

QUALIFYING ENTRANCE EXAMINATION FOR M.PHIL & Ph.D ONLINE REGISTRATION
FOR JANUARY 2020

TENTATIVE SCHEDULED FOR REGISTRATION

Opening of online portal for Entrance Exam	: 19.12.2019
Closing of online Portal	: 21.01.2020
Date of Qualifying Entrance Examination	: 25.01.2020
Results to be published on	: 29.01.2020
Opening of Online Portal for M.Phil./Ph.D. Registration	: 29.01.2020
Closing of Online Portal for M.Phil./Ph.D. Registration	: 12.02.2020
Tentative Date of Counselling	: 3 rd Week of February 2020



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(A State University, Re-Accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC)
Abishekapatti Tirunelveli – 627 012, Tamil Nadu, India



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REGISTRAR

**Qualifying Entrance Examination for M.Phil& Ph.D. through
Online Portal January 2020.**

Fellowships are available to the scholars who enrol for Ph.D full time in the University Departments based on their marks

I. Instruction to Candidates:

1. Candidates are instructed to read the Ph.D. Regulations w.e.f. 01.07.2016 for Ph.D Programme given in our Official Website: www.msuniv.ac.in.
2. Qualifying Entrance Examination is mandatory for registration to M.Phil & Ph.D.
3. Candidates with **NET/SET/JRF/GATE** qualifications are exempted from Qualifying Entrance Examination.
4. A pass in the Qualifying Entrance Examination is valid for one year. (Two sessions)
5. Online Application for Qualifying Entrance Examination and Online Application for registration for M.Phil and Ph.D. are separate.
6. The Ph.D. programme Online registration will be permitted **twice a year i.e. January and July sessions**. Candidates are permitted to join in **M.Phil.programme once in a year i.e. June** only.
7. Entrance Examination result shall be downloaded by the candidates from the website as soon as the results are published.
8. Bharat Ratna Dr.M.G.Ramachandran Centenary Research Fellowship amount of Rs.5,000/- per month (other than scholars getting fellowship from other funding agencies) will be awarded to the top ranking Ph.D. full time scholars doing research in the University Departments for the maximum period of three years by taking into account of the performance in the qualified entrance examination to be conducted.

Candidates who have passed Master's Degree through Open University system are not eligible, Candidates who have secured their Master's Degree and M.Phil with 55% or its equivalent grade of marks (relaxation of 5% of marks to SC/ST/OBC (non creamy layer)/differently abled under (11+1)/(10+2)+3+2 and 10+3+2+2 pattern of courses of study shall be eligible for Ph.D. programme.

II. Selection Process :

- 1) Candidates will be admitted for Ph.D programme through a common entrance test for each discipline, followed by an interview. Both the entrance test and the interview will be conducted in the University premises.
- 2) The written examination will be in the forenoon session and interview will be conducted in the afternoon session for Ph.D.
- 3) The Interview will be conducted by forming different interview committees followed by the examination.
- 4) At the time of interview, the candidates are expected to discuss their research interest/area.
- 5) Entrance Examination will be conducted in the subjects of Master Degree obtained by the candidate.
- 6) Pass Percentage in the entrance examination (combined marks of both writtenexamination and interview) shall be as given below.

Written Test and interview

General	55%
SC/ST/BC, MBC/DNC	50%

The results can be downloaded from the Website using their register number/phone number as log in ID.

III. Subjects for Qualifying Examination:

Candidates can appear for Qualifying Examination only in the discipline of their study in PG. When there is no Research Centre for PG discipline of the candidate, the candidate has to choose anyone relevant subject to their PG Discipline from the given list of subjects.

Discipline Code	Subject Name
01	Tamil
02	Folklore
03	English
04	History/History and Tourism
05	Sociology
06	Social work
07	Economics
08	Commerce
09	Education
10	Management Studies
11	Communication
12	Physical Education
13	Library and Information Science
14	Mathematics
15	Physics
16	Chemistry
17	Statistics
18	Environmental Science
19	Marine Biotechnology / Marine Science
20	Geo Technology/Geology
21	Criminology and Criminal Justice
22	Biotechnology
23	Microbiology

24	Animal Science/Zoology/Advanced Zoology and Biotechnology
25	Plant Science/Botany/Plant Biology and Plant Biotechnology
26	Computer Science/Computer Applications/Computer Science & Engineering
27	Information Technology & Engineering
28	Nutrition and Dietetics (M.Phil., course)

IV. Schedule of Entrance Exam. & Online Registration:

Website www.msuniv.ac.in

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Venue of Examination :

All Ph.D &M.Phil Candidates
(Except Nagercoil & Kerala area) : **M.S University Campus,
Abishekapatti,
Tirunelveli – 12.**

For M.Phil, candidates from Nagercoil &
Kerala area : S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil

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Applications (Online) are invited for Qualifying Entrance Examination for online registration of M.Phil & Ph.D Programmes in various disciplines of this University. Those who are appearing in final semester in PG Course /M.Phil. Course can also apply. But, at the time of Ph.D. admission they should have qualified in their respective PG discipline and should submit the final mark sheet and candidates who are applying Ph.D programme based on their M.Phil course should also submit the M.Phil final mark statements. The details regarding the list of Subjects/Disciplines, Eligibility, Fee Structure, Date of Entrance Examination and other information are available in the University Website <http://www.msuniv.ac.in>.

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Candidates desirous of appearing the above said Qualifying Entrance Examination can apply through online in the research link of this University website: www.msuniv.ac.in. The fee for online registration is Rs.1000/-.

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