



PURNEA UNIVERSITY, PURNEA

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Ref. No. PUP (01/24 DR Acd) –R/24-1008

Date:- 28.09.2024

Ph.D Admission Test (PAT) – 2023

Notification

Online Applications are invited from desirous and eligible applicants for Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT), 2023 as per Regulations approved by the Governor's Secretariat, Bihar, vide memo no. BSU – 05/2010 (2684 / GS (1) dated 21.09.2017 and BSU (Regulation) – 05 /2010 – 3230 / GS (1), dated 18.12.2018 for pursuing the Doctoral Degree.

Online applications will be accepted through the University website www.purneauniversity.ac.in from 28.09.2024 to 06.10.2024 in the following subjects.

Subjects in which test will be conducted:

SI. No.	Subject	Vacant Seat	Faculty
1.	Hindi	15	Humanities
2.	English	15	
3.	Urdu	08	
4.	Bengali	00	
5.	Sanskrit	01	
6.	Philosophy	09	
7.	Persian	00	
8.	Maithili	03	
9.	Economics	07	Social Science
10.	History	12	
11.	Psychology	01	
12.	Geography	00	
13.	Sociology	04	
14.	Home Science	02	
15.	Political Science	07	
16.	Music	00	Science
17.	Physics	04	
18.	Chemistry	01	
19.	Botany	02	
20.	Zoology	03	
22.	Mathematics	02	
23.	Commerce	08	Commerce

Total:- 104

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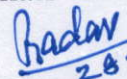
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Eligibility for Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT) – 2023

- (i) Candidates for admission to the Ph.D. programme shall have a Master's Degree with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the aggregate (or an equivalent grade in point scale, wherever system is followed).
- (ii) A relaxation of 5% of marks, from 55% to 50% or an equivalent relaxation of grade will be allowed for those belonging to SC /ST/EBC/OBC/Differently-abled categories of candidates.
- (iii) A candidate shall ordinarily be permitted to pursue research for the Ph.D. degree in the subjects in which he/she holds Master's degree / Allied subject from a recognized university (with respect to Allied subjects, the list of concerned (Core) subjects and their Affiliated subjects issued by Bihar State University Service Commission will be applicable).
- (iv) Appearing candidates are not eligible for Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT – 2023)

Exemptions from the written test of Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT) – 2023

1. Candidates who have secured grants for research such as fellowship / scholarship- / associateship etc. by qualifying UGC / NET / CSIR-NET/GATE/MHRD Scholarship / Teacher Fellowship /DBT / ICMR / ICAR / DST – INSPIRES /CSSIR, ICHR etc.
2. Assistant Professors, Associate Professors, and Professors who have been appointed on substantive post in the UGC pay scale in the teaching departments of the University or a constituent college of the University who have completed their probation successfully with an experience of at least two years of uninterrupted service would be considered under this category. Teachers appointed in self-finance will not be exempted from the test.
3. Non-teaching employees of the University, who are holding substantive appointment for more than five years having at least 55% marks in Master's degree in the subject concerned, and with at least two research papers published in any reputed refereed journal or journals identified by the UGC would be considered under this category.

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Note:- Candidates who are exempted from the written test of Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT), have to submit their application online along with the required fee. Also, those candidates who have passed PAT- 22 are exempted from Ph.D Admission Test (PAT) for three consecutive years.

How to Apply: -

Candidates are required to upload the duly filled Application Form, along with requisite Test Fee and required documents, from 28.09.2024 to 06.10.2024.

Note: Application Form will not be displayed after due date on the official website. Incomplete Application will not be entertained.

Entrance Test Fee: -

- A. General /OBC / EBC /EWS = Rs. 1000/-
- B. SC / ST / Pwd = Rs. 700/-

Mode of Payment

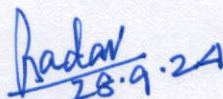
Online payment (non-refundable) will be accepted only through payment gateway during filling up of Application Form.

Pattern of Ph.D. Admission Test (PAT – 2023)

The PAT will consist of two papers of 100 marks each.

Paper I: Paper I shall consist of multiple choice question on qualitative teaching and research aptitude.

Paper II: Paper II shall be subjective type in the subject concerned, based on the syllabus of Post Graduate Courses of Purnea Univeristy, Purnea.

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Interview

Interview will be of 20 marks. It is mandatory for all including exempted candidates from PAT to appear before the Interview Board.

The minimum qualifying marks will be as follows.

- For General candidates – 50% aggregate marks
- For Reserved category candidates – 45% aggregate marks

Entrance Test Schedule

The test will be held in two sittings which are as follows:

Entrance Date: 27.10.2024 (Sunday)	
Paper I	11:00 A.M to 12:00 Noon
Paper II	2:00 P.M to 04:00 P.M

Entrance Test Centre

Test will be held at the centres of Purnea District, which will be duly communicated to the candidates on time. The selection of candidates will be based on the basis of marks obtained in Written Test and Interview, combined together.

Reservation Policy

The reservation policy of the State Government will be applicable on the total number of available seats in each subject at the point of education.

Note: As per Governor's Secretariat, Bihar, Memo No. BSU (Regulation)- 05/ 2010 – 3230 / GS (1) Dated 18.12.2018, the subject wise merit list will be prepared on a scale of 100 including marks in Master Degree; weightage on PAT/NE/BET/JRF and interview as mentioned in table I, given below.

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Percentage marks in Master Degree	Weightage
50% to < 55%	40
55% to < 60%	45
60% to < 65%	50
65% to < 70%	55
70% to < 75%	60
75% to < 80%	65
80% and above	70
Eligibility without fellowship (PAT/NET/BET)	05
Eligibility with fellowship (JRF)	10
Interview	20
Total (maximum)	100

10 marks will be given to the teachers and non-teaching employees (having more than three years experience) as given to JRF.

Note:

1. The University reserves the right to amend, update or delete any part of the notice without giving any prior information. Any change, so made shall be updated on the University website.
2. Detailed process of making online application for the test is available on the University website www.purneauniversity.ac.in
3. Applicants are advised to check the portal regularly for any admission update. Grievances resulting from not having visited the portal will not be entertained.
4. In case of non-compliance with any of the requirements for admission, including non submission of relevant documents and / or non payment of fees within the prescribed date and time, the applicant will lose his/her right to admission.
5. Helpline numbers and E-mail regarding any problem related to PAT – 2023 are given below.
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