

# 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.

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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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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION & DATES

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Visva-Bharati Admission Portal:	<a href="http://www.vbadmission.in">www.vbadmission.in</a>
Availability of forms (Online): CUET-UG	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
Last date of submission of forms: CUET-UG	5 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
Correction Window –CUET-UG	6-7 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
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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Director, CCR (Acting):	Professor Amal Kumar Pal
Director, PSNS (Acting):	Professor Amit Kumar Hazra
Director, IGC (Acting):	Professor Chowdhury Habibur Rahman
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Palli Siksha Bhavana:	Prof. Arun Kumar Barik
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Visva-Bharati Admission Portal: [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)  
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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 Asrama 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 Brahmacharyasrama 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 merely 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 whom Rabindranath had secured even from the days of the Brahmacharyasrama.

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 district 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 kilometres 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 neighbouring 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 centres 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. Siksha-Bhavana, the faculty of science. 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 Asrama. 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 a Mandir, 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 the life and 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 peace of 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, free from all antagonisms of race, nationality, creed or caste and in the name of One Supreme Being who is Satyam, Shivam, Advaitam.

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 hectare.

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 Airport, and 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. Indira Gandhi Single Girl Child Fellowship for Post Graduate students is available.

### 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 Hostel land in the field of Physical Education with the monthly allowance of Rs. 250/- per month.

### 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 in 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 Dwijibiram.

### 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 through 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 wings 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 Principal of respective Bhavana.

### **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 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 Chaottopadhyay, 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 ILMS (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	8,65,922
2	e-book (including 8368 purchased)	1,23,368
3	Digitized Book	29,894
4	Theses	3,388
5	Theses uploaded at Sodhganga	1,551
6	Online Database	20
7	News Paper + Magazine	87
8	Print Journal*	121
9	Online Journals**	7041

\*List may be accessed through the website, Link – [https://vblibrarynetwork.in/images/pdf/VBLN\\_Journals\\_2023.pdf](https://vblibrarynetwork.in/images/pdf/VBLN_Journals_2023.pdf);

\*\*Online Journals: 7,041 (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.

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.

**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's important to note that in-view of the limited hostel accommodation the candidates should understand that by selecting hostel accommodation as 'yes' it does not confirm the hostel facilities for the applicants, it would be allotted through the merit and distance score after the applicant gets the admission.

### **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 RULES: 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 is 6 years.
- The monthly rent of the seats will be 10% of the monthly fellowship/HRA received by the JRF/SRF/RET qualified candidates

### **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 resident(s) 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.

### **EVICION 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 in hostels of the university

### **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: Mediciam: 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 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 borders 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 officer 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 the 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, except that in case of emergency, special permission may be granted by the Paridarsika to any person to see the boarder concerned at anytime. 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 Cell:** Visva-Bharati has a separate Cell to protect the rights of SC/ST/OBC candidates of both students and employees. The guidelines followed for this based 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 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 Complain 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 [complaints.pshww@visva-bharati.ac.in](mailto:complaints.pshww@visva-bharati.ac.in). The guideline from 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.**

## 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- 01, BA-11, Chinese-101, Year of Admission-23, Sl No. 01: ID- 01111012301

Bhavana Code		Programme Code		Subject Code			Year of Admission		Sl. No.	
0	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	3	0	1



## UNIVERSITY FEE STRUCTURE

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

Sl. No.	FEES Head	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	
		Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS		SC, ST & PWD		Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD
						Science	Agriculture	Science	Agriculture										
1	Tuition Fee	840		840		840	840			840		840	4000			840	4000		
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	120
10	Students Amenities Fee	150	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	243
12	Students Aid Fee	200	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	100
14	Cultural Fee	200	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	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	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/-**

## 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 & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PW D		
					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	240	240	240	240	240	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	150
10	Medical Fee	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	243	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	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	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	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
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	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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\*Students admitted from NON-SAARC Countries have to pay five times of normal fees as per applicable fees from the above table

\*\*\*Medical Insurance fees are subject to change.\*

Only foreign students applying through ICCR will be allowed to pay their fees at par with Indian students.

\*\*\*\* Examination (Rs.500) (for M.Ed. Rs.1200) & Mark sheet (Rs.100) Fee will be paid at the time of Examination form Fill-up as and when notified by the Examination Section.

## 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 & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & 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 & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & 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)				Ph. D Course (Science/Agriculture)					
		(Sangit/Fine Arts)									
		1st year		2nd year - 6th year		1st year				2nd year - 6th year	
		Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & 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 ***	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>
	<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 & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	UR, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD					UR, OBC & 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***	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>192</b>
	<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)	01	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)	02	B.A. (Honours)	21
		M.A.	22
		One Yr. Course for Foreign Students	27
		Ph.D.	28
<b>Siksha-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Science)	03	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)	04	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)	05	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)	06	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)	07	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture	71
		M.Sc. (Ag.)/(Hort.)/ Animal Science (Poultry)	72
		Ph.D.	73
<b>Vinaya-Bhavana</b> (Institute of Education)	08	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)	09	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)	10	Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Science)	96
		Pre-Primary to Pre-Degree (Humanities)	97

# NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL POLICY (NEP): 2020

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 by Visva-Bharati 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-year (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 at-least 42 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 at-least 82 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 at-least 128 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 at-least 168 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 at-least 168 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 Academic Credit vis-à-vis level of entry and exit as well as Credit Equivalence followed by the Examination department, Visva-Bharati should be verified at the time of admission.



## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR SCHOOLS: 2024-2025

For the academic session 2024-25, 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 L: [visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/jan2024](http://visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/jan2024)
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 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 produce their original final mark sheet of previous examinations and other relevant documents along with self-attested photo-copies at the time of application to various classes, 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.**
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 2024-2025 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 2023 & 2024 (excluding the additional subject).
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 presented in the class (Online/Offline) for first seven working days from the commencement of class. 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 filled 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 10<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 2023& 2024 (aggregate marks will be calculated excluding additional subject).
- 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 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 OBCs and whose family has gross annual income below Rs.8.00 lakh (Rupees eight lakh) only are to be identified as EWS 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 and 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. Relaxation of Marks: 5% marks for PWD candidates and 10% marks for OBC candidates in minimum qualifying marks/standard. SC/ST candidates passed in qualifying examination shall be admitted in the order of merit going down the interest merit list up to the point necessary to fulfil their reservation percentage and no restriction of percentage shall be applicable in this regard.
- v. Only ‘non-creamy layer’ OBC candidates as per ‘Central list of OBC’ (<http://www.ncbc.nic.in/user-panel/centralliststateview.aspx>) shall get the benefit of reservation in admission.
- vi. PWD, SC, ST and OBC 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/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 Non Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD), issued by competent authority. Validity period of OBC Certificate is three (03) years (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory, for EWS it is one (01) year and PWD certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate. No request for further timing will be entertained

**Differently Abled Persons (Divyanggan)**

(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 (Bind 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/PWD etc.) must be produced during counselling. 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%

### **25. Application fees:**

Category	For first Application	For 2 <sup>nd</sup> Application to another school, VB
For GEN, OBC & 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. 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>  Details of Counselling Process will be notified in due course of time
Admission from First Merit List	
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: 09

Patha-Bhavana, the poets 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 'singleness' (*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 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 a 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, co-operation are the basic principles. 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 paintings, Clay modelling, handicraft and other creative assignments. Every student has to take part in music and dance. All these are given equal importance in learning process.

Till today, *Ashram Sammilani* (the students' council), founded by the Poet himself in 1912 and 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 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 as well. 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 June 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/) [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) in September every year. Application can be done through online mode. Candidates are selected on the basis of computerized random selection generally in December every year. Classes commence in January next year.

### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS II

Residential Students and day scholars 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/) [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) in September every year. 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 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 PROGRAMME(10+2)

Online applications are invited for Admission of students to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level). External residential candidates are admitted to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level) in Patha-Bhavana. For external admission to class XI in the academic year 2024-25, candidate who have successfully completed the class 10<sup>th</sup> level Board Examination from any board in the year 2023& 2024, will be eligible to apply (subject to fulfillment of eligibility marks).

Course	Stream	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Tot
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 911	Science	80% marks in aggregate and 80 % in mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	72% marks in aggregate and 72% in mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	5	3	2	1	1	12
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 912	Humanities	70% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	63% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	5	3	2	1	1	12

**For SC/ST candidates: Pass marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination.**

- Staff-wards may also apply if he/she fulfills the above-mentioned eligibility criteria.
- Integrated students from Patha Bhavan, Visva-Bharati who have successfully completed the School Certificate Examination 2023 & 2024 of Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly. The requisite percentage for Integrated students is as follows:

Course	Stream	Eligibility	
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 911	Science	70% marks in aggregate and 70% in mathematics in School Certificate Examination	63% marks in aggregate and 63% in mathematics in School Certificate Examination
Pre-Degree (+2 level) Code: 912	Humanities	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination

- **For SC/ST candidates: Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination.**
- **Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/EWS and PWD will be as per GOI rules.**

#### Course of Study and subject offered:

A candidate will have to select two core subjects (with English as one of the subjects) and four elective subjects from the list given below:

Course	Core Subjects	Elective Subjects(one from each group)
Pre-Degree Science	Any one from Bengali/ Hindi English(compulsory)	I. Food & Nutrition / Mathematics II. Biology/ Statistics* III. Physics IV. Chemistry
Pre-Degree Humanities	Any one from Bengali/ Hindi English(compulsory)	I. Food & Nutrition / Mathematics / Political Science II. Geography / Philosophy / Statistics* III. Economics / History Esraj / Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal) / Japanese / Manipuri Dance / Painting / Rabindra Sangit / Sanskrit / Sitar / Tabla

\* For Statistics, Mathematics is compulsory

In addition to the above-mentioned core and elective subject the student will have to take a vocational subject in Class XII from the list of available subject. (The list will be notified later)

Note: Admission to Class XI for Patha-Bhavana will be solely on the basis of marks obtained at the Secondary Level (Madhyamik Pariksha or an equivalent examination) in 2023 & 2024 (except the additional subject) for external students, and on the basis of marks obtained in the School Certificate/Madhyamik Examination, 2023& 2024 for integrated students.

Weekly Holidays: Wednesday & Sunday.

# SIKSHA SATRA

## INSTITUTE OF ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY & HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION

CODE NO: 10

(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 limb and mind 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 SamgathanaVibhaga). The junior division NCC unit was opened at Siksha-Satra in 1982. In 1988, Santosh Pathshala, the Kindergarten School 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 Science and Humanities Stream.

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 PATHSALA

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&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 normally commence in January every year.

### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS VI

The day scholar students are admitted to Class VI. The age of the candidates should be 11+ years. Advertisement for admission to Class VI is generally published on the university



website: <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 class 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 normally commence in January every year. Academic session is January to December every year.

### ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TOPRE-DEGREEPROGRAMME (10+2) FOR EXTERNAL STUDENTS:

Online applications are invited for Admission of students to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level). External Day-Scholar candidates are admitted to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 level) in Siksha-Satra. The candidates who have successfully passed the Madhyamik Pariksha (10<sup>th</sup> level) or equivalent examination from any recognized board in the year 2023 or 2024 will be eligible to apply (subject to fulfilment of eligibility marks) in the academic session 2024-2025.

Course	Stream	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR Candidates	For OBC Candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code : 913	Science	Minimum 80% marks in aggregate and 80% marks in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha (10th Level) or equivalent examination.	Minimum 72% marks in aggregate and 72% marks in Mathematics in Madhyamik Pariksha (10th Level) or equivalent examination.	5	3	2	1	1	12
Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code : 914	Humanities	Minimum 70% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10th Level) or equivalent examination.	Minimum 63% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10th Level) or equivalent examination.	5	3	2	1	1	12

**For SC/ST Candidates:** Pass marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha (10th Level) or equivalent examination in the year 2023 or 2024.

**Integrated students of Siksha-Satra, Visva-Bharati, who have successfully passed the School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024 of Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly. Candidates may contact Siksha-Satra Office for subject options. Limited number of integrated students of Siksha-Satra will be offered Science in Pre-Degree course according to marks obtained in the School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024.**

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

Course	Stream	Eligibility	
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code : 913	Science	70% marks in aggregate and 70% marks in Mathematics in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024	63% marks in aggregate and 63% marks in Mathematics in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024
Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code : 914	Humanities	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024	Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024

**For SC/ST candidates: Pass marks in aggregate in School Certificate Examination, in the year 2023 or 2024.**

**Course of Study and subjects offered:**

Course	Core Compulsory Subjects	Elective Subjects (one from each group to be chosen)
Pre-Degree Science	1. English. 2. Bengali / Hindi (Any one).	1) Mathematics / Food and Nutrition 2) Biology / Statistics* 3) Physics 4) Chemistry
Pre-Degree Humanities	1. English. 2. Bengali / Hindi (Any one).	1) Mathematics / Political Science / Food and Nutrition 2) Statistics*/ Philosophy / Geography** 3) Economics / History 4) Rabindra-Sangit / Painting / Tabla / Manipuri Dance / Japanese / Sanskrit/Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)

**\*For Statistics, Mathematics is compulsory.**

**\*\* For Geography, Economics or Mathematics is compulsory.**

In addition to the above-mentioned Core and Elective Subjects, the student will have to take a Vocational Subject in Class XII from the list of available subjects.

- List of compulsory Vocational Subjects (Any one to be chosen in Class XII )
  - a) Batik Work
  - b) Library Science
  - c) Physical Education
  - d) Tabla\*\*\*
  - e) Wood Work
  - f) Rabindra Sangeet\*\*\*
  - g) Spinning and Weaving
  - h) Elements of Computer Science
  - i) Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal) \*\*\*
  - j) Survey Training

**\*\*\*Cannot be Chosen if already opted as an Elective subject.**

**Note:**

Admission to Class XI for Siksha-Satra for external students will be solely on the basis of marks obtained at the Madhyamik Pariksha (10<sup>th</sup> level) or an equivalent examination in the year 2023 or 2024 (except the marks of additional subject).

Weekly Holidays: Saturday and Sunday

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR UG PROGRAMMES: 2024-25

For the Academic session 2024-25, Visva-Bharati will admit students for different Under Graduate (UG) on the basis of the score of CUET-2024 except for a few activity/performance-based subjects.

1. Criteria for admission are specified in the relevant section in each Bhavana.
2. Students should have applied through ONLINE PORTAL: <https://cuet.samarth.ac.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 program at Visva-Bharati for the session 2024-25. Other applications/requests will not be entertained, in any way. Indian applicants those who are interested to take admission in any UG programme at Visva-Bharati should have selected the Visva-Bharati and concerned Honours Subject through CUET.
3. For step to step online application guidelines for UG programmes candidates should have followed information bulletin: <https://exams.nta.ac.in/CUET-UG/images/cuet-ug-ib.pdf>.
4. After the publication of the CUET-2024 (UG) result, interested candidates (External & VB Integrated) must register their candidature in the Visva-Bharati Admission Portal- <https://www.vbadmission.in/>

Registration Fee (Not Refundable)	
Category	Fee
For GEN, EWS & OBC	Rs. 250/-
For SC, ST & PWD	Rs. 100/-

5. Subject-wise rank list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate(s) in CUET-2024 for the admission to different UG programmes except, for some activity/performance-based subjects, like Kala Bhavana, Sangit Bhavana, B.Sc. (Honours) in Physical Education & Sports Sciences and Yogic Art & Science under Vinaya Bhavana where both CUET score as well as admission test conducted by the concerned department will be considered.
6. 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.
7. 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 counselling/admission (Online/Offline) to various courses 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. 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.
8. 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
9. 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.

10. Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last 3 years (including the current year i.e. 2022-2024) will only be considered while seeking admission to UG/PG programmes, with the following exceptions;
- Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last ten years (including the current year-2015-2024) will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelors / Master's Degree and other courses of Kala- Bhavana. Foreign students, however, are exempted.
  - Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last five years (including the current year-2020-2024) will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelors / Master's Degree and other courses of Sangit- Bhavana.
  - Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examination during 2023& 2024 will be considered while seeking admission to BSW Course of the Department of Social Work.
  - Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last 05 years (including the current year) will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelor programme of Silpa Sadana.
  - In this regard if anything mentioned for any particular programme under the Bhavana will be considered as final criterion.
11. 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, SC and ST.
12. There shall be a separate notification for all entrance tests for UG conducted by different departments (wherever applicable) on Visva-Bharati Admission Portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/>
13. It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class for the first ten working days from the commencement of class. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled and candidates from the waiting list will be considered for admission.
14. Applicants are advised to visit admission portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/> for any updates (inclusion/ omission) at regular intervals.
15. For CUET-2024(UG) examination, candidate had to select test paper(s) based on the following table:

Programme/ Course offered	Test Paper to CUET - 2024	Programme/ Course offered	Test Paper to CUET -2024
B.A. (Hons) in Bengali	Bengali	B.Sc(Hons) in Zoology	Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry.
B.A. (Hons) in Chinese	English/ General Test	B.Sc(Hons) in Botany	Biology/Biological Studies/Biotechnology/Biochemistry.
B.A. (Hons) in French	General Test	B.Sc(Hons) in Chemistry	Chemistry
B.A. (Hons) in German	General Test	B.Sc. (Hons) in Physics	Physics
B.A. (Hons) in Italian	General Test	B.Sc(Hons) in Mathematics	Mathematics
B.A. (Hons) in Russian	General Test	B.Sc(Hons) in Statistics	Mathmatics
B.A. (Hons) in English	English/General Test	B.Sc(Hons) in Computer and System Science	Computer Science/ Informatics Practices/Mathematics
B.A. (Hons) in Hindi	Hindi/ General Test	Five years integrated M.Sc	The entrance test for this programme is a common test for all languages.Candidates seeking admission to the Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. in Visva-Bharati have to appear for CUET UG-2024. They are required to opt any three out of the Physics,Chemistry,Mathematics and
B.A. (Hons) in Indo Tibetan	General Test		
B.A. (Hons) in Japanese	English/General Test		
B.A. (Hons) in Persian	General Test		
B.A. (Hons) in Odia	Odia and General Test. Both test will be considered for final ranking.		

B.A. (Hons) in Sanskrit	Sanskrit		Biology from Section-2 for admission to the Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. in Visva-Bharati. Candidates who will not appear in any three out of the four (viz. Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology) from Section-2, will not be considered for admission to Five-Year Integrated M.Sc in Visva-Bharati. Criterion for preparation of the Merit list: Aggregate of the best three out of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology.
B.A. (Hons) in Santali	General Test		
B.A.(Hons) in Economics	Economics/ Business Economics/ Mathematics		
B.A.(Hons) in Geography	Geography		
B.A.(Hons) in History	History		
B.A.(Hons) in Ancient Indian History Culture and Archaeology	History		
B.A.(Hons) in Philosophy	Philosophy/General Test	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture	The entrance test for this programme is a common test for all languages. Candidates seeking admission to B.Sc (Hons) Agriculture in Visva-Bharati have to appear for CUET (UG) 2024. They are required to opt for Section II (Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics OR Physics, Chemistry and Biology OR Physics, Chemistry and Agriculture) for the admission in Visva-Bharati. Candidates who will not appear in Section II (Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics OR Physics, Chemistry and Biology OR Physics, Chemistry and Agriculture), will not be considered for admission in Visva-Bharati. Remarks: Criterion for preparation of Merit list : Score of Section II (Sum of the scores obtained in either of three subject combinations of Section II]
BA(Hons) in Comparative Religion	General Test		
Bachelor of Social Work (Hons).	General Test		
Bachelor of Rural Studies (Hons).	General Test		
Bachelor of Design (Ceramics and Glass)	General Test		
Bachelor of Design (Furniture and Interior)	General Test		
Bachelor of Design (Textile)	General Test		
Bachelor of Physical Education and Sports (BPES).	General Test		
B.Sc. (Hons) in Yoga	General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Ceramic and Glass Design	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Graphic Art (Printmaking)	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Painting	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Sculpture	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Textile Design	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test		
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in History of Art	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting)/General Test	BPA(Hons) in Rabindra Sangit	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/General Test
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Sculpture	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test	BPA(Hons) in Hindustani Classical Music (Instrumental)-Sitar	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/ General Test
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in Textile Design	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting) or General Test	BPA in Hindustani Classical Music (Instrumental)-Esraj	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/General Test
Bachelor of Fine Arts (Hons.) in History of Art	Fine Arts/ Visual Arts (Sculpture/ Painting)/General Test	BPA(Hons) in Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/General Test
BPA(Hons) in Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/General Test	BPA(Hons) in Kathakali Dance	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion), General Test
BPA in Hindustani Classical Music (Instrumental)-Tabla	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non-Percussion)/ General Test		

BPA in Hindustani Classical Music (Instrumental)-Pakhawaj	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/ Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non- Percussion)/ General Test	BPA(Hons) in Drama & Theatre Arts	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non- Percussion)/General Test
BPA(Hons) in Manipuri Dance	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non- Percussion)/ General Test	BPA(Hons) in Rabindra Nritya	Performing Arts- (i) Dance (Kathak/ Bharatnatyam/Kathakali/Oddisi (ii) Drama-Theatre) (iii) Music General (Hindustani/Carnatic/Rabindra Sangeet/ Percussion/ Non- Percussion)/General Test

16. **Tie-break for UG programmes:** If two or more applicants rank the same in the merit list based on the CUET 2024 score, preference will be given in the following order:

- I. The candidate securing higher % in aggregate marks of all 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	Biology (Life Science). However, at +2 level, Zoology and Botany as a separate subject will not be considered. Marks obtained in vocational subject will not be considered in the preparation of merit list.	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 Science	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.

17. Minor courses under NEP: Under Graduate students can opt for minor courses (Sem I – Sem VIII) under NEP curricula after confirmation of admission.
18. 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 after the declaration of CUET 2024 result.
19. 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.
20. 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.
21. In general maximum three rounds counselling/document verification will be done to fill up the intake capacity. In case of considerable vacancies even after the third round, then it is the discretion of the university to arrange another round(s).
22. Multiple applications submitted by an applicant for a single subject/program, the latest application will be considered for admission.
23. It is advised to all the applicants to use email ID and mobile number (preferably WhatsApp) either of the candidates for his/her parents for direct/easy contact from the VB admission 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.
24. 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.
25. In case of online counselling/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.

## 26. 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 candidates and EWS 10 %.
- 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 OBCs 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 (2023-24) 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 Component 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. Relaxation of marks: 5% marks for PWD candidates and 10% marks for OBC candidates in eligibility criteria set by the Department/Vibhaga/Bhavana. SC/ST candidates passed in qualifying examination shall be admitted in the order of merit going down the inter-se merit list up to the point necessary to fulfill their reservation percentage and on restriction of percentage shall be applicable in this regard.
  - v. Upper Age Relaxation: for SC/ST – 05 years; for OBC – 03 Years; for PWD of UR/EWS – 05 Years; for PWD of SC/ST – 10 years and for PWD of OBC – 08 Years.
  - vi. Only 'non-creamy layer' OBC candidates as per 'Central list of OBC' ([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.
  - vii. PWD, SC, ST, OBC & 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.
  - viii. Any change in Govt. of India reservation policy prior to the date of admission shall be applicable during the admission process.
  - ix. Certificates in respect of SC/ST/OBC/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.
  - x. Category Certificates (OBC Non Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD), issued by competent authority. Validity period of OBC Certificate is three (03) years (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory, for EWS it is one (01) year and PWD certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate. No request for further timing will be entertained.
  - xi. 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/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%.

### **27. 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-2024. 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.

### **28. 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.

### **29. 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-2024 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; 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

**30. Reservation for staff-ward (who must have scored in CUET-2024 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-
  - a. The ward of the Staff should have passed the 10+2 Examination in the current year i.e. 2024 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.
  - b. 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. 2024 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.
  - c. 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-2024. 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-2024 and Departmental /Bhavana Admission Test, with equal weightage (i.e. 50:50 ratios) of both the tests.

\*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.

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

**Reservation for Integrated students** (two Schools of Visva-Bharati i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra passing in the current year i.e. 2024 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), Vinaya Bhavana (Department of Physical Education and Sports Science). 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. 2024):

- 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. 2024 from Visva-Bharati will only be considered as Integrated Students of Visva-Bharati.
- b) Integrated students must have to appear CUET-2024, as the merit list will be prepared on the basis of the score obtained by the candidate in CUET-2024. 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-2024 and Departmental /Bhavana Admission Test.
- c) Integrated students shall have to fulfill the departmental requirements, as noted for respective UG program(s).
- d) Reservation (SC, ST, OBC, EWS, PWD) in admission from integrated students of Visva-Bharati schools system will be considered as per GOI rules.

### **31. 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 nationals (through CUET-2024). They are requested to visit Visva-Bharati Admission Portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>) regularly for updated information and filled up the form accordingly.

32. 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/ SC / ST), and if any seat is lying vacant in any subjects in any external intake (UR/ OBC/ SC / ST), the seat(s) will be filled up from the VBU integrated (UR/ OBC/ SC / ST) candidates.
33. 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).
34. The mode (online/ offline) of counselling/document verification for admission will be announced in due course.
35. 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 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 candidatedship of the applicant shall be cancelled/rejected.

36. In case of non-production of caste certificate on the day of counselling, 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, on the date of counselling, 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.

37. 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 2024-25.
38. To claim under “Integrated” category while applying for any programmes the applicant must be an immediate (current year i.e. 2024) pass-out student of the corresponding last qualifying examination (like for UG admission, applicant has to pass Pre-Degree programme from two schools i.e. Patha-Bhavana and Siksha-Satra of Visva Bharati during the current year.
39. Students already studying in UG programme (i.e., admitted 2023 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 2024.
40. Subjects having only PG programmes and having no UG program at Visva-Bharati in the corresponding subject, there will be no integrated reservation, except UG programmes in Agriculture under Palli Siksha Bhavana (PSB), VB.
41. 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 counselling.
42. 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.
43. 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/SC/ST. The unfilled seat/s in UR category may be filled with such candidates who fulfil minimum eligibility criteria of OBC/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.

44. It's mandatory to create individual Academic Bank Credits (ABC) IDs according to UGC Norms. (Except foreign students).
45. All undergraduate students will be required to study Compulsory Foundation Courses in Tagore Studies and Environmental Studies.
46. New 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.
47. The medical insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required to pay medical insurance fee.
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. School (Patha-Bhavana) have their own working hours.

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# BHASHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)

CODE: 01

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 Professors 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 CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE B.A. (HONS.)

The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 score.

- UR and OBC Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary Examination under 10+2 patterns or its equivalent, subject to fulfillment of the requirements for subject combinations and marks in respect of the department concerned as shown in the following table.
- SC & ST Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary Examination under 10+2 pattern or its equivalent, subject to fulfillment of the requirement regarding subject combinations of the department concerned.

### DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria	Intake Capacity							Total Seat
			Ext. / Int.	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL	
Bengali	106	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Bengali at + 2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Bengali at + 2 level. <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent	Ext.	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Chinese	101	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in English at the +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in English at the +2 level.	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			Int.	10	6	4	2	3	25	
English	107	<b>UR:</b> 75% marks in aggregate & 75% marks in General English at the +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 67.5% marks in aggregate & 67.5% marks in General English at the +2 level. <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			Int.	10	6	4	2	3	25	

<b>Hindi</b>	108	<b>UR:</b> 45% marks in aggregate and 45% marks in Hindi at least (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 40.5% marks in aggregate and 40.5% marks in Hindi (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level. <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent.	<b>Ext</b>	10	6	4	1	2	23	45
			<b>Int.</b>	9	6	3	2	2	22	
<b>Indo-Tibetan</b>	105	<b>UR:</b> 45% marks in aggregate and 45% marks in Hindi at least (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 40.5% marks in aggregate and 40.5% marks in Hindi (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level.	<b>Ext</b>	5	4	0	0	1	10	20
			<b>Int.</b>	4	3	1	1	1	10	
<b>Japanese</b>	103	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% in General English at the +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate and 54% in General English at the +2 level.	<b>Ext</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
<b>Persian</b>	112	<b>UR:</b> 65% marks in aggregate at +2 level And 65% marks in English at +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 58..5% marks in aggregate at +2 level and 58.5% marks in English at +2 level.	<b>Ext</b>	4	2	2	1	1	10	20
			<b>Int.</b>	4	3	1	1	1	10	
<b>Sanskrit</b>	113	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% in Sanskrit at +2 level or 60% marks in aggregate at +2 level with Diploma in Sanskrit having 60% marks. <b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate and 54% in Sanskrit at +2 level or 54% marks in aggregate at +2 level with Diploma in Sanskrit having 54% marks.	<b>Ext</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
<b>French</b>	115	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate & 60% marks in General English at the +2 level.	<b>Ext</b>	6	4	2	1	2	15	30
<b>German</b>	110		<b>Ext</b>	6	4	2	1	2	15	
<b>Italian</b>	125	<b>OBC:</b> 54 % marks in aggregate & 54 % marks in General English at the +2 level. <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent. * Students do not require any prior knowledge in French/ German/ Italian/Russian as these languages will be taught from the zero level.	<b>Int.</b>	6	4	3	1	1	15	30
			<b>Ext</b>	4	2	2	1	1	10	
<b>Russian</b>	155	* Students do not require any prior knowledge in French/ German/ Italian/Russian as these languages will be taught from the zero level.	<b>Int.</b>	4	3	1	1	1	10	20
			<b>Ext</b>	6	4	2	1	2	15	
<b>Odia</b>	109	<b>UR:</b> 50% marks in aggregate and 50 % mark in Odia subject at +2 level <b>OBC:</b> 45% marks in aggregate and 45 % mark in Odia subject at +2 level <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent	<b>Int.</b>	6	4	3	1	1	15	30
			<b>Ext</b>	7	4	2	1	1	-	
<b>Santali</b>	114	<b>UR:</b> 50% marks in aggregate and 50% marks in Santali Subject at +2 level. <b>OBC:</b> 45% marks in aggregate and 45% marks in Santali Subject at +2 level	<b>Ext</b>	8	5	3	2	2	-	20
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>195</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>480</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 2024 of Visva-Bharati subject to fulfilment of departmental requirements will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit of CUET-2024 score.



# VIDYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

**Code: 02**

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 Professors 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 CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO UNDER-GRADUATE [B.A. (HONS.)] COURSES

The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 score.

UR and OBC Candidates : Passed Higher Secondary examination under 10+2 pattern or its equivalent, subject to fulfilment of the requirements regarding subject combinations and marks in respect of the department concerned as shown in the table in next page.

SC & ST Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary examination under 10+2 pattern or its equivalent, subject to fulfilment of the requirements regarding subject combinations of the department concerned.

#### DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria For UR Candidates & OBC Candidates	Intake							
			Int. / Ext.	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	TOTAL
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	201	<b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% in History at +2 level or 70% marks in aggregate for students who have English, Social Science, Science, Philosophy, Indian Classical Languages at +2 level <b>OBC:</b> 55% marks in aggregate and 55% in History at +2 level or 63% marks in aggregate for students who have English, Social Science, Science, Philosophy, Indian Classical Languages at +2 level	<b>Ext.</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	

Comparative Religion	202	<p><b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level</p> <p>*for Integrated students 55% marks in aggregate at +2 Level</p> <p><b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level</p>	<b>Ext</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
Economics	203	<p><b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate with pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level.</p> <p><b>OBC:</b> 54% marks in aggregate with pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level.</p> <p>But if a student did not have Mathematics as a subject at the HS level or did not pass in the said examination in Mathematics, she/he will not be admitted in the Economics Honours Course.</p>	<b>Ext.</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
Geography	204	<p>UR: 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Geography*.</p> <p>OBC: 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Geography*.</p> <p>SC&amp;ST: Passed Geography* at 10+2 level</p> <p>*Geography should be core/ major subject, not an additional or optional subject.</p>	<b>Ext</b>	12	8	4	2	3	29	58
			<b>Int.</b>	11	8	5	2	3	29	
History	205	<p><b>UR:</b> 60% marks in aggregate and 60% in History at the +2 level. Or 60% in English for those who do not have History at the +2 level.</p> <p><b>OBC:</b> 54%marks in aggregate and 54% in History at the +2 level. or 54% in English for those who do not have History at the +2 level.</p>	<b>Ext.</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
Philosophy	206	<p><b>UR:</b> 65% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Philosophy or 70 % marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level.</p> <p><b>OBC:</b> 58.5% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Philosophy at or 63 % marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level.</p>	<b>Ext.</b>	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			<b>Int.</b>	10	6	4	2	3	25	
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>123</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>308</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 2024 of Visva-Bharati subject to fulfilment of departmental requirements will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit of CUET-2024 score.

# SIKSHA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF SCIENCES

### CODE: 03

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.

Students of Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. Programme are admitted from regular science stream only having Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics in their XI and XII classes. Fifteen (15) out of thirty one (31) students admitted to the course 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-inspire.gov.in](http://www.online-inspire.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.)]

1. All candidates seeking admission to under graduate courses should pass the pre-degree or equivalent examination under 10+2 pattern with at least three subjects out of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Life Science/ Biological Science, Statistics and Computer Science and fulfil the Departmental criteria as shown in Table 1. The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 score.
2. NTS Scholars: Regular NTS Scholars (Certificate issued by the NCERT, New Delhi) may be admitted directly on supernumerary basis to B.Sc. (Honours), subject to fulfilment of the Departmental criteria as shown in the Table 1.

**TABLE 1: DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY**

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC, SC & ST Candidates	Total Intake (External & Integrated)							Total Seat
			Ext./Int.	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT	
Chemistry	301	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Chemistry with pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level	Ext.	11	7	4	2	3	28	55
		OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Chemistry with pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level Sc& ST: Passed in Chemistry & Mathematics at 10+2 level	Int.	12	8	4	2	2	27	
Physics	302	UR: Minimum 70% in aggregate and 75% marks in average of Physics and Mathematics at +2 level	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
		OBC: Minimum 63% in aggregate and 67.5% marks in average of Physics and Mathematics at +2 level SC & ST: Passed in Physics & Mathematics at 10+2 level	Int.	10	6	4	2	3	25	
Mathematics	303	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Mathematics at +2 level	Ext.	11	8	5	2	3	29	58
		OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Mathematics at +2 level SC & ST: Passed in Mathematics at 10+2 level	Int.	12	8	4	2	3	29	
Statistics	304	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Statistics and pass marks in Mathematics OR 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Mathematics if Statistics is not offered at +2 level	Ext.	5	3	1	1	1	11	22
		OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Statistics and pass marks in Mathematics OR 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Mathematics if Statistics is not offered at +2 level SC & ST: Passed in mathematics at 10+2 level	Int.	4	3	2	1	1	11	
Computer Science	305	UR: (i) Minimum 65% marks in aggregate in 10+2 examination; (ii) Must have Mathematics as a paper in 10+2 examination and qualified in the paper; (iii) Minimum 65% marks in Mathematics or 75% marks in Computer Science/ Information Technology	Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	15	30
		OBC: (i) Minimum 58.5% marks in aggregate in 10+2 examination; (ii) Must have Mathematics as a paper in 10+2 examination and qualified in the paper; (iii) Minimum 58.5% marks in Mathematics or 67.5% marks in Computer Science/ Information Technology SC & ST: Passed in Mathematics at 10+2 level	Int.	6	4	2	1	2	15	

Botany	306	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+2 level	Ext.	8	7	3	1	2	21	42
		OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+2 level	Int.	9	5	3	2	2	21	
Zoology	307	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+2 level	Ext.	9	5	3	2	2	21	42
		OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+2 level	Int.	8	6	3	2	2	21	
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>121</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>299</b>

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

Integrated students from two Schools of Visva-Bharati seeking admission to under graduate courses should pass the pre-degree Examination' 2024 of Visva-Bharati, with at least three subjects out of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Life Science/Biological Science, Statistics and Computer Science and fulfill the Departmental criteria as shown in Table 1. The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 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/ Earth & Environmental Science/ Life Science/ Mathematics/ Physics at ISERC**

Eligibility criteria for admission to Five-Year (Ten Semester) Integrated M.Sc. at ISERC: Candidates seeking admission to Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. Programme should pass the pre-degree or equivalent examination under 10+2 pattern with Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics in their XI and XII classes and fulfill the Departmental requirements as shown in table below. **The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 score.**

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR Candidates	Eligibility Criteria for OBC Candidates	Eligibility Criteria for SC & ST Candidates	Intake						
					UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT	
Five-Year Integrated M.Sc.	317	<b>UR:</b> Regular Science students secured at least 60% marks in aggregate or equivalent grade in class XII (10+2) examination. <b>OBC:</b> Regular Science students secured at least 54% marks in aggregate or equivalent grade in class XII (10+2) examination. <b>SC&amp;ST:</b> Regular Science students passed in Pre- degree or equivalent examination under 10+2 pattern. *Also the students should have passed in each of the four subjects: Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics				13	8	5	2	3	31

# SANGIT BHAVANA

## (INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA)

### CODE: 04

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	Intake Capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Rabindra-Sangit	401	For UR: 45% marks in aggregate at +2 level For OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate at +2 level (Pass Mark at +2 level for Sitar, Esraj, Tabla & Pakhwaj). For SC & ST, pass mark at +2 level. The students appearing at the H.S. (10+2) or equivalent examination in the last 5 years may apply for B. P. A. (Hons.) course with a proper document(s) for admission and appear at the admission test. If selected, the said candidates may be admitted only on production of H.S. (10+2) mark sheet with requisite marks as stipulated above. Relaxation is applicable for SC, ST & PWD candidates.	19	13	7	4	5	48

Manipuri Dance	402	For UR: 45% marks in aggregate at +2 level For OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate at +2 level (Pass Mark at +2 level for Sitar, Esraj, Tabla & Pakhwaj).	12	8	5	2	3	30
Kathakali Dance	403	For SC & ST, pass mark at +2 level. The students appearing at the H.S. (10+2) or equivalent examination in the last 5 years may apply for B. P. A. (Hons.) course with a proper document(s) for admission and appear at the admission test. If selected, the said candidates may be admitted only on production of	8	5	3	2	2	20
Drama & Theatre Arts	404	H.S. (10+2) mark sheet with requisite marks as stipulated above. Relaxation is applicable for SC, ST & PWD candidates.	11	6	4	2	2	25
Rabindra Nritya	405	For UR: 45% marks in aggregate at +2 level For OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate at +2 level (Pass Mark at +2 level for Sitar, Esraj, Tabla & Pakhwaj).	14	9	5	3	4	35
HCM Vocal	406	For SC & ST, pass mark at +2 level. The students appearing at the H.S. (10+2) or equivalent examination in the last 5 years may apply for B. P. A. (Hons.) course with a proper document(s) for admission and appear at the admission test. If selected, the said candidates may be admitted only on production of	12	8	5	2	3	30
Sitar	407	H.S. (10+2) mark sheet with requisite marks as stipulated above. Relaxation is applicable for SC, ST & PWD candidates.	5	3	2	1	1	12
Esraj	408	For UR: 45% marks in aggregate at +2 level For OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate at +2 level (Pass Mark at +2 level for Sitar, Esraj, Tabla & Pakhwaj).	5	3	2	1	1	12
Tabla	409	For SC & ST, pass mark at +2 level. The students appearing at the H.S. (10+2) or equivalent examination in the last 5 years may apply for B. P. A. (Hons.) course with a proper document(s) for admission and appear at the admission test. If selected, the said candidates may be admitted only on production of	11	6	4	2	2	25
Pakhawaj	410	H.S. (10+2) mark sheet with requisite marks as stipulated above. Relaxation is applicable for SC, ST & PWD candidates.	6	4	2	1	2	15
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>103</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>252</b>

**Modalities followed for admission:**

1. CUET- UG 2024 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-2024 and performance skill test conducted by the Sangit Bhavana with 50:50 ratio i.e., equal weightage.
4. The qualifying marks for admission (CUET-UG 2024& Performance skill test's combined marks) are 30%. Relaxation for reserve category will remain as per GOI and university rules & regulations.
5. Differently abled persons (Divyanggan) -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 & Pakhwaj) Deaf & Hand Disable.
  - c. Drama and Dance subjects – Visually, verbally and physically Disabled.

**Note:**

1. The original documents and their photocopies must be produced at the time of admission.
2. The merit list for admission will be notified on the University website- [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in).
3. Admission of foreign National/International candidates in all regular courses will be supernumerary



# KALA BHAVANA

## (INSTITUTE OF ARTS & CRAFTS)

**CODE: 05**

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	Minimum Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR applicants	For OBC applicants	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Ceramics & Glass Design	508	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	5	3	2	1	1	12
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	504	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	4	3	1	1	1	10
History of Art	505	65% marks in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	58.5% marks in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	4	3	1	1	1	10
Painting	506	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	5	3	2	1	1	12
Sculpture	507	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	4	3	1	1	1	10
Textile Design	509	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10 + 2 or equivalent	4	2	2	1	1	10
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>26</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>64</b>

*Intake capacity for Lateral Entry/Exit at the even semesters will be as per NEP guidelines.*

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

- (1) Admission through CUET UG-2024 is compulsory.
- (2) Applicants opting for the abovementioned Undergraduate programmes after CUET UG-2024 will have to appear in an additional test conducted at Kala-Bhavana, as per the departmental criteria mentioned below. This test will be conducted after the date of publication of CUET UG-2024 results.
- (3) The Date, Time and other details of this admission test will be duly announced in the University Admission Online Portal- [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)

## **DETAILS OF THE POST-CUET ADMISSION TEST (UG) TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE BHAVANA & THE LATERAL ENTRY CRITERIA**

**Department of Ceramics & Glass Design:** Post-CUET-2024, Departmental Admission Test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce (both 100 marks). The weightage of CUET-2024 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 50:50; where the marks of the CUET will be taken as 100.

**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, both of 100 marks each.

**Department of Graphic Art (Printmaking):** CUET-2024-qualified applicants have to appear before an admission test, consisting of a practical evaluation and a viva-voce (100 marks each). The weightage of CUET and the admission test will be in the ratio of 50:50; where the marks of the CUET-2024 will be taken as 100.

**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, both of 100 marks each.

**Department of History of Art:** Post CUET-2024, the department will conduct an Admission 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 admission test will be in the ratio of 50:50; where the marks of the CUET-2024 will be taken as 100. The departmental test (total: 100 marks) will be distributed as- Written test: 40%; Viva-voce: 60%.

**For Lateral entry:** As per NEP guidelines.

**Department of Painting:** CUET-2024 qualified applicants have to appear before an admission test, consisting of a practical evaluation and a viva-voce (100 marks each).The weightage of CUET-2024 and the admission test will be in the ratio of 50:50; where the marks of the CUET will be taken as 100.

**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, both of 100 marks each.

**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-2024 evaluation and an admission test conducted by the Department of Sculpture, where the weightage will be in the ratio of 50:50. The admission test will comprise of a practical test of 60 % and a viva-voce of 40 %.

**For Lateral entry:** As per NEP guidelines

**Department of Textile Design:** Post-CUET-2024, Departmental Admission Test will be a Practical test followed by a Viva-voce (both 100 marks). The weightage of CUET-2024 and the Departmental Test will be in the ratio of 50:50; where the marks of the CUET-2024 will be taken as 100. 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: 06**

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, PhD, 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	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
BSW (Honours) Bachelor Degree in Social Work	601	Passed Higher Secondary or equivalent examination during 2023 and 2024 with 60 % marks (for UR) & 54% marks (for OBC) in Science/ Commerce/ Humanities except vocational stream of Education. Relaxation will be given SC/ST&PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.	16	11	6	3	4	40
Integrated Candidates from Visva-Bharati Schools			4	2	1	1	1	9

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

Candidates who qualify in the CUET 2024 examinations are required to appear in the Personal Interview of 100 marks 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-2024, Higher Secondary (10+2 or equivalent) examination and Personal Interview conducted by the Department with 50:25:25 weightage respectively.

# 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	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1.	<b>BRS (Honours)  Bachelor of Rural Studies</b>	603	<p>Candidates from Science stream, Commerce stream and Social Science stream (having pass marks at least in three subjects from the followings: Economics, Political Science, History, Geography, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy, Education, Psychology, Home Science and Agriculture) are eligible to apply.</p> <p>Qualifying marks</p> <p><b>For UR Candidates:</b> Passed Higher Secondary level examinations with 50% Aggregate and with minimum 50% in English</p> <p><b>For OBC Candidates:</b> Passed Higher Secondary level examinations with 45% Aggregate and with minimum 45% in English</p> <p>In case of SC/ST candidates, admission will be as per university rules.</p>	11	6	4	2	2	25
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system				11	6	4	2	2	25

#### 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 2024 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-2024.
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. 2024 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, 2024-25

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Bachelor of Design- Ceramic & Glass	613	<p>Passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with 60% marks in aggregate for UR candidates and 54% marks in aggregate for OBC candidates. SC&amp;ST: Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent.</p> <p>Relaxation will be given to SC/ST &amp; PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.</p>	7	4	2	1	1	15

Bachelor of Design- Furniture & Interior	614	<p>Passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with 60% marks in aggregate for UR candidates and 54% marks in aggregate for OBC candidates. SC&amp;ST: Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent.</p> <p>Relaxation will be given to SC/ST &amp; PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.</p>	6	4	2	1	2	15
Bachelor of Design- Textile	615	<p>Passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with 60% marks in aggregate for UR candidates and 54% marks in aggregate for OBC candidates. SC&amp;ST: Passed in 10+2 level or equivalent.</p> <p>Relaxation will be given to SC/ST &amp; PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.</p>	6	4	2	1	2	15

**Modalities followed for admission:**

The admission will strictly be in order of merit of CUET (UG)-2024 score.

# PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA (PSB)

## INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE

**CODE: 07**

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 (RAWE &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		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC Candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
B.Sc (Hons.) Agriculture	701	60% marks at +2 level with a combination of Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Life Science) and any one of the following subjects: Mathematics/Agronomy/ Modern computer application/Computer Science/Statistics/ Informatics Practices	54% marks at +2 level with a combination of Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Life Science) and any one of the following subjects: Mathematics/Agronomy /Modern computer application/ Computer Science /Statistics/Informatics Practices	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 2024 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-2024
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. 2024 only will be considered as an Integrated Student.



# VINAYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

**CODE: 08**

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 is 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	SC	ST	EWS	
B.P.E.S.	Integrated	10	6	4	2	3	25
	External	10	7	4	2	2	25

### 1. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Minimum Qualification: Educational Qualification: 50% marks in aggregate at +2 level for UR & EWS candidates, 45% marks in aggregate for OBC candidates and pass marks for SC/ST candidates in aggregate from any recognized Council/Board/University. Age: 21 year as on 1st July, 2024.

#### Reservation:

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

#### Modalities of Admission:

- The admission criteria for BPES in Physical Education will be based on Common University Entrance Test (CUET-2024) with 50% weightage and Departmental Entrance Test (DET) on Physical Fitness with 50% weightage.
- In addition to score obtained by candidates in CUET-2024, they are required to appear in the Departmental Entrance Test (DET).
- Distribution of marks in Departmental Entrance Test (DET) (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

A	<b>Physical Fitness Test</b> (Candidates are to appear at their own responsibility and in sports attire)	50 Marks	<b>Date of Entrance test:</b> To be announced in the <a href="http://www.vbadmission.in">www.vbadmission.in</a>  <b>Venue:</b> Department of Physical Education & Sport Science <b>Reporting Time:</b> 6.30. a.m.
B	Sports Achievement/Participation	30 Marks	
C	Sport Skill Test	20 Marks	

#### 1. Physical Fitness Test Items:

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

#### 2. Distribution of marks for Sports Achievement/Participation as per criteria below:

Sl	Participation Level	1st position	2nd position	3rd position	Only Participation
1	International	30	30	30	29
2	National, Khelo India University & University	28	27	26	25
3	State championship	24	23	22	21
4	Junior & Youth Games/ SGFI/Khelo-India	20	19	18	17
5	KVS/NVS/All CBSE/ Schools national	16	15	14	13

6	District(Inter-subdivision), KVS/NVS/DAV/Schools Regional	8	7	6	5
7	KVS/NVS/DAV/ Inter-Schools	4	3	2	1

### 3. 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.

4. Current medical fitness certificate will have to be submitted for appearing in Physical performance tests.
5. Appearance in Practical Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for admission.
6. Sports achievement/participation certificate must be of within three (3) years.
7. 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 of previous public examinations and other relevant documents along with attested photo-copies thereof on verification, failing which an applicant will not be permitted to appear in the Practical test.

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

- 1) Mark sheets of Qualifying Examination passed
- 2) Date of Birth Certificate
- 3) Current Medical Fitness Certificate
- 4) Reservation Certificate, where applicable
- 5) Highest Sports achievement Certificate. This certificate must have its affidavit, failing which the certificate will not be accepted for awarding the marks.

## 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]

**PROGRAMMECODE: BSY**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 84**

**SUBJECT CODE: 809**

**Modalities followed for admission: Minimum Qualification:** The candidate should have completed 12th standard in any Discipline from a recognized board or equivalent and having score in CUET-UG 2024.

a) In addition to score obtained by a candidate in CUET-UG 2024, 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 - 10 marks

The date and venue of DET will be notified on [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in) after the publication of CUET-2024 score.

Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of the combined score obtained by the candidate both in CUET-UG 2024 and DET (Departmental Entrance Test) conducted by the Department with 50:50 ratio i.e. with equal weightage.

**Intake Capacity: 50 seats**

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
<b>B.Sc.(Hons.) in Yoga</b>	20	14	7	4	5	50	Supernumerary

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

## APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR PG PROGRAMMES: 2024-25

For the Academic session 2024-25, Visva-Bharati will admit students for different Post Graduate (PG) programmes (except B.Ed.) on the basis of the score of Admission Test to be conducted by the Visva-Bharati.

1. Criteria for admission are specified in the relevant section in each Bhavana.
2. 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.
3. Students must apply through ONLINE PORTAL: [visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/2024](http://visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/2024)
4. Step to Step Online application guidelines for PG programmes: [visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/2024/test.php](http://visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in/2024/test.php)
5. 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.
6. It is advised to all the applicants to use email ID and mobile number (preferably WhatsApp) either of the candidates for his/her parents for direct/easy contact from the VB admission 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.
7. Multiple applications submitted by an applicant for a single subject/program, the latest application will be considered for admission.

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.

8. 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 counselling/admission (Online/Offline) to various courses 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. 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.
9. Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last 3 years (including the current year i.e. 2022-2024) will only be considered while seeking admission to PG programmes, with the following exceptions:
  - i. Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last ten years (including the current year i.e. 2015-2024) will only be considered while seeking admission to Master's Degree and other courses of Kala- Bhavana. Foreign students, however, are exempted.
  - ii. Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examination during 2023& 2024 will be considered while seeking admission to MSW Courses of the Department of Social Work.
  - iii. External candidates who have passed their qualifying examination during 2015-2023 shall be eligible to apply in B.Ed. & M.Ed. programme in department of Education. Candidates who have qualified their B.Ed. examination during 2022-2023 from Visva-Bharati shall be eligible to apply as internal students for the admission into M.Ed. programme of department of Education.
  - iv. In this regard if anything mentioned for any particular programme under the Bhavana will be considered as final criterion.
  - v. There will be no restriction in year of passing the qualifying public examinations while seeking admission to Master's Degree of Silpa-Sadana.
10. The intake capacities for all the PG programmes are 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 2024 only including back and repeat candidates), Category wise (UR, PWD, EWS, OBC and 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) 27 number of seats will be admitted through ICAR and 24 numbers of seats will be admitted from the integrated students those will pass the UG programme current year i.e. 2024 only from PSB, VB.

11. At least eight (08) seats following the reservation rules of GOI shall be filled-up from the external applicants through admission test for each of the PG programme/subject except PG programmes in Agriculture under Palli Siksha Bhavana (PSB).
12. There shall be a separate notification for PG entrance tests conducted by different departments on Visva-Bharati Admission Portal: <https://www.vbadmission.in/>
13. General Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to PG courses through Visva-Bharati Admission Test (offline): Admission will be on the basis of merit list prepared on the marks secured (Out of 100) in the relevant admission test, subject to fulfilment of departmental criteria. The qualifying marks in admission test shall be 30% for UR candidates and 27% for OBC candidates. There shall be no eligibility marks in case of SC/ST candidates. Different modalities may follow in some performance-based subjects, the details of admission tests of those are given in respective departments' pages.
14. The merit list of **PG programmes** for external applicants will be made on the basis of Visva-Bharati Admission Test. However, if two or more candidates obtain same score in merit list, then **tie-break** will be done in the following sequence;
  - i) For PG admission, the candidate securing higher percentage in corresponding honours subject marks in last qualifying examination i.e. corresponding UG examination conducted by the recognised University/ Institute.
  - ii) The candidate is senior by date of birth.
15. 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 counselling/admission to various courses 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. 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.
16. In general, maximum three rounds counselling/document verification will be done to fill up the intake capacity. In case of considerable vacancies even after the third round, then it is the discretion of the university to arrange another round(s).
17. In case of online counseling/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.
18. Candidates coming from other Universities/Institutions must submit Migration Certificates / School Leaving Certificates from their respective Universities/Institutions 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.
19. It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class for the first ten working days from the commencement of class. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled and candidates from the waiting list will be considered for admission.
20. The medical insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required to pay medical insurance fee.

21. In case of Lost/damage of ID card, duplicate Identity 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.

## 22. 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 candidates and EWS 10 %.
- 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 OBCs 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 (2023-24) 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 Component 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. Relaxation of marks: 5% marks for PWD candidates and 10% marks for OBC candidates in eligibility criteria set by the Department/Vibhaga/Bhavana. SC/ST candidates passed in qualifying examination shall be admitted in the order of merit going down the inter-se merit list up to the point necessary to fulfill their reservation percentage and on restriction of percentage shall be applicable in this regard.
  - v. Upper Age Relaxation: for SC/ST – 05 years; for OBC – 03 Years; for PWD of UR/EWS – 05 Years; for PWD of SC/ST – 10 years and for PWD of OBC – 08 Years.
  - vi. Only ‘non-creamy layer’ OBC candidates as per ‘Central list of OBC’ ([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.
  - vii. PWD, SC, ST, OBC & 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.

- viii. Any change in Govt. of India reservation policy prior to the date of admission shall be applicable during the admission process.
- ix. Certificates in respect of SC/ST/OBC/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.
- x. Category Certificates (OBC Non Creamy layer/SC/ST/EWS/PWD), issued by competent authority. Validity period of OBC Certificate is three (03) years (If the OBC certificate is older than (03) three years, current year OBC Non-Creamy Layer (NCL) issued by S.D.O or Equivalent officials is mandatory, for EWS it is one (01) year and PWD certificate validity as mentioned in the certificate. No request for further timing will be entertained.
- xi. 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 (Divyanganj)**

(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/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%.

#### **23. 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 Visva-Bharati admission 2024 PG. 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

#### 24. 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
  - a. The ward of the staff should have passed the UG examination in the current year i.e. 2024 from any recognized University/Institute other than Visva-Bharati will be considered for admission as staff-ward.
  - b. 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. 2024 from Visva-Bharati will be considered as staff-ward if such candidates do not apply in his/her UG Major Course.

- c. 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 Visva-Bharati admission test 2024.

\*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.

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

#### **25. 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.

#### **26. 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.

27. 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/ SC / ST).
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. The mode (online/ offline) of counselling/document verification for admission will be announced in due course.
30. If online counselling:
  - The admission granted to the candidates based on the information furnished by the applicants during online registration process will be purely provisional.
  - 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 candidatedship of the applicant shall be cancelled/rejected.
31. 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 2024-25.
32. Subjects having only PG programmes and having no UG program at Visva-Bharati in the corresponding subject, there will be no “Integrated” reservation, except UG programmes in Agriculture under Palli Siksha Bhavana (PSB), VB.
33. 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 counselling.
34. 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/SC/ST. The unfilled seat/s in UR category may be filled with such candidates who fulfil minimum eligibility criteria of OBC/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.

35. 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.
36. All matters of dispute shall be taken to Bolpur Court District Birbhum under the jurisdiction of Calcutta High Court.
37. **Application fees:**

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

**38. 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.

Registrar  
Visva-Bharati

# BHASHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)

CODE: 01

POST-GRADUATE [M.A.]

PROGRAMME CODE: MA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 12

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

UR and OBC Candidates: Honours Graduates of recognized universities under 10+2+3 pattern or its equivalent in relevant discipline are eligible to apply for admission, subject to fulfilment of departmental criteria (separate for UR and OBC candidates) as detailed on the table below.

SC & ST Candidates: Honours Graduates of recognized universities under 10+2+3 patterns or its equivalent.

## DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Bengali	121	Hons. in the subject concerned with 55% marks in aggregate	Hons. in the subject concerned with 49.5% marks in aggregate	23	16	9	4	6	58
Chinese	122	Hons. in the subject concerned	Hons. in the subject concerned	22	15	8	4	6	55
Comparative Literature	132	Honours Graduate in any subject.	Honours Graduate in any subject.	8	5	3	1	1	18
English	123	60% in Honours. in the subject concerned	54% in Honours. in the subject concerned	23	16	9	4	6	58
Hindi	124	B.A. with Hons. in Hindi or B.A. 3-years degree course with 45% marks in Hindi as well as in aggregate (where there is no provision for Hons. course)	B.A. with Hons. in Hindi or B.A. 3-years degree course with 40.5% marks in Hindi as well as in aggregate (where there is no provision for Hons. course)	22	16	8	4	6	56
Indo-Tibetan	126	i)50% marks in 3-year B.A. in Tibetan / Sastri ii)50% marks in 3 year B.A. in Buddhist Studies and one paper in Tibetan (at least 100 marks)	45% marks in 3-year B.A. in Tibetan / Sastri 45% marks in 3 year B.A. in Buddhist Studies and one paper in Tibetan (at least 100 marks)	8	5	3	1	2	19
Japanese	127	B.A. in Japanese with a minimum of 50% marks in aggregate	B.A. in Japanese with a minimum of 45% marks in aggregate	20	13	8	4	5	50
Odia	128	50% in Odia Hons in 3-year Degree courses	45% in Odia Hons in 3-year Degree courses	23	15	8	4	5	55
Persian	129	65% marks in aggregate at B.A. (Hons.) in Persian.	58.5% marks in aggregate at B.A. (Hons.) in Persian.	8	5	3	1	2	19
Sanskrit	130	55% in Hons subject concerned or 60% in equivalent Sanskrit Degree	49.5% in Hons subject concerned or 54% in equivalent Sanskrit Degree	23	16	9	4	6	58

Santali	131	Hons in the subject concerned	Hons in the subject concerned	13	8	5	2	3	31
Tamil	192	B.A./B.Lit in Tamil Literature with 55% marks / Any UG Degree with Tamil as a Part I Language	B.A./B.Lit in Tamil Literature with 49.5% marks / Any UG Degree with Tamil as a Part I Language	8	5	3	2	2	20
Modern European Languages, Literatures and Culture									
French	133	55% in Graduation in language concerned or in continuous two year's course in language concerned (along with graduation in any subject) or B2 in French/German/Italian/Russian (along with graduation in any subject), whichever is applicable.	49.5% in Graduation in language concerned or in continuous two year's course in language concerned (along with graduation in any subject) or B2 in French/German/Italian/Russian (along with graduation in any subject), whichever is applicable.	8	5	3	2	2	20
German	134			8	5	3	2	2	20
Russian	135			8	5	3	2	2	20
Italian	136			8	5	3	2	2	20
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>233</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>577</b>

Dates of admission tests (offline) will be notified on the University admission portal and on the Bhavana notice board.

**Modalities for preparing merit lists for admission to M.A. courses through admission tests (online/offline):** Admission will be on the basis of merit list prepared based on the marks secured (out of 100) in the relevant written Admission Test, subject to fulfillment of the Departmental criteria as shown in the above table. The qualifying marks in Admission Test shall be 30% for general candidates and 27% for OBC candidates. There shall be no eligibility marks in case of SC/ST candidates.

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

All candidates qualified in the B.A. (Hons) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2024 are eligible for admission. No provisional admission will be allowed.

# VIDYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Code: 02

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

PROGRAMME CODE: MAP

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 22

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

UR and OBC Candidates: Honours Graduate of recognized universities under 10+2+3 or its equivalent in relevant discipline are eligible to apply for admission, subject to fulfilment of departmental criteria (Separate for UR and OBC Candidates) as detailed in the table below.

SC & ST Candidates: Honours Graduate of recognized universities under 10+2+3 patterns or its equivalent.

#### DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake					
		ForURCandidates	ForOBCCandidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	208	55% marks in Hons. Subject or 55% marks in Hons. in History or 60% marks in Hons in any other Social Science subject or 70% marks in Hons. in any Science subject or 70% marks in any Indian Classical Languages	49.5% marks in Hons. Subject concerned or 49.5% marks in Hons. in History or 54% marks in Hons. in any Social Science subject or 63% marks in Hons. in Science subject or 63% marks in Hons in any Indian Classical Languages	23	16	9	4	6	58
Comparative Religion	209	55% Marks in Hons. Subject	49.5% Marks in Hons. Subject	20	14	7	4	5	50
Economics	210	Hons.in the subject concerned with at least 50% marks	Hons.in the subject concerned with at least 45% marks	20	14	7	4	5	50
Geography	211	60% marks in the Hons.Subject concerned	54% marks in the Hons. Subject concerned	27	17	10	5	6	65
History	212	55% marks in B.A. Hons.in History (Ancient, Medieval or Modern)	49.5% marks in B.A. Hons.in History (Ancient, Medieval or Modern)	23	16	9	4	6	58
Philosophy	215	60% marks in Hons. Subject	54% marks in Hons. Subject	23	16	9	4	6	58
Anthropology (M.A./M.Sc)	216	Honours Graduates in any subject with at least 50% marks from arecognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or its equivalent	Honours Graduates in any subject with at least 45% marks from arecognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or its equivalent	13	9	5	2	3	32
Communication & Journalism	213	Honours/Major/Equivalent to Honours with 60% marks in any subject	Honours/Major/Equivalent to Honours with 54% marks in any subject	23	16	9	4	6	58
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>172</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>429</b>

## **MODALITIES FOR PREPARING MERIT LISTS FOR ADMISSION TO M.A. COURSES THROUGH ADMISSION TESTS**

Admission will be on the basis of merit list prepared based on the marks secured (Out of 100) in the relevant Admission Test subject to fulfillment of Departmental criteria as shown in above Table. The qualifying marks in Admission Tests shall be 30% for UR candidates and 27% for OBC candidates. There shall be no eligibility marks in case SC/ST candidates.

Admission to MA in Communication and Journalism will be on the basis of merit list prepared based on the marks secured in the written test (50 marks) and Viva (50 marks) put together. Attendance in both written test (50 marks) and Viva is compulsory for all the candidates.

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

All candidates qualified in the B.A. (Hons.) Examination of Visva-Bharati, 2024 are eligible for admission. No provisional admission will be allowed.

# SIKSHA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF SCIENCES

CODE: 03

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

PROGRAMME CODE: MSC

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 32

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

All candidates seeking admission to M.Sc. courses should be B.Sc. (Honours) graduate (except Biotechnology & Environmental Science) in the respective subject under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination, subject to fulfillment of Departmental requirements as shown in table below.

Modalities of preparing merit list for admission to M.Sc. courses:

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 (Out of 100) in the relevant written Admission Test, subject to fulfillment of the Departmental criteria as shown in Table below. The qualifying marks in Admission Test shall be 30% for UR candidates and 27% for OBC candidates. There shall be no eligibility marks in case of SC/ST candidates.

M.Sc. in Biotechnology Course: Admission will be on the basis of panel of successful candidates list solely from GAT-B test 2024 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 2024 to National Testing Agency (NTA). Applicants should frequently check the RCB website <https://rcb.res.in/GATB/> for updated information.

General criteria for admission to M.Sc. courses for integrated students:

Candidates qualified in the B.Sc. (Honours) Examination of Visva-Bharati' 2024 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.Sc. courses. No provisional admission will be allowed.

**TABLE 3. DEPARTMENTWISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY:**

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria			Intake					
		For UR Candidates	For OBC Candidates	For SC & ST Candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Physics	308	50% marks in Hons. subject	45% marks in Hons. subject	Passed in B.Sc Honours	27	17	10	5	6	65
Chemistry	309	B.Sc. (Honours) with Chemistry as the Major Subject with 50% marks	B.Sc. (Honours) with Chemistry as the Major Subject with 45% marks	B.Sc. (Honours) with Chemistry as the Major Subject with pass marks	27	17	10	5	6	65
Mathematics	310	60% marks in Mathematics Hons. subject / Major in Mathematics	54% marks in Mathematics Hons. subject / Major in Mathematics	Passed in Mathematics Hons. subject / Major in Mathematics	29	20	11	5	7	72
Statistics	311	45% marks in Hons./ Major in Statistics	40.5% marks in Hons./ Major in Statistics	Passed in B.Sc Hons./ Major in Statistics	11	8	4	2	3	28
Zoology	312	55% marks in Hons. subject	49.5% marks in Hons. subject	Passed in B.Sc Honours	22	14	8	4	5	53
Botany	313	50% marks in Hons. subject	45% marks in Hons. subject	Passed in B.Sc Honours	22	14	8	4	5	53
Computer Science	314	Minimum 50% marks in aggregate in B.Sc. Hons. in Computer Science	Minimum 45% marks in aggregate in B.Sc. Hons. in Computer Science	Passed in B.Sc Honours in Computer Science	18	12	7	3	5	45



Environmental Science	315	Graduation in any Science subject [B.Sc.(Hons.)/B.Sc.(Ag.)/B.Tech./BPharm] with 55% marks	Graduation in any Science subject [B.Sc.(Hons.)/B.Sc.(Ag.)/B.Tech./BPharm] with 49.5% marks	Graduation in any Science subject [B.Sc.(Hons.)/B.Sc.(Ag.)/B.Tech./BPharm] with pass marks	14	9	5	2	3	33
Biotechnology	316	B.Sc graduation in any branch of Life Science (Hons. is not mandatory). Marks must be based on honours subject in case of B.Sc(Hons.) and aggregate in case of B.Sc. (Pass course) candidates.	B.Sc graduation in any branch of LifeScience (Hons. is not mandatory). Marks must be based on honours subject in case of B.Sc.(Hons.) and aggregate in case of B.Sc. (Pass course) candidates.	Passed in any branch of Life Science. Marks must be based on honours subject in case of B.Sc.(Hons.) and aggregate in case of B.Sc. (Pass course) candidates.	8	5	3	2	2	20
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>178</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>434</b>

# SANGIT BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA)

CODE: 04

POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN PERFORMING ARTS)

PROGRAMME CODE: MPA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 42

PROGRAMME WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY:

Department of Rabindra Sangit , Dance and Drama (RSDD) & Hindustani Classical Music (HCM)								
Programme	Code	Eligibility	Intake Capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Rabindra- Sangit	425	B.Mus. (Hons.)/B.P.A (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A. (Hons.) or an equivalent Degree in Rabindra Sangit from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC.	20	14	7	4	5	50
Manipuri Dance	426	B.Mus.(Hons.)/B.P.A (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC. OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% OBC in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance –Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSV Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal, etc., or any equivalent degree.	15	9	5	3	3	35
Kathakali Dance	427	B.Mus.(Hons.)/BPA(Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC. OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% OBC in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance –Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSV Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal, etc., or any equivalent degree.	9	6	3	2	2	22
Drama & Theatre Arts	428	B.Mus.(Hons.)/BPA (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A. (Hon.)/B.A. or an equivalent Degree in Drama & Theatre Arts from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks (for UR Category) and 45% OBC, OR B.Mus./BPA/B.A. (Hon.)/B.A. in Music/Dance/Arts/Literature or an equivalent Degree from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC.	12	8	5	2	3	30

Rabindra Nritya	429	B.Mus.(Hons.)/BPA(Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC. OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% OBC in any Indian Classical Dance/ Indian Dance –Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal, etc, or any equivalent degree.	15	9	5	3	3	35
HCM Vocal	430	B.Mus.(Hons.)/BPA(Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent Degree in HCM Vocal subject from any recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC in HCM Vocal music–Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal etc, or any equivalent degree	15	9	5	3	3	35
Sitar	431	B.Mus.(Hons.)/BPA (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in Sitar subject from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC in Sitar – Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal etc, or any equivalent degree.	7	4	2	1	1	15
Esraj	432	B.Mus. (Hons.)/BPA (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in Esraj subject from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks (for UR Category) and 45% for OBC. OR any equivalent examination recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC in Esraj subject – Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal etc, or any equivalent degree.	7	4	2	1	1	15

Tabla	433	B.Mus. (Hons.)/BPA (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in Tabla subject from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks (for UR Category) and 45% for OBC. OR any equivalent examination recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC in Tabla subject – Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal etc, or any equivalent degree.	7	5	2	1	2	17
Pakhawaj	434	B.Mus. (Hons.)/BPA (Hons.)/B.Mus./BPA/B.A./B.A.(Hons.) or an equivalent degree in Pakhawaj subject from a recognized University securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC OR any equivalent degree recognized by UGC. OR Bachelor's Degree in any subject from a recognized University provided the candidate has also passed one of the following examinations securing a minimum of 50% marks for UR Category and 45% for OBC in Pakhawaj–Diploma/ Prabhakar/ Visharad/ Vid from Prayag Sangeet Samiti, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh; Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh; A.B.G.M.V. Mandal, Mumbai; IKSVM Khairagarh, (Chhattisgarh); Pracheen Kala Kendra, Chandigarh, Bangiya Sangeet Parishad, West Bengal etc, or any equivalent degree.	7	5	2	1	2	17
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>114</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>271</b>

**Modalities followed for admission:**

- The general admission test (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 (Divyanga) - 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.
- All candidates qualified in the B.Mus. (Hons.) examination of Visva-Bharati, in the current year are eligible to apply for admission in M.P.A.
- Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations during the last 5 years (including the current year) will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelor's/Master's Degree and other courses of Sangit Bhavana. Foreign students, however, are exempted.

**Note:**

- The original documents and their photocopies must be produced at the time of admission.
- The merit list for admission will be notified on the University website/Sangit-Bhavana notice board.
- Admission of foreign National/International candidates in all regular courses will be supernumerary.

# KALA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF ARTS & CRAFTS)

CODE: 05

**POST GRADUATE (MASTERS IN FINE ARTS)**

PROGRAMME NAME: MFA

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 52

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE

PROGRAMME NAME (MFA)	Code	Minimum Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR applicants	For OBC applicants	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Ceramics & Glass Design	517	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	05	03	02	01	01	12
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	516	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	05	03	02	01	01	12
History of Art	519	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA specialization in History of Art/Art History (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA specialization in History of Art/Art History (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	06	04	02	01	01	14
Mural	514	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	03	02	01	01	01	08
Painting	515	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA specialization in Painting (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA specialization in Painting (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	06	04	03	01	02	16
Sculpture	520	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	05	03	02	01	01	12
Textile Design	518	55% marks/corresponding grade in BFA/BVA in Textile Design or Bachelors in Fashion Technology (with Textile Design) (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in BFA/BVA in Textile Design or Bachelors in Fashion Technology (with Textile Design) (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University/Institution.	05	03	02	01	01	12
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>35</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>86</b>

*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 Kala-Bhavana are provided admission as direct-admission integrated students. Such students are exempted from the Admission Test conducted at Kala-Bhavana.*

## GENERAL INSTRUCTION AND INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS (PG)

- (1) Applicants opting for the above mentioned Post-Graduate programmes after will have to appear in a test conducted at Kala-Bhavana, as per the departmental criteria mentioned below.
- (2) The Date, Time and other details of the test will be duly announced in the University Admission Portal.

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

**Department of Ceramics & Glass Design:** 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 and a portfolio of his/her artworks authenticated by a competent authority (Either the teacher of the previous institute or any renowned artist).

**Department of Graphic Art (Printmaking):** 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:** 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:** (a) Applicants in MFA Painting and Mural are required to submit an online portfolio of images of their original artworks (not more than 10 images, overall file size not more than 10 mb as a pdf). The portfolio may be submitted through the link in the online platform provided by the Department on the University Admission Portal.

(b) On the basis of the online portfolio submission, the Department of Painting Admission Committee will shortlist the name of the candidates for the physical Viva-voce to be held in Department of Painting, Kala Bhavana (Date and time of the Viva-voce to be announced on the University Online Portal).

(c) During the offline Viva-voce evaluation, the applicants are requested to be present with at least three original artworks and the hard copy of the portfolio of works.

**Department of Sculpture:** (a) Applicants to the Department of Sculpture are required to submit their portfolio of original artworks (not more than 6 images) (Size: 8x11inches) duly attested by the department where you did your

Under-Graduate and along with it 150 words of your statement explaining your reasons/intent of studying Sculpture at Kala-Bhavana, VisvaBharati in hard copy to the given address;

**Head of the Department of Sculpture,  
Kala-Bhavana,  
VisvaBharati,  
Santiniketan 731235**

(b) The submission of portfolio will be followed by an off-line Practical test, and off-line Viva-Voce evaluation, during which the applicants are requested to be present with at least three original art works.

**Department of Textile Design:** Applicants to the Department of Design (Textiles) 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.

### MODALITIES FOR PREPARING MERIT LIST FOR ADMISSION TO DIFFERENT COURSES THROUGH ADMISSION TESTS:

1. Selection and admission of applicants to PG Master of Fine Arts programmes run in the Departments of Kala-Bhavana will be based on the merit list prepared on the basis of the Admission Entrance test at the Departments in Kala-Bhavana.

# **ONE-YEAR POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA LEADING TO MFA IN HISTORY OF ART**

**PROGRAMME CODE: PGDH**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 50**

## **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE**

PROGRAMME NAME (MFA)	Code	Minimum Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR applicants	For OBC applicants	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
One-year Post-Graduate Diploma leading to MFA in History of Art	536	55% marks/corresponding grade in Bachelors or Masters degree level from any discipline other than Art History/Art Criticism from a recognized University/Institution	49.5% marks/corresponding grade in Bachelors or Masters degree level from any discipline other than Art History/Art Criticism from a recognized University/Institution	06	04	02	01	01	14

Note: Successful completion of both semesters of the One-year Post-Graduate Diploma course qualifies the student to continue with the regular, two-year MFA in History of Art from the next semester onwards.

## **DETAILS OF THE ONE-YEAR POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA COURSE TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENTS OF HISTORY OF ART**

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.

### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR FOREIGN APPLICANTS:**

Foreign applicants from non-English speaking countries applying for History of Art in BFA (Code 505), MFA in History of Art (Code 519) as well as the One-year Post-Graduate Diploma leading to MFA in History of Art (Code 535) should submit a qualifying score card in any one of the internationally recognized and accepted English Language Test (IELTS, TOEFL, TEPS, etc).

# PALLI SAMGATHANA VIBHAGA

## INSTITUTE OF RURAL RECONSTRUCTION

CODE: 06

### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

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

PROGRAMME CODE: MSW

PROGRAMME CODE NO: 62

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO MSW COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOTAL
MSW Masters degree in Social Work	602	Passed Bachelor degree (Honours) or equivalent during 2023 and 2024 with 50% marks (for UR) & 45% (for OBC).  Candidates should be from any one of the following streams: Social Work/ Science/ Commerce/ Humanities.  The candidates from Humanities stream must have any one of the following subjects: History, Ancient Indian & World History, Economics, Sociology, Anthropology, Nutrition and Home Science, Psychology, Political Science, Public Administration, Geography, Philosophy, Religion, Management, Human Development, Education, Journalism and Mass Communication, English, Rural Studies & Physical Education.  <b>BSW students of Visva-Bharati with complete results are eligible for admission to MSW course as an integrated part of Social Work Education offered by the department.</b>	23	15	8	4	5	55

#### Modalities of Admission:

Admission Test will be of 100 marks (written-50; group discussion-30; viva-20)

Final merit list will be prepared on the basis of combined score obtained by the candidate in the Admission Test. Qualifying Marks for admission is 30% for General & EWS candidates, 27% for OBC candidates and for marks for SC/ST/PWD will be as per GOI Reservation Rules.

All candidates have to produce complete results during the time of admission. No provisional admission is allowed.

Date of admission test will be notified in the University Admission Website.



## POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN RURAL STUDIES)

**PROGRAMME CODE: MRS**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 64**

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

Sl.No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1.	<b>Master of Rural Studies (MRS)</b>	604	Honours graduates – Science; Political Science; Geography, economics, Sociology, Management, Commerce and Technology graduates; Rural studies; Rural development; Social work; Development studies; graduate from Agriculture. All candidates qualified in BRS Honours-2024 examination of Visva-Bharati are eligible for admission directly.	20	13	8	4	5	50

**Modalities of Admission:**

Admission Test- 100 marks. Merit list will be prepared solely on the basis of Admission Test. Qualifying marks- Gen-30%, OBC- 27%, SC/ST- as per GOI rules.

Date of admission test and syllabus of admission test will be published in the university website.

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

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

**PROGRAMME CODE: MRM**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 65**

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

Sl.No	Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1.	M.A in Rural Management (MRM)	605	Honours Graduates or equivalents in Science, Political Science, Geography, Economics, History, Sociology, Anthropology, Education, Psychology, Human Development, Management, Technology, Nutrition and Home Science, Journalism and Mass Communication, Vocational Streams, Commerce, Rural Studies, Rural Development, Rural Management, Social Work, Agriculture and English.	15	10	6	3	4	38

**Modalities of Admission: Written examination (70 Marks) followed by Viva-Voce (30 Marks); Total 100 Marks.**

## POST-GRADUATE (MASTERS IN DESIGN)

**PROGRAMME CODE: M.DES**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 69**

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO TWO YEAR PG PROGRAMS IN SILPA-SADANA, 2024-25**

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
<b>Master of Design- Ceramic &amp; Glass</b>	627	Candidate having graduation of 4-year (8-Semester) securing at least 60% marks for general candidates and 54% marks for OBC candidates or its equivalent CGPA in Textile Design/ Textile Technology/Product Design (Textile)/ Fine Arts (Textile) from any University/Institution recognized by UGC/AICTE. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST, EWS & PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.	6	4	2	1	1	14
<b>Master of Design- Furniture &amp; Interior</b>	628	Candidate having graduation of 4-year (8-Semester) securing at least 60% marks for general candidates and 54% marks for OBC candidates or its equivalent CGPA in Ceramic Design/ Ceramic Technology/Product Design (Ceramic)/ Fine Arts (Ceramic)/Industrial Design (Ceramic)/Accessories Design (Ceramic) from any University/Institution recognized by UGC/AICTE. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST, EWS & PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.	6	4	2	1	1	14
<b>Master of Design- Textile</b>	626	Candidates having Graduation of 4-years (8- Semester) securing at least 60% marks for General Candidates and 54% marks for OBC Candidates or its equivalent CGPA in Architecture/Furniture/Interior Design/Product Design (Furniture)/Fine Arts (Sculpture) from any University/Institution recognized by UGC/AICTE. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST, EWS& PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.	6	4	2	1	1	14

There will be no restriction in year of passing the qualifying public examinations while seeking admission to Master's Degree of Silpa-Sadana.

**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 Creative Aptitude Test only.

# PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA (PSB)

INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE

CODE: 07

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

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

**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'- 2024 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M.Sc. courses subject to satisfy the eligibility criteria of the respective subject. No provisional admission will be allowed. Un-filled seats under integrated quota will be filled-up from the external applicants.

Course	Code	Eligibility		Intake Capacity								
		For UR candidates	For OBC Candidates	Ext /Int	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Tot.		
Agronomy	702	60% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture.	54% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture.	Ext	3	2	1	1	1	8		
				Int	1	1	1	1	1	5		
Horticulture (Vegetable Science)	703	60% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Hons.)Agriculture/Horticulture	54% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Hons.)Agriculture/Horticulture	Ext	1	1	1	0	0	3		
Horticulture (Fruit Science)	705			Int	1	0	0	0	0	1		
				Ext	1	1	0	0	1	3		
Int	1			1	0	0	0	2				
Soil Science	704	60% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture/ B.Sc (Honours) Horticulture.	54% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture/ B.Sc (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	2	2	1	1	1	7		
Agricultural Extension Education	706			Int	2	1	0	0	0	3		
				Ext	2	1	1	1	0	5		
Int	1			1	0	0	0	2				
Genetics and Plant Breeding	707			Ext	2	1	0	0	1	4		
				Int	1	0	1	0	0	2		
Animal Science (Poultry)	708	60% marks of equivalent OGPA in B.V.Sc & A.H/ B.Sc (Honours)Ag./B.Sc (Zoology) Honours/ B.Sc. (Fisheries) / B.F.Sc.	54% marks of equivalent OGPA in B.V. Sc. & A.H/ B.Sc (Honours)Ag./B.Sc (Zoology) Honours/ B.Sc. (Fisheries) / B.F.Sc.	Ext	1	1	1	1	0	4		
				Int	0	1	0	0	0	1		
Entomology	709	60% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture/ B.Sc (Honours) Horticulture.	54% marks of equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc (Honours) Agriculture/ B.Sc (Honours) Horticulture.	Ext	1	1	1	0	1	4		
				Int	1	1	0	0	0	2		
Plant Pathology	710			Ext	2	0	1	0	0	3		
				Int	1	1	1	0	0	3		
Agricultural Economics	711			Ext	2	1	0	0	0	3		
				Int	1	0	0	0	0	1		
Plant Physiology	712			Ext	1	1	1	0	1	4		
				Int	1	1	0	0	0	2		
<b>Total</b>					<b>29</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>72</b>		

## Admission from ICAR

Course	Code	Intake capacity
Agronomy	702	7
Horticulture (Vegetable Science)	703	2
Horticulture (Fruit Science)	705	2
Soil Science	704	4
Agricultural Extension Education	706	4
Genetics and Plant Breeding	707	2
Entomology	709	2
Plant Pathology	710	2
Agricultural Economics	711	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>27</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 M.Sc. (Ag.)/(Hort.) Course and M.Sc. in Animal Science (Poultry) will be strictly in order of merit of VB Admission Test score.

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 attend RAWE&AIA programmes at different villages and organizations which is also an integral part of B.Sc. (Hons.) agriculture Degree. (d) 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.

Candidates claiming reservation in any category must attach required proof/ evidence along with application.

All the original marks sheet and testimonials along with one set of self-attested photocopies are to be produced during the time of counselling /admission.

# VINAYA BHAVANA

## INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

CODE: 08

## 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: 100**

#### Eligibility:

1. Pre-service candidates (internal and external) and in-service candidates seeking admission to B.Ed. program shall have 50% marks in aggregate [45% marks for OBC (non-creamy layer) candidates and pass marks for SC/ST candidates] in three-year B.A. /B.Sc. / B.Mus./ BPA (Rabindra-Sangit/Classical-Vocal) degree with Honours/Major from a recognized University/Institution.
2. The candidates shall have studied any of the following subjects in combination at under-graduation level, one of which is Honours/Major 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).
3. In-service candidates shall have at least three years continuous experience as a full time approved regular teacher in any secondary school recognized by the Central or any State Government and they must apply through proper channel.
4. 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. External candidates who have passed their Under Graduate examination on or after 2015 shall be eligible to apply.
- II. Candidates who have qualified their Under Graduate/Post Graduate examination from 2022 onwards (within the closing date of submitting Application Form) from Visva-Bharati shall be treated as internal.
- III. The eligible candidates will be selected on the basis of merit determined by the aggregate marks obtained by the candidates in three-year B.A. /B.Sc. / B.Mus./BPA (Rabindra-Sangit/Classical-Vocal) degree with Honours/Major.
- IV. Selection shall primarily be made on pedagogy subject-wise taking Honours/ Major subject's percentage of aggregate into consideration.
- V. Pedagogy subject-wise separate merit list for UR, OBC, SC, and ST will be prepared.
- VI. General merit list for PWD (Person with Disability), SC, ST, and OBC will also be prepared separately.
- VII. In case of any pre-service seat is lying vacant in any pedagogy subject in any internal or external category (UR/OBC/SC/ST), the seat will be filled up first from the same pedagogy subject and from the same internal or external category (UR/OBC/SC/ST). If the vacancy is not filled up in any category within a pedagogy subject, it will be transferred to category-wise (UR/OBC/SC/ST), merit list irrespective of pedagogy subject.
- VIII. Pre-service OBC seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non-availability of OBC candidate(s). SC seat(s) will be filled up from ST waiting list in case no SC candidates are available and vice-versa.

##### In-service Candidates

1. Selection of in-service candidates will be done on the basis of their service seniority as well as fulfillment 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.

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

### DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

#### Pre-service: VBU Students:

Sl No.	Pedagogy Subject	Code	UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
01	Bengali	821	3	1	1	0	5
02	English	822	3	1	1	0	5
03	Hindi	823	2	1	0	0	3
04	Sanskrit	824	2	1	1	0	4
05	Santali	825	0	1	0	2	3
06	Economics	826	2	1	0	0	3
07	Geography	827	2	1	1	1	5
08	AIHC&A	828	2	2	1	0	5
09	Modern History	829	2	1	1	1	5
10	Rabindra Sangit	830	1	1	0	0	2
11	Classical Vocal	831	1	0	0	0	1
12	Philosophy	832	2	1	0	0	3
13	Mathematics	833	3	1	1	0	5
14	Statistics	834	2	1	0	0	3
15	Education	835	2	1	0	0	3
16	Physics	836	3	1	1	0	5
17	Chemistry	837	2	1	1	1	5
18	Botany	838	2	1	1	1	5
19	Zoology	839	2	2	1	0	5
<b>Total</b>			<b>38</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>

#### Pre-service: External:

Sl.No.	Pedagogy Subject	Code	UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
1	Bengali	855	0	1	0	1	2
2	English	856	1	1	0	0	2
3	Hindi	857	1	0	0	0	1
4	Sanskrit	858	1	0	0	0	1
5	Economics	859	0	0	1	0	1
6	Geography	860	1	1	0	0	2
7	History (Ancient, Modern)	861	1	1	0	0	2
8	Music (Rabindra-Sangit & Classical-Vocal)	862	1	0	0	0	1
9	Philosophy	863	0	0	1	0	1
10	Mathematics	864	1	1	0	0	2
11	Statistics	865	1	0	0	0	1
12	Education	866	0	0	1	0	1
13	Physical Science (Physics, Chemistry)	867	1	0	0	0	1
14	Life Science (Botany, Zoology)	868	1	1	0	0	2
<b>Total</b>			<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>

#### In-service

UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
2	1	1	1	5

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.  
Pre-service Internal + Pre-service External + In-service = 75+20+05 = 100.

#### Documents to be uploaded with the Application Form

- B.A. /B.Sc. / B.Mus. / B.P.A. (Rabindra Sangit/ Classical Vocal) degree with Honours/ Major consolidated (Final) mark sheet and certificate.
- Mark sheet of all the semesters in case final mark sheet does not reflect complete marks of honors/ major in a single pdf format.
- Caste/PWD certificate, if applicable.
- A copy of No Objection certificate from the competent authority/ Managing Committee Resolution regarding their deputation and approval letter from D.I. / equivalent competent authority.
- A copy of the No Objection Certificate from the competent authority/ Managing Committee Resolution regarding their deputation and approval letter for in-service candidates from intern schools.
- A copy of the certificate from the competent authority stating that they will be given study leave during the entire duration of study for in-service candidates.

## M.Ed. PROGRAM

**COURSE CODE: MED**

**COURSE CODE NO: 82**

**SUBJECT CODE NO: 802**

**DURATION: 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: 50**

#### Eligibility:

Candidates seeking admission to M.Ed. program shall have 50% marks [45% marks for OBC (non-creamy layer) candidates and pass marks for SC/ST candidates] 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 (with 50% marks in each).

#### Admission Procedure:

1. There shall be a M.Ed. ENTRANCE TEST for eligible candidates. Medium of Entrance Test will be English only.
2. Selection shall be made on the basis of merit determined by the score obtained by the candidates out of 100 marks. In case of tie, the general tie-breaking sequence will be followed.
3. **External** candidates who have passed their qualifying degree on or after 2015 shall be eligible to apply.
4. Candidates who have qualified their B.Ed. examination from 2022 onwards from Visva-Bharati shall be treated as **internal**.
5. The candidate must produce their final mark sheet and NCTE recognized certificate of qualifying degree at the time of counselling, otherwise their candidature will be automatically cancelled. In such case, no claim for refund of registration fee will be entertained.
6. Merit list would be prepared as follows-
  - (i) Separate merit lists will be prepared for three major groups of subjects as Social Science, Science and Language 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 4 only.
  - (iii) The Group of subjects-wise **combined merit list** for external seats will include all the candidates (from serial no 3 and 4), applied for that particular group of subjects.
  - (iv) A separate **exhaustive merit list** (category wise as PWD, UR, OBC, SC and ST) including all qualified candidates in M.Ed. admission test will be prepared. Here, no separation would be done for the group of subjects.
  - (v) A single merit list for PWD candidates would be prepared for all groups of subjects.

7. The selection shall primarily be made on group of subjects-wise (Social Science, Science and Language) based on the merit lists prepared as per 6(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.
8. In case of any seat lying vacant in internal category of any group of subjects (Social Science, Science or Language), it will be converted to the corresponding reservation category of external seats.
9. The selection shall then be made for external seats on group of subjects-wise (Social Science, Science and Language) based on combined merit lists prepared as per 6(iii).
10. If any seat remains vacant in any group after exercising serial no 9, it will be filled up from the exhaustive merit list of all groups. In this case, merit list from serial no 6(iv) will be followed. While doing so, the reservation status of the vacancy will be maintained.
11. Vacant OBC seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non- availability of OBC candidate(s). Vacant SC seat(s) will be filled-up from ST waiting list and vice-versa.
12. In-service candidate must apply through proper channel.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

Pedagogy Group	Code	Intake Capacity					Total
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	
Social Science	871	Internal	4	2	2	0	8
		External	4	3	1	1	9
Science	872	Internal	4	2	1	1	8
		External	4	2	2	0	8
Language	873	Internal	5	2	1	1	9
		External	4	2	1	1	8
Total			25	13	8	4	50

#### Documents to be uploaded with the Application Form

- B.Ed., or B.A. B.Ed./B.Sc. B.Ed., or / B.El.Ed., or /D.El.Ed. consolidated (final) mark sheet and certificate.
- NCTE recognition certificate of qualifying examination.
- Caste/PWD certificate, if applicable.

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

**COURSE CODE: MAE**

**COURSE CODE: 83**

**COURSE CODE: 803**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**SEMESTER: FOUR**

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

#### Student Intake: 50

#### Eligibility:

1. For External Candidates: The external candidates seeking admission to M.A. (Education) program shall have passed three-year B.A. (Honours/Major) in Education with at least 50 % marks for UR and EWS, 45 % marks for OBC (non-creamy layer), and pass marks for SC and ST candidates.
2. For Visva-Bharati University Candidates: The VBU candidates seeking admission to M.A. (Education) program shall have passed three-year B.A. (Honours) in any other discipline with Education as a Subsidiary Subject/ B.Ed. each with 50 % marks for UR and EWS, 45% marks for OBC (non-creamy layer) and pass marks for SC and ST candidates.

#### Admission Procedure:

1. There shall be an M.A. (Education) ENTRANCE TEST for eligible candidates. Medium of Entrance Test will be English only.
2. Selection shall be made on the basis of merit determined by the score obtained by the candidates out of 100 marks.
3. EWS & OBC seat(s) will be filled up from UR waiting list in case of non-availability of EWS & OBC candidate(s). SC seat(s) will be filled up from ST waiting list in case no SC candidates are available and vice-versa.
4. The candidate must produce their final mark sheet of qualifying degree at the time of counselling, otherwise their



candidature will be automatically cancelled. In such case, no claim for refund of registration fee will be entertained.

- In-service candidate must apply through proper channel.

#### DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

Program	Code	Intake Capacity					Total
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	
M.A.(Education)	803	20	13	8	4	5	50

#### Documents to be attached with the Application Form

- B.A. (Honours/Major) in Education consolidated mark sheet and certificate for external candidates
- B.A.(Honours/Major) in any other discipline with Education as subsidiary subject/ B.Ed. consolidated (Final) mark sheet and certificate for VBU students
- Caste/EWS/PWD certificate, if applicable.

## 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**

**SEMESTER: FOUR**

**Intake Capacity: 50**

Programme	Code	Intake Capacity				
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
B.P.Ed.	806	25	14	7	4	50

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

##### Minimum Qualification:

- Bachelor's degree in any discipline with 50% marks 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.
- Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education with 45% Marks.  
Or
- Bachelor's degree in any discipline with 45% marks and studied Physical Education as compulsory/elective subject  
Or
- Bachelor's degree with 45% marks and having participated in National/ Inter University/State Competitions or secured 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> 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
- Bachelor's degree with participation in International competitions or secured 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> position in National/Inter-University Competition in sports and games as recognized by respective federations/AIU/IOA/ SGFI/Govt. of India.

Or

Graduation with 45% marks 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/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.Ed will be based on Theory Entrance Test (TET) with 50% weightage and Practical Entrance Test (PET) on Practical fitness with 50% weightage.
2. TET will be on 100 marks i.e. 50 mcq of 2 marks and PET will be on 100 marks.
3. Distribution of marks in Practical Entrance Test (PET) (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

<b>A</b>	Physical Fitness Test (Candidates are to appear at their own responsibility and in sports attire)	50 Marks	Date of Entrance test: To be announced in the : Venue: Department of Physical Education & Sport Science Reporting Time: 6.30. a.m.
<b>B</b>	Sports Achievement/Participation	30 Marks	
<b>C</b>	Sport Skill Test	20 Marks	

**4. 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)

**5. Distribution of marks for Sports Achievement/Participation as per criteria below:**

Sl	Participation Level	1 <sup>st</sup> position	2 <sup>nd</sup> position	3 <sup>rd</sup> position	Only Participation
1	International	30	30	30	29
2	National, Khelo India University & University	28	27	26	25
3	State championship	24	23	22	21
4	Junior & Youth Games/ SGFI/Khelo-India	20	19	18	17
5	KVS/NVS/All CBSE/Schools national	16	15	14	13
6	District(Inter-subdivision), KVS/NVS/DAV/Schools Regional	8	7	6	5
7	KVS/NVS/DAV/ Inter-Schools	4	3	2	1

**6. 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.

7. Current medical fitness certificate will have to be submitted for appearing in Physical Performance tests.
8. Appearance in Physical Fitness Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for admission.
9. Sports achievement/participation certificate must be of within three (3) years.
10. Rankings in entrance test will be made out of 100 marks.

**Note:** 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.

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

1. Mark sheets 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). This certificate must have its affidavit, failing which the certificate will not be accepted for awarding the marks.

# M.P.Ed.

(As per NCTE Guidelines, 2014)

**PROGRAMME CODE: MPED**

**DURATION: 2 YEAR**

**PROGRAMME CODE NO: 87 SUBJECT CODE: 807 SEMESTERS: FOUR**

**Intake Capacity: 40**

Programme	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
M.P.Ed.	807	20	11	6	3	-	40

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

### Minimum Qualification:

Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.Ed.) Or equivalent with at least 50% marks.

Or

Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Health and Physical Education with at least 50% marks.

### Reservation:

The relaxation in the percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the reservation of seats for SC/ST/OBC/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 Theory Entrance Test (TET) with 50% weightage and Practical Entrance Test (PET) with 50% weightage.
- TET will be on 100 marks i.e. 50 MCQ of 2 marks and PET will be on 100 marks.
- Distribution of marks in Practical Entrance Test (PET) (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

	Physical Fitness Test (Candidates are to appear at their own responsibility and in sports attire)	50 Marks	Date of Entrance test: To be announced in the visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in Venue: Department of Physical Education & Sport Science Reporting Time: 6.30. a.m.	
A				
B	Sports Achievement/Participation	30 Marks		
C	Sport Skill Test	20 Marks		

### 1. Physical Fitness Test Items:

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

### 2. Distribution of marks for Sports Achievement/Participation as per criteria below:

SI	Participation Level	1 <sup>st</sup> position	2 <sup>nd</sup> position	3 <sup>rd</sup> position	Only Participation
1	International	30	30	30	29
2	National, Khelo India University & University	28	27	26	25
3	State championship	24	23	22	21
4	Junior & Youth Games/ SGFI/Khelo-India	20	19	18	17
5	KVS/NVS/All CBSE/ Schools national	16	15	14	13
6	District(Inter-subdivision), KVS/NVS/DAV/Schools Regional	8	7	6	5
7	KVS/NVS/DAV/ Inter-Schools	4	3	2	1

3. Choice of Sports for Skill Test as per the following list:  
Athletics, Basketball, Badminton, Cricket, Football, Gymnastics, Hockey, Kho-Kho, Kabaddi, Swimming, Table-Tennis, Volley ball & Yoga.
4. Current medical fitness certificate will have to be submitted for appearing in physical performance tests.
5. Appearance in Physical fitness Test is mandatory in order to be eligible for admission.
6. Sports achievement/participation certificate must be of within three (3) years.
7. 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 of previous public examinations and other relevant documents along with attested photo-copies thereof on verification, failing which an applicant will not be permitted to appear in the Practical test.

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

1. Mark sheets of Qualifying Examination passed
2. Date of Birth Certificate
3. Current Medical Fitness Certificate
4. Reservation Certificate, wherever is applicable
5. Highest Sports achievement Certificate (As per NCTE norms). This certificate must have its affidavit, failing which the certificate will not be accepted for awarding the marks.

## DEPARTMENT OF YOGIC ART AND SCIENCE

### POST GRADUATE [MSC IN YOGA]

**PROGRAMME CODE: MSY**

**PROGRAMME CODE: 80**

**SUBJECT CODE: 874**

- **Minimum Qualification:** - The candidate should have passed only B.Sc. Yoga from a UGC recognised University or an equivalent institution.
- **Intake Capacity:-** 30 seats

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
M.Sc. in Yoga	12	8	5	2	3	30	Supernumerary

- **Admission Procedure:-**
  - a. Performance Test: - 50 marks (Basic Asanas, Pranayamas and Shatkarmas etc.)
  - b. Objective and Written Test in English: - 50 marks (Based upon B.Sc. Yoga syllabus and general affairs).
- **Modalities of Admission :-** Admission shall be made on merit basis from the marks obtained in the Entrance Test (Performance Test + Written Test)
- Ranking in the Entrance Test will be made out of 100 marks.
- **Rules for Reservation:** Reservation for SC/ST/OBC/EWS/PWD and other categories shall be as per the rules of Government of India.

# APPLICATION GUIDELINES FOR CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA, ADVANCE DIPLOMA, POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA, SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSE & FOREIGN CASUAL COURSE

1. Only current students of all Bhavana of Visva-Bharati will be eligible (Except Certificate/Diploma/Advanced Diploma Courses of Kala Bhavana and all Post-Graduate Diploma and Skill Development Courses) for admission to Certificate/Diploma/Advanced Diploma Courses.
2. The following categories of persons shall be eligible to apply for admission to Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma Courses in languages if they fulfill the below conditions
  - (i) Full time regular students of Post-graduate, Under-graduate, Pre-degree Course and registered Ph.D. students of Visva-Bharati.
  - (ii) Regular full-time members of the Staff of Visva-Bharati.
  - (iii) Other persons of the following specifications, if approved by the Upacharya, Visva-Bharati, on the basis of the recommendation of the Adhyaksha, Bhasha-Bhavana.
  - (iv) Note: Since all the courses mentioned above are part-time language courses, students admitted to such courses shall be treated as "PART TIME".
3. 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.
4. Date of Entrance Test/Interview: The date of Entrance test/interview will be finalized by the concerned Department. Date, time and venue will be notified in the University Admission Portal- [www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)
5. Venue of Examination: Respective Department/Centre of each Bhavana/Vibhaga (Institute) or as otherwise notified. In case of online admission test, modalities will be announced on University website/admission portal/Bhavana notice board in due course of time.
3. Qualifying marks for admission is 30% for General and 27% for OBC Candidates. No qualifying marks are required for SC & ST candidates. Qualifying marks for PWD as per Govt. of India rules.
4. Reservation of Seats: Reservation of seats for OBC, SC, ST, EWS and Differently abled candidates will be made as per the rules of the Government of India.
5. Declaration of list of eligible Candidates: The Department/Centre of Bhavana/Vibhaga (Institute) will publish the list of eligible candidates on the Notice Board of the Department/ Centre and in the University website ([www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)) at least seven days before the date of examination/ interview.
6. Incomplete applications are liable to be summarily rejected. Rights of cancellation or admission lies with the Admission Committee of the Bhavanas / Vibhaga (Institute) concerned. The University reserves the right to restrict the number of eligible applicants to be called for admission test/interview.
7. Applicants are advised to visit our website ([www.vbadmission.in](http://www.vbadmission.in)) for any update (inclusion/omission) in connection with the admission test/interview at regular intervals.
8. **Application Fee: (Not refundable)**

Category	For first subject	For each additional subject
For GEN, OBC & EWS candidates	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 400/-
For SC, ST & PWD candidates	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 150/-

9. Online Application Procedure: Candidates have to apply through our online application system. The Online application allows the candidate to provide all information and also to upload scanned photograph(4cmx3cm) and signature.
10. No Cash payment will be allowed
11. Prospective candidates are advised to visit our website: [www.visvabharati.ac.in](http://www.visvabharati.ac.in) as well as admission portal: [vbadmission.in](http://vbadmission.in) at regular intervals for updates.
12. 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.
13. 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 counseling/admission to various courses 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. This should also be noted that the date of counseling/admission may be announced 24-48 hrs before, including holidays. Applicants must be careful to ensure their candidature(s) for counseling/document verification for confirming the admission.
14. 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.
15. 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.
16. In case of online counseling/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.

17. Important Dates and Times:

Online Application Date (Notice)	To be announced in the University Admission Portal: <a href="https://www.vbadmission.in/">https://www.vbadmission.in/</a>
Online publication of Merit list /Rank list	
Admission from First Merit List	
Admission from Second Merit List	
Commencement of Classes	

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

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

Registrar  
Visva-Bharati

# BHASHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE, LITERATURE & CULTURE)

## CERTIFICATE COURSE

**COURSE CODE: CRT**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**COURSE CODE NO: 16**

### GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO CERTIFICATE COURSES

Two-year Certificate Courses: The Certificate Courses in languages shall be open to person(s) (i) who have passed at least the Pre-Degree Examination of Visva-Bharati or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and (ii) whose first language is other than the language selected for study.

### INTAKE CAPACITY

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake Capacity					
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1.	Arabic	137	Should have passed at least the Pre-Degree Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected for study	Should have passed at least the Pre-Degree Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected for study	5	3	2	1	1	12
2.	Bengali	138			8	5	3	2	2	20
3.	Hindi	143			17	12	6	3	4	42
4.	Odia	144			4	3	1	1	1	10
5.	Pali	145			5	3	2	1	1	12
6.	Prakrit	146			5	3	2	1	1	12
7.	Sanskrit	147			5	3	2	1	1	12
8.	Santali	149			5	3	2	1	1	12
9.	Tamil	150			5	3	2	0	2	12
10.	Marathi	151			8	6	3	1	2	20
11.	Assamese	152			4	3	1	1	1	10
12.	Tibetan	154			8	5	3	2	2	20
<b>Total</b>					<b>79</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>194</b>

## DIPLOMA COURSE

**COURSE CODE: DIP**

**DURATION: 1 YEAR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 14**

### GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO DIPLOMA COURSES

One-year Diploma Courses: The Diploma Courses in languages shall be open to person(s) (i) who have passed at least the Higher Secondary Examination/10+2 of Visva-Bharati or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board (ii) whose first language is other than the language selected for study and (iii) who have passed the Certificate Examination of Visva-Bharati in the same language or an equivalent examination in the language concerned of a recognized University/Board/Institution.

INTAKE CAPACITY

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake Capacity					
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1.	Arabic	157	Candidates who have passed a two years Certificate course in the language concerned or an equivalent examination from any other recognized Universities or Institutions	Candidates who have passed a two years Certificate course in the language concerned or an equivalent examination from any other recognized Universities or Institutions	5	3	2	1	1	12
2.	Bengali	158			8	5	3	2	2	20
3.	Hindi	163			8	5	3	2	2	20
4.	Odia	164			4	3	1	1	1	10
5.	Pali	165			5	3	2	1	1	12
6.	Prakrit	166			5	3	2	1	1	12
7.	Sanskrit	167			5	3	2	1	1	12
8.	Persian	168			5	3	2	1	1	12
9.	Santali	169			5	3	2	1	1	12
10.	Marathi	171			5	5	2	1	2	15
11.	Assamese	172			4	3	1	1	1	10
12.	Urdu	173			5	3	2	0	2	12
13.	Tibetan	174			9	8	3	2	3	25
14.	Tamil	170			5	3	2	1	1	12
15.	Art and Architecture of Tamil Nadu	187	Higher Secondary Pass or equivalent	Higher Secondary Pass or equivalent	5	3	2	1	1	12
16.	Theatre Traditions in Tamil Nadu	188			5	3	2	1	1	12
<b>Total</b>					<b>88</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>220</b>



## **ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSE**

**COURSE CODE: ADP**

**DURATION: 1 YEAR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 15**

### GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSES

One-Year Advance Diploma Course (Code: ADP): The Advance Diploma Courses in Language shall be open to person(s) (i) who have passed at least the Higher Secondary Examination /10+2 of Visva-Bharati or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board (ii) whose first language is other than the language selected for study and (iii) who have passed the Diploma Examination of Visva Bharati in the same language or an equivalent examination in the language concerned of a recognized university/ Board/ Institution.

Sl No.	Subject	Code	EligibilityCriteria		IntakeCapacity					
			ForURcandidates	ForOBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1	Pali	180	Candidateswho havepassed a oneyearDiploma coursein the Languageconcerned oranequivalent examinationfrom anyotherrecognized Universitiesor Institutions.	Candidateswho havepassed a oneyear Diplomacourse inthelanguage concernedor anequivalent examination fromanyother recognized Universitiesor Institutions.	5	3	2	1	1	12
2	Sanskrit	181			5	3	2	1	1	12
3	Santali	182			5	3	2	1	1	12
4	Marathi	183			6	4	2	1	2	15
<b>Total</b>					<b>21</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>51</b>

## **ONE-YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS**

**COURSE CODE: CFS**

**DURATION: 1YEAR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 17**

### ONE-YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS UNDER BHASHA BHAVANA

There is a provision for one-year course for foreign students who have passed the Higher Secondary Examination/10+2 or its equivalent and satisfy certain criteria, set for admission to the course concerned. The courses are offered in the following subjects:

Bengali: (Code: 194)

Hindi: (Code: 195)

Odia: (Code: 196)

Tibetan: (Code: 197)

Sanskrit language and literature: (Code: 198)

# VIDYA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES)

## ONE YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

**COURSE CODE: CFS**

**DURATION: 1 YEAR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 27**

There is a provision for one year course for foreign students who have passed the Higher Secondary Examination or its equivalent and satisfy certain criteria, set for admission to the course concerned. The courses offered in the following subjects.

- Survey of Ancient Indian Culture (I and II) (Code: 231) by Department of AIHC&A.
- Modern Indian Culture with special reference to Rabindranath and Mahatma Gandhi (Code: 232) by Department of History
- Ancient Indian Philosophy and Culture (Code: 234) by Department of Philosophy & Comparative Religion.

# SANGIT BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA)

## CERTIFICATE COURSE

**COURSE CODE: CR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 43**

**DURATION: TWO YEARS**

General Eligibility Criteria for admission to Two-year Certificate Course in Rabindra Sangit/Manipuri Dance/Kathakali Dance/Rabindra Nritya/Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)/ Hindustani Classical Music (Instrumental) in Sitar/Esraj/Tabla.

- Passed 10+2 or equivalent examination,
- Staff, Staff-ward and Students of Visva-Bharati

Two-year Certificate Course	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Rabindra Sangit	441	24	16	9	5	6	60
Manipuri Dance	442	13	8	5	2	3	31
Kathakali Dance	443	13	8	5	2	3	31
Rabindra Nritya	444	13	8	5	2	3	31
Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal)	446	10	7	4	2	2	25
Sitar	447	4	3	1	1	1	10
Esraj	448	7	4	2	1	1	15
Hindustani Classical Music (Instru) in: Tabla	449	7	4	2	1	1	15
<b>Total</b>		<b>91</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>218</b>

## ONE YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

**COURSE CODE: CFS**

**DURATION: 1YEAR**

**COURSE CODE NO: 45**

There is a provision for one-year Course for Foreign students who have passed Higher Secondary examination or its equivalent examinations and satisfy certain criteria set for admission to the course concerned. The courses are offered in the following subjects:

Rabindra Sangit (455), Manipuri (456), Kathakali Dance (457), Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal) (460), Sitar (461), Esraj (462), Pakhawaj (463), Tabla (464)

Course	Total intake
One-Year Course for Foreign Students	15

## SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSE IN ESRAJ

**COURSE CODE NO: 47**

Skill Development Course in Esraj (code. 411) at Centre for Esraj under Sangit Bhavana

**Eligibility:** Anyeducational qualification is not mandatory

The practical courses are offered for

**30 days, 90 days, 180 days, One year, Two years.**

**Modalities followed for admission:**

- a) The candidate seeking admission to any of the above courses can go through the requisite admission test(s)
- b) The foreign nationals seeking admission to any of the above regular courses can go through the require Admission Tests(s) or can send video recording (in electronic digital format) of performance in the related field for assessment.

Admission of Foreign Nationals/International candidates to all regular courses will be supernumerary.

# KALA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF ARTS & CRAFTS)

## TWO-YEAR SKILL-DEVELOPMENT COURSE IN TEXTILE DESIGN

**COURSE CODE: SDC**

**DURATION: 2 YEARS**

**COURSE CODE NO: 55**

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Name of the Course	Code	Minimum eligibility		Intake Capacity for Indian Students					All total
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	
Two-year Skill-Development Course (Craft Design: Textile/Floor/Festival/Stage Decoration)	532	10th pass or equivalent	10th pass or equivalent	10	6	4	2	2	24

## ONE YEAR CERTIFICATE COURSE FOR INDIAN STUDENTS

COURSE CODE : CIS

DURATION : 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 58

### DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Name of the subject	Code	Intake capacity						Modalities of selection	
		For UR&OBC applicants	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total Intake	
Ceramics & Glass Design	548	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	1	1	1	0	0	3	For codes 546 to 549 & 551: Evaluation will be based on an offline practical test followed by a viva-voce For code 550: Evaluation will be based on an offline written test followed by a viva-voce
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	547	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	2	0	1	0	0	3	
History of Art	550	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	1	1	1	0	0	3	
Painting	546	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	1	1	0	1	0	3	
Sculpture	551	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	1	1	0	0	1	3	
Textiles Design	549	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	1	1	0	0	1	3	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	

## ONE YEAR CERTIFICATE COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

COURSE CODE: CFS

COURSE CODE NO: 57

DURATION: ONE YEAR

### DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Name of the subject	Code	Minimum eligibility	Intake	Modalities of selection
Ceramics & Glass Design	542	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	Based on portfolio of works for codes 542, 541, 540, 543 & 545
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	541	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	
History of Art	544	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	
Painting	540	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	Based on portfolio of original writings/essays for code 544
Sculpture	545	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	
Textiles Design	543	Pass in 10 + 2 or equivalent	03	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>18</b>	

# PALI SAMGATHANA VIBHAGA

(INSTITUTE OF RURAL RECONSTRUCTION)

## POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DISABILITY STUDIES

COURSE CODE: PGDDS

COURSE CODE NO: 70

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO PGDCOURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Two Semester Post Graduate Diploma leading to PGD in Disability Studies	619	Passed graduation or equivalent examinations with 45% marks in any discipline. Admission of SC/ST/OBC and Persons with Disability will be as per GOI rules of relaxation for such category.	7	4	2	1	1	15
Modalities followed for the admission: Personal Interview. Date of Interview will be published in the University Website/University admission portal.								

## POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL EXCLUSION & INCLUSIVE POLICY

COURSE CODE: PGDSEIP

COURSE CODE NO: 70

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO PGDCOURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Two semester Post Graduate Diploma leading to PGD in Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy	620	Passed graduation or equivalent examinations with 45% marks in any discipline. Admission of SC/ST/OBC and Persons with Disability will be as per GOI rules of relaxation for such category.	7	4	2	1	1	15
Modalities followed for the admission: Personal Interview. Date of Interview will be published in the University Website/University admission portal.								

## MUSIC UNIT OF PSV

### SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSE (FOLK MUSIC & RABINDRA SANGIT)

COURSE CODE: SDC

DURATION: 6 MONTHS

COURSE CODE NO: 67

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO CRT COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Skill Development Course (Folk music and Rabindra Sangit)	629	Passed minimum class 8 (eight). Candidates for this course will come from villages. The students & Employees of different departments of Visva-Bharati at Sriniketan Campus are also eligible.	9	6	3	2	2	22
Modalities of Admission Admission test 50 marks (through Viva-Voce). Qualifying marks for admission is 30% for General and 27% for OBC Candidates. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST & PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.								

# VINAYA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION)

## DEPARTMENT OF YOGIC ART AND SCIENCE

### POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN YOGA

COURSE CODE: PGDY

COURSE CODE NO: 80

SUBJECT CODE: 808

Duration: The minimum duration of the course will be 1 year (two semesters and maximum duration will be 2 years.

Intake Capacity: 20

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga	8	5	3	2	2	20	Supernumerary

#### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification:

The candidate should have completed Graduation (Bachelor Degree) in any stream from a UGC recognized university or equivalent.

#### Method of Selection:

The candidates will be selected on the basis of their merits in graduation marks.

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

## INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FOR ADMISSION IN SCHOOLS, UG, PG, PhD, CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA & OTHER COURSES

Students from abroad are welcome at Visva-Bharati. They may join any regular course (School/UG/PG/PhD) 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 set for the course. The details are available in the School, UG & PG section of the prospectus. They should apply through <https://forms.gle/CCLixWRLxEnhstrm29> based on the concerned admission notification published/uploaded on the university admission portal (<https://www.vbadmission.in/>).

There is a provision for One Year Certificate Course for Foreign Students (CFS) who have passed the Higher Secondary examination or its equivalent and satisfy certain criteria set for admission to the course concerned. The courses are offered in the following subjects:

- A survey of Indian History and Culture
- Culture Studies
- Comparative Literature
- Linguistics
- Modern Indian Culture with special reference to Rabindranath and Gandhi
- Indian Philosophy
- Ancient Indian Philosophy and Culture
- Bengali / Hindi / Odia / Tibetan / Sanskrit language and literature
- Rabindra Literature
- Indian Classics
- Rabindra Sangit
- Dance
- Drama and Theatrical Arts
- Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal or Instrumental: Sitar/Esraj/Tabla/Pakhawaj)
- Ceramics & Glass Design
- Graphic Art (Printmaking)
- History of Art
- Painting
- Sculpture
- Textile Design 1

Research programmes are also open for foreign students. The candidates must obtain clearance from the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, for studying (especially for research) in India. Research students recommended by any Government or University and with specific programmes for investigation approved by proper authorities and accepted by Visva-Bharati are provided with research facilities and guidance.

The admission is governed by the rules of the University and the Government of India and subject to availability of hostel seats 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 for Indian general candidates and subject to equivalence of qualification at par with Indian standard. 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 2024-2025:

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/CCLixWRLxEnhsm29>
  - 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:

SAARC Countries	NON-SAARC Countries
Rs. 5,000 or equivalent USD	Rs. 10,000 or equivalent USD



**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 Applications received 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 Institute 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.

- a) Student visa: Student Visa is required to join Undergraduate Programme, Post-Graduate Programme, Certificate or Diploma Course Programme etc.
- b) Research Visa: Research Visa is required to join Ph.D. programme in Visva-Bharati.

**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: 17-22

## **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  
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## **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 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 Rail stations are Bolpur (Santiniketan) and Prantik respectively of the Eastern Railway. Nearest air-terminal is Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose International Airport, Kolkata.

## **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 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>

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**Admission Coordination Cell Visva-Bharati**

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**Helpline Numbers:**

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