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NEET UG Counselling 2024 Live: MCC counselling dates awaited at mcc.nic.in

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The National Testing Agency (NTA) released the revised results for the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) UG 2024 on July 26. The results are available on the NTA's official website, nta.ac.in. Following the release, candidates are now anticipating the online counselling process for undergraduate medical admissions, which will be conducted by the Medical Counselling Committee (MCC) and state counselling bodies. Notifications and schedules for All India Quota (AIQ) and state quota medical counselling are expected to be announced soon. In an official notice dated July 26, the NTA mentioned that details and schedules for counselling would be posted on the websites of the Ministry be posted on the

websites of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and the Medical Education Directorates of various states.

The MCC has not yet released specific dates for the counselling schedule. When available, the schedule will be posted on the MCC's official website at mcc.nic.in. The MCC conducts NEET UG counselling for 15 percent of All India Quota seats, 100 percent of seats in deemed universities, central universities (DU, AMU, BHU), ESIC, AFMC, IP University, AIIMS, and JIPMER institutions, as well as for BSc Nursing at central institutions. The counselling process includes three rounds, followed by a stray vacancy round.

NEET PG 2024 exam city allotment

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communicated through email on July 29, 2024, will be available on the NBEMS website on August 8, 2024.

NEET PG 2024 is scheduled for August 11, after being postponed from its original date of place and asked candidates to select four across the country. preferred test cities.

The National Board of Examinations in In cases where fewer than four test cities are Medical Sciences (NBEMS) will announce the available in a candidate's state or Union exam city allotments for NEET PG 2024 on Territory of correspondence, or if the demand July 29. This information will be sent to for testing seats exceeds the available candidates via their registered email IDs and capacity, candidates will be offered options will not be posted on the official website from nearby states or UTs. The board (natboard.edu.in). According to an official mentioned that the allocation of test cities statement, the test city details will be would be done randomly based on the candidates' preferences.

while the exact test centre within the allocated If a candidate's preferred cities are overbooked city will be specified in the admit cards, which or unavailable due to capacity, logistical, administrative, or security reasons, they may be assigned to a test centre in the nearest available location. In situations where no test centre is available within the candidate's state June 23. The NBEMS had previously released of correspondence or nearby, the NBEMS will a list of 185 cities where the exam would take allocate a test centre in any available location

CUET-UG results 2024:

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The National Testing Agency (NTA) announced the results of the Common University Entrance Test (CUET) UG 2024 on Sunday. This marks the beginning of the admission process for undergraduate courses, which was delayed this year due to controversies over alleged irregularities in competitive exams, including NEET-UG and UGC-NET.

According to the NTA, the highest number of full marks scorers in the CUET-UG 2024 were in Business Studies, with 8,024 students achieving this feat. Political Science had 5,141 full marks scorers, History had 2,520, English had 1,683, and Psychology had 1,602.

The General Test saw the highest number of participants, with 709,000 students, but only one scored full marks. This year, the NTA did not disclose the number of hundredth percentile scores in different subjects, unlike last year, where there were 22,836 such scores, up from 21,159 in 2022.

The NTA had previously released the provisional answer keys for CUET-UG 2024 on July 7. A retest was conducted on July 19 for over 1,000 candidates whose grievances were validated by the agency. Candidates were able to challenge the provisional answer keys from July 7 to July 9, resulting in 9,512 challenges, of which 1,782 were unique. After reviewing feedback and making necessary

changes, the final answer keys were used to prepare the results. The merit lists will be compiled by the 283 participating universities based on the scores provided by the NTA, and each university will conduct its admission counselling sessions accordingly.

Other subjects with notable full marks scorers include Biology/Biological Studies/ Biotechnology/Biochemistry

students), Economics/Business Economics (430), Chemistry (398), Geography/ Geology (373), and Agriculture (180). Five students scored full marks in Mathematics/ Applied Mathematics, 17 in Legal Studies, and one each in Telugu, French, Japanese, and Russian.

Initially scheduled for June 30, the CUET-UG results were delayed due to the NTA's investigation into allegations of paper leaks in other exams. The CUET-UG was conducted in a hybrid mode for the first time in May. The exam was canceled in Delhi the night before the scheduled date due to logistical issues but was held later. The NTA had announced that the third edition of the CUET-UG would be completed in seven days, with no score normalization, as all exams conducted in a single shift.

ICAI CA Foundation Result 2024 Live Updates: ICAI June exam result today at icai.nic.in

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) is scheduled to release the results for the CA Foundation exam for the June 2024 session on July 29. The results will be accessible on the official websites, icai.nic.in and icai.org. The CA Foundation exams were conducted on four separate dates: June 20, 22, 24, and 26.

Candidates who took the exam can check their results by logging in to the official ICAI websites using their registration numbers, pin numbers, and roll numbers. To pass the CA Foundation June 2024 exam, candidates must secure at least 40 marks in each individual paper and a minimum of 50 percent in the aggregate across all four papers. Additionally, candidates who score 70 percent or above

will receive a "pass with distinction" status.

The CA Foundation exam is an entry-level examination for students aspiring to become Chartered Accountants. It tests candidates on subjects such as Principles and Practice of Accounting, Business Laws, Business Mathematics, Logical Reasoning, and Statistics, as well as Business Economics and Business and Commercial Knowledge.

The results will include the candidates' scores in each subject and their overall percentage. Those who pass the exam will be eligible to enroll in the next level of the CA program, the Intermediate course. Candidates are advised to keep their registration details handy and check the official websites for the latest updates and information.

IIM Calcutta releases CAT 2024 notification; registration from August 1

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk



The Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Calcutta has announced the details for the Common Admission Test (CAT) 2024. The notification was released in newspapers and on IIM Calcutta's official LinkedIn account. CAT 2024 will be a computer-based exam, scheduled for November 24, and will be held in three sessions. The test will be conducted at centers across approximately 170 cities. Candidates can choose up to five preferred test cities during registration, though the final list of cities may be

adjusted atthe discretion of the CAT authorities. The registration process for CAT 2024 will start at 10 am on August 1 and will close at 3 pm on September 13. Interested candidates can register on theofficial IIM CAT website, iimcat.ac.in. It is essential for candidates to maintain a valid and unique email address and mobile phone number throughout the selection process.

Upon completing registration, admit cards will be available from November 5 to 24. The results for CAT 2024 are expected to be announced in the second week of January 2025.

The registration fee for CAT 2024 is Rs 1250 for candidates from SC, ST, and PwD categories, and Rs 2500 for candidates from all other categories. It's important to note that candidates need to pay the registration fee only once, regardless of the number of institutes they are applying to. The registration fee is nonrefundable under any circumstances.

Government Proposal: Include Class 9-11 Marks in Class 12 Report Card

-VidvarthiMitra News Desk

A recent report submitted by PARAKH, an assessment unit established under NCERT, to the Education Ministry has proposed significant changes in how student performance is evaluated in Indian schools. According to the proposal, a student's academic performance in Classes 9, 10, and 11 should be factored into their final marks at the end of Class 12. This move is intended to standardize assessments across various school boards in line with the National Education Policy.

Key Recommendations and Details:

- 1. Weightage Distribution:
 - Class 9: Performance in Class 9 should account for 15% of the final marks in the Class 12 report card. This score would be derived from 70% formative assessments (ongoing classwork, projects, and assignments) and 30% summative assessments (end-of-term
 - Class 10: 20% of the final marks should come from Class 10 performance, equally divided between formative (50%) and summative (50%) assessments.
 - Class 11: The weightage increases to 25%, with 40% from formative assessments and 60% from summative assessments.
 - Class 12: The largest share, 40%, will be based on Class 12 performance, with 30% from formative assessments and 70% from summative assessments.
- 2. Rationale and Objectives:
 - The proposal aims to create a more holistic and consistent evaluation system across the country. By including formative assessments, it acknowledges the importance of regular coursework and continuous learning rather than relying solely on final examinations.
 - The system also seeks to reduce the pressure on students by diversifying the sources of their final grades, thereby encouraging consistent performance throughout their secondary education years.

NIMCET 2024 special round counselling seat allotment result CAT 2024 Notification Released: Key Changes and Important

The National Institute of Technology (NIT) Jamshedpur will release the seat allotment results for the NIT MCA Common Entrance Test (NIMCET) 2024 special round counselling today, July 29. Candidates who registered for the NIMCET 2024 special round counselling can download their seat allotment results from the official website, nimcet.admissions.nic.in, using their registration number and date of birth.

The special round of NIMCET 2024 counselling aims to fill the vacant seats across participating institutes.

The participating institutes in the NIMCET 2024 counselling include:

NIT Agartala, MNNIT Allahabad, MANIT Bhopal, Jamshedpur,NIT NIT Kurukshetra, NIT Patna, NIT Raipur, NITK Surathkal,NIT

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk Tiruchirappalli, NIT Warangal, Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIIT) Bhopal

The NIMCET 2024 exam is conducted for candidates seeking admission to the Master of Computer Applications (MCA) programmes.

Shortlisted candidates must report to their institute with the following documents:

NIMCET admit card

NIMCET rank card Class 10 mark sheet and certificate

Class 12 mark sheet and certificate Graduation mark sheets and certificate

Category certificate (if applicable) PwD certificate (if applicable)

Transfer certificate (TC)

Migration certificate

Conduct/character certificate

Passport-sized photographs Photo ID proof

NIMCET counselling call letter

WBJEEB ANM, GNM 2024 admit card out; exam on August 4

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

West Bengal Joint Entrance The Examinations Board (WBJEEB) has issued the revised admit card for Auxiliary Nursing and Midwifery (ANM) and General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) 2024 exams today, July 29. The ANM, GNM 2024 exam is scheduled to be held on August 4 in a single shift from 12 pm to 1:30 pm. Candidates who filled out the WBJEEB ANM, GNM 2024 application form can download the admit card by visiting the official website, wbjeeb.nic.in or wbjeeb.in. The exam, initially scheduled for July 14, was subsequently postponed by the board.

"Due to unavoidable circumstances relating to natural calamity in some areas of the State, ANM, GNM Examination (earlier

scheduled to be held on 14.07.2024) is being rescheduled and will now be held on 04.08.2024 (Sunday)," the board informed earlier through the official notice. Candidates will have to enter their login credentials, such as application number and date of birth to download the WBJEEB ANM, GNM 2024 admit card. Candidates should carry a valid governmentissued ID proof, like Aadhaar card, voter ID card, PAN card, or passport, along with their admit card to the exam centre. The WBJEEB ANM and GNM entrance exam will have five sections, totalling 100 questions. Each section is divided into two categories. Category 1 includes 85 questions, each worth one mark, while Category 2 includes 15 questions, each worth two marks.

Dates -VidyarthiMitra News Desk

Calcutta, has announced the Common Admission Test (CAT) 2024 via a newspaper notification on July 28, 2024. The exam date on November 24, 2024, across 170 test cities. The exam will take place in three shifts: Shift 1 from 8:30 am to 10:30 am,

Shift 2 from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm, and Shift 3 from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm. The CAT 2024 registration process will commence on August 1, 2024, at iimcat.ac.in and will close on September 13, 2024.

Eligibility criteria include a bachelor's degree with a minimum of 50% aggregate marks (45% for reserved category candidates).

Notable Changes in CAT 2024:

The application fee has increased to Rs 2500 for general category candidates and Rs 1250 for reserved category candidates.

The number of test cities has increased from 167 to 170.

Candidates can now choose five test cities while filling out the application form.

Important Dates for CAT 2024: Notification Date: July 28, 2024

Registration Dates: August 1 to September 13, 2024

Admit Card Release: November 5, 2024

Exam Date: November 24, 2024

CAT will feature sections on data interpretation & logical reasoning, verbal and reading comprehension, and quantitative aptitude. The question paper will include both MCQbased and TITA questions, with a total of 198 marks.

The Indian Institute of Management (IIM), Top MBA Colleges Accepting CAT Scores: There are 21 IIMs and over 1000 other MBA colleges that accept CAT scores for admission, including prestigious institutions like FMS and other significant details have also been Delhi, SJMSoM IIT Mumbai, MDI Gurgaon, disclosed. The CAT 2024 exam will be held DoMS IIT Delhi, and SPJIMR Mumbai. Here are some top non-IIM B-schools and their expected cutoffs:

SJMSOM, IIT Bombay: 98+

DMS, IIT Delhi: 98+ FMS, University of Delhi: 98+

NITIE Mumbai: 97+

MDI Gurgaon: 96+ DoMS, IIT Madras: 95+

Goa Institute of Management, Goa: 92+

Great Lakes Institute of Management,: 90+

TAPMI, Manipal: 90+

SPJ Institute of Management and Research, :

FORE School of Management, New Delhi: 85+ Jaipuria Institute of Management: 75+ IBS Business School, Hyderabad: 75

Indus Business Academy, Bangalore: 75+ Apeejay School of Management, New Delhi:

Candidates are advised to complete the application process before the deadline.



ADMISSIONS

required, top medical colleges

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The online counselling process for admission to 85 percent of undergraduate medical seats in Tamil Nadu is expected to commence shortly. Following the announcement of the NEET UG final result by the National Testing Agency (NTA), state and central counselling agencies will start their application processes on their respective websites.

In Tamil Nadu, the NEET UG counselling is managed by the Selection Committee of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research (DMER). Candidates must apply online through thmedical selection.net.

A recent notification from DMER advises applicants to have the following documents ready to expedite the counselling process:

NEET UG admit card

NEET UG scorecard

Class 10 mark sheet

Class 11 mark sheet

Class 12 mark sheet

Transfer certificate (after Class 12) Proof of studying Class 6-12 in Tamil Nadu (if applicable)

Community certificate

Nativity certificate (if applicable)

Parents' documents for those claiming Tamil Nadu nativity for communal reservation Community certificate of one parent from

the revenue authority in Tamil Nadu Bonafide certificate from the Chief Educational Officer for those who studied Classes 6-12 in Tamil Nadu government schools (7.5 percent special reservation; those who passed HSC

in 2022-23 and 2023-24 do not need this certificate) Parent's income certificate for fee exemption

Eligibility certificate from Dr. MGR University, Guindy, Chennai for candidates from boards other than Tamil Nadu state board, CBSE, and

CISCE Court orders, if any

Additional supporting documents, if any

For candidates claiming a Management quota minority seat, the following documents are required:

Linguistic minority certificate

Christian minority certificate

For candidates claiming management quota NRI status, the following documents are required:NRI status of the financial supporter issued by the Indian Embassy of the respective country under their seal or OCI card.Certificate of relationship between the NRI financial supporter and the candidate issued by the competent revenue authority.Indian Passport of the NRI financial supporter NRE bank account passbook of the financial supporter



TN NEET UG Counselling 2024: Official website, documents CUSAT CAT 2024 Counselling: Round 3 BTech Seat Allotment **Result Announced** -VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Cochin University of Science and choices locked by the candidates. Technology (CUSAT) has released the CUSAT BTech Counselling 2024 Schedule: Common Admission Test (CAT) 2024 BTech round 3 seat allotment results. Candidates who applied for BTech admissions can check their results on the official website, admissions.cusat.ac.in. According to the counselling schedule, candidates allotted seats in the CUSAT round 3 seat allotment must pay the programme fee by July 30. To download the CUSAT 2024 round 3 seat allotment result, candidates need to use their login credentials, including the registration number and date of birth. Failure to pay the fee by the deadline will result in the cancellation of the candidate's options, and they will not be considered for Proof for communal reservation determined based on the candidates ranks, the availability of seats, and the

EventDateRound 3 fee payment deadlineJuly 30, 2024Spot admission for sports quotaAugust 2, 2024Document verification roundAugust 2 to 5,

2024 CUSAT BTech Counselling 2024: Required Documents

Candidates must carry the following original documents and copies for verification:

SSLC or Class 10 certificate and mark list

Class 12 or higher secondary certificate and mark list Transfer Certificate from the institution last

attended Conduct certificate from the institution last attended

subsequent allotments. The CUSAT BTech Proof for special reservation, if any (DAC, NRI, seat allotment result 2024 has been CGW, CHD, EWS, IDC, LKD, ANM, etc.)

Proof for Keralite status

Self-declaration stating nationality

CCMT 2024 special round 2 seat allotment result out; acceptance fee

The Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute seat allotment result

The last date for uploading the documents, of Technology, Surat has declared the specifying willingness to allotted seats, and Centralized Counseling for MTech withdrawal of seats is tomorrow, July (CCMT) 2024 special round phase 2 seat 29.Candidates are required to pay a CCMT 2024 allotment result 2024 today, July 28. seat acceptance fee of Rs 30,000 to confirm their Candidates who participated in the CCMT admissions. This CCMT 2024 seat acceptance fee 2024 special round can check the results can be paid using a debit card, credit card, UPI, or by visiting the official website net banking. Failure to pay the seat acceptance fee ccmt.admissions.nic.in.Candidates will be will result in the automatic cancellation of the required to use registration ID, password candidate's seat allotment, and they will not be and security pin to access special round considered for subsequent rounds of allotment





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TOEFL India Championship: Your Path to Study Abroad Success!

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The TOEFL India Championship offers a golden opportunity for Indian test takers to win big and move closer to their study abroad dreams. With prize money totaling ₹15 lacs, this nationwide competition is not to be missed!

What Awaits You:

Round 1:

Registration: Quick and easy.

Quiz: A 20-minute test of your English language and numeracy skills.

Dates: April 5, 2024 - July 31, 2024.

Prizes: Cash prizes worth ₹4 lacs.

Qualification: Score more than 35% to automatically qualify for Round 2! Round 2:

Next Step: Appear for the TOEFL iBT® test between April 5, 2024 and July 31, 2024.

Grand Prizes: ₹11 lacs to help you achieve your study abroad dreams.

Eligibility: To participate, an applicant must be:

A 3rd or 4th-year college student of an undergraduate degree program at an accredited Indian Higher Education Institution; OR A

University of Exeter India Global Leaders Scholarship 2024-25: Enriching Academic Diversity

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The University of Exeter is offering the India Global Leaders Scholarship 2024-25 to Indian programs. This scholarship aims to enhance £3,000 (approximately ₹3,14,21.41). the academic and cultural diversity of the Eligibility Criteria: To be eligible, applicants university by welcoming

graduate looking for higher education abroad; OR A professional with up to two years of verifiable work experience.

Benefits:

Total Cash Prizes: ₹4 lacs. 1st Place: ₹50,000 (1 winner).

2nd Place: ₹40,000 each (2 winners).

3rd Place: ₹30,000 each (3 winners).

1st Runner-up: ₹20,000 each (4 winners). 2nd Runner-up: ₹10,000 each (10 winners).

Key Details for Round 1: Registration Open: April 5, 2024.

Deadline: July 31, 2024.

Quiz Duration: 20 minutes.

Total Prizes: ₹4 lacs.

Qualification: Score more than 35% to advance to Round 2!

Take this opportunity to excel in your TOEFL test and win amazing prizes to support your study abroad journey.

students from India, enriching every aspect of their master's experience. Selected candidates citizens enrolled in campus-based master's will benefit from a tuition fee reduction worth

must:

Railway Recruitment Board

Recruitment 2024

1. 1st Stage Computer Based Test (CBT-I):

candidates with disabilities)

candidates with disabilities)

of vacancies

• Purpose:

documents

• Questions: 100 objective-type

candidates for the 2nd Stage CBT

• Questions: 150 objective-type

3. Document Verification (DV):

4. Medical Examination (ME):

• Duration: 90 minutes (120 minutes for

• Purpose: Screening test to shortlist

• Purpose: Detailed technical assessment;

shortlisted candidates are 15 times the number

• Purpose: Ensure candidates meet the health

standards required for the Junior Engineer role

Candidates are advised to visit their respective

regional RRB websites for detailed

information and to apply for the positions.

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2. 2nd Stage Computer Based Test (CBT-II):

• Duration: 120 minutes (160 minutes for

Verification

Be an Indian citizen with a valid passport. Be classified as an International student for fee

Hold an offer to study in one of the following campus-based master's degree programs at the University of Exeter commencing in September 2024:

The Exeter MBA

MRes Global Political Economy

MRes Management

MRes Economics (Pathway to PhD)

MSc Human Resources Management (24 or 30 months)

MSc Minerals Processing (e.g., Professional Conversion)

MSc Mining Engineering (e.g., Professional Practice)

MSc Island Biodiversity and Conservation

Legal Practice Course (LPC)

Graduate Diploma in Law (GDL)

MA Law (SQE1); MA Law (Conversion)

LLM Legal Practice (SQE 1&2) **SQE Preparation Courses**

Clinical Psychology programmes delivered by Clinical Education, Development and Research

Master of Public Administration (MPA) with Applied Study

Postgraduate diplomas

Degree apprenticeships

Meet the conditions of their offer as outlined in their programme offer letter.

Important Notes:

(CEDAR)

admission before March 2024 must pay the application is not required. tuition fee deposit by the deadline stated in the scholarship communication letter.

Applicants who received their offer of admission from March 2024 onwards must pay the tuition fee deposit by the deadline stated in



the original program offer letter.

Benefits:

£3,000 Tuition fee reduction worth (approximately ₹3,14,21.41).

Additional Opportunity:

Students applying for this scholarship may also be considered for the University of Exeter Global Excellence Scholarship, which offers a £7,500 award.

Required Documents:

A valid passport

Updated Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Academic transcripts including marksheets, certificates, etc.

How to Apply: Eligible candidates can apply for the scholarship by following these steps:

Click on the 'Apply Now' button. Click the 'Register' button and fill in the

required registration details. (Note: If already registered, log in using Gmail/Mobile number/ Email ID.)

This grant will be automatically awarded to eligible students applying for admission in September 2024 who have paid their deposit Applicants who received their offer of by the previously stated deadlines. A separate

This scholarship offers a remarkable opportunity for Indian students to pursue their academic dreams at the University of Exeter while contributing to a diverse and vibrant academic community.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

RRB JE Recruitment 2024 Notification Released

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Railway Recruitment Board (RRB) has announced the RRB JE Recruitment 2024 on July 27, 2024, detailing the hiring process for 7,951 positions, including Junior Engineer (JE), Depot Material Superintendent (DMS), and Chemical & Metallurgical Assistant. Key Details:

- Application Period: July 30 to August 29,
- Positions Available: 7,951, including JE, DMS, and Chemical & Metallurgical Assistant Salary Structure:
- Junior Engineer (JE) and Depot Material Superintendent (DMS):
- Pay Level 7
- Basic Pay: ₹36,500
- Chemical & Metallurgical Assistant:
- Pav Level 7
- Basic Pay: ₹44,900
- Post-Training Salary for Junior Engineers:
- Basic Pay: ₹35,400
- Dearness Allowance (DA): ₹11,315
- Gross Income: ₹62,386
- ₹6,163, Income Tax • Deductions: Professional Tax ₹200, Miscellaneous Tax certificates, identity proofs, and other 3 years for OBC ₹1,000
- Net Salary: Approximately ₹55,023

Training Period Allowances: Candidates undergoing training will receive a monthly stipend to support them during their training phase.

Selection Process:

SSC MTS Recruitment 2024: Apply for 8,326 Posts Online

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Staff Selection Commission (SSC) has can apply online until July 31, 2024. released the notification for SSC MTS 2024, Key Details: announcing 8,326 vacancies. Candidates Post Names: MTS (Non-Technical), Havaldar interested in Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Total Vacancies: 8,326 Staff and Havaldar (CBIC and CBN) positions Application Period: June 27, 2024 - July 31,

Job Type: Central Government, Clerical Qualification: Matriculation (10th Pass)

Selection Process: Computer-Based Examination (Objective Type), Physical Efficiency Test (PET), Physical Standard Test

(PST), Document Verification Job Location: All over India

Organization: Staff Selection Commission Application Portal: www.ssc.gov.in

Vacancies Breakdown Over the Years: 2020: MTS - 3,972

2021: MTS - 4,136, Havaldar - 3,603

2022: MTS - 11,994, Havaldar - 529

2023: MTS - 360, Havaldar - 1,198 2024: MTS - 4,887, Havaldar - 3,439

Salary:

Pay Scale: Pay Band-1 ₹5200 - 20200 + Grade Pay ₹1800

Eligibility Criteria:

Age Limit (as of August 1, 2024):

18-25 years (born not before 02-08-1999 and not later than 01-08-2006)

18-27 years (born not before 02-08-1997 and not later than 01-08-2006)

Age Relaxation: educational 5 years for SC/ST

> 10 years for PWD Educational Qualification:

Matriculation (10th Class) Examination or equivalent from a Central Govt. Recognized Board

Application Fee: General/Open Category: ₹100

Reserved Category: Nil

Payment Method: Online/Offline Exam Pattern:

Numerical and Mathematical Ability: 20 questions, 60 marks Reasoning Ability and Problem Solving: 20

questions, 60 marks

Session-I:

Session-II: General Awareness: 25 questions, 75 marks English Language and Comprehension: 25 questions, 75 marks

How to Apply: Visit the SSC Official Website (ssc.gov.in). Click "Apply" in the Quick Links category.

Select "Multi-Tasking (Non-Technical) Staff, Havaldar (CBIC & CBN) Examination-2024" and click "A 'Apply'

Complete the one-time SSC Registration to create a Username and Password.

Log in using the Username (Registration Number) and Password. Fill in basic, personal, and communication

details, and upload required documents. Submit the application form by July 31, 2024 (up to 23:00 Hours).

For more details and to apply, visit SSC Official Website.

The 'employment condition index' has improved between 2004-05 and 2021-22. But some states — Bihar, Odisha, Jharkhand, and UP — have remained at the bottom throughout this period, while some others — Delhi, Himachal Pradesh, Telangana, Uttarakhand, and Gujarat — have stayed at the top.





Upcoming SAT on August 24, 2024: Registration Open

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

upcoming Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT) 2025. Registration for these dates is already The Universities and Colleges Admissions session scheduled for August 24, 2024. open, allowing students to plan according to Service (UCAS), a central body facilitating Registration for this critical exam, essential for their academic schedules and readiness. students aspiring to enroll in undergraduate The SAT 2024 exam includes sections on UK universities, is set to introduce a new programs in the United States and Canada, is now open.

Prospective test-takers must register by August 9, 2024. They can also make changes, cancel their registration, or opt for late registration until August 13, 2024. The standard registration fee is USD 68 (approximately INR 5,692), with an additional regional fee of USD 43. Late registration incurs a USD 34 fee, while changes to the test center or cancellations each cost USD 29.The College Board has also announced future SAT dates: October 5, November 2, December

The College Board is gearing up for the 7, 2024, and March 8, May 3, and June 7, -VidyarthiMitra News Desk

math, reading, writing, and language. Scores range from 400 to 1600, with scores above the the 2026 academic year. average being favorable for admission to many colleges and universities.



Increase in Australia Visa Fees: Impact on International **Students**

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

International students considering Australia as a study destination will encounter new challenges due to recent policy changes by the Australian government. Two significant developments—an increase in the student visa fee and a rise in the Temporary Skilled Migration Income Threshold (TSMIT)—are expected to affect international students.

Since July 1, 2024, the fee for international student visas has risen from \$710 to \$1,600, representing a 125% increase. This change means students must now pay an additional \$890, raising the total visa fee to \$1,600. Dr. John Lodewijks, Vice President – Academic & Professor of Economics at SP Jain School of Global Management, commented, "Although this substantial fee increase might deter some budget-conscious students, it could

also encourage them to seek diverse funding necessary information. options and scholarships, promoting financial The new format will include the following resourcefulness."

to \$73,150, effective for nomination subject? applications lodged between July 1 and June How have your 30, 2025. Additionally, new rules have been introduced, including a shorter duration for Temporary Graduate Visas and a reduction in the age eligibility, among other changes.

These measures may make Australia less attractive to prospective students and skilled workers, potentially affecting its reputation as a desirable destination for higher education and employment. There is a need for policies that balance affordable education with quality, ensuring that Australia remains competitive and appealing to international students.

UCAS to Implement New Personal Statement Questions **Starting September 2025**

applications between prospective students and format for personal statements, effective from

Personal statements have long been a key part of the application process for UK universities. Traditionally, the format and focus of these statements have remained consistent, but UCAS is now making changes to better support students. The organization aims to simplify the process, making it less stressful and more accessible.

According to UCAS, a survey of 2022 applicants revealed that 89% of students understood the purpose of the personal statement, with many finding it helpful for decision-making. However, 83% reported finding the process stressful and heavily reliant on external support to ensure they included the

structured questions:

The TSMIT has also been raised from \$70,000 Why do you want to study this course or

qualifications and studies prepared you for this course or subject?

What additional experiences outside of formal education have prepared you for this course, and why are they valuable?

These changes aim to provide clarity and guidance, reducing inequities in access to support and advice, particularly benefiting international students. The personal statement will continue to have a character limit of 4,000 characters, including spaces, but will now be organized into three distinct sections.

Manuel Barcia, Dean of Global Engagement at the University of Leeds, stated, "This change aims to give every student a fair opportunity to express their unique journey, aspirations, and potential." Dr. Jo Saxton, chief executive at UCAS, added, "The new structured questions are designed to give students and their advisors greater confidence in articulating their ambitions and securing their desired course."

This revised format will be implemented starting in September 2025 for those applying for entry in 2026.



SCHOOL AND HIGHER EDUCATION

Class 12 Report Cards

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Indian government has proposed a new policy to include students' performance from Classes 9 to 11 in their Class 12 report cards. comprehensive assessment of students' academic progress and reducing the undue pressure of final-year examinations.

Key Points:

- 9-11 performance aims to provide a more complete picture of a student's academic journey, reflecting consistent performance over multiple years rather than just the final
- Reduction of Exam Pressure: By spreading evaluation across several years, the proposal article on the Indian Express website. seeks to alleviate the intense pressure

associated with Class 12 board exams.

- Encouraging Continuous Learning: This approach encourages students to maintain This proposal is aimed at creating a more consistent performance throughout their school years rather than focusing solely on final-year results.
- Admission Processes: The proposal is expected to benefit higher education • Holistic Assessment: The inclusion of Class institutions by offering a more rounded view of students' abilities and achievements.

The proposal is part of broader educational reforms aimed at improving the quality and fairness of student assessments and reducing the high-stakes nature of final exams. For further details, you can refer to the original

Govt Proposal: Class 9-11 Performance to Be Included in Heatwave Prompts Suspension of Primary Classes in Kashmir

-VidvarthiMitra News Desk

The Kashmir divisional administration has announced the suspension of classes for primary-level students in both government and private schools on July 29 and 30, 2024, due to a persistent heatwave. The order, issued by Divisional Commissioner Kashmir V K Bidhuri, specifies that while students will be given a break, teaching and non-teaching staff are still required to report for duty.

- · Class Suspension: Primary-level students in government and private schools will have no classes on July 29 and 30 due to the ongoing
- Staff Attendance: Teaching and non-teaching staff must continue their duties despite the suspension of classes for students.
- Heatwave

Impact: Residents in South Kashmir, particularly in Anantnag, are seeking relief from the intense summer heat by visiting local ponds and canals. These natural retreats offer a welcome respite from the high temperatures.

• Local Perspectives: Residents have noted that the heat has been particularly harsh this year, with temperatures reaching around 33°C. Many are concerned about the effects of global warming and suggest that additional summer breaks could be beneficial.

The decision aims to ensure student safety and comfort during the extreme heat conditions. For further updates and details, refer to the official communications from the Kashmir divisional administration.

UN Report: Majority of School Students Lack Access to Adequate Physical Education -VidyarthiMitra News Desk

A recent report by UNESCO, titled "Global State of Play," reveals that the majority of the world's school children do not have access to the minimum required physical education. This first-ever Global Status Report on Quality Physical Education highlights significant disparities in the provision of physical

education across countries. The report shows that only 58% of countries have made physical education mandatory for girls, and just 7% of schools worldwide offer equal physical education time for boys and girls. Additionally, two-thirds of secondary school students and over half of primary school students

globally do not receive the minimum weekly physical education.

An expert involved in the report informed PTI that less than half of primary school teachers have received specialized training in physical education. Funding disparities are also evident, with two-thirds of countries allocating less than 2% of their education budget to physical education, while only 10% of countries dedicate more than 7%.

The report underscores the importance of Physical Education (PE) for supporting learning and promoting holistic student development. However, opportunities for professional development in PE are limited, UNESCO developed

only 33% of countries offering in-service training and continuous professional development to PE teachers every five years, far from the recommended annual frequency. The report also highlights the issue of inclusion, noting that while 58% of countries report policies for mainstreaming girls and students with disabilities in physical education, significant regional disparities persist. There is a notable gap between policy and practice, as evidenced by the fact that while 54.5% of countries claim to have policies for equal PE time for boys and girls, only 7.1% of schools actually implement this.

the concept of Quality Physical Education (QPE) to differentiate it from traditional PE, emphasizing factors such as frequency, inclusivity, and value content. The report stresses the need for ongoing professional development for teachers to ensure that PE is inclusive and meets diverse student needs.

UNESCO calls for increased investment in education, recommending physical improvements in teacher infrastructure, and curriculum development. The report provides ten indicators for assessing the quality of physical education and identifying areas for improvement at local and national levels.



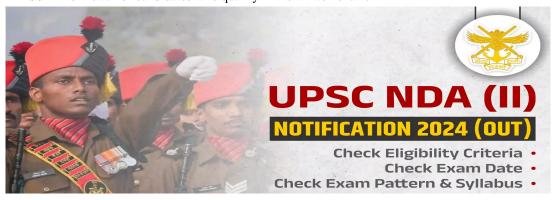


NDA Exam Date 2024

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) will release the NDA 2 admit card for 2024 in mid-August. The NDA 2 exam is scheduled for September 1, 2024, and will be conducted in two shifts. Key Details about NDA 2 2024 Exam

- Application Form: Available on the UPSC website for candidates to fill out and submit.
- Admit Card Release: Mid-August 2024
- Exam Date: September 1, 2024
- Result Declaration: Announced a few months post-exam.
- SSB Interview: For candidates who qualify in the written exam.



Pattern, Exam Marking Scheme and Question Distribution

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) specifies the NDA exam pattern in its notification. The NDA exam is conducted in a pen and paper-based format, with all questions being objectivetype. The written exam includes two papers: Mathematics and the General Ability Test (GAT), encompassing a total of 270 questions and 900 marks. Candidates must secure at least 25 percent in each paper. There is a penalty for incorrect answers, with negative marking applied.

Successful candidates from the written exam proceed to the SSB interview, which is conducted in two stages. The first stage includes Officer Intelligence Rating (OIR) tests and Picture Perception and Description Test (PP & DT), while the second stage involves psychological tests and a conference. The SSB interview also carries 900 marks. Candidates must meet the NDA cut-off marks set by UPSC for both the written exam and the SSB interview. This article provides comprehensive details such as the exam mode, total marks, exam duration, and types of questions.

Overview of NDA Written Exam

The NDA written examination comprises two papers:

- 1. Mathematics
- 2. General Ability Test (GAT)
- Mode of Exam: Offline (Pen and Paper)
- Type of Questions: Objective type (Multiple Choice Questions)
- Total Marks: 900
- Duration: Each paper is conducted for 2.5 hours, making the total exam duration 5 hours.

Paper-Wise Breakdown:

- 1. Mathematics:
 - Number of Questions: 120
 - Maximum Marks: 300
 - Duration: 2.5 hours
 - Negative Marking: 0.83 marks for each incorrect answer
- 2. General Ability Test (GAT):
 - Number of Questions: 150
 - Maximum Marks: 600 • Duration: 2.5 hours
 - Negative Marking: 1.33 marks for each incorrect answer
 - Subsections:
 - English: 200 marks
 - General Knowledge: 400 marks (Physics, Chemistry, General Science, History, Geography, Current Events)

SSB Interview Process

Candidates who qualify the written exam are called for the Services Selection Board (SSB) interview, which is conducted in two stages:

- - Officer Intelligence Rating (OIR) tests
 - Picture Perception and Description Test (PP&DT)
- 2. Stage II:
 - Psychological Tests: Thematic Apperception Test (TAT), Word Association Test (WAT), Situation Reaction Test (SRT), Self Description Test (SD)
 - Group Testing Officer Tasks: Group Discussion (GD), Group Planning Exercise (GPE), Progressive Group Task (PGT), Half Group Task (HGT), Individual Obstacles (IO), Command Task, Snake Race/Group Obstacle Race, Lectures, Final Group Task (FGT)
 - Personal Interview and Conference

The total marks for the SSB interview are 900, making the overall selection process out of 1800 marks.

Important Points

- Minimum Qualifying Marks: Candidates need to secure at least 25% marks in each paper to Preparation Tips
- Languages: The question papers are available in both English and Hindi, except for the English section of GAT.
- Cut-off Marks: UPSC prescribes the cut-off marks which candidates must achieve in both the written exam and the SSB interview to be considered for final selection.

Candidates can refer to detailed syllabus topics and preparation resources available on various educational platforms for comprehensive preparation.



NDA Exam Syllabus Overview

-VidyarthiMitra News Desk

The National Defence Academy (NDA) exam, conducted by the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC), assesses candidates in Mathematics and General Ability Test (GAT). Here's a detailed breakdown of the syllabus:

NDA Mathematics Syllabus

The NDA Mathematics syllabus includes a range of topics aimed at testing the candidate's proficiency and understanding of fundamental mathematical concepts:

- 1. Algebra:
 - Set theory, operations on sets, Venn diagrams.
 - Complex numbers, real numbers, quadratic equations.
 - Arithmetic, geometric, and harmonic progressions.
- Permutation and combination, binomial theorem, logarithms.
- 2. Calculus:
 - Functions, limits, continuity.
 - · Differentiation and integration.
 - Applications of derivatives in maxima and minima problems.
- 3. Matrices and Determinants:
 - Types and operations of matrices.
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- 5. Trigonometry:
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 - · Heights and distances, properties of triangles.
- 6. Vector Algebra:
 - Vectors, scalar and vector products.
 - Applications in geometry and physics.
- 7. Analytical Geometry of Two and Three Dimensions:
 - Cartesian coordinates, distance formula, equations of lines and circles.
 - Conic sections: parabola, ellipse, hyperbola.
 - Three-dimensional geometry: planes, lines, spheres.
- 8. Statistics and Probability:
 - · Probability theory, random experiments, Bayes' theorem.
 - Binomial distribution, random variables.

The distribution of questions in Mathematics:

- Calculus: 20-25 questions
- Quadratic Equations: 15-20 questions
- Matrices & Determinants: 30 questions
- Probability: 10 questions • Trigonometry: 30 questions
- Complex Numbers: 10-15 questions.
- NDA General Ability Test (GAT) Syllabus

The GAT comprises two sections: English and General Knowledge. English:

- Grammar, vocabulary, comprehension, and cohesion.
- Topic-wise questions: Spotting Errors, Comprehension, Selecting Words, Ordering Words in a Sentence, Sentence Improvement, Antonyms, Synonyms.

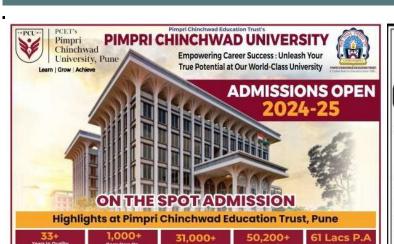
General Knowledge:

- · Physics: Properties of matter, heat, sound, light, electricity, magnetism, and basic electronics.
- Chemistry: States of matter, chemical reactions, properties of gases, acids, bases, salts, and common elements.
- General Science: Basic concepts of biology, human body, and living organisms.
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- Geography: Earth's physical features, climate, vegetation, natural resources, and important locations.
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- Mathematics: Focus on understanding the fundamental concepts and practicing a variety of problems. Use reference books like "Mathematics for NDA and NA" by RS Aggarwal.
- GAT: Keep updated with current events by reading newspapers and magazines. Enhance vocabulary and grammar skills through consistent practice. Refer to books like "Objective General English" by SP Bakshi and "Manorama Yearbook" for current affairs.







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Walk-in-Interviews will be conducted on 09th August 2024 for the temporary posts of Project Technica Support-III (Lab Technician) [2 No.], Project Nurse-II Research Nurse) [1 No.], Project Technical Support-III Field Investigator) [1 No.] & Project Technical Support-II (Field Worker) [1 No.] for our Model Rural Health Research Unit (MRHRU), Vani, Nashik, at **Model** Rural Health Research Unit (MRHRU) Vani, Rural Hospital Campus, Kasbe-Vani, Taluka Dindori, District Nashik, Maharashtra, 422215 (Contact Nos.: 022-24192121/ 02557-299792) Reporting Time: 10.00 am onwards to be filled up purely on contract basis. For detailed advertisement please visit our websites at www.icmr.nic.in & www.nirrch.res.in. Please note that, corrigendum / addendum / further information; if any; in respect of this advertisement, will be published on our websites only

Director

SOCIETY OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER PILAR'S FR. CONCEICAO RODRIGUES COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING(3184)

(A Christian Religious Minority College) (Autonomous College Affiliated to the University of Mumbai and Approved by AlCTE / Govt.)
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'We mould Engineers who build the Nation'

Bachelor of Technology Degree Courses against the Institute Level Seats (20% of the Sanctioned Intake) & vacancies arising after all he CAP Rounds conducted by State Common Entrance Test Cell in

S.No.	Course Name	Intake Capacity
1	B.Tech. Computer Engineering	180
2	B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering	60
3	B.Tech. Electronics & Computer Science	60
4	B.Tech. Mechanical Engineering	60

Eligibility: i) As prescribed by State Common Entrance Test Cell Govt. of Maharashtra ii) Registration & Document verification is mandatory from the Competent Authority

Admission will be on the basis of inter-se merit of candidates who nave applied to the institute in the prescribed form within the due date and on the basis of rules published in the Information Brochure by the State Common Entrance Test Cell, Govt. of Maharashtra for Admission to Undergraduate Technical Courses 2024-25.

Eligible candidates are required to fill and submit the online Application Form in our College Website www.fragnel.edu.in. from 29/7/2024 to 12/8/2024. Processing fee for accepting the application form is Rs.1,500/-

For further details of Schedule of Admission visit our Website / College Notice Board

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB DEPARTMENT OF EXCISE **AND TAXATION**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Invitation of applications for filling up the post of Chairman, VAT Tribunal, Punjab.

1.0 Applications are invited for the above post from the interested candidates.

2.0 Qualification Sub-Section 4 of Punjab VAT Act 2005 which

contains the qualification of this post reads as "The applicant shall either be a retired judge of the High Court or a retired or serving officer of the rank of Chief Secretary to the State

Government or Secretary to Government of

India". The Chairman of the Tribunal shall hold office for a term of two years from the date he assumes charge of his office and he shall not be eligible

for re-appointment. No person shall be appointed or continue as Chairman of the Tribunal, if he has attained the

age of sixty seven years. The applications (5 sets) duly completed in all respects should reach in the office of Under Secretary, Government of Punjab, Department of Excise and Taxation, $2^{\rm nd}$ Floor, Punjab Civil Secretariat, Sector-1, Chandigarh on or before 19.08.2024 (Till 5.00 PM).

The terms and conditions will be applicable as per the Punjab Value Added Tax Act, 2005 and amendments if any.

Note: Those who had responded to the earlier advertisements inviting applications shall need to apply afresh.

VIKAS PRATAP, Additional Chief Secretary-cum-Financial Commissioner Taxation

Punjab, Chandigarh. DPR PB :2040/12/5/2023/36093



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Sincerely, Mr. Ravindra Kamtam Editor-in-Chief epaper.VidyarthiMitra.org

Riddles

- 1. In me, scholars gather to broaden their mind, With knowledge and wisdom, they hope to find. I have many books and many a chair, A place for thought and silent prayer.
- 2. I come in many forms, with numbers and lines, Equations and theorems, solutions you find. In algebra or geometry, I play my part, What am I, that requires both brain and heart?
- 3. A place where experiments are done with care, With beakers and Bunsen burners everywhere. Discoveries are made, hypotheses tested, In what place are knowledge and science invested?
- 4. I stand at the front, with a board and a desk, Imparting wisdom on every subject and test. Students listen, taking notes with their pen, Who am I, guiding future women and men?
- 5. My chapters are many, filled with information, I serve as a tool for education.

With pages to turn and lessons to learn, What am I, that students often yearn?

6. I am a culmination of years of hard work

A ceremony where graduates and families lurk

Caps and gowns, diplomas in hand, What event marks this celebratory stand?

7. You write me with diligence, your knowledge to show,

Through essays and answers, your intellect will grow.

Evaluated by teachers, I reflect your grade,

What am I, this academic parade?

8. I'm an institution where futures are made,

With majors and minors, students are swayed.

From undergraduate to doctoral degree, What am I, where learning is key?

Answers: I. Library, 2. Mathematics, 3. Laboratory, 4. Teacher, 5. Textbook, 6. Graduation, 7. Exam 8. University

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Best Regards, Mr. Ravindra Kamtam Editor-in-Chief epaper.VidyarthiMitra.org

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