

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))

Prospectus 2021

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.

*[9th May, 1951]

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

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

***[21st May, 1984]

* This Act came into force on the 14th 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 3rd day of November, 1971 in the form of an Ordinance as Published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary Part-II–Section 1, dated November 3, 1971.

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

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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 of world peace 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 Shantam, 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.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION & DATES

PARTICULARS	INFORMATION
Availability of forms (Online)	6th August, 2021
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Last date of submission of forms (Online)	26th August 2021 (Time 11:59 PM)
Details of Admission Test (Online/ Offline) (wherever applicable)	visvabharatiadmission. samarth.edu.in
Date & Time etc. to be announced in the University Admission Portal:	& www.visvabharati.ac.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 Nature, where Rabindranath founded a school for children at Santiniketan and it was around 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 a library. Rabindranath's school Brahmacharyasrama which started functioning formally from December 22, 1901 with no more than 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 performative 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 to numerous visits all over the world and came closely to know a large part of the world and its people. By 1917 the range of his experience and the restlessness of his exploration led to his own self-clarification regarding the idea of a centre of Indian culture at Santiniketan. The centre, as conceived by him, was to provide "for the coordinated study of the different cultures". As "music and the fine arts are among the highest means of national self-expression ... in the proposed centre of our culture, music and art must have prominent seats of honour". This centre should not only be a centre of the intellectual life of India but the centre of the 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 the 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 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 distinct projects of studies was founded. Kala-Bhavana, which was originally the institute for both Fine Arts and Music, came into existence in 1919 but in 1933

it branched off into two independent institutions, Kala-Bhavana and Sangit-Bhavana, each with 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.

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 in 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 a 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 and Social Sciences and Siksha-Bhavana, that 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 7th 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 as 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.

VISVA-BHARATI

Paridarsaka (Visitor):	Shri Ram Nath Kovind, Hon'ble President of India
Acharya (Chancellor):	Shri Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister of India
Pradhana (Rector):	Shri. Jagdeep Dhankhar Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal

Upacharya (Vice-Chancellor):	Professor Bidyut Chakrabarty
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Online Application Portal: visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

OTHER INFORMATION & FACILITIES

LOCATION

Visva-Bharati is ensconced in a rural setting in the district of Birbhum, about 160 kms by road from Kolkata. The nearest railway station is Bolpur-Santiniketan on the Eastern Railways and Nearby air-terminal are Kazi Nazrul Islam Airport, Durgapur & Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Airport, 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 3 kms, from Santiniketan. The institutional buildings 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 has been equipped with fully furnished 44 standard AC Rooms, 21 Non AC Rooms and 03 Suites. All the rooms have attached bathrooms with amenities.

Particulars about charges and other information may be obtained from the University Website. For further details, kindly e-mail at : guest_booking@gmail.com.

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 are 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, Hostel and 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 7 am to 8 pm (Saturday & Sunday closed) and it is likely to be operational round-the-clock shortly.

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 Dwijabiram.

SPORTS BOARD

Sports have great importance in Education. Visva-Bharati has gradually developed sports infrastructure in six nodal areas of sports by organizing inter class competitions, inter department, inter Bhavana and inter university championships and 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 Programme Officer whose activities are coordinated by a coordinator.

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-up which are not available in the University hospital.

STUDENTS' INFORMATION CENTRE

The centre displays information of different courses of studies as well as job related information from time to time.

TRANSPORT

The University offers limited transport facility to its students and employees within the campus. The university bus runs between the two campuses every 40 minutes till 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 Santiniketan post office also has a passport information centre.

BANK

The State Bank of India operates a Branch with all services including ATM within the University campus. the State Bank of India has also one branch with e-corner services at Sriniketan. The Axis Bank also has an ATM in Chatak building; other National Banks facilities are also available in Santiniketan/Bolpur.

LIBRARY

The University has a well-equipped Central Library including 12 Sectional Libraries and 30 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 has also many important collections like Abanindranath Tagore, Prabodh Chandra Bagchi, Pramatha Choudhuri, Humayun Kabir, Sati Kumar Chattopadhyay, Lila Ray, Ashok Rudra, and Bangladesh Collections.

The libraries in the system are connected with the campus-wide MHRD WiFi. Cloud-based Library Management Software LibSys-10 (Unicode web compliant) is being used for automating library activities and services. The Central Library and most of the Sectional Libraries are wi-fi enabled.

RESOURCES

Print books: nearly 8.63 lakhs; E-books (full text): 1,21,969; Digitized full-text Books: 29,689; Theses digital (full text): 2,830 (including 988 uploaded in Indian Electronic Theses and Dissertation database namely 'Shodhganga'; CD-ROMs: 620+; Online Data Bases: 15; Newspapers & Magazines: 70; Print Journals: 146 (List may be accessed through the website, Link- http://visva-bharati-library.in/images/pdf/Current_Journals-2021.pdf); Online Journals: 7,032 (from e-Shodh Sindhu, link- <http://visva-bharati-library.in/index.php/resources/journals/online-journals/subject-wise>).

LIBRARY WEBSITE

The website of Visva-Bharati Library Network can be accessed at <http://visva-bharati-library.in/> 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, Syllabuses, Annual Reports, e-Newsletter can be accessed through the digital library (<https://vbudspace.lsdisccovery.in/xmlui>), To search/discover required resources from all resources with a single search through LSDiscovery with OPAC at <https://vbu.lsdisccovery.in/home/dashboard>.

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.lsdisccovery.in/home/dashboard>

Plagiarism Detection – The level of plagiarism may be checked through URKUND plagiarism detection software. Link - <http://visva-bharati-library.in/index.php/services/urkund-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://vbudspace.lsdisccovery.in/xmlui/handle/123456789/156>

Inter Library Loan facility: from the reputed libraries in Indian universities. Link - <http://visva-bharati-library.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.

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 cut out for varied groups, Special Sessions, Workshop /Training/ Demonstration for stakeholders etc. are some other services rendered by the Library Network.

Visva-Bharati Library is also using Social Network to reach unreachable through YouTube Channel (https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfv9MHVyWy0bOg_rcOFaHpw), 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 except few days.

VBLN is an institutional member of the DELNET, INFLIBNET, American Library Kolkata, and IASLIC (Library Association).

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).

How to apply: for details please visit www.visvabharati-hostel.com

Please see the detailed HOSTEL MANUAL on the Visva-Bharati Hostel website.

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 3 years; one year extension can be availed only once, subject to ratification.
- The monthly rent of the seats will be 10% of the monthly fellowship/HRA received by the JRF/ SRF/RET qualified candidates.

SOME SALIENT POINTS TO BE KEPT IN MIND DURING STAY IN HOSTELS

- The residents should be back to their respective hostels latest by 9.00 p.m. (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. Proctors / Wardens /any other authorized university official can visit any hostel or individual rooms without informing any boarder/warden to carry out surprise checks in the hostel.

EVICTON 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 meeting or staying out of hostel without prior permission of the authority.

MESS FACILITIES

There are mess facilities in hostels of the university

JOINING THE MESS IS COMPULSORY.

The following schemes of meal are offered:

Scheme A: Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner

Scheme B: Lunch and Dinner

Scheme C: Breakfast and Dinner

*Above schemes may change subject to the recommendations by Hostel Management Committee (HMC)

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 two general canteens in the campus.

Please visit the Visva-Bharati Hostel Website www.visvabharati-hostel.com for more details.

HEALTH CARE

Free medical treatment is provided to all students (both residential and day scholar) 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. 230/- 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
Mediclaime: Sum Insured of each student – Rs. 50,000/- (Yearly Basis)
- Section – II
Personal Accident cover to students : On the event of happening of Personal Accident of the student resulting into 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 happening of Personal Accident of the Parent or Legal Guardian resulting into 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 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 standards 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 class rooms/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.

RULES OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

1. All students are to attend the congregational service at the Mandir on Wednesday morning.
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. Resident students must take care to keep their respective rooms clean and tidy.
5. 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 charged for any willful damage of university property.. Use of unauthorized fans, heaters, electric stoves etc. is forbidden.
6. 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.

7. Students returning to the hostels beyond the last retiring bell must sign the gate-book with the Supdt./Warden/Paridarsika and must answer satisfactorily all queries by the Adhyaksha/Proctor/Warden/Paridarsika.
8. No outsider or day-scholar or resident of a different hostel will be allowed to visit the boarders of a dormitory outside specified hours to be notified by the Adhyaksha/Proctor/Warden/Paridarsika. In particular, no male student is allowed to remain within the premises of girls' hostels after the evening Upasana.
9. 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.
10. Students desirous of leaving station will be required to apply for leave in the prescribed form. All leave applications are to be submitted through the Warden/ Paridarsika to the Adhyaksha. No student will leave station before the leave prayed for is granted in writing.
11. Students are required 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 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, Sunday and notified University holidays visiting hours at the girls hostels will be observed from 8-30 a.m. to 10-00 a.m. and from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
(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 the hostels outside the hours as indicated above.
5. The female students will take permission of the Paridarsika while going out of the campus of the University and must obtain leave in writing before they go out of station.
6. Only such persons as have been approved of 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 any time. Visitors are not allowed to visit Girls' Hostels ordinarily after 8 p.m.
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 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 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.

ID ALLOTMENT

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

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

Example 1

Bhasha Bhavana- 01, BA-11, Chinese-101, Year of Admission-21, Sl No. 01 : **ID-01111012101**

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

Example 2

Siksha Bhavana-03, B.Sc.-31, Chemistry-301, Year of Admission-21, Sl No.-01: **ID-03313012101**

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

UNIVERSITY FEES STRUCTURE

UNDER GRADUATE / DIPLOMA / CERTIFICATE COURSES FEE STRUCTURE

Sl No	Fees Head	Humanities Stream				Science Stream				Social Science Stream				Teacher Education			
		(Arts/Fine Arts/ Music/Education)				(Science/ Agriculture)				(Social Work)				Physical Education (B.Ed)			
		1 st year		2 nd , 3 rd & 4 th year		1 st year		2 nd , 3 rd & 4 th year		1 st year		2 nd , 3 rd & 4 th year		1 st year		2 nd 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	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	840		840		840		840		840		840		1200		840	
2	Admission Fee	2000	2000	2000	4000	2000	4000	2000	4000	4000		4000		4000		6000	
3	Registration/ Renewal of registration	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	Sports Fee	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
9	Students Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	50	50
10	Medical Fee	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	120	120
11	Students Aid Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	100	100
12	Development Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	50	50
13	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	100	100
14	Field Work Fee									500	500	500	500				
15	Co-Curricular Fee													250	250	250	250
16	Games Fee													500	500		
17	Practice Teaching Fee															600	600
18	Caution Money (refundable)	500		500	500	500	500			500	500			500	500		
19	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300		300	300	300	300			300	300			300	300		
20	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)			200	200	200	200										
21	Residence Fee #																
22	Medical Insurance Fee***	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
Grand Total		6030	5190	2080	8730	8730	5890	7890	2580	1740	8530	7690	2580	1740	9020	3070	8770
																2460	1620

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POST GRADUATE COURSES FEE STRUCTURE

Sl No	Fees Head	Humanities Stream (except I&MC) (Arts/Fine Arts/ Music)				Science Stream (except Biotechnology) (Science/ Agriculture)								Social Science Stream (Social Work)				Teacher Education (M.P.Ed)				M.Ed Course					
		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd 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	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	Gen. OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen. OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen. OBC & EWS	
1	Tuition Fee	1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		1200		6000		6000			
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			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			200	200			200	200		
6	Examination Fee***																										
7	Marksheet Fee***																										
8	Sports fee	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		
10	Medical Fee	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240			240	240			240	240			240	240			240	240		
11	Student's Aid Fee	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		
13	Cultural Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200			200	200			200	200			200	200			200	200		
14	Field Work Fee															500	500										
15	Co-Curricular Fee															250	250			250	250			250	250		
16	Games Fee															500	500			500	500			60	60		
17	Practice Teaching Fee																										
18	Course Fee (for two semesters)																										
19	Caution Money (refundable)	500				500	500	500	500			500	500			500	500			500	500						
20	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300				300	300	300	300			300	300			300	300			300	300						
21	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200	200	200																		
22	Residence Fee #																										
23	Medical Insurance Fee***	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230			230	230			230	230			230	230			230	230		
Grand Total		7560	6360	2560	1360	8510	11510	7310	10310	3310	2110	11060	9860	3060	1860	10870	9670	3070	1870	13390	13390	6190	6190	6190	6190	6190	6190

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

POST GRADUATE COURSES FEE STRUCTURE

Sl No	Fees Head	Humanities Stream (Journalism & Mass Communication)				Science Stream (Integrated Science)			
		1 st year		2 nd year		1 st year		2 nd 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	Marksheet 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	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240
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	Games Fee								
17	Practice Teaching Fee								
18	Course Fee (for two semesters)	8000	8000	8000	8000				
19	Caution Money (refundable)	500	500			500	500		
20	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300			300	300		
21	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)					200	200		
22	Residence Fee #								
23	Medical Insurance Fee***	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
Grand Total		26240	21240	19240	14240	8540	7040	3340	1840

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PH.D COURSES FEE STRUCTURE

S/No	Fees Head	Ph. D Course (Humanities/ Social Science)					Ph. D Course (Science/Agriculture)						
		(Sangit/Fine Arts)											
		1 st year					1 st year						
		Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	2 nd year - 6 th year	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD	2 nd year - 6 th year	Gen, OBC & EWS	SC, ST & PWD
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	750
5	Library Admission Fee	500	500				500	500	500	500			
6	Examination Fee****												
7	Marksheet Fee****												
8	Sports Fee	120	120	120	120		120	120	120	120	120	120	120
9	Student's Amenities Fee	150	150	150	150		150	150	150	150	150	150	150
10	Medical Fee	240	240	240	240		240	240	240	240	240	240	240
11	Student's Aid Fee	150	150	150	150		150	150	150	150	150	150	150
12	Development Fee	100	100	100	100		100	100	100	100	100	100	100
13	Cultural Fee	150	150	150	150		150	150	150	150	150	150	150
14	Field Work Fee												
15	Co-Curricular Fee												
16	Games Fee												
17	Practice Teaching Fee												
18	Caution Money (refundable)	1000	1000				1000	1000	1000	1000			
19	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	300	300				300	300	300	300			
20	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)						200	200	200	200			
21	Internet Fees	1000	1000				1000	1000	1000	1000			
22	Course Work Fees	1100	1100				1100	1100	1100	1100			
23	Residence Fee #												
24	Medical Insurance Fee ***	230	230	230	230		230	230	230	230	230	230	230
	Grand Total	15040	15040	1140	1140		15990	17990	15990	17990		1890	1890

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**** Examination (Rs.1000) & Marksheet (Rs.400) Fee will be paid at the time of Examination form Fill-up as and when notified by the Examination Section.

SCHOOL FEE STRUCTURE

Sl NO	Fees Head	Humanities Stream						Science Stream					
		Indian Students			SAARC Students			Indian Students			SAARC Students		
		IX/XI/XII/Nil	Upto Class VIII		IX/XI/XII/Nil	Upto Class VIII		IX/XI/XII/Nil	Upto Class VIII		IX/XI/XII/Nil	Upto Class VIII	
			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	600			1200	1200	3000	600			1200	1200	3000
2	Admission Fee	1000			3000	3000	5000	1000			2000	2000	5000
3	Registration/Renewal of registration	250			500	500	1250	250			500	500	1250
4	Laboratory Fee												
5	Library Admission Fee	25	25		50	50	125	25	25		50	50	125
6	Examination Fee ****												
7	Marksheet Fee ****												
8	Sports Fee	120	120		240	240	600	120	120		240	240	600
9	Student's Amenities Fee	50	50		100	100	250	50	50		100	100	250
10	Medical Fee	120	120		240	240	600	120	120		240	240	600
11	Student's Aid Fee	50	50		100	100	250	50	50		100	100	250
12	Development Fee	50	50		100	100	250	50	50		100	100	250
13	Cultural Fee	50	50		100	100	250	50	50		100	100	250
14	Magazine Fee	70	70	70	140	140	350	70	70	70	140	140	350
15	Dinalipi (School Diary)	25	25	25	50	50	125	25	25	25	50	50	125
16	News Letter	25	25	25	50	50	125	25	25	25	50	50	125
17	Ashram Sammilani	30	30	30	60	60	150	30	30	30	60	60	150
18	Course Fee (for two semesters)												
19	Caution Money (refundable)	100	100		200	200	500	100	100		200	200	500
20	Library Caution Deposit (refundable)	100	100		200	200	500	100	100		200	200	500
21	Laboratory Caution Deposit (refundable)							100	100		200	200	500
22	Residence Fee #	900	0	900	0	1800	4500	900	0	900	0	1800	4500
23	Medical Insurance Fee***	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
Grand Total		3795	2295	1280	8360	8360	18055	3895	2395	1280	7560	7560	18555

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LIST OF BHAVANAS/VIBHAGA (INSTITUTES) WITH THE COURSES OFFERED AND CODE OF BHAVANAS/VIBHAGA AND THE COURSES

Bhavana/Vibhaga	Bhavana/ Vibhaga Code	Course	Course Code No.
Bhasha-Bhavana (Institute of Languages, Literature & Culture)	01	B.A. (Honours) M.A. Diploma Advanced Diploma Certificate One Yr. Course for Foreign Students Ph.D.	11 12 14 15 16 17 18
Vidya-Bhavana (Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences)	02	B.A. (Honours) M.A. One Yr. Course for Foreign Students Ph.D.	21 22 27 28
Siksha-Bhavana (Institute of Science)	03	B.Sc. (Honours) M.Sc. (Inclu. Five-Year Integrated M.Sc.) Ph.D.	31 32 33
Sangit-Bhavana (Institute of Music, Dance & Drama)	04	B.P.A. (Honours) M.P.A. Certificate One Yr. Course for Foreign Students Ph.D. Short Term Course in Esraj	41 42 43 45 46 47
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APPLICATION GUIDELINES TO UG, PG, CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA & ADVANCED DIPLOMA COURSES, 2021

For the academic session 2021-2022, Visva-Bharati will admit students for various courses.

1. MODALITIES FOR ADMISSION ARE SPECIFIED IN THE RELEVANT SECTION IN EACH BHAVANA.
2. Students must apply through ONLINE:
visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in
3. The modalilites of (online/offline) Admission Test (whereever applicable) for the different departments will be informed from time to time on Admission Portal.
4. **The qualifying marks of Admission Test shall be 30 out of 100 for General & EWS candidates and 27 out of 100 for OBC candidates (wherever applicable). There shall be no qualifying marks in case of SC& ST candidates.**
5. Incomplete applications are liable to be summarily rejected.
6. Where no dates for admission tests are mentioned, notifications for dates will be given in the University website/Bhavana notice board/University Admission Portal.
7. **Applicants must produce their original final mark sheets of previous public examinations and other relevant documents along with self-attested photo-copies at the time of admission to various courses failing which his/her candidature will not be considered for admission. In case of provisional online admission, the original documents 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.**
8. **In case of grading system in 10+2 result, the applicants must obtain the percentage of marks for their grades mentioned in the marksheets otherwise the minimum marks in the range against the grade will be considered for the calculation.**
9. Candidates coming from other Universities/Institutions must submit Migration Certificates from their respective Universities/Institutions within 3 (Three) months from the date of their admission to this University as per rules; otherwise their admissions 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 2021-2022 from the University Admission Portal /offices of the respective Institute.
11. i) Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations **during the last 3 years (including the current year)** will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelors / Masters Degree courses.
- ii) Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examinations **during the last ten years (including the current year)** will only be considered while seeking admission to Bachelors / Masters Degree and other courses of **Kala-Bhavana**. Foreign students, however, are exempted.
- iii) Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examination **during the last 3 years (including the current year)** will be considered while seeking admission to Bachelors /Master Degree and other courses of **Sangit Bhavana**. Foreign Students however, are exempted.
- iv) Applicants who have passed the qualifying public examination during 2020 & 2021 will be considered while seeking admission to BSW and MSW Courses of **Department of Social Work**.
- v) 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 and Masters Degree programme of **Silpa-Sadana**.
12. All under graduate students will be required to study Compulsory Foundation Courses in Tagore Studies and Environmental Studies.
13. Choice based credit system is offered by Visva-Bharati and students may opt for a range of allied subjects across the Bhavanas subject to the fulfillment of departmental criteria.
14. There are two seats under supernumerary quota are reserved 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.
15. Total intake capacity printed in the Prospectus for each course includes the external and integrated candidates of Visva-Bharati.
16. **The candidates must bring medical fitness certificate from any hospital or doctor with registration number at the time of admission. In case of provisional online admission, the fitness certificate to be submitted during the new normal.**

17. The Medical Insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required to pay medical insurance fee.
18. **It is mandatory for all admitted students to be present in the class (online/ offline) for first seven working days from the commencement of class. Otherwise, his/her admission is liable to be cancelled.**
19. **15% of intake capacity at the University level will be made available for international students/foreign students which will be calculated as supernumerary seats. 5% of seats out of the 15% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South East Asia.**
20. Applicants are advised to visit Admission Portal: **visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in** for any updates (inclusion/omission) at regular intervals.
21. **Candidates must be very careful during entry of the marks obtained in the last qualifying examinations on the basis of which merit list will be prepared. No claim shall be entertained subsequently for data entry mistakes committed by the applicant at the time of online application.**
22. **Merit list for admission to various undergraduate courses will be made based on the results of 10+2 or equivalent examination.**
 - i. Merit list will be prepared on the basis of aggregate marks of best four subjects (in terms of marks obtained) along with the marks obtained in the subject in which the candidate is willing to take honours. Calculation will be made on total marks obtained out of 500 (four best subjects : 4x100 plus marks obtained in the subject in which the candidate is willing to take honours i.e. 100) .
 - ii. Some honours subjects offered at Undergraduate level at Visva-Bharati are not offered at 10+2 level by any Board/Institution. The following table shows the marks of the subject which will be considered for preparation of merit list in addition to the best four subjects (in terms of marks obtained) to make it total 500.

Hons. Subjects offered	Marks of the subject which is considered for calculation of aggregate out of 500	Hons.Subjects offered	Marks of the subject which is considered for calculation of aggregate out of 500
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
		B.A./B. Sc. Physical Education	Best of any subject
AIHC&A	Best of History, English, Social Science, Science, Philosophy & Classical Languages.	Japanese (Hons)	Japanese
		B.Des.	English
Bengali	Bengali	Japanese (Prep)	English
Botany	Biology/Biological Science/ Life Science	Mathematics (B.Sc.)	Mathematics
Chemistry	Chemistry	Persian (Prep)	English
Chinese (Prep. followed by Hons)	English	Philosophy	Best of any Subject
Comparative Religion	Best of any Subject	Physics	Physics
Computer Science	Mathematics	Rural Studies	Best of concerned subjects (Subjects name are mentioned at Pg. 79)
Economics	Best of Economics/ Mathematics/Business Economics including Business Mathematics	Sanskrit	Sanskrit
		Odia	Odia
English	English	Santali	Best of any Indian Languages
European Studies	English	Social Work	Best of any subject except vocational subjects.
Geography	Geography	Statistics	Best out of Statistics/ Mathematics
Hindi	Hindi	Yoga (B.Sc.)	Best of any Subject
History	History/English (If history not available)	Zoology	Biological Science/Life Science
Indo-Tibetan (Hons)	Indo-Tibetan	All subjects of BFA (Hons.) Kala Bhavana	Best of any subject
Indo-Tibetan (Prep)	English	Any other subjects not specified above	Best of any subject

Example

Sample 1:

Marks obtained: English-90, Bengali-80, Physics-95, Chemistry-92, Mathematics-98, Biology-90. Best four will be: Mathematics-98, Physics-95, Chemistry-92, Biology/English-90 = 375 out of 400. A candidate willing to take honours in Physics: Marks out of 500 will be: $375 + \text{Physics} - 95 = 470$. A candidate willing to take honours in Botany/Zoology: Marks out of 500 will be: $375 + \text{Biology-90} = 465$. A candidate willing to take honours in Bengali: Marks out of 500 will be: $375 + \text{Bengali-80} = 455$. A candidate willing to take honours in Agriculture: Marks out of 500 will be: $375 + \text{Biology(Life Science)} - 90 = 465$. A candidate willing to take admission in Chinese (Prep. followed by Hons.): Marks out of 500 will be: $375 + \text{English-90} = 465$

Sample 2:

Marks obtained: English-90, Bengali-80, Philosophy-70, History-85, Geography-90, Statistics-75. Best four will be: Geography-90, English-90, History-85, Bengali-80 = 345 out of 400. A candidate willing to take honours in Philosophy: Marks out of 500 will be: $345 + \text{Geo./Eng.-90} = 435$. A candidate willing to take honours in History: Marks out of 500 will be: $345 + \text{History-85} = 430$. A candidate willing to take honours in Rural Studies: Marks out of 500 will be: $345 + \text{Geo.-90} = 435$.

- d) If two or more applicants rank the same in the merit list, preference will be given in the following order:
- i) The candidate securing higher marks in the relevant subject (in which the candidates are willing to take honours as per above table) in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board / Council/ University / Institute.
 - ii) The candidate securing higher aggregate marks at 10+2 level in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board / Council/ University / Institute. For calculation of aggregate marks secured by a candidate whose statement of marks does not show the aggregate, marks obtained by the candidates in all the subjects offered and as shown in the mark sheet will be considered.
 - iii) The candidate securing higher marks in English in the previous public examination conducted by a recognized Board / Council/ University / Institute.
 - iv) The candidate senior by date of birth.

23. Total intake capacity in case of Post Graduate courses includes integrated students. At least 6 seats in each subject in case of Postgraduate course shall be filled up through admission tests. However, all seats in Postgraduate in

Environmental Science and M.Sc.(Ag.) courses in Agriculture shall be filled up through admission test.

24. Generic elective courses under choice based credit system(CBCS):

Undergraduate students can opt for Generic Elective Courses (Sem I - Sem IV) under CBCS curricula after confirmation of Admission.

25. Admit cards for Admission Tests of Post Graduate courses (wherever applicable) to be collected from the respective departments.

Applicants will have to report at least one and a half hours before the commencement of admission tests. **In case of online Admission Test, Modalities will be announced on Visva-Bharati Admission portal in due course of time.**

26. However, for some undergraduate courses of Sangit Bhavana, Kala Bhavana, Palli Samgathana Vibhaga and Vinaya Bhavana separate admission tests (online/offline) will be conducted. Details of modalities will be published in the University admission portal.

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

28. 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, 15% seats for SC candidates, 7.5% seats for ST, 27% seats for OBC candidates and EWS 10%.
- iii. **Economically Weaker Sections (EWS)**

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

- a. 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 EWSs for benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year (2020-21) 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 notified municipalities;
 - Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- b. The property held by a “Family” in different location or different places/ cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
 - c. The term “Family” for the purpose will include the person who seeks benefits of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

Income and Asset certificate issuing Authority and Verification of certificate:

- a. The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format only be accepted as proof of candidate’s claim as belonging to EWS:
 - District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate /Collector/ Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/1st Class Stipendary 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 inter-se merit list up to the point necessary to fulfill their reservation percentage and no restriction of percentage shall be applicable in this regard.
- v. Upper Age Relaxation:** 5 years for SC/ST/PWD (UR&EWS) candidates (10 years for SC/ST PWD and 8 years for OBC PWD candidates.) and 3 years for OBC candidates.

- vi. 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.
- 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 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/ 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. Variation of category wise intake break up arises within the same intake capacity due to adjustment of fraction for distribution of seat reservation as per GOI norms.

Differently Abled Persons (Divyangans)

(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 Orthopaedically 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 orthopaedically 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 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. 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%.

Outstanding Sports person

2 seats per Bhavana will be reserved for outstanding sports person.

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. 1st/2nd/3rd place holder in the above mentioned level of participation within the last three years only.

x. Reservation for staff-ward

As per the resolution of agenda number 10 of Executive council, Visva-Bharati meeting held on 10.06.2020:

- i) 2% (two percent) of the existing seats in every department in both the undergraduate and post-graduate 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 who is in service at the time of admission of the ward.

iii) The staff ward seeking admission must satisfy the minimum eligibility criteria for Visva-Bharati admission including any specific departmental criteria.

iv) The admission will be strictly in order of merit of the applicants under this quota.

***Integrated students will not be eligible for reservation under 'Staff-ward' category. Double benefit will not be entertained at any point of time.**

xi. Reservation for Integrated students

Up to a maximum of 50 % seats are reserved for integrated students (students studying in the two Visva-Bharati Schools) in all undergraduate courses except Sangit Bhavana, Kala Bhavana, Palli Siksha Bhavana (only 5 seats are reserved), Palli Samgathana Vibhaga (only 9 seats are reserved in BSW), Vinaya Bhavana (Physical Education Department, Yogic Art & Science Department). Un-filled integrated seats will automatically be converted to external vacancy.

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

29. Application fee

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

(Application fee for first subject is Rs.300/- for SC/ST/PWD candidates and Rs.1000/- for all other candidates. For each additional subject an additional application fee of Rs. 150/- for SC/ST/PWD candidates and Rs. 400/- for all other candidates is required)

30. ONLINE APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Candidates have to apply through our online application system (visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in). The online application allows the candidate to provide all information and also to upload scanned photograph (4 cm x 3 cm) and signature.

Details of the courses, eligibility criteria and relevant information are available in the University admission portal. 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, Cash 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 our website (**visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in**) as well as Bhavana Notice Board at regular intervals for updates.

31. 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).

32. Admission Test Centres:

In case Admission Tests are held offline, the Admission Tests Centres for the courses (wherever applicable) will be at Santiniketan and Sriniketan. The dates and venues, will be notified on the University Admission Portal and Bhavana Notice Board. In case of online admission test, modalities will be announced on University website/admission portal/Bhavana notice board in due course of time.

33. Important Dates and Times:

Submission of Application (Online)	Deadline for all courses:
Online publication of results	To be announced in the University Admission Portal : visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in
Round wise counselling followed by admission	
Commencement of Classes	Details of Counselling Process will be notified in due course of time.

* The date and the time for admission test if mentioned are tentative and subject to change as per the decision of the University considering Covid-19 pandemic.

Note: Visva-Bharati remains closed on Saturday and Sundays. However all the Bhavanas (Institutes)/Administrative offices work from 9.30 am 6.00 pm. Schools have their own working hours.

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APPLICATION GUIDELINES TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME, 2021

Online applications are invited from eligible candidates willing to take admission to Ph.D. Programmes of the university.

1. Eligibility for Admission to Ph.D. Programmes

- (a) (i) Applicants for admission to the Ph.D. programme shall have a Master's degree or a professional degree declared equivalent to the Master's degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions.
- (ii) A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50%, or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed to those belonging to SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer)/Differently-abled and other categories of applicants as per the decision of the Commission from time to time, or for those who had obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September, 1991. The eligibility marks of 55% (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible based only on the qualifying marks without including the grace mark procedures. However, a Differently-abled applicant belonging to either of the reserved categories (SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer)) shall not get the double benefit of being SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer) as well as Differently-abled in the above relaxations.
- (iii) Applicants who have cleared the M. Phil. course work with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and successfully completed the M.Phil. Degree shall be eligible to apply for admission to the Ph. D. Degree. as per norm.
- (iv) Applicants possessing a Degree considered equivalent to M. Phil. Degree of an Indian Institution, or a Foreign Educational Institution accredited by an Assessment and Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions, shall be eligible for admission to Ph.D. programme.
- (b) **In addition to the above, an applicant must also fulfil any one of the following conditions**
- i) Qualified in any of the following examinations: UGC-NET (including JRF)/UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)/SLET/GATE/ teacher fellowship.

- ii) Obtained an M. Phil. degree of Visva-Bharati or any other university recognized by the UGC that also follows the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for awards of M. Phil. and Ph.D. Degree), Regulation 2016 and regulations of Visva-Bharati.
- iii) An applicant whose M. Phil. Dissertation has been evaluated and the viva-voce is pending, may be admitted to the Ph.D. programme of the University.
- iv) **Candidates who have not fulfilled any of the condition mentioned above will have to qualify in the Ph.D. Entrance Test to be conducted by the concerned Department of Visva-Bharati.**

2. Modalities of Entrance Test

The University shall admit applicants by a two stage process through:

- (a) **An Entrance Test** which is to be qualified with qualifying marks of 50%. A relaxation of 5% of marks (from 50% to 45 % shall be allowed for the candidates belonging to SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy layers)/Differently-abled category in the entrance examination. The syllabus of the Entrance Test consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% will be subject specific.
- (b) **An interview/viva-voce**, which is mandatory for all applicants, to be organized by the department/centre when the applicants are required to discuss their research interest/area through a presentation before the Departmental Research Committee.

The interview/viva -voce shall also consider the following aspects, viz., whether:

- (i) The applicant possesses the competence for the proposed research;
- (ii) The research work can be suitably undertaken at the Department/Centre;
- (iii) The proposed area of research can contribute to new/additional knowledge.

- 3. **Duration of the programme:** Ph.D. programme shall be for a minimum duration of three years, including course work and a maximum of six years.
- 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. (visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.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.
- 6. **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.
- 7. **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 at least seven days before the date of examination/ interview.

8. Incomplete applications are liable to be summarily rejected. Rights of cancellation or admission lie 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.
9. Applicants are advised to visit our website for any update (inclusion/omission) in connection with the admission test/interview at regular intervals.

10. Application Fee:

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

11. **Online Application Procedure:** Candidates have to apply through our Online application system (visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in). The Online application allows the candidate to provide all information and also to upload scanned photograph (4 cm x 3 cm) and signature.
Details of the courses, eligibility criteria and relevant information are available in the University Admission Portal.

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, Cash 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.

In case a candidate does not have access to an Online payment method he or she can deposit the required amount at the different HDFC branches using a Bank Challan generated Online. Details of the Bank will be printed in the Challan.

No Cash payment will be allowed

Prospective candidates are advised to visit our website : www.visvabharati.ac.in as well admission portal visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in at regular intervals for updates.

12. Last date of submission of Application Form (Online): 26th August, 2021.

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BHASHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGES, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)

CODE: 01

In a bid to promote interaction between 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 courses of study both at the undergraduate and the postgraduate levels as well as research facilities in their constituent department of languages. Bhasha Bhavana also offers Certificate, Diploma & Advanced 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 great idea towards establishing national integration and harmony through dissemination of learning and the values of self sacrifice and universal brotherhood.

UNDER-GRADUATE [B.A (HONOURS)]

COURSE CODE : BA

DURATION: 3/4 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 11

SIX SEMESTERS

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

1. UR and OBC Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary Examination under 10+2 pattern or its equivalent, subject to fulfillment of the requirements for subject combinations and marks in respect of the department concerned as shown in the table in next page.
2. 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							
			Ext./Int.	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT	Total Seat
Bengali 3-year(Hons)	106	UR: 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Bengali (General/Elective) at + 2 level OBC: 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Bengali (General/Elective) at + 2 level	Ext.	9	7	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	11	6	4	2	2	25	
Chinese (Prep followed by Hons.) 4-year	101	UR: 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in English at the +2 level. OBC: 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in English at the +2 level.	Ext.	9	7	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	11	6	4	2	2	25	
English 3-year(Hons.)	107	UR: 75% marks in aggregate & 75% marks in General English at the +2 level. OBC: 67.5% marks in aggregate & 67.5% marks in General English at the +2 level.	Ext.	9	7	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	11	6	4	2	2	25	
Hindi 3-year(Hons)	108	UR: 45% marks in aggregate and 45% marks in Hindi at least (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level. OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate and 40.5% marks in Hindi (half paper 50 marks) at the +2 level.	Ext.	7	5	3	2	2	19	38
			Int.	8	5	3	1	2	19	
Indo-Tibetan (Prep followed by Hons) 4-year	105	UR: 50% marks in aggregate and English at the +2 level. OBC: 45% marks in aggregate and English at the +2 level.	Ext.	3	2	1	1	1	8	15
			Int.	3	2	1	0	1	7	
Japanese 3-year(Hons)	102	UR: 60% marks in aggregate, 60% in General English and 60% in Japanese at the +2 level or candidates qualifying N4 level Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT) OBC: 54% marks in aggregate, 54% in General English and 54% in Japanese at the +2 level. or candidates qualifying N4 level Japanese Language Proficiency Test (JLPT)	Ext.	2	2	1	1	0	6	11
			Int.	2	1	1	0	1	5	
Japanese (Prep followed by Hons.) 4-year	103	UR: 60% marks in aggregate and 60% in General English at the +2 level. OBC: 54% marks in aggregate and 54% in General English at the +2 level.	Ext.	8	6	3	1	2	20	40
			Int.	8	5	3	2	2	20	

Persian (Prep followed by Hons) 4-year	112	UR: 45% marks in aggregate at the +2 level. OBC: 40.5% marks in aggregate at the +2 level.	Ext.	8	6	3	1	2	20	40
			Int.	8	5	3	2	2	20	
Sanskrit 3-year(Hons)	113	UR: 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. OBC: 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.	Ext.	9	8	4	2	3	26	50
			Int.	11	5	4	2	2	24	
Modern European Languages, Literatures and Cultures										
French 3-year(Hons)	115	UR: 60% marks in aggregate & 60% marks in General English at the +2 level. OBC: 54 % marks in aggregate & 54 % marks in General English at the +2 level. * Students do not require any prior knowledge in French/ German/ Italian/Russian as these languages will be taught from the zero level.	Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	15	110
			Int.	6	4	2	1	2	15	
German 3-year(Hons)	110		Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
			Int.	6	4	2	1	2	15	
Italian 3-year(Hons)	125		Ext.	4	3	2	1	1	11	
			Int.	4	2	1	1	1	9	
Russian 3-year(Hons)	155		Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	15	
			Int.	6	4	2	1	2	15	
Indo-Tibetan 3-year(Hons)	104	UR: 50% marks in aggregate and 50% marks in English at the +2 level and One paper in Tibetan of at least 100 marks at the +2 Level. OBC: 45% marks in aggregate and 50% marks in English at the +2 level and One paper in Tibetan of at least 100 marks at the +2 Level.	Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	-	15
Odia 3-year(Honours)	109	UR: 50% marks in aggregate and 50 % mark in Odia subject at +2 level OBC: 45% marks in aggregate and 45 % mark in Odia subject at +2 level	Ext.	6	4	3	1	1	-	15
Santali 3-year(Hons)	114	UR: 50% Marks in aggregate at +2 level and 50% Marks in any Indian Language OBC: 45% Marks in aggregate at +2 level and 45% Marks in any Indian Language Admission will be made on the basis of admission test of 100 marks in Santali language and literature (medium: Olchiki script Santali language). Pass marks: 30%, relaxation will be applicable for OBC,SC, ST and PWD Candidates.	Ext.	8	5	3	1	2	-	19

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

1. Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2021 of Visva-Bharati subject to fulfillment of departmental requirements will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit.
2. SC & ST reservation quota for admission of Visva-Bharati School system will be considered as per rules.
3. For OBC candidates: 10% less from the eligibility criteria specified below for general candidates in respect of both aggregate and the concerned subject(s).
4. A student who has passed the school leaving Examination from Visva-Bharati Board, in the current year only will be considered as an Integrated Student.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Arabian Persian Urdu & Islamic Studies	Arabic	-	25
2	Bengali	Bengali	-	60
3	Centre for Comparative Literature	Comparative Literature	-	20
4	Centre for Modern European Languages, Literatures and Culture Studies	Introduction to European Literatures	-	10
5	English	English	-	40
6	Indo-Tibetan	Indo-Tibetan	-	12
7	Japanese	Japanese	-	30
8	Odia	Odia	-	10
9	Sanskrit Pali & Prakrit	Sanskrit	-	45
10	Santali	Santali	-	10
11	Tamil	Tamil	-	40
12	Marathi	Marathi	-	8

- * All B.A. (Hons.) students shall be required to study “Foundation Course” in Tagore Studies and “AECC” course in Environmental Studies.

POST-GRADUATE [M.A.]

COURSE CODE : MA

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 12

FOUR SEMESTERS

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

1. 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 fulfillment of departmental criteria (separate for UR and OBC candidates) as detailed in the table below.
2. 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% 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, Candidates will be selected on the basis of an admission test.	Honours Graduate in any subject, Candidates will be selected on the basis of an admission test.	8	5	3	1	1	18
English	123	60% in Hons. in the subject concerned	54% in Hons. 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)	(i) 45% marks in 3-year B.A. in Tibetan / Sastri (ii) 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	22	15	8	4	6	55

Persian	129	45% in the Hons. subject concerned	40.5% in the Hons. subject concerned	8	5	3	1	2	19
Sanskrit	130	55% in the Hons. subject concerned or 60% in equivalent Sanskrit Degree	49.5% in the 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	12	8	5	2	4	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.	23	16	9	4	6	58
Modern European Languages, Literatures and Cultures									
French	133	Hons. in the subject concerned or	Hons. in the subject concerned or	8	5	3	2	2	20
German	134	Hons. in any subject along with at least B2 level or minimum continuous 2 years course in language concerned.	Hons. in any subject along with at least B2 level or minimum continuous 2 years course in language concerned.	8	5	3	2	2	20
Russian	135	or 3-year undergraduate course in any subject along with at least B2 level	or 3-year undergraduate course in any subject along with at least B2 level	8	5	3	2	2	20
Italian	136	or minimum continuous 2-years in language concerned	or minimum continuous 2-years in language concerned	8	5	3	2	2	20
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3. Dates of admission tests (online/offline) will be notified on the University admission portal and on the Bhavana notice board.
4. 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 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. In case multiple candidates secure same marks in admission test, the candidate who secures higher percentage of marks in BA(Hons.)in the subject will be considered.

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

All candidates qualified in the B.A. (Hons.) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2021 are eligible for admission. No provisional admission will be allowed.

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : PHD
DURATION: 3-6 YEARS
COURSE CODE NO: 18

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. COURSES

Name of the Department (Code)	Code	Area of Specialization (If Any)	Total Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Assamese (Language/ Literature/Culture/ Comparative Study)	(190)	Language/Literature/Culture/ Comparative Study/Folklore or any interdisciplinary subject	1	1	0	0	0	2
Bengali	(193)	-	6	4	3	1	2	16
Centre for Modern European Languages, Literatures and Culture Studies	(117)	French	1	0	0	0	0	1
		Russian	1	1	1	0	1	4
		Italian	1	0	0	0	0	1
Comparative Literature	(116)	Literatures of Latin America/Translation studies/Feminist Literary Criticism/ Literatures of India (one vacancy)	1	1	0	0	0	2
		Indian Literature, Literatures of Africa, Cross-cultural literary relations (One vacancy)						
Dept. of Arabic, Persian, Urdu & Islamic Studies	(118)	Persian	1	1	0	0	1	3
English	(119)	Ecocriticism/Long 19th century Literature/Tagore's Prose Writing (2)	4	2	1	1	1	9
		18th Century Studies/Travel Writing/ Literature and Sports (2)						
		Feminist Theory and Women's Writing (1)						
		20th Century British English Literature/19th Century Bengal (2)						
		Theatre Studies/Tagore/Postcolonial Literatures (1)						
		Literature and the Raj/Literature of the Uncanny/Victorian Studies (1)						
Indo-Tibetan	(191)	-	1	1	0	0	0	2
Japanese	(175)	-	2	2	1	1	1	7
Odia	(176)	-	1	1	0	0	0	2
Sanskrit	(177)	-	2	2	1	1	1	7
Hindi	(120)	-	5	3	2	1	1	12
Tamil	(199)	Tamil Literature & Grammar(Classical & Modern), Comparative Literature, Translation Studies, Tamil History, Tamil Music, Tamil art & Architecture.	1	0	0	0	0	1
Santali	(189)	-	2	1	0	1	1	5

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 School Certificate 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 School certificate Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected of study	Should have passed at least the School certificate Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected of study	17	12	6	3	4	42
2	Bengali	138			17	12	6	3	4	42
3	French	139			17	12	6	3	4	42
4	German	140			17	12	6	3	4	42
5	Italian	141			17	12	6	3	4	42
6	Russian	142			17	12	6	3	4	42
7	Hindi	143			17	12	6	3	4	42
8	Odia	144			17	12	6	3	4	42
9	Pali	145			17	12	6	3	4	42
10	Prakrit	146	Should have passed at least the School certificate Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected of study	Should have passed at least the School certificate Examination or its equivalent examination of a recognized University or Board and whose first language is other than the language selected of study	17	12	6	3	4	42
11	Sanskrit	147			17	12	6	3	4	42
12	Persian	148			17	12	6	3	4	42
13	Santali	149			17	12	6	3	4	42
14	Tamil	150			17	12	6	3	4	42
15	Marathi	151			17	12	6	3	4	42
16	Assamese	152			17	12	6	3	4	42
17	Urdu	153			17	12	6	3	4	42
18	Tibetan	154			17	12	6	3	4	42

DIPLOMA COURSE

COURSE CODE : DIP

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 14

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO DIPLOMA COURSES

One-Year Diploma Courses (Code: DIP): The Diploma Courses in languages shall be open to the person(s) (i) who have passed at least the School Certificate Examination 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. For Sanskrit—the candidate must have passed the School final examination with Sanskrit as a subject.

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.	17	12	6	3	4	42
2	Bengali	158			17	12	6	3	4	42
3	French	159			17	12	6	3	4	42
4	German	160			17	12	6	3	4	42
5	Italian	161			17	12	6	3	4	42
6	Russian	162			17	12	6	3	4	42
7	Hindi	163			17	12	6	3	4	42
8	Odia	164			17	12	6	3	4	42
9	Pali	165			17	12	6	3	4	42
10	Prakrit	166			17	12	6	3	4	42
11	Sanskrit	167			17	12	6	3	4	42
12	Persian	168			17	12	6	3	4	42
13	Santali	169			17	12	6	3	4	42
14	Marathi	171			17	12	6	3	4	42
15	Assamese	172			17	12	6	3	4	42
16	Urdu	173			17	12	6	3	4	42
17	Tibetan	174			17	12	6	3	4	42
18	Tamil	170			17	12	6	3	4	42
19	Tamil Epigraphy	184	Higher Secondary Pass or equivalent	Higher Secondary Pass or equivalent	17	12	6	3	4	42
20	Art & Architecture of Tamilnadu	187			17	12	6	3	4	42
21	Theatre Traditions in Tamilnadu	188			17	12	6	3	4	42

ADVANCED DIPLOMA COURSE

COURSE CODE : ADP

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 15

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO ADVANCED DIPLOMA COURSES

One-Year Advanced Diploma Course (Code: ADP): The Advanced Diploma Courses in language shall be open to person(s) (i) who have passed at least the School Certificate Examination 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. For Sanskrit—the candidate must have passed the +2 level examinations with Sanskrit as a subject.

Sl	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake Capacity					
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1	Italian	178	Candidates who have passed a one year Diploma course in the language concerned or an equivalent examination from any other recognized Universities or Institutions.	Candidates who have passed a one year Diploma course in the language concerned or an equivalent examination from any other recognized Universities or Institutions.	17	12	6	3	4	42
2	Russian	179			17	12	6	3	4	42
3	Pali	180			17	12	6	3	4	42
4	Sanskrit	181			17	12	6	3	4	42
5	Santali	182			17	12	6	3	4	42
6	Marathi	183			17	12	6	3	4	42
7	Arabic	954			17	12	6	3	4	42

GENERAL INSTRUCTON FOR ADMISSION TO CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA AND ADVANCED DIPLOMA COURSES

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 conditions laid down in clauses- 1), 2) & 3) above: (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.

1. An ex-student having pursued a full time course and thereby obtained Diploma/ Certificate/Degree of Visva-Bharati residing within Territorial limits of the University and one who is not registered as a student in any other institution. A certificate has to be produced regarding residential status of the applicant from local Self-Government.
2. Employees of State and Central Governments, employees of other Statutory Bodies, both state and Central, residing within 8 km. radius of the University with no objection certificate from their employers. A certificate has to be produced regarding residential status of the applicant from the local Self-Government.
3. Project staff in Visva-Bharati with recommendation of the relevant Project Director/ Principal Project Investigator.
4. Person not belonging to any of the above categories but residing within 8 km. radius of the University and are not enrolled as students in any other institution. A certificate has to be produced regarding the residential status of the applicant from local Self-Government.

Note: Since all the courses mentioned above are part-time language courses, students admitted to such courses shall be treated as “PART TIME”. They will be entitled to restricted library facility and they shall not enjoy any other facilities normally extended to the regular full-time students. Regular students opting for a part-time language course also will not be entitled to extra/double library facility.

ONE-YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

COURSE CODE : CFS

DURATION: 1 YEAR

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 or its equivalent and satisfy certain criteria, set for admission to the course concerned. The courses are offered in the following subjects:

- a) Bengali: (Code: 194)
- b) Hindi: (Code: 195)
- c) Odia: (Code: 196)
- d) Tibetan: (Code: 197)
- e) Sanskrit language and literature: (Code: 198)

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

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VIDYA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES & 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 the values of human dignity, self sacrifice and universal brotherhood.

UNDER-GRADUATE [B.A (HONOURS)]

COURSE CODE : BA

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 21

SIX SEMESTERS

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

1. 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.
2. 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							TOTAL SEAT
			Int./ Ext.	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT	
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	201	UR: 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, Classical Languages at +2 level	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
		OBC: 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, Classical Languages at +2 level	Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	

Comparative Religion	202	UR: 60% marks in aggregate in any Stream at +2 level *for Internal students 55% marks in aggregate at PD Level OBC: 54% marks in aggregate in any Stream at +2 level	Ext.	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Economics	203	UR: 60% marks in aggregate with Pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level. OBC: 54% marks in aggregate with Pass marks in Mathematics at +2 level. 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.	Ext.	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Geography	204	UR: 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Geography with pass marks in Economics/ Statistics or Mathematics at +2 level. OBC: 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Geography with pass marks in Economics/ Statistics or Mathematics at +2 level. *Geography should be core/ major subject, not an additional or optional subject. (ii) Students from Science Stream must have Geography in their +2 level as major subject having 54% marks and 54% marks in aggregate with pass marks in Mathematics/ Statistics.	Ext.	12	8	4	2	3	29	58
			Int.	11	8	5	2	3	29	
History	205	UR: 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. OBC: 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.	Ext.	10	7	4	2	2	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Philosophy	206	UR: 65% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Philosophy or 70 % marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level. OBC: 58.5% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Philosophy at or 63 % marks in aggregate in any stream at +2 level.	Ext.	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	

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

1. Integrated Candidates from Visva-Bharati School system securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the Pre-Degree (PD) Examination 2021 of Visva-Bharati subject to fulfillment of departmental requirements will be considered for admission strictly in order of merit.
2. SC, ST and PWD reservation quota for admission of candidates from Visva-Bharati School system will be considered as per Govt. of India rules.
3. For OBC candidates: Less by 10% of the eligibility criteria specified for general candidates in respect of both aggregate and the subject(s) concerned.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	AIHC&A	Ancient Indian Civilization	-	75
2	Economics & Politics	Economics	Must have economics or Geography or Math at HS/PD level	60
		Political Science	Must have Political Science or Sociology or Economics at HS/PD level	60
3	Education	Education	-	150
4	Geography	Geography	-	30
5	History	History	-	75
6	Philosophy & Comparative Religion	Philosophy	-	40
		Comparative Religion	-	40
7	Women's Studies	Women's Studies: Understanding the Concepts and Challenges	-	20

- * All B.A. (Hons.) students shall be required to study "Foundation Course" in Tagore Studies and "AECC" course in Environmental Studies.

POST-GRADUATE [M.A]

COURSE CODE : MA

DURATION: 2YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 22

FOUR SEMESTERS

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

1. 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 fulfillment of departmental criteria (separate for general and OBC candidates) as detailed in the table in next page.
2. SC & ST Candidates : Honours Graduates of recognized universities under 10+2+3 patterns or its equivalent in relevant discipline are eligible to apply for admission, subject to fulfilment of the departmental criteria.

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria		Intake					
		For UR Candidates	For OBC Candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology (AIHC&A)	208	(i) 55% marks in Hons. Subject (ii) 55% marks in Hons. in History (iii) 60% marks in Hons. in Philosophy/Sanskrit/ Anthropology/ Geography (iv) 70% marks in Hons. in Physics/ Chemistry/Botany	(i) 49.5% marks in Hons. Subject concerned (ii) 49.5% marks in Hons. in History (iii) 54% marks in Hons. in Philosophy/ Sanskrit/ Anthropology/ Geography (iii) 63% marks in Hons. in Physics/Chemistry/ Botany	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.	Hons. in the subject concerned	20	13	8	4	5	50
Geography	211	60% marks in the Hons. Subject concerned	54% marks in the Hons. Subject concerned	26	17	10	5	7	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 of a recognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or its equivalent in any one of the following: I. Anthropology II. Physiology III. Botany IV. Zoology V. Environmental Studies VI. Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology VII. Sociology VIII. Nutrition	Honours Graduates of a recognized University under (10+2+3) pattern or its equivalent in any one of the following: I. Anthropology II. Physiology III. Botany IV. Zoology V. Environmental Studies VI. Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology VII. Sociology VIII. Nutrition	13	9	5	2	3	32
Communication & Journalism	213	Honours/Major in any subject	Honours/Major in any subject	23	16	9	4	6	58

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

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 written Admission Test, subject to fulfillment of the Departmental criteria as shown in above Table . 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. In case multiple candidates secure same marks in admission test, the candidate who secures higher percentage of marks in BA (Hons) in the subject will be considered.

Notes:

* **Communication and Journalism: Selection** will be through online Multiple choice type written test and online viva-voce of candidates having at least 40% marks in the online written test.

The final merit list shall comprise both test marks at 50:50 with attending viva-voce for every candidate invited for Viva-voce as mandatory. Attending both tests from the e-mail address and the mobile number given in application form is mandatory. Date of admission test will be informed later on.

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

All candidates qualified in the B.A. (Hons.) Examination of Visva-Bharati, 2021 are eligible for admission. No provisional admission will be allowed.

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : PHD

DURATION: 3-6 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 28

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. COURSES

Sl.No.	Name of the Department (code)	Area of Specialization (If Any)	Total Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1	Economics(252)	-	1	1	1	1	1	5
2	Geography(253)	-	2	2	1	1	1	7
3	Anthropology (256)	Biological Anthropology (03) Social-Cultural Anthropology (01)	1	1	1	0	1	4
4	Centre for Journalism & Mass Communication(257)	Development Communication (1), Social Media Group Leaving Behaviour. (1) New Media/Gender and Media (1)	1	1	0	0	1	3
5	AIHC&A(251)	-	1	0	0	0	0	1
6	History (254)	Modern History	1	0	0	0	0	1

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 are offered in the following subjects.

- A survey of Indian History and Culture (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 History and Culture (Code: 233) by Department of AIHC&A.
- Ancient Indian Philosophy and Culture (Code: 234) by Department of Philosophy and Comparative Religion.

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

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SIKSHA BHAVANA

INSTITUTE OF SCIENCES

CODE: 03

Siksha-Bhavana (Institute of Science) was originally an under-graduate 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 under graduate 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), 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.

All students of two-years M.Sc. programme in Biotechnology at Visva-Bharati will be admitted through all-India GAT-B (Graduate Aptitude test - Biotechnology) examination conducted by the Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad under the Department of Biotechnology (GoI). The prospective applicants are encouraged to frequently check their websites (<https://rcb.res.in/GATB/>) for updated information. Students are accepted on the basis of list of successful candidates prepared by RCB, Faridabad subject to fulfilment of departmental criteria.

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)]

COURSE CODE : BSC

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 31

SIX SEMESTERS

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

- 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 fulfill the Departmental criteria as shown in Table below.
- 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 fulfillment of the Departmental criteria as shown in the Table below.

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria for UR, OBC, SC & ST Candidates	Total Intake(External & Internal)							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 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	Ext.	11	8	4	2	3	28	55
			Int.	11	7	4	2	3	27	
Physics	302	UR: Minimum 70% marks in aggregate and 75% marks in average of Physics and Mathematics at +2 level OBC: Minimum 63% marks 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	Ext.	10	6	4	2	3	25	50
			Int.	10	7	4	2	2	25	
Mathematics	303	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Mathematics at +2 level OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Mathematics at +2 level SC&ST: Passed in Mathematics at 10+2 level	Ext.	12	8	4	2	3	29	58
			Int.	11	8	5	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 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	Ext.	4	4	1	1	1	11	22
			Int.	5	2	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% in Mathematics or 75% in Computer Science/ Information Technology. 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% in Mathematics or 67.5% in Computer Science/ Information Technology. SC&ST: Passed in Mathematics at 10+2 level	Ext.	6	4	3	1	2	16	30
			Int.	6	4	2	1	1	14	
Botany	306	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+ 2 level OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+2 level SC&ST: Passed in Life Science / Biological Science at 10 + 2 level	Ext.	9	5	3	2	2	21	42
			Int.	9	6	3	1	2	21	
Zoology	307	UR: Minimum 60% marks in aggregate and 60% marks in Life Science/ Biological Science at 10+ 2 level OBC: Minimum 54% marks in aggregate and 54% marks in Life Science/Biological Science at 10+ 2 level SC&ST: Passed in Life Science / Biological Science at 10 + 2 level	Ext.	9	5	3	2	2	21	42
			Int.	9	6	3	1	2	21	

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

Students integrated to Visva-Bharati Schools seeking admission to under graduate courses should pass the pre-degree Examination' 2021 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 above.

Generic Elective course offered in B.Sc. (Honours) Courses:

Students seeking admission to B.Sc. (Honours) courses shall be required to take one subject as Core and maximum two Generic Elective subjects.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Botany	Botany	-	40
2	Chemistry	Chemistry	-	80
3	Computer & System Sciences	Computer & System Sciences	-	25
4	Mathematics	Mathematics	-	70
5	Physics	Physics	-	50
6	Statistics	Statistics	-	25
7	Zoology	Zoology	-	50

- * All B.Sc. (Hons.) students shall be required to study “Foundation Course” in Tagore Studies and “AECC” course in Environmental Studies.

FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED M.SC.

COURSE CODE : MSC

DURATION: 5 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 32

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.
- Modalities of preparing merit list for admission to Five-Year Integrated M.Sc. Course: Admission will be on the basis of merit list prepared from the regular science stream students having Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics in their XI and XII classes through **online application mode only**.

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	UR: Regular Science students secured at least 60% marks in aggregate or equivalent grade in class XII (10+2) examination. OBC: Regular Science students secured at least 54% marks in aggregate or equivalent grade in class XII (10+2) examination. SC&ST: 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			12	8	5	2	4	31

POST-GRADUATE [M.Sc.]

COURSE CODE : MSC

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 32

FOUR SEMESTERS

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.SC. COURSES

1. All candidates seeking admission to M. Sc. courses should be B.Sc. (Honours) graduate in the respective subject under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination, subject to fulfillment of Departmental requirements as shown in table below.
2. Eligibility criteria for admission to M.Sc. Course [Two-years (Four Semesters)] in Biotechnology: As per the criteria required for appearing in the GAT-B test 2021 conducted by Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad under DBT (GOI) subject to fulfillment of Departmental requirements as shown in table below.
3. Modalities of preparing merit list for admission to M.Sc. courses:
(i) 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. In case multiple candidates secure same marks in admission test, the candidate who secures higher percentage of marks in B.Sc. (Hons.) in the subject will be considered.

(ii) M.Sc. in Biotechnology Course: Admission will be on the basis of panel of successful candidates list from GAT-B test 2021 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 2021 to National Testing Agency (NTA). Applicants should frequently check the RCB website <https://rcb.res.in/GATB/> for updated information.
4. **General criteria for admission to M.Sc. courses for integrated students**
Candidates qualified in the B.Sc. (Honours) Examination of Visva-Bharati 2021 are eligible for taking admission to the corresponding M. Sc courses. No provisional admission will be allowed.

DEPARTMENT WISE 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	26	17	10	5	7	65

Chemistry	309	Minimum 50% marks in Hons. Subject.	45% marks in Hons. subject.	Passed in B. Sc Honours.	26	17	10	5	7	65
Mathematics	310	60% marks in Hons. subject	54% marks in Hons. subject	Passed in B. Sc Honours	29	19	11	5	8	72
Statistics	311	45% marks in Hons. subject	40.5% marks in Hons. subject	Passed in B. Sc Honours	12	8	4	2	2	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	18	12	7	3	5	45
Environmental Science	315	Minimum 55% marks in B.Sc. (Hons)./B. Sc.(Ag.)/B. Tech./B-Pharm	Minimum 49.5% marks in B.Sc.(Hons)./B. Sc.(Ag.)/B. Tech./B-Pharm	Passed in B.Sc. (Hons)./B. Sc.(Ag.)/B. Tech./B-Pharm	14	9	5	2	3	33
Biotechnology	316	Minimum 55% in any branch of Life Science under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination system Two year bachelor degree will not be recognized for admission to this program.	Minimum 49.5% in any branch of Life Science under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination system Two year bachelor degrees will not be recognized for admission to this program.	Passed in any branch of Life Science under 10+2+3 pattern or equivalent examination system. Two years bachelor degree will not be recognized for admission to this programme.	9	5	3	1	2	20

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : PHD

DURATION: 3-6 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 33

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. COURSES

Instructions to the candidates for admission to Ph.D. Programme at different departments/ Centers:

Candidates seeking admission to different departments should fill-up separate application forms.

Eligibility criteria for admission to Ph. D. Programme

All candidates seeking admission to Ph. D. programme should have a M.Sc. degree or a professional degree declared equivalent to the M.Sc. degree by the corresponding statutory regulatory body, with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) or an equivalent degree from a foreign educational institution accredited by an Assessment and

Accreditation Agency which is approved, recognized or authorized by an authority, established or incorporated under a law in its home country or any other statutory authority in that country for the purpose of assessing, accrediting or assuring quality and standards of educational institutions and qualified in the Ph.D. Entrance Test (PET) conducted at the level of individual Departments/Centers under Siksha Bhavana. However, candidates who have qualified UGC-NET (including JRF)/UGC-CSIR NET (including JRF)/SLET/GATE/teacher fellowship holder or who have passed M. Phil programme at Visva-Bharati are exempted from the entrance test. The qualifying marks in the entrance test will be 50% and the syllabus of the entrance test shall consist of 50% of research methodology and 50% shall be subject specific.

A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50% or an equivalent relaxation of grade, may be allowed for those belonging to SC/ST/OBC(non-creamy layer)/Differently-abled and other categories of applicant's as per the decision of the Commission from time to time, or for those who had obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September, 1991. The eligibility marks of 55% and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible based only on the qualifying marks without including the grace marks procedures. However, a Differently-abled applicant belonging to either of the reserved categories (SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)) shall not get double benefit of being SC/ST/ OBC (non-creamy layer) as well as Differently-abled in the above relaxation.

Modalities of preparing merit list for admission to Ph.D. Programme:

The list of eligible candidates (exempted plus qualified) and the date of interview/viva-voce examination (department-wise) will be published in the university website at least ten (10) days before the date of interview/viva-voce examination. Merit list among the eligible candidates will be prepared based on the marks secured (Out of 100) in the interview/viva-voce examination conducted by the individual departments/centers. For candidates those who have appeared at the interview /viva-voce examination after qualifying the entrance test, the merit list will be prepared by giving 70% weightage in the entrance test and 30% weightage in the interview/ viva-voce examination. However, for the exempted categories candidates the merit list will be prepared by giving 100% weightage in the interview/viva-voce examination. The tentative vacancy list of Ph. D. intake (department-wise) is shown in Table below.

Name of the Department (code)	Area of Specialization (If Any)	Total Intake					
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Biotechnology (331)	Microbial Technology	1	1	1	1	1	5
Botany (332)	Plant Anatomy and Pharmacognosy	1	0	0	0	0	1
Chemistry (333)	Asymmetric Organic Synthesis	12	8	4	2	3	29
	Synthetic Methodology & Organic Synthesis						
	Natural Products						
	Reaction Modeling						
	Analytical and Bio-analytical chemistry						
	Polymer Chemistry						
	Computational Chemistry						
	Theoretical Physical Chemistry						
	Bio-physical Chemistry						
	Materials Chemistry						
	Supramolecular Chemistry						
	Luminescence spectroscopy of materials and molecules						

Computer Science (334)	-	5	3	2	1	1	12
Integrated Science (340)	Molecular Spectroscopy (03)	4	3	1	1	1	10
	Materials Electrochemistry (Lithium-ion Battery, Fuel Cell & Supercapacitors) (03)						
	Inorganic Chemistry/ Material Science (01)						
	Theoretical Condensed Matter Physics/Mathematical Physics (01)						
	Molecular Biology (02)						
Mathematics (336)	Mathematical Biology	6	4	2	1	2	15
	Nonlinear Dynamics & Chaos						
	Magnetohydrodynamics						
	Plasma Dynamics						
	Mathematical pharmacology						
	Mathematical Biology						
	Fuzzy functional analysis						
	Symmetry analysis of ODEs/PDEs						
	Computational Mathematics						
	Quantum mechanics						
	Differential equations						
	Symbolic Computation						
	Computational Fluid Dynamics						
Physics (337)	Quantum Optics (01)	4	3	1	1	1	10
	Laser Spectroscopy (02)						
	Non Linear Optics (01)						
	Gravitation and Cosmology (01)						
	Cosmology (01)						
	Experimental Condensed Matter Physics (01)						
	Experimental Nuclear Physics (02)						
	Observational Astronomy (01)						
Statistics (338)	Reliability Analysis, Industrial Statistics, Bayesian Inference (02)	1	1	1	0	1	4
	Statistical Learning, Statistical Modelling, Distribution Theory, Computational Statistics (02)						
Zoology (339)	Molecular Toxicology/Cancer Biology (01)	1	1	1	1	1	5
	Fish Biology (01)						
	Parasitology (02)						
	Endocrinology and metabolism (01)						

Date and Time of Admission: To be announced in the University Admission Portal: visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

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, Hindusthani 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--Aresh 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)

COURSE CODE : BPA

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 41

SIX SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Course B. P. A. (Honours) in:	Code	Eligibility	Intake Capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Tot
Rabindra-Sangit	401	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For UR: 45% marks in aggregate at +2 level. For OBC 40.5% marks in aggregate at +2 level 	19	13	7	3	5	47
Manipuri Dance	402	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The students appearing at the H.S. (10+2) or equivalent examination in the last 3 years may apply for B. P. A. (Hons.) course with 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) marksheet with requisite marks as stipulated above. 	12	8	5	2	3	30
Kathakali Dance	403		8	5	3	2	2	20
Drama & Theatre Arts	404		10	7	3	2	3	25
Rabindra Nritya	405		14	9	5	3	4	35
Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal)	406		12	8	5	2	3	30
Hindusthani Classical Instrumental in: Sitar	407	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relaxation is applicable for SC, ST & PWD candidates. Candidates with DA (previously PWD) are not eligible to apply for Drama and Dance subjects. 	5	3	2	1	1	12
Esraj	408		5	3	2	1	1	12
Tabla	409		10	7	3	2	3	25
Pakhawaj	410		6	4	2	1	2	15

Modalities followed for admission:

On the basis of performance in practical test of the subject concerned, the entrance test will be evaluated out of 100 marks. For UR and OBC candidates the qualifying marks will be 40% which may not be applicable in case of the SC/ST candidates. The admission will be given strictly as per the Merit List on the basis of performance in practical test.

Note: A candidate applying for the B.P.A.(Hons.)course shall have to take any of the above mentioned subjects which will be the Core/Honours subject along with other subjects as per the syllabus of Sangit-Bhavana.

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO B.P.A. FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

There shall be a provision to get admission to the undergraduate courses of Sangit Bhavana for the Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system subject to fulfillment of departmental eligibility criteria.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE COURSE (GEC) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

Sl No.	Name of the Department	Subjects	Total Intake
1.	Rabindra Sangit, Dance & Drama	Rabindra Sangit	50
		Manipuri Dance	25
		Kathakali Dance	20
		Drama & Theatre Arts.	30
		Rabindra Nritya	40
2.	Hindusthani Classical Music	H.C.M. Vocal	40
		Sitar	20
		Esraj	20
		Tabla	20
		Pakhawaj	20

- * All B.P.A. (Hons.) students shall be required to study “Foundation Course” in Tagore Studies and “AECC” course in Environmental Studies.

POST-GRADUATE [MASTERS IN PERFORMING ARTS]

COURSE CODE : MPA

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 42

FOUR SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Course	Code	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
M. Music Courses in:									
Rabindra-Sangit	425	Candidates may apply who have 55% Marks in three years BPA (Hons.)/B. A. (Hons.) Degree in Music with Honours in relevant subjects in last 3 years	Candidates may apply who have 49.5% Marks in three years BPA Hons/B. A. (Hons.) Degree in Music with Honours in relevant subjects in last 3 years	20	14	8	3	5	50
Manipuri Dance	426			14	9	5	3	4	35
Kathakali Dance	427			9	6	3	2	2	22
Drama & Theatre Arts	428			12	8	5	2	3	30
Rabindra Nritya	429			14	9	5	3	4	35
Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal)	430	Candidates with DA (previously PWD) are not eligible to apply for Drama and Dance subjects.	Candidates with DA (previously PWD) are not eligible to apply for Drama and Dance subjects	14	9	5	3	4	35
Hindusthani Classical Instrumental in: Sitar	431			6	4	2	1	2	15
Esraj	432			6	4	2	1	2	15
Tabla	433			7	5	2	1	2	17
Pakhawaj	434			7	5	2	1	2	17

Modalities followed for admission:

On the basis of performance in practical test of the subject concerned. The entrance test will be evaluated out of 100 marks. For UR students the qualifying marks will be 50% and for OBC candidates the qualifying marks will be 45% which may not be applicable in case of the SC/ST candidates. The admission will be given strictly as per the Merit List on the basis of performance in practical test.

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO M.P.A. FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

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

Note:

1. For calculation of percentage of aggregate marks secured by a candidate whose statement of marks does not show the aggregate, marks secured by the candidate in all the subjects offered and as shown in the mark sheet will be considered.
2. The original documents and their photocopies must be produced only at the time of admission.
3. The merit list for admission will be notified on the University website and Sangit-Bhavana notice board.

* admission of Foreign National/International candidates in all regular courses will be supernumerary.

Ph.D.									
COURSE CODE : PHD			DURATION: 3-6 YEARS			COURSE CODE NO: 46			
Sl. No.	Name of the Department	Code	Area of Specialization	Total Intake					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1	Hindusthani Classical Music	492	Esraj (two vacancies)	1	1	0	0	1	3
		493	Tabla (one Vacancy)						

CERTIFICATE COURSE

COURSE CODE : CRT

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 43

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

1. Passed Madhyamik or equivalent examination,
2. Staff, Staff-ward and Students of Visva-Bharati,
3. Residents living within the radius of 8 Kms of Visva-Bharati. (University premises)

Two-year Certificate Course	Code	Intake Capacity					
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
Rabindra Sangit	441	51	34	19	9	12	125
Manipuri Dance	442	12	8	5	2	4	31
Kathakali Dance	443	12	8	5	2	4	31
Rabindra Nritya	444	12	8	5	2	4	31
Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal)	446	25	17	9	5	6	62
Sitar	447	8	5	3	1	1	18
Esraj	448	8	5	3	1	1	18
Hindusthani Classical Music (Instru.) in: Tabla	449	8	5	3	1	1	18

Note: The notification regarding admission in 2-year Certificate courses will be published separately.

ONE-YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

COURSE CODE : CFS

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 45

One-year course for Foreign Students

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)
 Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal)(460)
 Hindusthani Classical Music (Instrumental) in Sitar(461)/Esraj(462)/
 Pakhawaj(463)/Tabla(464)

Intake

Course	Total
One-year Course for Foreign Students	15

SHORT TERM COURSE IN ESRAJ

COURSE CODE NO: 47

Short term Training Courses in Esraj at Centre for Esraj under Sangit-Bhavana

The practical courses are offered for

1. 30 days;
2. 90 days;
3. 180 days;
4. One year
5. Two years.

Admission will be conducted throughout the year.

Modalities followed for admission:

The foreign nationals seeking admission to any of the above regular courses can go through the requisite Admission Test(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.

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

KALA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF FINE 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 prospects.

UNDER-GRADUATE [BFA]

COURSE CODE : BFA

DURATION: 4 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 51

EIGHT SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Name of the Course	Code	Duration	Minimum Eligibility	
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
BFA (Bachelor in Fine Arts)	501	4 years(1 year Foundation + 3 years Specialization)	Pass in Class 10+2 or equivalent	Pass in Class 10+2 or equivalent
BFA (Bachelor in Fine Arts) History of Art	505	4 years (1 year Foundation + 3 years Specialization in History of Art)	65% marks in Class 10+2 or equivalent	58.5% marks in Class 10+2 or equivalent

DIPLOMA IN FINE ARTS

COURSE CODE : DIP

DURATION: 4 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 53

EIGHT SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Name of the Course	Code	Duration	Minimum Eligibility	
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
Diploma in Fine Arts	521	4 years (1 year Foundation + 3 years Specialization (Other than History of Art)	Pass Class 10 or equivalent to Secondary Examination	Pass Class 10 or equivalent to Secondary Examination

INTAKE FOR UNDER-GRADUATE(BFA)/DIPLOMA COURSES

Course	Intake Capacity for Indian Students						Intake Capacity for Foreign Students
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Total
BFA & DFA in: Painting/Sculpture/Graphic Art/ Design & History of Art	23	15	8	4	5	55	Supernumerary

Note:

1. Specialization subject will be offered by the respective Departments after foundation course as per choice and merit.
2. Subject code 501 and 505 have identical course content for the first two semesters and is called the 'Foundation Course'.
3. Admission through subject code 505 is meant for BFA Course with a pre-opted specialization - History of Art. In this case a candidate does not have the option of choosing any other specialization stream in the Third Semester.
4. Admission through subject code 501 will also be eligible for opting History of Art as specialization from Third Semester.

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

There shall be a provision to get admission to the undergraduate course of Kala-Bhavana for the Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati school system subject to fulfillment of departmental criteria.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- (1) All applicants to all courses at Kala-Bhavana will apply through the university online admission portal URL: **visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in**
- (2) For BFA/DFA:
 - (a) Applicants will submit a portfolio of five (5) photographs of original works of art which should be uploaded on given link from **01.09.2021 to 05.09.2021**. This will be a single pdf file of five images, and not exceeding 10 MB file size. The filename for the pdf will have to be the Registration number of the candidate obtained from the online form fill up.
To submit the pdfs applicants may click on the Google Forms link:
URL:: **<https://forms.gle/KNkG2KPDTTHkrWfq6>**
Applicants will appear for a MCQ test on **07.09.2021**. The link to the online MCQ will be posted on the university admission website on the previous day.
 - (b) Short list of the Applicants selected on the basis of the portfolio and the MCQ will appear for an online video-call interview will be uploaded on the university website on **13.09.2021**.
 - (c) An online video-call interview will be from **16.09.2021 to 19.09.2021**.
*URL for the same will be posted on the university admission website on the previous day.
 - (d) Final list of selected list of applicants will be uploaded on the university admission portal subsequently.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Painting	Painting	-	12
2	Graphics (Printmaking)	Graphics (Printmaking)	-	10
3	Sculpture	Sculpture	-	10
4	Design (Textile)	Design (Textile)	-	08
5	Design (Ceramics & Glass)	Design (Ceramics & Glass)	-	08
6	History of Art	History of Art	-	10

- * All B.F.A students shall be required to study “Foundation Course” in Tagore Studies and “AECC” course in Environmental Studies.

POST-GRADUATE [MFA]

COURSE CODE : MFA

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 52

FOUR SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Name of the Subject	Code	Duration	Minimum Eligibility	
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
Painting	515	2 years	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.
GraphicArt (Printmaking)	516			
Design (Ceramic & Glass)	517			
Design (Textile)	518			
Sculpture	520			
History of Art	519		55% marks/ Corresponding grade in BFA in Art History or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University /Institution.	49.5% marks/ Corresponding grade in BFA in Art History or equivalent degree (minimum 4 years course) from a recognized University /Institution.

ADVANCED DIPLOMA

COURSE CODE : ADP

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 54

FOUR SEMESTERS

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Name of the Subject	Code	Duration	Minimum Eligibility	
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates
Painting	527	2 years	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.
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	528			
Design (Ceramic & Glass)	529			
Design (Textile)	530			
Sculpture	531			

BRIDGE COURSE IN HISTORY OF ART

COURSE CODE : BCH

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 56

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Name of the Course	Code	Duration	Minimum Eligibility		
			For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	Intake
Bridge Course in History of Art leading to M.F.A.	535	3 Years (1 Year Bridge Course + 2 Years Regular MFA Course in History of Art)	55% Marks / Corresponding grade in Bachelors or, Master degree level from any discipline other than Art history/ Art Criticism from a recognized University/ Institution.	49.5 Marks/ Corresponding grade in Bachelors or, Master degree level from any discipline other than Art history/ Art Criticism from a recognized University/ Institution.	Consolidated figure shown in the MFA table.

INTAKE FOR POST -GRADUATE (MFA)/ ADVANCED DIPLOMA COURSES

Specialization Subject	M.F.A./ Adv. Dip. In Fine Art	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Tot	Foreign Students
Painting	20	10	7	4	2	3	26	Supernumerary
Painting (Mural)	6							
Sculpture	12	5	3	2	1	1	12	
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	19	8	5	3	1	2	19	
Design: Ceramic & Glass	12	5	3	2	1	1	12	
Design: Textile	12	5	3	2	1	1	12	
History of Art	27	11	7	4	2	3	27	
Total Intake in M.F.A. & Advanced Diploma in Fine Art	108	44	28	17	8	11	108	

Note:

For MFA/ADFA & Bridge Course leading to MFA in History of Art:

- (a) Applicants will submit a portfolio of five (5) photographs of original works of art which should be uploaded on given link from **01.09.2021 to 05.09.2021**. This will be a single pdf file of five images, and not exceeding 10 MB file size. The filename for the pdf will have to be the Registration number of the candidate obtained from the online form fill up.

N.B. For applicants applying in History of Art, the portfolio will be of Two (2) original essays* (published or other wise), not pictorial images.

*Essays should be in ENGLISH, followed by online written examination and online viva-voce.

To submit the pdfs applicants may click on the Google Forms link:

URL:: <https://forms.gle/KNkG2KPDTHkrWfq6>

- (b) Short list of the Applicants selected on the basis of the portfolio will appear for anonline video-call interview will be uploaded on the university website on **13.09.2021**.
- (c) An online video-call interview will be from **21.09.2021 to 22.09.2021**. *URL for the same will be posted on the university website on the previous day.
- (d) Final list of selected list of applicants will be uploaded on the University Admission Portal subsequently.

2 YEARS CERTIFICATE COURSE IN DESIGN

COURSE CODE : CRT

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					Intake Capacity for Foreign Students	All total
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	
Certificate Course in Design (Craft Design: Textile/Floor/Festival/Stage Decoration ect.)	532	School Final / class 10 Passed	School Final / Class 10 Passed	10	6	4	2	2	3	24

Note :

For Certificate Course in Design:

- (a) Applicants will submit a portfolio of five (5) photographs of original works of art which should be uploaded on given link from **01.09.2021 to 05.09.2021**. This will be a single pdf file offive images, and not exceeding 10 MB file size. The file name for the pdf will have to be the Registration number of the candidate obtained from the online form fill up.

To submit the pdfs applicants may click on the Google Forms link:

URL:: <https://forms.gle/KNkG2KPDTTHkrWfq6>

- (b) Short list of the Applicants selected on the basis of the portfolio will appear for anonline video-call interview will be uploaded on the university admission website on **13.09.2021**.
- (c) An online video-call interview will be on **24.09.2021**. *URL for the same will be posted on the university admission portal on the previousday.
- (d) Final list of selected list of applicants will be uploaded on the university admission Portal subsequently.

ONE-YEAR 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	Minimum Eligibility		Intake
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates Intake	
Painting	546	Bachelor degree from recognized University other than Fine Arts / Visual Arts.	Bachelor degree from recognized University other than Fine Arts / Visual Arts.	Maximum 3 in each Department.
Graphic Art (Print- making)	547			
Design (Ceramic & Glass)	548			
Design (Textile)	549			
History of Arts	550			
Sculpture	551			

Note :

For One-year course for Indian students:

- (e) Applicants will submit a portfolio of five (5) photographs of original works of art which should be uploaded on given link from **01.09.2021 to 05.09.2021**. This will be a single pdf file of images, and not exceeding 10 MB file size. The filename for the pdf will have to be the Registration number of the candidate obtained from the online form fill up.

N.B. For applicants applying in History of Art, the portfolio will be of Two (2) original essays* (published or otherwise), not pictorial images.

*Essays should be in ENGLISH, followed by online written examination and online viva-voce.

To submit the pdfs applicants may click on the Google Forms link:

URL:: <https://forms.gle/KNkG2KPDTTHkrWfq6>

- (f) Short list of the Applicants selected on the basis of the portfolio will appear for an online video-call interview will be uploaded on the university website on **13.09.2021**.
- (g) An online video-call interview will be on **25.09.2021**. *URL for the same will be posted on the university admission website on the previous day.
- (h) Final list of selected list of applicants will be uploaded on the university admission portal subsequently.

ONE-YEAR COURSE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

COURSE CODE : CFS

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 57

DEPARTMENT WISE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE CAPACITY

Name of the Subject	Code	Minimum Eligibility	Intake	Modalities of Selection
Painting	540	Pass in class 10+2 or equivalent	Maximum 3 in each Department.	Based on portfolio of works/ Original writings/ essays for History of Art
Graphic Art (Printmaking)	541			
Design (Ceramic & Glass)	542			
Design (Textile)	543			
History of Arts	544			
Sculpture	545			

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : Ph.D.

DURATION: 3-6 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 59

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME

NET,JRF in respective subject or any other equivalent Research Eligibility Test.

Name of the Department (Code)	Area of Specialization (If Any)	Total Intake					
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Design (Ceramic & Glass) & Design (Textile) (564)	1. Ceramic 2. Glass	1	1	0	0	0	2
Design (Textile) (564)	1. Traditional Handloom/Khādi 2. Textile Design, Art and Aesthetics 3. Formal and Philosophical Approach in Textile Art and Design 4. Indian/ World Traditional Textiles	1	1	0	0	0	2
Department of History of Art(563)	1. Modern Indian Art-The early past-Independence Decades, and issues of a 'Regional' definition 2. Pictorial Language and narration in Indian miniature/manuscript painting.	4	3	2	1	1	11
	1. Traditional Indian Painting / Ancient Indian Art 2. Islamic Art and Architecture						
	1. Contemporary theories of art, Architecture (Traditional, modern and contemporary) 2. Modern and Contemporary Indian and Global Art.						
	1. Pre-modern/traditional Indian Art 2. Art Education 3. Contemporary art and Visual Culture						

Department of Graphic Art (566)	1. Alternative approach in Printmaking.	1	1	0	0	0	2
	2. Study on method and materials, Aesthetic language, possibility and role of print in contemporary art practice.						
	1. Indian contemporary Printmaking	1	0	0	0	0	1

MODALITIES FOR PREPARING MERIT LISTS FOR ADMISSION TO DIFFERENT COURSES THROUGH ADMISSION TESTS

Course	Portfolio evaluation	Written	MCQ	Online viva-voce	Total
Certificate Course in Design	50	x	x	150	200
One Year Course for Indian Students	50	x	x	150	200
One-year course for Foreign Students	x	x	x	x	x
B.F.A.	75	x	75	150	300
B.F.A. History of Art	75	75	x	150	300
D.F.A	75	x	75	150	300
M.F.A.	100	x	x	200	300
ADFA	100	x	x	200	300
M.F.A. in History of Art	25	75	x	200	300
Bridge Course	25	75	x	200	300

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

1. All applications should be made through the Joint Registrar, Academic and Research, Visva-Bharati, in the prescribed format available in the Visva-Bharati website. They may also apply through ICCR (Indian Council for Culture relations) along with their portfolio of works.
2. Foreign students are requested to apply before the stipulated dates as instructed by the Academic and Research cell.
3. Foreign candidates applying for History of Art in BFA/MFA level or Bridge course level from non-English speaking countries should submit score card in any internationally accepted English language Test (IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC, TEPS, etc.).
4. BFA/DFA while applying for BFA/Dip no need of mentioning the subject. Only mention the COURSE CODE. However subject (Honours) will be opted in 3rd. Semester on the basis of the result of 1st. & 2nd. semester as per Ordinance. Specialization subject can only be offered for both Indian and Foreign students applying for BFA & DIP course after completing the Foundation course on the basis of choice & merit.

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

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. It offers courses in Bachelor of design, Masters of design, Bachelor of vocation, certificate and Ph.D.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

UNDER-GRADUATE [BSW(HONOURS)]

COURSE CODE : BSW

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 61

SIX SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO BSW. COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
BSW (Honours) Bachelor Degree in Social Work	601	Passed Higher Secondary or equivalent examination during 2020 and 2021 with 60 % marks (for UR) & 54% marks(for OBC) taken together in Science/Commerce/Humanities except vocational stream of Education with any four best scores in Higher Secondary.	16	11	6	3	4	40
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system			4	2	1	1	1	9
Note: All foreign students applying to BSW, MSW, Diploma in Disability Studies and Diploma in Exclusion and Inclusive Policy will have to appear for aptitude test conducted by the Department of Social Work.								

POST-GRADUATE [MSW]

COURSE CODE : MSW

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 62

FOUR SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO MSW COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
MSW Two years Master degree in Social Work	602	<p>Passed Bachelor degree (Honours) or equivalent during 2020 and 2021 with 50% marks (for UR) & 45% (for OBC).</p> <p>Candidates should be from any one of the following streams: Social Work/Science/Commerce/Humanities.</p> <p>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, Geography, Philosophy, Religion, Management, Human Development, Education, Journalism and Mass Communication, Englis, Rural Studies & Physical Education.</p> <p>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.</p>	22	15	8	4	6	55
<p>Modalities of Admission</p> <p>Total marks: 200</p> <p>Percentage of marks secured in the Honours Examination 100, weightage will be out of 100 for marks secured in undergraduate programme and marks of Admission test will be 100 (Written 50 +G.D. 30+ Viva 20);</p> <p>Qualifying marks for admission is 30% for general and 27% for OBC candidates. Eligibility marks in case of SC/ST candidates will be as per Govt. Rules.</p> <p>Date of Entrance Test will be published in the University Website / University admission portal.</p>								

POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN DISABILITY STUDIES

COURSE CODE : PGDDS

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 70

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO PGD COURSE

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.	6	4	2	1	2	15
Modalities of Admission Entrance Test and Personal Interview (online/Offline) Date of Entrance Test will be published in the University Website/University admission portal.								

POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EXCLUSION & INCLUSIVE POLICY

COURSE CODE : PGDEIP

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 70

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO PGD COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Two semester Post Graduate Diploma leading to PGD in 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.	6	4	2	1	2	15
Modalities of Admission Entrance Test and Personal Interview (online/offline) Date of Entrance Test will be published in the University Website / University admission portal.								

Note: All foreign students applying to the above courses (BSW, MSW, Diploma Courses in Disability Studies, Exclusion and Inclusive Policy) will have to appear for aptitude test conducted by the Department of Social Work.

Modalities of Admission: Total marks: 100 [(Admission Test (50) + Group Discussion (30) + Personal Interview (20)]

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

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 3 years (six semesters) to receive Degree of Bachelor in Rural Studies (BRS); (2) MRS is a postgraduate course for 2 year (Four semester) 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)]

COURSE CODE : BRS

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 63

SIX SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO BRS COURSE

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
1.	BRS (Honours) Bachelor of Rural Studies	603	Candidates from Science stream, Commerce stream and Social Science stream (having pass marks at least three subjects from the followings: Economics, Political Science, History, Geography, Sociology, Anthropology, Philosophy, Education, Psychology, Home Science and Agriculture) are eligible to apply. Qualifying marks For UR Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary level examinations with 50% Aggregate and with minimum 50% in English For OBC Candidates: Passed Higher Secondary level examinations with 45% Aggregate and with minimum 45% in English In case of SC/ST candidates, admission will be as per university rules.	10	6	4	2	3	25
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system				10	7	4	2	2	25
Modalities of Admission Direct Admission according to marks obtained in Higher Secondary level of Examination									

POST-GRADUATE [MRS]

COURSE CODE : MRS

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 64

FOUR SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO MRS COURSE

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	Eligibility Criteria	Intake capacity					
				UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
2.	Master of Rural Studies (MRS)	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 Examination of Visva-Bharati 2021 are eligible for admission directly.	20	14	7	4	5	50
Modalities of Admission Total marks: 100, Merit basis; based on Percentage of marks secured in the Honours Subject Examination									

DEPARTMENT OF LIFELONG LEARNING AND EXTENSION (RURAL EXTENSION CENTRE)

POST-GRADUATE [MRM]

COURSE CODE : MRM

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 65

FOUR SEMESTERS

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	Passed Bachelor degree (Honours) or equivalent with 50% marks for UR Candidates and 45 % marks for OBC Candidates & pass marks for SC/ST candidates in 10+2+3 pattern from any recognized University in Social Science / Science/ Technology/ Commerce / Humanities / Management stream.	15	10	6	3	4	38
Modalities of Admission Total marks: 100 (Admission test (online/offline) will be 100 (Written 70 + Viva 30); Qualifying marks for admission is 30% for general and 27% for OBC candidates.) There shall be no eligibility marks in case of SC/ST candidates. * All foreign students applying to M.A. in Rural management will have to appear for the Admission Test conducted by the Department. Date of Entrance Test will be published in the University Website/University admission portal									

SILPA SADANA

UNDER-GRADUATE [B-DES]

COURSE CODE : B.DES

DURATION: 4 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 66

EIGHT SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO B.DES. COURSE

****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 and Masters Degree programme of Silpa-Sadana.

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
B. Des. (Bachelor of Design) Four years (Eight Semesters) Specialization offered : 1. Ceramic and Glass 2. Furniture and Interior 3.Textiles	606	Passed 10+2 or equivalent examination with 60% marks in aggregate for general candidates and 54% marks in aggregate for OBC candidates. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST & PWD candidates as per Govt. of India rules.	18	12	7	3	5	45

Modalities of Admission

Considering the present Pandemic situation programme will be on the basis of Marks obtained in Higher Secondary examination.

Relaxation will be given to OBC, SC, ST & PWD candidates as per GOI rules.

POST-GRADUATE [M.DES]

COURSE CODE : M.DES

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 69

FOUR SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO M.DES. COURSE

Subject	Code	Eligibility	Intake capacity					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
M. Des. Two years Master degree in Textile	626	Candidates having Graduation of 4-years (8- 6 Semester) securing at least 60% marks for UR Candidates and 54% marks for OBC Candidates or its equivalent CGPA in Design, Fine Arts, Technology, Architecture in relevant fields (Ceramic/ Textiles/ Furniture and Interior) from any University/ Institution recognized by UGC/AICTE. Relaxation will be given to SC, ST & PWD as per Govt. of India rules.	6	4	2	1	1	14
M. Des. Two years Master degree in Ceramic & Glass	627		5	4	2	1	2	14
M. Des. Two years Master degree in Furniture and Interior	628		6	4	2	1	1	14

Modalities of Admission:

For this year admission to M.Des. programme will be on the basis of Marks obtained in Graduation level.

Relaxation will be given to OBC, SC, ST & PWD candidates as per GOI rules.

Note:

1. Applicants for B. Des and M. Des programmes are requested to bring the following materials for the admission test.
Soft pencils (HB, 2B, 4B) eraser, colour pencils, colour Crayons, Ruler, Scissor, Cutter, Gum/Adhesive, Cello Tape, Ball pen (Blue or Black).
2. All the applicants must produce their original final mark sheets of all previous public examinations and other relevant documents vis. caste certificates (SC/ST/OBC), age proof and physically handicapped certificates(in original), ID Proof (with photograph); with one self attested photocopies of all the documents before appearing for the admission test for verification purpose, failing which his/her candidature will not be considered for admission.
3. For Interviews, They should bring their own works to show such as drawings, paintings, designs, photography, models, poetry, prose, drama written by them, photos of any works exhibited held, etc.

Modalities of Admission

Considering the present Pandemic situation this year admission to M.Des. programme will be on the basis of Marks obtained in Graduation level.

Relaxation will be given to OBC, SC, ST & PWD candidates as per GOI rules.

Since 2-years Certificate course and 6-months short term courses are fully practical/hands-on training based and the students will not be able to join the department owing to pandemic situation, the Department decided that, the admission to these courses will be kept in abeyance for this academic session only.

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

There shall be a provision to get admission at the undergraduate courses of Palli Samgathana Vibhaga for the Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system subject to fulfillment of departmental criteria.

All candidates qualified in the Undergraduate (Hons.) examination of Visva-Bharati, 2021 are eligible for admission to the post graduate courses. No provisional admission will be allowed.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY DIFFERENT DEPARTMENTS

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Social Work	Social Work	-	45
3	Palli Charcha Kendra (Rural Studies)	Rural Studies	-	30

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : PHD

DURATION: 3-6 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 68

AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME

Sl. No.	Name of the Department (code)	Area of Specialization (If Any)	Total Intake					
			UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
1	Department of Rural Studies (641)	Agrarian Transition, Application of Fuzzy / Crisp Choice in Rural Studies, Application of Public Choice in Rural Studies, Labour Economics and Agricultural Economics	1	1	1	0	0	3
2	Department of Social Work (642)	-	3	2	1	1	1	8
3	Silpa Sadana (650) Post Graduation in Design, Fine Arts, Architecture or Technology or equivalent in relevant fields from any University/Institution recognized by UGC/AICTE. * Candidates should have good aesthetic sense.	-	4	3	2	1	1	11

MUSIC UNIT OF PSV

CERTIFICATE COURSE (FOLK MUSIC & RABINDRA SANGIT)

COURSE CODE : CRT

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
Six months certificate course in Application of 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	7	4	2	3	25
Modalities of Admission Admission test (online/offline) 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.								

Date and Time of Admission:

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PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA

INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE

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-year M.Sc. (Ag.) / M.Sc. courses in Agronomy, Agricultural Entomology, Agricultural Extension, Genetics & Plant Breeding, Plant Pathology, Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry, Horticulture, and Animal Science (Poultry). There are facilities for research leading to Ph.D. degree in all branches of Agricultural Sciences. Apart from teaching and research, Palli-Siksha Bhavana (Institute of Agriculture) is also engaged in extension activities in the field of agriculture in the surrounding villages and elsewhere. Rural Agricultural Work Experience and Agro-industrial Attachment (RAW & AIA) and Experimental 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 the 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. (Hons.)Agriculture.]

COURSE CODE : BSG

DURATION: 4 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 71

EIGHT SEMESTERS

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	Tot
B. Sc. (Hons.) Ag.	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/ICT	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/ICT	23	16	9	4	6	58
Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system				2	1	1	1	1	6
ICAR quota				-					11
Jammu & Kashmir				Supernumerary - 2					

GENERAL CRITERIA FOR INTEGRATED STUDENTS

There shall be a provision to get admission at the undergraduate courses of Palli Siksha Bhavana for the Integrated candidates from Visva-Bharati School system subject to fulfillment of departmental criteria.

LIST OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Department of Agronomy	Principles of Agronomy	-	50

POST-GRADUATE [M.Sc. (Ag.)]

COURSE CODE : MSC(AG)

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 72

FOUR SEMESTERS

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA & INTAKE FOR ADMISSION TO M. Sc.(Ag.) COURSE

Course	Code	Eligibility		Intake Capacity					
		For UR candidates	For OBC candidates	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Tot
Agronomy	702	60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. ((Honours) Ag.	8	5	3	1	2	19 (14+5 ICAR)
Horticulture	703	60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag./B.Sc. (Hort.) Honours	54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag./B. Sc. (Hort.) Honours	6	3	2	1	1	13 (9+4 ICAR)
Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry	704	60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	6	3	2	1	1	13 (10+3 ICAR)
Agricultural Extension	706			6	3	2	1	1	13 (10+3 ICAR)
Genetics and Plant Breeding	707			3	2	1	1	1	8 (6+2 ICAR)
Animal Science (Poultry)	708	60% marks or equivalent OGPA in B.V.Sc. & A.H./B. Sc. (Honours) Ag./B.Sc.(Zoology) Honours	54% marks or equivalent OGPA in B.V.Sc. & A.H./B. Sc. (Honours) Ag./B.Sc.(Zoology) Honours	4	3	1	1	1	10
Agricultural Entomology	709	60% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	54% marks or equivalent OGPA in four years B.Sc. (Honours) Ag.	3	2	1	1	1	8 (6+2 ICAR)
Plant Pathology	710			3	2	1	1	1	8 (6+2 ICAR)
ICAR quota within the Institute									21

25% of the seats for each M.Sc (Ag.) Courses except M.Sc. Animal Science (Poultry) will be admitted through AIEEA of ICAR.

NOTE:

1. Students satisfying (a) or (b) are eligible to apply
 (a) Students passed out from State Universities / Central Universities / State Agricultural Universities / Central Agricultural Universities / ICAR Institutes.
 (b) Students passed out from Private Universities / Institutes having ICAR accredited course.
2. The eligibility criteria for SC and ST candidates shall be pass marks in the respective qualifying examinations. Other criteria will remain unaltered.
3. The Admission Test (online/offline) for M. Sc. (Ag.)/M.Sc. Animal Sciece (Poultry) will cover subjects taught in B.Sc. (Honours)Ag. course or relevant subjects as decided by the departments concerned.

Modalities of selection for admission

1. The admission to different M.Sc. (Ag.)/M.Sc. Animal Science(Poultry) courses will be made strictly on the basis of separate applications made for the subjects concerned.
2. 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 equipments etc. (b) to carry out practical classes (c) to attend RAWEL programmes which is also an integral part of B.Sc. (Hons). Ag. degree, at different villages and organizations (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.
3. The qualifying mark in admission test M.Sc.(Ag.)/ M.Sc.Animal Science(Poultry) in different subjects shall be 30% for UR candidates and 27% for OBC candidates which may not be applicable in case of SC and ST candidates.
4. All the original mark sheet and testimonials along with one set of self-attested photocopy are to be produced during the time of counseling/admission.
5. Modalities for preparing Merit Lists for M.Sc.(Ag.)/ M.Sc. Animal Science(Poultry) Courses:
 Marks obtained in admission test out of 100
 In case of multiple candidates securing same marks in admission test, the candidate having higher OGPA or percentage of marks in relevant UG Course will be considered subsequently followed by percentage of marks secured in Higher Secondary for breaking ties in the rank.

Ph.D.**COURSE CODE : PHD****DURATION: 3-6 YEARS****COURSE CODE NO: 73****AREA OF SPECIALIZATION AND INTAKE CAPACITY FOR ADMISSION TO Ph.D. PROGRAMME**

Name of the Department (code)	Total Intake					
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	TOT
Department of Agricultural Economics (722)	1	1	0	0	0	2
Department of Agricultural Statistics (731)	1	1	0	0	0	2
Department of Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry (723)	1	1	1	0	0	3
Department of Agricultural Entomology (724)	1	1	1	0	1	4

Department of Plant Pathology (732)	1	1	1	0	1	4
Department of Agronomy (726)	4	2	1	1	1	9
Department of Horticulture & Post-Harvest Technology (729)	1	1	1	0	0	3
Department of Agricultural Extension (725)	2	2	1	1	1	7
Department of Genetics & Plant Breeding(727)	1	1	1	0	0	3
Department of Crop Physiology (733)	1	1	0	0	0	2
Department of Animal Science (721)	1	0	0	0	0	1
Department of Agricultural Engineering (728)	1	1	1	0	0	3

In addition to the guidelines for admission to Ph.D. programme given in clause 1(b)(i), ICAR-NET qualified candidates are also exempted from taking admission test.

Date and Time of Admission:

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VINAYA BHAVANA

INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION

CODE: 08

Established in 1948 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 for 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 motley of communities that vary from one another.

Vinaya Bhavana has three departments i) Department of Education ii) Department of Physical Education & iii) Department of Yogic Art and Science. It offers B.Ed., M.Ed., M.A. in Education, B.A./B. Sc.(Hons.) in Physical Education, B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed. B.Sc (Hons) in Yoga, M.Sc. Yoga, Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga 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 neighborhood 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's, CBSE & ICSE.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

B.ED.

COURSE CODE : BED

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 81

SUBJECT CODE NO: 801

FOUR SEMESTERS

B.Ed. is a NCTE recognized Regular full time two years/four semester Programme offered by the Department of Education, Vinaya-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan.

Student Intake -100

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualifications:

1. Pre-service candidates (Internal & External) and In-service candidates should have B.A. /B.Sc. / B.Mus (Rabindra-Sangit / Classical) Degree with 3-Year Honours/Major subject. The UR & EWS candidates should have at least 50% marks, OBC candidates should have 45% marks, and SC/ST candidates should have pass marks in Honours /Major Subject from any recognized University/Institution. The candidates must have studied any of the following subjects as combination at graduation level, one of which should be Honours/Major subject: Bengali, English, Hindi, Sanskrit, Santali , Economics, Geography, History (Ancient/Modern), Music (Rabindra-Sangeet / Classical), Philosophy, Mathematics, Statistics, Education, Physical Science (Physics / Chemistry) and Life Science (Botany /Zoology). Students of five years Integrated Science having Physics or Chemistry or Botany or Zoology as major subjects are also eligible.
2. **In-service candidates** should have at least 3 (Three) years continuous experience as a full time approved regular teacher in any secondary school recognized by the Central or respective State Government. He/ She has to submit a copy of the **No-Objection Certificate from the competent authority/a copy of Managing Committee Resolution regarding his/her deputation and approval letter from D.I./equivalent competent authority at the time of admission without which the application will be rejected.**
3. Age Limit: The upper age limit is ordinarily 35 years in case of pre-service candidates and 45 years in case of in-service candidates. The age of OBC, SC & ST candidates will be relaxed as per rule of the Government of India.

Modalities of Admission:

Pre-service candidates:

1. There shall be no admission test for B.Ed. Admission. All the pre-service candidates will be selected for admission on the basis of merit. Merit shall be determined on the basis of total score obtained out of 30 as stated below:
a: Madhyamik or equivalent marks will be reduced to 10.
(The percentage of aggregate marks at Madhyamik level, where aggregate marks are written or not written in the mark sheets, % of marks will be calculated by taking the best 5 subjects)
b: Higher Secondary or equivalent marks will be reduced to 10. (The percentage of aggregate marks at + 2 level, where aggregate marks are written or not written in the mark sheets, % of marks will be calculated by taking the best 5 subjects .

c: Honours or major subject marks will be reduced to 10

2. The candidates who have obtained the last Degree(Hons. /PG/Ph.D.) from Visva-Bharati with existing Registration during last three years (including the current year, 2019-2021) will be considered as internal candidates. (Candidates already obtained migration will be treated as external)
3. Selection shall primarily be made on method subject-wise taking Honours / Major in to consideration.
4. Selection will be made according to the number of seats for each method subject approved by the Central Admission Committee and also following the approval of Three-Member Committee of the University.
5. **Merit List for each one of the pedagogy of the concerned school subjects will be prepared. Subject-wise separate Merit List for SC, ST & OBC will also be prepared.**
6. **Merit List for SC, ST, OBC, and Persons with Disability (PWD) will also be prepared separately.**
7. Pre-service OBC seat(s) will be filled up from general wait list in case of non-availability of OBC candidate(s). SC seats will be filled up from ST wait list in case no SC candidates are available and vice-versa.
8. In case of any pre-service seat is laying vacant in any subject in any internal or external category (UR / OBC / SC / ST), the seat will be filled up first from the same subject from the same internal or external category (UR / OBC / SC / ST). If the vacancy is not filled up in any category within a subject, it will be transferred to category-wise (UR/ OBC / SC / ST) merit list irrespective of method subject.

In-service candidates

1. In-service candidates with at least three years continuous teaching experience, from the intern schools (not more than one teacher from each school) that have provided facility of practice teaching at least for three consecutive years to the B.Ed Internals of the Department of Education will be considered for direct admission. He/ She has to enclose a copy of the No-Objection Certificate from the competent authority/a copy of Managing Committee Resolution regarding his/her deputation and approval letter without which the application will be rejected.
Selection of In-service candidates will be done on the basis of their service seniority as well as fulfilment of eligibility criteria at their graduation stage.
In case of more than one applicant from a particular practicing school, selection will be done on the basis of seniority or as desired by the Managing Committee.
2. In case any deputed seat remains vacant , the same will be filled in on merit basis irrespective of school subjects from amongst the External Candidates .

General Information

1. Admission of foreign students will be governed under the relevant rules of Visva-Bharati as well as Government of India.
2. Vacancy (ies) occurring due to withdrawal/discontinuation/dropout /any other at a stage beyond the closing date of admission will not be filled up in any way.
3. In-service candidates may arrange to get their salary drawn from their respective schools.
4. The medium of examination and the medium of classroom instruction will be as per Visva-Bharati regulation.
5. Candidates have to give a declaration to the effect that they are not employed anywhere. In case of in-service candidates (secondary school teachers) a certificate from the competent authority is to be submitted along with the application form stating that they will be given study leave during the entire course of study.
6. All relevant information regarding Admission will be displayed on the Visva-Bharati Admission Portal.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

PRE-SERVICE: VBU STUDENT

Sl. No.	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	AIHCA	828	2	1	1	1	5
09	Modern History	829	2	2	1	0	5
10	Rabindra Sangit	830	1	1	0	0	2
11	Classical Music	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	2	1	1	1	5
17	Chemistry	837	3	1	1	0	5
18	Botany	838	2	2	1	0	5
19	Zoology	839	2	1	1	1	5
Total			38	20	11	6	75

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.

PRE-SERVICE: EXTERNAL

Sl. No.	Subject	Code	UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
1	Bengali	855	0	1	0	1	2
2	English	856	1	0	0	1	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	861	1	1	0	0	2
8	Music (Classical & Rabindrasangit)	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	867	1	0	0	0	1
14	Life Science	868	1	1	0	0	2
Total			10	5	3	2	20

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.

IN- SERVICE

UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
02	1	1	1	5

Pre-service Internal + Pre-service External + In- Service = 75+20+05=100

M.ED.

COURSE CODE : MED

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 82

SUBJECT CODE NO: 802

FOUR SEMESTERS

Two years M.Ed. is a full time Regular Four Semester NCTE recognized Programme offered by the Department of Education, Vinaya-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan.

Student Intake : 50

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualifications:

- Candidates seeking admission to the M.Ed. programme should have obtained at least 50 % marks or an equivalent Grade in the following programmes :
 - B.Ed
 - BA. B.Ed./ B.Sc. B.Ed
 - B.El.Ed.
 - D.El.Ed. with an undergraduate degree (with 50 % marks in each)

2. The UR & EWS candidates should have at least 50% marks, OBC candidates should have 45% marks, and SC/ST candidates should have pass marks in Honours /Major Subject and B.Ed. or D.El.Ed. from any recognized University/Institution.
3. Reservation and relaxation for SC/ST/OBC/PWD and other applicable categories shall be as per the rules of the Central Government.

Modalities of Admission:

Pre-service candidates:

1. There shall be admission test for M.Ed. Admission. All the pre-service candidates will be selected for admission on the basis of merit. Merit shall be determined on the basis of total score obtained out of 100 as stated below:
 - a: Madhyamik or equivalent marks will be reduced to 10.
(The percentage of aggregate marks at Madhyamik level, where aggregate marks are written or not written in the mark sheets, % of marks will be calculated by taking the best 5 subjects)
 - b: Higher Secondary or equivalent marks will be reduced to 10. (The percentage of aggregate marks at + 2 level, where aggregate marks are written or not written in the mark sheets, % of marks will be calculated by taking the best 5 subjects .
 - c: Honours or major subject marks will be reduced to 10
2. The candidates who have obtained the last Degree (B.Ed./PG/Ph.D.) from Visva-Bharati with existing Registration during last three years (including the current year, 2019-2021) will be considered as internal candidates. (Candidates already obtained migration will be treated as external)
3. Selection shall primarily be made on group of subject-wise taking B.Ed. or B.A. B.Ed. /B.Sc. B.Ed. or B.El.Ed or D.El.Ed. in to consideration.
4. Selection will be made according to the number of seats for each group of subject approved by the Central Admission Committee and also following the approval of Three-Member Committee of the University.
5. **Merit List for each one of the pedagogy of the concerned group of subjects will be prepared. Group-wise separate Merit List for SC, ST & OBC will also be prepared.**
6. **Normally, Merit List for SC, ST, OBC, and Persons with Disability (PWD) will also be prepared separately.**
7. Pre-service OBC seat(s) will be filled up from general wait list in case of non-availability of OBC candidate(s). SC seats will be filled up from ST wait list in case no SC candidates are available and vice-versa.
8. In case of any pre-service seat is laying vacant in any group in any internal or external category (UR / OBC / SC / ST), the seat will be filled up first from the same group from the same internal or external category (UR / OBC / SC / ST). If the vacancy is not filled up in any category within a group, it will be transferred to category-wise (UR/ OBC / SC / ST) merit list irrespective of group of subject.

Modalities of Selection:

There shall be an Online Entrance Test for eligible candidates and selection will be made on the basis of merit only which will be determined by the score obtained by the candidates out of maximum 100 marks as follows :

Level	Criteria	Marks
I	Academic Score # From Class X to UG & B.Ed. or B.A. B.Ed. or B.Sc. B.Ed. or B.El.Ed or D.El.Ed	40
II	Admission Test ##	60
Total		100

In Career Marking four components (i.e. Aggregate marks obtained in 10th, 12th, Graduation and B.Ed. or B.A. B.Ed. or B.Sc. B.Ed. or B.El.Ed or D.El.Ed) will be evaluated in 40 marks by distributing 10 marks for each.

Medium of Entrance test will be English only. However, the medium of examination and the medium of classroom instruction will be as per Visva-Bharati regulations.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEATS

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

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.

N.B.:

1. Candidates are advised to send all scanned copy of Mark sheets, Certificates & other Testimonials for online verification on the day of online Entrance Test.
2. Admit Cards will be issued only after verification of all Mark sheets, Certificates & other Testimonials in original.
3. The qualifying Marks in the Entrance Test shall be as per University Rules.
4. Admission of Foreign students will be governed under the relevant rule of GOI & Visva-Bharati.
5. Vacancy/ies occurring due to withdrawal / discontinuation/dropout /any other at a stage beyond the closing date of admission will not be filled up in any way.
6. Candidates have to give a declaration to the effect that they are not employed anywhere.

POST-GRADUATE (M.A IN EDUCATION)

COURSE CODE : MAE

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 83

SUBJECT CODE NO: 803

FOUR SEMESTERS

The Master of Arts in Education is a Regular Four Semester Course offered by Department of Education,Vinaya-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan.

STUDENT INTAKE -50

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

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

For External Candidates:

External candidates must have passed three year B.A. (Hons / Major) in Education with at least 50 % marks for UR & EWS, 45 % marks for OBC and Pass Marks for SC and ST candidates.

For VB Students:

Internal candidates must have passed any of the following:

Three Year B.A. (Honours.) in any other discipline with 50 % marks for UR, 45 % Marks for OBC & Pass Marks for SC & ST candidates along with Education as a Subsidiary Subject/ B.Ed. with 50 % marks for UR, 45 % marks for OBC & Pass Marks for SC & ST candidates.

Modalities of Selection:

There shall be an Online Admission Test for eligible candidates and selection will be made on the basis of merit only which will be determined by the score obtained by the candidates out of maximum 100 marks as stated below :

Level	Criteria	Marks
I	Academic Score in : a. Honours /Major in Education or b. Education as Subsidiary / B.Ed. (whichever Mark is the Highest)	50
II	Admission Test	50
	Total	100

N.B. :

1. Candidates are advised to send scanned copy of Mark Sheets, Certificates & other Testimonials for online verification on the day of Admission Test.
2. The qualifying Marks in the Admission Test shall be as per University Rules.
3. Candidates have to give a declaration to the effect that they are not employed anywhere. In case of in-service candidates, a certificate from the competent authority is to be submitted at the time of admission stating that they will be given study leave during the entire course of the study.
4. Medium of Entrance test will be English only. However, the medium of examination and classroom instruction will be as per Visva-Bharati regulations.

Ph.D.

COURSE CODE : PHD

DURATION: 3-6 years

COURSE CODE NO: 851

No Vacancy of Ph.D. seats for admission in 2021.

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORT SCIENCE

The traditional programmes of Physical Education activities offered in Santiniketan since the inception of Brahmacharyashram, 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 3-year B.Sc. (Honours) 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 .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 programmes 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 [B.SC.(HONOURS)]:CBCS COURSE

COURSE CODE : BSP

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 85

SUBJECT CODE NO: 805

SIX SEMESTERS

Intake capacity: 50

Course	Intake Capacity					
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total
B.SC.(Hons.) in Physical Education	20	13	8	4	5	50

Note: Reservation for integrated students

Up to maximum of 50% seats are reserved for integrated students (students studying in 2 (two) Visva-Bharati schools). Un-filled integrated seats will automatically be converted to External vacancy.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Educational Qualification: 50% marks in aggregate at 10+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, 2021

Admission Procedure

Distribution of marks in admission (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

A. Percentage of marks obtained in 10+2 or equivalent examination: 50 marks

B. Sports Achievement / Participation as per criteria given below: 50 Marks

Sl.	Participation Level	1 st Position	2 nd Position	3 rd Position	Only Participation
1	International	50	47.5	45	42.5
2	National and University	40	37.5	35	32.5
3.	State Championship	30	27.5	25	22.5
4.	SGFI National/ Khelo India/ Junior & Youth Games	25	24	23	21
5.	KVS/NVS/All CBSE National	20	19	18	16
6.	District (Inter Sub-division)/KVS/NVS/DAV/Regional	15	14	13	11
7.	KVS/NVS/DAV-Cluster/ Inter-School Competition	8	7	6	5

Note:

- Sports Achievement / Participation certificate must be of within last Four (4) years.
- Only highest achievement / participation will be accepted.
- Candidate must have to produce 10+2 or equivalent marksheet, highest sport achievement/participation certificate along with the **affidavit** failing which, the documents will not be accepted.
- Only the games recognized by IOA and Cricket, Ball Badminton, Yoga will be considered for awarding marks.

Reservation

Reservation for the candidates will be made as per rules of the Government of India.

Note: Candidates for this course have to be physically fit to undergo compulsorily many vigorous physical and sports activities as these are obligatory courses of this programme and approximately encompass 50% of the total credits.

GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT

S.L No.	Semester	Course Code	Course Title
1	Semester - I	GE-I	Physical Education : History and new horizon
2	Semester - II	GE-II	Physical Fitness and Skills: HRF Exercises, Track & Field, Football, Volleyball, Kho-Kho
3	Semester - III	GE-III	Lifestyle Managment and Physical activity
4	Semester - IV	GE-IV	Sports activities: Aerobics, Basketball, Cricket, Gymnastic and Yoga

B.P.Ed.

As per NCTE Guidelines, 2014

COURSE CODE : BPD

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 86

SUBJECT CODE NO: 806

FOUR SEMESTERS

Intake capacity: 50

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

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification:

1. 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.
2. Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education with 45% Marks.
Or
3. Bachelor's degree in any discipline with 45% marks and studied physical education as compulsory/ elective subject
Or
4. Bachelor's degree with 45% marks and having participated in National/ Inter University/State Competitions or secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in the Inter-College/Inter-Zonal/ District/ School competition in sports and games as recognized by the AIU/IOA/SGFI/Govt. of India.
Or
5. Bachelor's degree with participation in International competitions or secured 1st, 2nd or 3rd position in National/ Inter-University Competition in sports and games as recognized by respective federations/ AIU/IOA/ SGFI/Govt. of India.
Or
6. 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 for the candidates will be made as per the rules of the Government of India and the NCTE guidelines.

Note: Candidates for this course have to be physically fit to undergo

compulsorily many vigorous physical and sports activities as these are obligatory courses of this programme and approximately encompass 50% of the total credits.

Admission Procedure

Distribution of marks in admission (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

- A. Percentage of marks obtained in Bachelor Degree in any discipline: 50 marks
- B. Sports Achievement / Participation as per criteria given below: 50 Marks

Sl.	Participation Level	1 st Position	2 nd Position	3 rd Position	Only Participation
1	International	50	47.5	45	42.5
2	National and University	40	37.5	35	32.5
3.	State Championship	30	27.5	25	22.5
4.	SGFI National/ Khelo India/ Junior & Youth Games	25	24	23	21
5.	KVS/NVS/DAV/All CBSE National	20	19	18	16
6.	District (Inter Sub-division)/KVS/ NVS/DAV/Regional	15	14	13	11
7.	KVS/NVS/DAV-Cluster/ Inter-School Competition	8	7	6	5

Note:

- . Sports Achievement / Participation certificate must be of within last Four (4) years.
- . Only highest achievement / participation will be accepted.
- . Candidate must have to produce graduation or equivalent marksheet, highest sport achievement/participation certificate along with the **affidavit** failing which, the documents will not be accepted for awarding marks.
- . Only the games recognized by IOA and Cricket, Ball Badminton, Yoga will be considered for awarding marks.

Documents to be produce on the day of Admission (Original proof and a set of copies):

1. Marksheet of Qualifying Examination passed
2. Date of Birth Certificate
3. Reservation Certificate, where applicable
4. Highest Sports achievement Certificate
5. Current Medical Fitness Certificate

M.P.Ed.

(As per NCTE Guidelines, 2014)

COURSE CODE : MPED

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 87

SUBJECT CODE NO: 807

FOUR SEMESTER

Intake capacity: 40

Course	Code	Intake Capacity				
		UR	OBC	SC	ST	Total
M.P.ED. Course	807	20	11	6	3	40

Seats will be increased for EWS candidates after getting approval from NCTE.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification:

1. 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.
2. Reservation in seats and relaxation of marks in the qualifying examination will be as per the rules of the Central Government and NCTE guidelines.

Note: Candidates for this course have to be physically fit to undergo compulsorily many vigorous physical and sports activities as these are obligatory courses of this programme and approximately encompass 50% of the total credits.

Admission Procedure

Distribution of marks in admission (maximum 100 marks) will be made on the basis of:

- A. Percentage of marks obtained in B.P.Ed. or equivalent examination: 50 marks
- B. Sports Achievement / Participation as per criteria given below: 50 Marks

Sl.	Participation Level	1 st Position	2 nd Position	3 rd Position	Only Participation
1	International	50	47.5	45	42.5
2	National and University	40	37.5	35	32.5
3.	State Championship	30	27.5	25	22.5
4.	SGFI National/ Khelo India/ Junior & Youth Games	25	24	23	21
5.	KVS/NVS/DAV/All CBSE National	20	19	18	16
6.	District (Inter Sub-division)/KVS/ NVS/DAV/Regional	15	14	13	11
7.	KVS/NVS/DAV-Cluster/ Inter-School Competition	8	7	6	5

Note:

- . Sports Achievement / Participation certificate must be of within last four (4) years.
- . Only highest achievement / participation will be accepted.
- . Candidates must have to produce B.P.Ed. or equivalent marksheet, highest sport achievement/participation certificate with the **affidavit** failing which, the documents will not be accepted for awarding marks.
- . Only the games recognized by IOA and Cricket, Ball Badminton, Yoga will be considered for awarding marks.

Documents to be produce on the day of Admission (Original proof and a set of copies):

1. Marksheet of Qualifying Examination passed
2. Date of Birth Certificate
3. NCTE Recognition Certificate of the Institute
4. Reservation Certificate, where applicable
5. Highest sport achievement/participation certificate
5. Current Medical Fitness Certificate

Ph.D.**COURSE CODE : PHD****DURATION: 3-6 years****COURSE CODE NO: 88**

No Vacancy of Ph.D. seats for admission in 2021.

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal: **visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in**

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. Application of yoga for the prevention, care and rehabilitation of psychosomatic diseases.
6. Application 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]

COURSE CODE : BSY

DURATION: 3 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 85

SUBJECT CODE NO: 809

SIX SEMESTERS

Duration: The minimum duration of the programme will be 3 years (six semesters) and the maximum duration will be 6 years.

Intake Capacity: 49

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
B.Sc. (Hons.) in Yoga	20	13	7	4	5	49	Supernumerary

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification: The candidate should have completed 12th standard in any discipline from a recognized board or equivalent.

Method of selection: The candidates will be selected on the basis of their merits in 10+2 examination marks.

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

GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) TO BE OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT

S.L No.	Name of the Department	Course Title	Eligibility (if any)	Total Intake
1	Department of Yogic Art & Science	Yoga	-	40

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN YOGA

COURSE CODE : PGDY

DURATION: 1 YEAR

COURSE CODE NO: 89

SUBJECT CODE NO: 808

TWO SEMESTERS

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

Intake Capacity: 49

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga	20	13	7	4	5	49	Supernumerary

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification: The candidate should have completed Graduation (Bachelor's 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.

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

POST GRADUATE [M.SC IN YOGA]

COURSE CODE : MSY

DURATION: 2 YEARS

COURSE CODE NO: 87

SUBJECT CODE NO: 874

FOUR SEMESTERS

Duration: The minimum duration of the programme will be 2 years (four semesters) and the maximum will be four years.

Intake Capacity: 30

Course	Intake Capacity						
	UR	OBC	SC	ST	EWS	Total	Foreign Students
Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga	12	8	5	2	3	30	Supernumerary

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Minimum Qualification: The candidate should have completed only Bachelor's of Science in Yoga from UGC recognized University.

Method of selection: The candidates will be selected on the basis of their merits in graduation Marks.

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

Date and Time of Admission:

To be announced in the University Admission Portal:

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

APPLICATION GUIDELINES TO SCHOOLS FOR 2021-22

For the academic session 2021-2022, 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:
visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in
3. The modalities of Admission Test (wherever applicable), dates, notifications for the different classes will be informed from time to time on Visva-Bharati Website/Admission Portal/School Notice Board.
4. **Computerized Random Selection procedure through the computerized lottery system will be the mode of selection for Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala and Santosh Pathshala.**
5. **The qualifying marks of Admission Test shall be 30% for General & 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 sheets of previous examinations and other relevant documents along with self-attested photo-copies at the time of admission 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 during new normal. If any discrepancy is identified during verification, his/her provisional admission will be treated as cancelled.**
8. **In case of grading system in 10th board result, the applicants must obtain the percentage of marks for their grades mentioned in the marksheets otherwise the minimum marks in the range against the grade will be considered for the calculation.**
9. Candidates coming from other Institutions/Schools must submit Transfer certificate/School Leaving Certificates from their respective Institutions/Schools within 3 (Three) months from the date of their

- admission to this University as per rules; otherwise their admissions 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 2021-2022 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 2020 & 2021 (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 during new normal.**
 14. The Medical Insurance is mandatory. All candidates are required 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. 15% of intake capacity at the University level will be made available for international students/foreign students which will be calculated as supernumerary seats. 5% of seats out of the 15% supernumerary seats for admission of foreign students shall be earmarked for children of Indian workers in the Gulf and South East Asia.
 17. Applicants are advised to visit Visva-Bharati website www.visvabharati.ac.in or Admission Portal **visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in** for any updates (inclusion/omission) at regular intervals.
 18. **Candidates must be very careful during entry of the marks obtained in 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 mistakes committed by the applicant at the time of online application.**

19. Merit list for admission to Class XI will be made based on the results of 10th 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 2020 & 2021 (**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:
 - The candidate securing higher marks in English in class X board examination conducted by a recognized Board / Council/ University / Institute.
 - The candidate senior by date of birth.

Example Sample 1:

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, History- 98) is equal to 641.

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

23. RESERVATION GUIDELINES FOR ADMISSION

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

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

- a. 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 EWSs for benefit of reservation. Income shall also include income from all sources i.e., salary, agriculture, business, profession, etc. for the financial year prior to the year of application. Further candidates whose family owns or possesses any of the following assets shall be excluded from being identified as EWS, irrespective of the family income:
 - 5 acres of agricultural land and above;
 - Residential flat of 1000 sq. ft and above;
 - Residential plot of 100 sq. yards and above in notified municipalities;
 - Residential plot of 200 sq. yards and above in areas other than the notified municipalities.
- b. The property held by a “Family” in different location or different places/ cities would be clubbed while applying the land or property holding test to determine EWS status.
- c. The term “Family” for the purpose will include the person who seeks benefits of reservation, his/her parents and siblings below the age of 18 years as also his/her spouse and children below the age of 18 years.

Income and Asset certificate issuing Authority and Verification of certificate:

- a. The benefit of reservation under EWS can be availed upon production of an Income and Asset Certificate issued by a Competent Authority. The Income and Asset certificate issued by any one of the following authorities in the prescribed format only be accepted as proof of candidate's claim as belonging to EWS:
 - District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate /Collector/Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/1st Class Stipendary 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 inter-se merit list up to the point necessary to fulfill 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/ 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 Stipendary 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.

Differently Abled Persons (Divyangan)

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

Orthopaedically Handicapped/Locomotor disability/Cerebral Palsy:

The Orthopedically handicapped are those who have a physical defect or deformity which 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 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. 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%.

24. Application fee

Category	For first Application	For 2nd Application to another school, VB
For UR, OBC & EWS candidates	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 400/-
For SC, ST & PWD candidates	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 150/-

25. ONLINE APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Candidates have to apply through our online application system visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in. The online application allows the candidate to provide all information and also to upload scanned photograph (4 cm x 3 cm) and signature.

26. 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, Cash 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 (visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in) as well as School Notice Board at regular intervals for updates.

27. 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).

28. 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 University website / Admission portal/Bhavana notice board.

29. Important Dates and Times:

Submission of Application (Online)	Deadline for all courses:
Online publication of Merit List/Rank List	To be announced in the University Admission Portal : visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in 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.**

- * The date and the time for admission test if mentioned are tentative and subject to change as per the decision of the University considering Covid-19 pandemic.

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Visva-Bharati

PATHA BHAVANA

(INSTITUTE OF ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY & HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION)

CODE: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 single nest' (*yatra viswambhabatyekanidam*) led to its growth as a university, Visva-Bharati in 1922. *Brahmacharya Ashrama* was later renamed as Patha Bhavana in 1924. Visva Bharati was made a Central University and an Institution of National Importance in 1951 by an act of the parliament.

Patha Bhavana still upholds Tagore's idea of education, which he conceived as going beyond rote learning to add to the complete development of an individual. It was, and still is a deviation from other conventional institutions. Tagore tried to develop a curriculum which would be different from only text based learning. Facilities are there to let one's sensitive heart feel a harmony that exists in nature and to be one with it. Joy, freedom, mutual trust, 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 to 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 the learning process.

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

As was envisaged it is primarily a residential institution, though there is facility to study as a day-scholar. 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 is 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 MRINALINI ANANDA PATHSALA

Mrinalini Ananda Pathsala, 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 Pathsala.

Children are admitted to Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala at 4+ years. Advertisements for admission to Mrinalini Ananda Pathshala is generally published in the university website www.visva-bharati.ac.in in September every year. Application Forms can be downloaded from the university website. Candidates are selected on the basis of computerised random selection in December every year. Classes commence in January next year.

ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS II

Both residential and day scholars are admitted to Class II. The age of the candidates should be 7 + years. Advertisements for admission to Class II is generally published in the university website www.visva-bharati.ac.in in September every year. Application Forms can be downloaded from the university website. 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 due time.

PRE-DEGREE (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 2021-22, candidates who have successfully completed the 10th Board Examination from any recognized board in the years 2020 and 2021, 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:901	Science	80% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	72% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	6	4	2	1	2	15
Pre-Degree (+2 Level) Code: 902	Humanities	70% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	63% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	6	4	2	1	2	15

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

Integrated students from Patha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati who have successfully completed the School Certificate Examination 2021 of Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly. For requisite percentage and subject options candidates are requested to contact Patha Bhavana Office.

Course of study and subjects 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 IV. 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 subjects the students will have to take a vocational subject in Class XII from the list of available subjects.

Note :

1. 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 2020 & 2021 (except the Additional subject).
2. Weekly Holidays: Wednesday & Sunday.

SIKSHA SATRA

(INSTITUTE OF ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY & HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION)

CODE: 10

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 school 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. The activities of the students of Siksha Satra and the ideals of Rabindranath inspired Gandhi to think in terms of Basic Education.

In 1982 Siksha Satra became an independent unit of Visva-Bharati gaining its complete administrative control (earlier it was a part of Palli Samgathana Vibgha). The Junior division NCC unit was opened at Siksha Satra in 1982. In 1988, Santosh Pathsala, 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 Pathsala move on to Siksha-Satra after successful completion of two years of pre-primary training.

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 schools after completing class-X. As a result, Uttar Siksha Sadana 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 parallel to the other School under Visva-Bharati offering several subjects of study unique to its nature. The students of Siksha Satra appear in the final School Certificate Examination after Class-X and Higher Secondary Examination after Class-XII conducted by Visva-Bharati.

ADMISSION TO SANTOSH PATHSALA

In 1988 Santosh Pathsala was established in the memory of Sri Santosh Chandra Majumder, the most dedicated co- worker of Gurudev Rabindranath, the Pioneer, in forming and developing Sriniketan. This 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 Pathsala move on to Siksha-Satra after successful completion of two years of pre-primary training. Children are admitted to Santosh Pathsala at 4+ years. Advertisement for admission to Santosh Pathsala is generally published in the university website www.visva-bharati.ac.in in September every year. Application forms can be downloaded from the university website. Candidates are selected on the basis of computerized random selection. Classes normally commence in January next year.

ADMISSION OF STUDENTS TO CLASS II

The day scholar students are admitted to class II. The age of the candidates should be 7+year. Advertisement for admission to Class II is generally published in the university website www.visva-bharati.ac.in in September every year. Application forms can be downloaded from the university website. Candidates are selected on the basis of an admission test. The admission test is generally held in December every year. Classes normally commence in January next year.

PRE-DEGREE (10+2)

Online applications are invited for Admission of students to Pre-Degree Course (10+2 Level)

External (Day Scholar) candidates for admission to Pre-Degree course (10+2 Level) for 2021 in Siksha- Satra.

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 in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	72% marks in aggregate in Madhyamik Pariksha or equivalent examination	6	4	2	1	2	15
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	6	4	2	1	2	15

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

Integrated students from Siksha Satra, Visva-Bharati securing requisite percentage of marks in aggregate in the School Certificate Examination 2021 of Visva-Bharati will be admitted directly.

The following chart shows the subjects offered in Science and Humanities Pre-degree course.

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

- *For Statistics, Mathematics is compulsory
- List of compulsory Vocational Subjects (Any one to be chosen in the 2nd year)
 1. Batik
 2. Library Science
 3. Physical Education
 4. Tabla**
 5. Wood Works
 6. Rabindra Sangit**
 7. Weaving
 8. Survey Training
 9. Computer Science

** Cannot be chosen if already opted as an Elective subject

Note:

1. 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 2020 & 2021 (except the Additional subject).
2. Weekly Holidays: Saturday & Sunday

INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Students from abroad are welcome at Visva-Bharati. They may join any regular course of the University or certain specific courses specially designed for the foreign students. Before joining any course of the University they must satisfy the academic requirements set for the course. They should apply early so that all formalities may be completed by April, and they can join the course in July/August. They may have application forms any time of the year from the office of the Deputy Registrar (Academic & Research), Visva-Bharati.

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 are offered in the following subjects:

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| • A survey of Indian History and Culture | • Indian Classics |
| • Culture Studies | • Rabindra Sangit |
| • Comparative Literature | • Dance |
| • Linguistics | • Drama and Theatrical Arts |
| • Modern Indian Culture with special reference to Rabindranath and Gandhi | • Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal or Instrumental :Sitar/ Esraj/Tabla/ Pakhawaj) |
| • Indian Philosophy | • Indian Art(Painting / Sculpture / Graphic Art / Design (Textile) / Design (Ceramic) |
| • Ancient Indian Philosophy and Culture | • History of Art (Applicant should possess a graduate degree) |
| • Bengali / Hindi / Odia / Tibetan / Sanskrit language and literature | |
| • Rabindra Literature | |

Details for admission requirements may be had from the Adhyakshas (Principals) of Bhasha-Bhavana (Institute of Languages, Literature and Culture), Vidya-Bhavana (Institute of Humanities & Social Sciences), Sangit-Bhavana (Institute of Music, Dance & Drama) and Kala-Bhavana (Institute of Fine Arts) for the courses offered.

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. 15% of intake capacity is made available for international students (i.e., Foreigners, Non-resident Indians and Persons of Indian Origin) as supernumerary seats. 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. The foreign students should submit or mail their completed applications to the Deputy Registrar (Academic & Research), Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan-731235, Birbhum, West Bengal.

For all foreign transactions : State Bank of India, Branch-Santiniketan,
Branch Code-2121, IFSC-SBIN0002121,
SWIFT CODE: SBIN IN BB343
MICR: 731002003

ADMISSION GUIDELINE

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 programme 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 student is subject to fulfilling minimum eligibility requirement as prescribed for Indian general candidate 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.

FILLING UP OF ADMISSION FORM

Interested foreign national may apply online through the university website: www.visva-bharati.ac.in

For admission related matters you may contact:

Joint Registrar

(Academic & Research)

Visva-Bharati, P. O.-Santiniketan

District- Birbhum, West Bengal, Pin-731 235

Telephone +91 3463 261853

E-mail: dracad@visva-bharati.ac.in

Please go through the departmental criterias and uploaded general instructions before filling up the form.

DOCUMENTS TO BE ATTACHED WITH THE APPLICATION FORM

- Photo Copies of Date of Birth Certificate.
- Health Certificate (A Medical Fitness Certificate indicating that the candidate is medically fit and there is no communicable/infectious disease which renders him/her unfit to study in India from the authorized doctor or hospital).
- A character certificate from the Head of the Institution last attended.
- Affix your recent passport size colour photograph in the box provided
- All relevant certificates /degrees / mark sheets of previous examination passed in support of the eligibility conditions as prescribed by the University for admission (self attested)

- Mark-sheets/Degrees in a language other than English should be got translated into English language and a copy of the same duly attested should be attached.
- In case candidate is in service, a permission letter/leave sanction order from employer for the duration of programme of study applied for.
- A photo copy of passport (self attested).
- For Kala-Bhavana (Institute Fine Arts) Courses:- at least 10 Colour photographs of your Art/Work must be attached in soft version.
- For Sangit-Bhavana (Institute of Music, Dance & Drama) courses:- Audio-Visual/ Audio CDs/Cassettes must be sent separately to the Principal's office.

SUBMISSION OF FORM

The duly filled in International Admission Form is to be sent to the Joint Registrar (Academic and Research), Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, PIN-731235 with a bank draft drawn in favour of Visva-Bharati Santiniketan payable at State Bank of India, Santiniketan Branch, IFSC SBIN0002121. Payment can also be made online at the time of filling up the application form through directed merchant website.

The fee structure is as follows

SAARC Countries	NON-SAARC Countries
Rs.5000 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 Online Applications recieved will be forwarded to the admission committee constituted by the concerned department / faculty for screening of applications for foreign nationals. The committee 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
Email: aiu@del2.vsnl.net.in
Website: <http://www.aiuweb.org>
Candidates may visit www.visva-bharati.ac.in for the detailed information regarding the eligibility requirements.

SCHOOLING FROM INDIAN BOARD & INDIAN UNIVERSITIES

Those foreign nationals who have appeared for Grade 12th examination from an Indian Board or passed their last qualifying examination from an Indian University will come under the category of 15% 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 office of 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) Reports 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 Indira 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 filling 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

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TRANSFER & CHANGE OF COURSE

No request for any Change of Course and /or Bhavana will be entertained after 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 Relations (ICCR)

Azad Bhawan, Indraprastha Estate,

New Delhi-110002, India

Contact no.- (91) 011-23379309, (91) 011-23379310, (91) 011-23376315

Website : www.iccrindia.net

Email: iccr@vsnl.com

DISCIPLINE

The international students will abide by the rules of the Visva-Bharati and the code of 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 scholar) 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 ATM.

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 Coordination Cell
Visva-Bharati
visvabharati.acc@visva-bharati.
ac.in

Helpline Numbers:
+91-8967733446
+91-8967733447
Timing to contact:
10:30 AM to 5:30PM
(Weekdays)

visvabharatiadmission.samarth.edu.in

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