

**Important instructions to the candidates appearing for the  
Ph.D. Common Entrance Test (CET) / Interview**

**I. For University Departments:**

Date	: 10.00 am to 11.30 am; 03/12/2022, Saturday
CET Venue	: Faculty of Engineering & Technology (FEAT), Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar
Interview Date	: 03/12/2022, Saturday, Concerned Departments

- The Common Entrance Test (CET) for applicants for admission to all Ph.D. programmes will be held on Saturday, 03/12/2022
- **Candidates will not be allowed to attend the Entrance test / Interview without valid Hall Ticket**
- Entrance test will be of MCQ type (Multiple Choice Questions) at Post-Graduate level comprising of 70 MCQs
- It will consist of 50 Questions related to Respective Subject and 20 Questions related to Research Methodology, General Knowledge, Aptitude and Reasoning
- The duration of the test is 90 minutes with a total of 70 marks. There is no negative markings
- After completing the examination, the candidates have to immediately attend the interview for 30 marks which will be held in the respective departments.
- Candidates with M.Phil. Degree from an approved University and UGC-JRF/ NET / SLET / SET / GATE / CSIR / ICHR / ICPR / ICSSR qualified candidates and teacher fellowship holders are exempted from the entrance test but they have to appear directly for the interview. **The interview for them will start from 10.00 am in the concerned departments.**
- The candidates who secure 50% marks in entrance test and interview put together are eligible for admission.
- A relaxation of 5% marks (from 50% to 45%) shall be allowed for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy layer)/Differently abled category.
- All the original certificates are to be produced for verification at the time of Interview.
- Two sets of photo copies of the all the certificates are to be handed over to the Head of the Department concerned during interview
- Admission will not be granted to candidates who do not fulfill the prescribed qualification as given in the University Ph.D. regulation
- Grant of admission to selected candidates is subject to the final decision of the University

**Candidates can download the Hall Ticket for the Entrance Test three days prior to the test date**

## II. For Affiliated Colleges:

Date	: 10.00 am to 11.30 am; 03/12/2022, Saturday
CET Venue	: Faculty of Engineering & Technology (FEAT), Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar
Interview Date	: Will be intimated by the affiliated colleges concerned
Interview Venue	: Respective affiliated colleges

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- Entrance test will be of MCQ type (Multiple Choice Questions) at Post-Graduate level comprising of 70 MCQs
- It will consist of 50 Questions related to Respective Subject and 20 Questions related to Research Methodology, General Knowledge, Aptitude and Reasoning
- The duration of the test is 90 minutes with a total of 70 marks. There is no negative markings
- The candidates have to attend the interview in the respective affiliated colleges on a different date. The college will communicate the date and time of the interview to the candidates.
- **Candidates with M.Phil. Degree from an approved University and UGC-JRF/ NET / SLET / SET / GATE / CSIR / ICHR / ICPR / ICSSR qualified candidates and teacher fellowship holders are exempted from the Entrance test to be held in the University. They are instructed to attend the interview to be held at the respective colleges on the date intimated by the affiliated colleges.**
- The candidates who secure 50% marks in entrance test and interview put together are eligible for admission.
- A relaxation of 5% marks (from 50% to 45%) shall be allowed for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy layer)/Differently abled category.
- All the original certificates are to be produced at the time of verification at the time of Interview.
- Two sets of photo copies of the all certificates are to be handed over to the concerned Head of the Department.
- Admission will not be granted to candidates who do not fulfill the prescribed qualification as given in the University Ph.D. regulation
- Grant of admission to selected candidates is subject to the final decision of the University.

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