

CUCET-2020

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. **The CUCET-2020 Examination:** This all-India test is being organized by **CENTRAL UNIVERSITIES COMMON ENTRANCE TEST (CUCET)** for admission to different programmes of 14 Central Universities and 4 State Universities. It provides a single window opportunity to the students to seek admission in these Participating Universities (PU) / Institute(s) across the country.

2. **Schedule of CUCET-2020 Examination:**

ACTIVITY		DATE
Opening of online Application Form for all programs		March 16 th , 2020
Closing of online Application Form for all programs		April 11 th , 2020
Issue of Admit Card for all programs		May 18 th , 2020
Exam Dates	UI & PG Programmes (OMR Based)	May 30 th & 31 st , 2020
	RP Programmes (CBT Based)	June 06 th & 07 th , 2020
Answer Key upload	UI & PG Programmes	June 01 st , 2020
	RP Programmes	June 8 th , 2020
Grievances, if any,	UI & PG Programmes	June 02 nd to 04 th , 2020
	RP Programmes	June 9 th to 11 th , 2020
Corrected Answer Key, if any	UI & PG Programmes	June 8 th , 2020
	RP Programmes	June 15 th , 2020
Result Declaration		June 26 th , 2020

3. For List of Programmes, their eligibility and number of seats offered by PU, visit CUCET website, www.cucetexam.in

4. Reservation of seats as per Government of India (GoI)/ Participating Universities (PUs) Norms. Candidates are strongly advised to refer to website of individual PU for reservation policy of respective University/Institute.

5. **Applicants are advised to check the eligibility criteria thoroughly before applying for any programme, because different universities have different eligibility criteria for similar programmes. Hence, applicants will themselves be responsible if they opt for a programme for which they are not eligible.**

6. **Applications should be submitted ONLINE only; OFFLINE applications will NOT be accepted.**

7. Applicants are required to have a valid personal email ID and mobile number which should be kept active during the entire admission process, so that the university may send alerts, important communications etc., regarding entrance test. Under no circumstances, the candidate share/mention his/her email ID with any other person as all communication will be made through e-mail and SMS. Please ensure that DND (Do Not Disturb) is not activated on your mobile.

8. **Applicants should be ready with his/her good quality and latest digital photograph (20 KB – 50 KB) and signature (10 KB - 50 KB) while filling online form, more information regarding uploading photograph and signature are available on the CUCET website under [guidelines to upload photograph and signature](#).**

9. Applicants are required to fill carefully all details in the online application form without making any spelling mistakes. On submission of online application successfully, applicants can make the online **payment** for their selected programme.
10. An applicant can fill the Application Form partially and login again to complete it as early as possible on or before the last date i.e. April 11th, 2020.
11. Test Centre cities – Each candidate should choose Test Centre City of his/her choice from Annexure-I (For UI & PG programmes) and Annexure-II (For RP programmes). Change of Test Centre City will not be permitted after submission of online Application Form. In case, less than 100 candidates register for a particular centre, or due to other administrative reasons, centre may be cancelled and the candidates will be required to appear at nearby centre allotted to him/her (as given by the candidate or decided by CUCET 2020).
12. Applicants will receive SMS and E-mail alerts at the time of registration and also after completing the registration.
13. Applicants can apply for a particular programme for a maximum of three PUs with a maximum of 03 options of programmes in each of the selected PU.
14. In case a candidate wishes to opt for more PUs with additional (extra) programme(s), he/she can opt for “Add-On” option by paying additional prescribed fee.
15. **Fee Structure :**

Category	Application Fee	
	UI & PG	RP
General/ OBC/ EWS Applicants	Rs. 800/-	Rs. 1000/-
SC/ST Applicants	Rs. 350/-	Rs. 450/-
PWD Applicants	Nil	Nil

Note:

- (i) An applicant can apply for payment through net-banking/debit/credit card/UPI.
- (ii) GST and other taxes as applicable by Govt. of India/ Bank.
- (iii) An applicant can apply for three programmes from three Participating Universities (PUs) by paying application fee as mentioned above.
- (iv) An applicant can further apply upto 03 additional PU's (03 programmes each) by availing Add-on facility by paying additional fee as Rs. 800/- (Gen/OBC/EWS applicants) or Rs. 350/- (SC/ST applicants) for UI & PG Programmes and Rs. 1000/- (Gen/OBC/EWS applicants) or Rs. 450/- (SC/ST applicants) for RP Programmes. While doing so, a University can be repeated in add on.
- (v) Applicants are advice to read Payment instructions carefully before paying the application fee.
16. Applicants are allowed to appear for CUCET-2020 **provisionally** subject to the final verification of mark sheets/degrees/certificates, validity of certificates/mark sheets of qualifying examination and also of non-involvement in the adoption of unfair means in any of the University Examinations/Entrance Tests held earlier, at the time of admission.

17. Applicants appearing in the qualifying examination can also apply for CUCET-2020, but at the time of admission counselling, he/she will have to produce the mark sheet/degree certificates about their fulfilling the eligibility criteria.
18. Mere appearing in the CUCET-2020 does not entitle an applicant to be considered for admission to the programme applied unless he/she fulfils the eligibility criteria/ merit conditions of respective PUs.

APPLICANTS MUST FULLY SATISFY THEMSELVES ABOUT THEIR ELIGIBILITY AS PRESCRIBED, BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM.

19. If an applicant appears inadvertently at the Entrance Test who otherwise does not fulfil the minimum eligibility requirements, he/she cannot, at a later date, use that as a right to claim that he/she meets the eligibility requirements. Concerned University reserves the right to cancel/refuse admission at any point of time if it is found that:
- (i) Minimum eligibility requirement are not fulfilled.
 - (ii) False documentation has been done or facts have been suppressed.
 - (iii) Any other similar reason.
20. Applicants admitted to any programme in the concerned University shall not be eligible to pursue simultaneously any other full-time programme in this or in any other University/Institution.
21. Question Paper pattern: -

All Question Papers will be MCQ based consisting of: -

For UI & PG Programmes (OMR based):

- i. Part A: Language, general awareness, mathematical aptitude and analytical skills – comprising of 25 MCQs

Part B: Domain Knowledge – comprising of 75 MCQs. This part may consist of three/four/five sections. Each section will have 25 questions. A candidate is required to answer a set of any three sections (75 questions). However, he/she must ensure that he/she fills right circles in the OMR Sheet corresponding to the question numbers attended.

For example: - Part B of Entrance Test-Paper (eg. UIQP01) shall consist of four sections i.e. Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology comprising 25 questions each. Applicants shall be required to attempt any three sections with combination of either PCM or PCB. While choosing the combination applicant must ensure that he/she has appeared in respective subjects at 10+2 or Pre-Board or equivalent qualifying exam.

Note: For Admission to some Integrated Programme/MBA/LLB/MCA or any other general Programme, only one paper comprising of 100 MCQs covering English language, reasoning, data interpretations/numerical ability, general awareness and analytical skills will be held.

- ii. Applicant will have to choose one correct answer on OMR sheet. However, if an applicant marks multiple entries on OMR sheet for particular question(s), it will be treated as wrong answer with negative marking.
- iii. **There will be negative marking in CUCET-2020 in UI and PG programmes.** Each correct answer will carry 01 mark and for each wrong answer, 0.25 marks will be deducted. Questions not attempted will not be assessed and hence will not be considered for preparing final merit list.
- iv. If an Entrance Test-paper contents X number of sections and an applicant is required to answer Y number of section but if an applicant attempt all 'X' sections then best of 'X' sections as per instructions on the question booklet will be considered for preparation of Merit list.
- v. Each paper will be only of Two Hours Duration.

For RP Programmes (CBT based):

- i. Part A: Language, general awareness, mathematical aptitude, analytical skills and Research Methodology– comprising of 50 MCQs
Part B: Domain Knowledge – comprising of 50 MCQs.
- ii. Applicant will have to choose one correct answer by clicking on the bubble in computer screen
- iii. **No negative marking for research programmes of CUCET examination 2020.**
- iv. If an Entrance Test-paper contents X number of sections and an applicant is required to answer Y number of section but if an applicant attempt all ‘X’ sections then best of ‘X’ sections as per instructions on the question booklet will be considered for preparation of Merit list.
- v. Each paper will be only of Two Hours Duration.

22. The answer keys for various Test-papers will be uploaded on 01.06.2020 (For UI & PG programmes) and 08.06.2020 (For RP programmes) at CUCET-2020 website. An applicant may submit his/her grievance only through an email (no hard copy will be accepted) at enqcucet2020@curaj.ac.in from June 02–04, 2020 (For UI & PG programmes) and June 09–11, 2020 (For RP programmes). The format for the submission of grievance is given below:

Date & Time of Exam	Test Paper Code	Series (A,B,C,D) if any	Question Number	Grievance(s)	Correct answer according to student	Reason for selected correct answer	Scanned copies of relevant portion of three References (Text Book/Journal/Any Other

The Grievances received from applicants will be evaluated by committee of expert(s) and the decision of the expert(s) will be final.

23. In case an applicant appears in Test-paper exam other than that specified in his/her application form/admit card, his/her exam will be cancelled. It is the responsibility of applicants to appear in correct Test-paper prescribed for chosen programme.
24. Use of unfair means, as reported by Test Centers, shall automatically disqualify applicants from CUCET-2020.
25. (a). **After completion of UI & PG Programme(s) exam in CUCET-2020, applicants will be allowed to take Question Booklet and duplicate copy of OMR Sheet. However, each applicant must ensure to handover original OMR Sheet to the Invigilator.**
(b). **After completion of RP Programme(s) exam in CUCET-2020, applicants can login and view the question paper and his answer keys at the time of submitting Grievances.**
26. (a) Application form through Postal/Courier/Personal mode will not be accepted under any circumstances.
(b)An applicant will be solely responsible for completion of online application form including payment of online fees on or before the expiry of last date/time.
27. After CUCET-2020 result is declared, applicants will be allotted seats in order of merit in their respective programme and university/institute through online/offline counselling. The counselling session will be conducted at each university/institute separately and notified accordingly on their respective websites. **There will be separate fee for online counselling.** Applicants are advised to visit the CUCET-2020 and respective PUs website for admission counselling process.

(Exam City List for UI and PG Programmes)

S.No.	Name of Exam City	State
1	Port Blair	Andaman and Nicobar
2	Ananthpur	Andhra Pradesh
3	Guntur	Andhra Pradesh
4	Kurnool	Andhra Pradesh
5	Palasa	Andhra Pradesh
6	Rajamundry	Andhra Pradesh
7	Sirkakulam	Andhra Pradesh
8	Tirupati	Andhra Pradesh
9	Vijaywada	Andhra Pradesh
10	Vishakhapatnam	Andhra Pradesh
11	Guwahati	Assam
12	Silchar (Assam University)	Assam
13	Begusarai	Bihar
14	Bhagalpur	Bihar
15	Gaya	Bihar
16	Motihari	Bihar
17	Muzaffarpur	Bihar
18	Patna	Bihar
19	Purnia	Bihar
20	Siwan	Bihar
21	Bilaspur	Chattisgarh
22	Raipur	Chattisgarh
23	Ahmedabad	Gujarat
24	Gandhidham	Gujarat
25	Gandhinagar	Gujarat
26	Godhra	Gujarat
27	Mehsana	Gujarat
28	Rajkot	Gujarat
29	Surat	Gujarat
30	Vadodara	Gujarat
31	Vapi	Gujarat
32	Ambala	Haryana
33	Bhiwani	Haryana
34	Gurugram	Haryana
35	Hissar	Haryana
36	Kurukshetra	Haryana
37	Mahendergarh	Haryana

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S.No.	Name of Exam City	State
38	Palwal	Haryana
39	Rohtak	Haryana
40	Sirsa	Haryana
41	Sonapat	Haryana
42	Dharamshala	Himachal Pradesh
43	Shimla	Himachal Pradesh
44	Anantnag	Jammu and Kashmir
45	Baramulla	Jammu and Kashmir
46	Doda	Jammu and Kashmir
47	Ganderbal	Jammu and Kashmir
48	Jammu	Jammu and Kashmir
49	Kargil	Jammu and Kashmir
50	Kathua	Jammu and Kashmir
51	Leh	Jammu and Kashmir
52	Rajouri	Jammu and Kashmir
53	Reasi	Jammu and Kashmir
54	Samba	Jammu and Kashmir
55	Srinagar	Jammu and Kashmir
56	Udhampur	Jammu and Kashmir
57	Daltonganj (Medninagar)	Jharkhand
58	Deoghar	Jharkhand
59	Dhanbad	Jharkhand
60	Jamshedpur	Jharkhand
61	Ranchi	Jharkhand
62	Bangalore	Karnataka
63	Belagavi	Karnataka
64	Bellary	Karnataka
65	Bidar	Karnataka
66	Davanagere	Karnataka
67	Hubli	Karnataka
68	Kalaburagi / Gulbarga	Karnataka
69	Mangalore	Karnataka
70	Mysore	Karnataka
71	Raichur	Karnataka
72	Yadgir	Karnataka
73	Kannur (Thalassery)	Kerala
74	Kasargod	Kerala

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Annexure-I

S.No.	Name of Exam City	State
75	Kochi	Kerala
76	Kottayam	Kerala
77	Kozhikode (Calicut)	Kerala
78	Palakkad	Kerala
79	Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala
80	Trissur	Kerala
81	Wayanad (Kalpetta)	Kerala
82	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh
83	Indore	Madhya Pradesh
84	Jabalpur	Madhya Pradesh
85	Mumbai	Maharashtra
86	Nagpur	Maharashtra
87	Pune	Maharashtra
88	New Delhi	New Delhi
89	Anugul	Odisha
90	Balasore	Odisha
91	Bhadrak	Odisha
92	Bhawanipatna	Odisha
93	Bhubaneshwar	Odisha
94	Brahmapur	Odisha
95	Cuttack	Odisha
96	Kendujhar	Odisha
97	Koraput	Odisha
98	Malkanagiri	Odisha
99	Paralakhemundi	Odisha
100	Rourakela	Odisha
101	Sambalpur	Odisha
102	Amritsar	Punjab
103	Bathinda	Punjab
104	Chandigarh	Punjab
105	Jalandhar	Punjab
106	Ludhiana	Punjab
107	Bandarsindari (CURAJ) Ajmer	Rajasthan
108	Barmer	Rajasthan
109	Bikaner	Rajasthan
110	Jaipur	Rajasthan
111	Jaisalmer	Rajasthan

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S.No.	Name of Exam City	State
112	Jodhpur	Rajasthan
113	Kota	Rajasthan
114	Nagour	Rajasthan
115	Sikar	Rajasthan
116	Sriganganagar	Rajasthan
117	Udaipur	Rajasthan
118	Chennai	Tamil Nadu
119	Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu
120	Cuddalore	Tamil Nadu
121	Madurai	Tamil Nadu
122	Nagarcoil	Tamil Nadu
123	Thiruvarur	Tamil Nadu
124	Tiruchirappalli (Trichy)	Tamil Nadu
125	Hyderabad	Telangana
126	Karimnagar	Telangana
127	Nizamabad	Telangana
128	Warangal	Telangana
129	Agartala	Tripura
130	Agra	Uttar Pradesh
131	Gorakhpur	Uttar Pradesh
132	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh
133	Meerut	Uttar Pradesh
134	Prayagraj (Allahabad)	Uttar Pradesh
135	Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh
136	Dehradun	Uttarakhand
137	Haldwani	Uttarakhand
138	Haridwar	Uttarakhand
139	Asansol	West Bengal
140	Kolkata	West Bengal
141	Siliguri	West Bengal

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S.No.	Name of Exam City	State
1	Guwahati	Assam
2	Gaya	Bihar
3	Patna	Bihar
4	Raipur	Chattisgarh
5	Ahmedabad	Gujarat
6	Gandhinagar	Gujarat
7	Surat	Gujarat
8	Vadodara	Gujarat
9	Gurugram	Haryana
10	Hissar	Haryana
11	Mahendergarh	Haryana
12	Dharamshala	Himachal Pradesh
13	Jammu	Jammu and Kashmir
14	Srinagar	Jammu and Kashmir
15	Dhanbad	Jharkhand
16	Jamshedpur	Jharkhand
17	Ranchi	Jharkhand
18	Bangalore	Karnataka
19	Hubli	Karnataka
20	Kalaburagi / Gulbarga	Karnataka
21	Mangalore	Karnataka
22	Kochi	Kerala
23	Kozhikode (Calicut)	Kerala
24	Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala
25	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh
26	Mumbai	Maharashtra
27	Nagpur	Maharashtra
28	New Delhi	New Delhi
29	Bhubaneshwar	Odisha
30	Cuttack	Odisha
31	Sambalpur	Odisha
32	Amritsar	Punjab
33	Bathinda	Punjab
34	Chandigarh	Punjab
35	Bandarsindari (CURaj) Ajmer	Rajasthan
36	Jaipur	Rajasthan
37	Jodhpur	Rajasthan
38	Udaipur	Rajasthan
39	Chennai	Tamil Nadu
40	Coimbatore	Tamil Nadu
41	Hyderabad	Telangana
42	Agra	Uttar Pradesh
43	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh
44	Prayagraj (Allahabad)	Uttar Pradesh
45	Varanasi	Uttar Pradesh
46	Dehradun	Uttarakhand
47	Kolkata	West Bengal