entrance test will be made out of 100 marks.

**Notes:**

- The applicants aspiring for admission in different academic programmes in the department of Physical Education and Sport Science, Vinaya Bhavana, Visva-Bharati are required to perform vigorous physical activities and sports in admission test as well as in their respective academic programme.
- All applicants must produce their original final mark sheets as per the university rules and other relevant documents along with attested photo-copies thereof on verification, failing which an applicant will not be permitted to appear in the admission test.

Documents to produce on Entrance Test (Original proof and a set of copies):

- 1) Mark sheet of Qualifying Examination passed
- 2) Date of Birth Certificate
- 3) Current Medical Fitness Certificate
- 4) Reservation Certificate, where applicable
- 5) Highest Sports achievement Certificate (as per NCTE norms).

**NB:**

All newly admitted students in BPED need to procure departmental uniform on their own for both practical and theory classes, as per the specification approved by the department. The approved colour combination of departmental uniform will be communicated after they take admission and report to the department.

**For practical classes:**

- A Track suit
- Practice Teaching Uniform (t-shirt & short)
- 2 sets of Jerseys and shorts
- 2 pair of stockings
- Kitbags
- Running Shoes
- Football Shoes

**For Theory classes:**

- A blazer
- Formal pants – Black Colour
- Formal Full sleeve shirt – White Colour
- Black shoe
- White shocks
- Tie
- Whistle

In addition, students have to procure the following personal sports equipment on their own for practical activity classes.

- Badminton Racket
- Table Tennis Bat
- Hockey Stick
- Swimming Costume

## M.P.Ed.

(As per NCTE Guidelines, 2014)

**PROGRAMME CODE: MPED**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 87**

**SUBJECT CODE: 807**

**SEMESTERS: FOUR**

**Intake Capacity: 50**

Programme	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total
M.P.Ed.	807	20	14	7	4	5	50

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

#### Minimum Qualification:

The candidate should possess the following eligibility as per NCTE rules:

1. Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.E.d.) or equivalent with required percentage as per NCTE rules.
- Or
2. Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Health and Physical Education with required percentage as per NCTE rules.

#### Reservation:

The relaxation in the percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC-NCL/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Central Government.

#### Modalities of Admission:

1. The admission criteria for M.P.Ed. will be based on Common University Entrance Test (CUET-2026) with 50% weightage and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) with 50% weightage.
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4. Reservation Certificate, where applicable
5. Highest Sports achievement Certificate (as per NCTE norms).

**NB:**

All newly admitted students in MPED need to procure departmental uniform on their own for both practical and theory classes, as per the specification approved by the department. The approved colour combination of departmental uniform will be communicated after they take admission and report to the department.

For practical classes:

- A Track suit
- Practice Teaching Uniform (t-shirt & short)
- 2 sets of Jerseys and shorts
- 2 pair of stockings
- Kitbags
- Running Shoes
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# DEPARTMENT OF YOGIC ART AND SCIENCE

## POST GRADUATE [MSC IN YOGA]

PROGRAMME CODE: MSY PROGRAMME CODE: 80 SUBJECT CODE: 874

**Duration:** M.Sc. in Yoga is a full time regular two years (four-semesters) program.

- **Intake Capacity:** - 9 seats

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC-NCL	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
M.Sc. in Yoga	4	2	1	1	1	9	Supernumerary

### Eligibility Criteria: -

Students who have passed a 3-year undergraduate degree (with 120 credits), are eligible to apply for admission to any PG course.

- **Admission Procedure:**

In addition to the score obtained by a candidate in CUET-PG 2026, they are required to appear in the Departmental Entrance Test (DET) of 50 marks which will consist of two sections as below:

- a) Demonstration/Performance (Basic Asanas, Pranayamas, Shatkarmas, etc.) – 40 marks
- b) Viva-voce – 10 marks

Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the combined score by the candidate in both CUET-PG 2026 and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) conducted by the department with 50:50 ratio i.e., with equal weightage.

**Reservation:** Reservation for PWD/OBC-NCL/SC/ST/EWS and other categories shall be as per the rules of the Government of India.

**The date and venue of DET will be notified on [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) .**

## INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FOR ADMISSION IN SCHOOLS, UG, PG COURSES

Students from abroad are welcome at Visva-Bharati. They may join any regular course (School/UG/PG) of the University or certain specific course specially designed for the foreign students. Before joining any course of the University, they must satisfy the academic requirements. They should apply through <https://forms.gle/o4SgnDAAUjJRqMt97> based on the concerned admission notification published/uploaded on the university admission portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>).

The admission is governed by the rules of the University and the Government of India and eligibility criteria for the course/subject concerned.

### Reservation for International/Foreign students:

**25% of intake capacity is made available for international students (i.e., Foreigners, Non-resident Indians and Persons of Indian Origin) as supernumerary seats.** 5% of seats out of the 25% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South-East Asia.

Foreign Applicants need to apply separately for the various programmes at Visva-Bharati for their admission as their admission process is not same for Indian nationals. They are requested to visit Visva-Bharati Admission Portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>) regularly for updated information and filled up the form accordingly.

For all foreign transactions: State Bank of India, Branch-Santiniketan,

Branch Code-2121, IFSC-SBIN0002121,  
SWIFT CODE: SBININBB343  
MICR: 731002003

## ADMISSION GUIDELINES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

### INTRODUCTION

Candidates from all over the world are welcome to Visva-Bharati where the whole world makes its home in a Single Nest.

Every year foreign nationals are admitted to various programmes of study offered by Visva-Bharati.

For details of programme/Course and their eligibility criteria please check e-prospectus uploaded on the website of Visva-Bharati.

### AT THE TIME OF SUBMITTING THE APPLICATION

The admission of foreign national students is subject to fulfilling minimum eligibility requirement as prescribed by the Bhavana Admission Committee in consultation with the concerned departments. In case, at a later stage, if it is found that the eligibility requirements are not fulfilled, the offer of admission will be treated as cancelled at once.

- a) The candidate must have adequate knowledge of English/ Hindi/ Bengali as per the requirements of the course.
- b) The applicant should have completed at least 17 years of age; there is no maximum age limit for foreign national in the UG & PG level.

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE OF FOREIGN STUDENTS' ACADEMIC SESSION 2026-2027:

All foreign students will apply directly through a Google form. The application procedure, links of the application form, payment procedure and the link of the Google form is given below:

- [1] **Application Form:**  
Word Copy: (download link) Pdf Copy: (download link)
- [2] **Online Payment method:**  
Step 1: Go to <https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbicollect> or  
<https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbicollect/icollecthome.htm>  
Step 2: Select "Educational Institution"  
Step 3: Type VISVA BHARATI UNIVERSITY in the search bar given for Educational Institutions.

Step 4: Click on VISVA BHARATI UNIVERSITY

Step 5: Fill up all spaces in Enter Payment Details

Step 6: Select 'Individual' under Enter your details.

Step 6: Under Payment category **(For SAARC countries- INR 5,000 or equivalent USD and for Non-SAARC countries- INR 10,000 or equivalent USD)**, select Application fee payment option.

Step 7: Under remark, mention for which UG/PG programme you are applying or any other comment which is relevant.

[3] **Documents to be kept ready: -**

- (i) First Page of Passport showing name and other personal details
- (ii) Pass Certificate of Qualifying/Equivalence Degree
- (iii) Marks sheet of Qualifying/Equivalence Degree
- (iv) Payment Receipts generated through online submission
- (v) Filled in application form

[4] **How to apply: -**

A. All international/foreign candidates can apply through Google link given below-

Link of the Google form: <https://forms.gle/o4SgnDAAUjRqMt97>

B. Fill up the columns required in the Google link.

C. Upload the pdf copy containing the filled-in application form along with the documents mentioned in [3]. Merge all files in a single pdf for uploading in the Google form.

D. Submit the form and keep the copy of acknowledgement with you.

**The fee structure is as follows:**

<b>SAARC Countries</b>	<b>NON-SAARC Countries</b>
<b>Rs. 5,000 or equivalent USD</b>	<b>Rs. 10,000 or equivalent USD</b>

**BEFORE SUBMITTING THE FORM, PLEASE CHECK THE FOLLOWING:**

- a) The deadlines for submitting the form.
- b) All the required documents are uploaded.

**SELECTION PROCESS**

The received Applications will be forwarded to the admission committee constituted by the concerned department/ faculty for screening of applications for foreign nationals. The committees will short list the applications according to the eligibility requirement, merit and number of seats.

All foreign students applying to any course in Visva-Bharati will have to appear for an admission test conducted by the Department concerned. The candidate passing the admission test will be considered for admission to the University subject to compliance of all other admission eligibility criteria.

All foreign nationals with foreign qualifications are required to submit the Equivalence certificate from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) with the application form. Detailed Guidelines of AIU, New Delhi, for International Admission are available on: <http://www.aiuweb.org/Evaluation/evaluation.asp>

AIU address is given below:

AIU House

16, Comrade Indrajit Gupta Marg,

New Delhi- 110002, India

Phone- (91)-11-23230059, (91)-11-23232429

Fax : (91)-11-23232131

E-mail : [aiu@del12.vsnl.net.in](mailto:aiu@del12.vsnl.net.in) Website: <http://www.aiuweb.org>

Candidates may visit [www.visva-bharati.ac.in](http://www.visva-bharati.ac.in) for the detailed information regarding the eligibility requirements.

**SCHOOLING FROM INDIAN & INDIAN UNIVERSITIES**

Those foreign nationals who have appeared for Grade 12<sup>th</sup> examination from an Indian Board or passed their last qualifying examination from an Indian University will come under the category of 25% quota for admission to various programmes.

## **PROVISIONAL ADMISSION LETTER**

Only those applicants who have fulfilled the eligibility requirements and qualified in the admission test prescribed by the department concerned of respective Bhavana will be issued a provisional admission letter by the Joint Registrar (Academic & Research), Visva-Bharati.

The provisional admission letter is sent to the applicant's Embassy in New Delhi, Indian High Commission in applicant's Home Country and a scanned copy of the letter to the applicant's email address.

Therefore, applicants are advised to write their email address and other details clearly on the application forms. All foreign students should report to the office of Joint Registrar (Academic Research), Visva-Bharati by the date mentioned in provisional admission letter.

## **AFTER ARRIVAL**

All foreign students who secure admission to any course in Visva-Bharati should obtain a valid visa and bring all original documents to complete the registration process, without which no admission shall be granted. The Visa must be endorsed in the name of Visva-Bharati, no other endorsement will be acceptable.

Student visa: Student Visa is required to join Undergraduate Programme, Post-Graduate Programme.

## **ADMISSION FORMALITIES**

Candidates are required to report at the office of the Deputy Registrar (Academic & Research), Visva-Bharati, within the prescribed date.

He/ She undergoes the following formalities

- a) Verification of Valid Visa, Visa endorsement passport, Original Educational Documents.
  - b) Payment of Admission Fee at the University Accounts Section, Central Administrative Building (ground-floor), Visva-Bharati.
  - c) Report back to Academic & Research section with the fee receipt.
  - d) Students with admission letter will move to allotted Bhavana / Department. After finishing all the admission procedure, the student has to visit the Foreign Students' Assistance Cell, at India Gandhi Centre, Visva-Bharati within 2 days (as per rules).
- a) Student has to fill up the S-Form at the foreign Students' Assistance Cell, Visva-Bharati
  - b) After filing up the S-Form the student has to register himself / herself (Online) for getting an appointment date for reporting to the Foreigners' Registration office at Suri, this procedure has to be completed within two weeks of arrival in India.

## **COURSE FEES**

See page No: 18-23

## **TRANSFER & CHANGE OF COURSE**

No request for any Change of Course and / or Bhavana will be entertained admission to the course of study.

## **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SCHOLARSHIP**

Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) offers, Scholarships to International /Foreign students to study in India, the students interested to apply for this scholarship may contact:

Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) for detailed information on address given below;

Indian Council for Cultural Relation (ICCR) Azad Bhawan,  
Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi-110002, India

Contact no.- (91) 011-23379309, (91) 011-23379310, (91) 01123376315

Website: [www.iccrindia.net](http://www.iccrindia.net)

Email: [iccr@vsnl.com](mailto:iccr@vsnl.com)

## DISCIPLINE

The international/foreign students will abide by the rules of the Visva-Bharati and the code conduct as applicable to Indian students doing same courses.

## MEDICAL INSURANCE

All the Foreign Students medical Insurance will be done at the University after their admission.

## HOSTELS

There are separate hostels for boys and girls, however hostel accommodations are provided according to the availability of hostel seats.

## HEALTH CARE

Free medical treatment is provided to all students (both residential and day scholars) of the University at University Hospitals: Pearson Memorial Hospital, Santiniketan with extended dispensary and C.F. Andrews Hospital, Sriniketan.

## COMPUTER FACILITY

A full-fledged, well-equipped Computer Centre is located at Santiniketan with Internet and Software facilities is available for students, researchers, teachers and administrative employees of the University, subject to the rules and regulations of the Centre. The Computer Centre is open from 8 am to 8 pm.

## COMMUNICATION

Nearest Railway stations are Bolpur (Santiniketan) and Prantik respectively of the Eastern Railway. Nearest air-terminal is Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose International Airport, Kolkata and Kazi Nazrul Islam Airport (RDP), Durgapur.

## POST OFFICE

There are two Post Offices operating at Santiniketan and Sriniketan respectively, offering all postal services including saving bank facilities.

## BANK

The State Bank of India has two branches one is located at Santiniketan and another at Sriniketan with all banking services including ATMs.

## NOTE:

1. Applicants seeking admission to Visva-Bharati are strongly advised not to use the services of third party/ agents/ admission service firms.
2. Visva-Bharati has not authorized any agency/ individual/ agent to act on its behalf and/or to charge any fee from prospective students.
3. Applications/Inquiries received through middleman/third party/agent will not be entertained under any circumstances and will be summarily rejected.

**Admission helpdesk:**

**[vbforeignadmission@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:vbforeignadmission@visva-bharati.ac.in)**

**For more information visit:**

**<https://visvabharati.ac.in/index.html>**

**<https://www.vbadmission.in/>**

**Admission Coordination Cell Visva-Bharati**

**[visvabharati.acc@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:visvabharati.acc@visva-bharati.ac.in)**

**Helpline Numbers:**

**+91-8967733446 / +91-8967733447**

**Timing to contact: 10:30 AM to 5:30PM (Weekdays)**

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