Gujarat Vidyapith: Ahmedabad

Ph.D. Admission – 2018

Information Brochure / Application Form*

Available seats: Gujarati-7, Hindi-11, Economics-16, Sociology-3, History-12, Social Work-14, Journalism and Mass Communication-10, Computer Science-10, Social Science (Peace Research)-2, Social Science (Gandhian Thought)-2, Education-21, Social Science (Adult Education-Population Education)-6, Microbiology-12, Physical Education-38, Rural Management-15.

(1) Instructions

- 1. Application Fee for the Academic Year 2018-19 is Rs. 500/-. (Fee is non-refundable.)
- 2. Applicants must have secured a minimum of 55 % of marks in the post-graduation in those subjects which have been indicated in the Ph.D. Admission Brochure or any other subjects (M.A., M.B.A., M.Com., M.Sc., M.Ed., M.R.M., M.Lib, M.C.A., M.S.W., M.P.Ed., M.P.E.S.). Minimum marks for SC, ST, OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) candidates is 50%.
- **3.** Applicants whose result of final year or final semester of post-graduation is still awaited may apply if the result of the previous year or semester conforms to the criteria mentioned above.
- 4. Application Form are to be filled up online on the website of Gujarat Vidyapith www.gujaratvidyapith.org from 14/05/2018 to 31/05/2018. The applicant must fill up the required details in the application form and submit the same. After submitting, print-out of the application form is to be downloaded. Paste a passport size photograph on the application form and submit it manually at Gujarat Vidyapith between 12:00 and 5:00 pm up to 01/06/2018 (08:00 am to 12 Noon on Saturday). Application form must be submitted along with receipt of SBI collect of Rs. 500. (link: https://www.onlinesbi.com/preligin/icollecthome.htm? corpID=650400)
- 5. Admission may be canceled at any stage if the information provided by the candidate is found to be false or incomplete.
- **6.** Apart from language courses, any applicant who desires to pursue the course in any other medium of instruction apart from Gujarati must contact the Examination Department of Gujarat Vidyapith before filling up the Application Form.
- 7. Seats have been reserved in accordance with the policy of Government of India: SC 15%, ST 7.5%, OBC 27%, PH 5%. The reserved seats will be considered keeping in view the overall policy of Gujarat Vidyapith. Two extra seats can be allotted to the students from Jammu and Kashmir.
- **8.** For admission in Ph.D. any applicant will be entitled to apply only in one subject. If in any case of applications in more than one subject, the applicant will be admitted only in the subject of which s/he has taken the entrance test.

(2) Entrance Examination

The Entrance Test comprises two criteria: (1. Based on Gandhian Thought & Ideology, 2. Subject related Research Aptitude). It will be conducted on 07-07-2018 Saturday from 9.00 am to 12.00 pm.

1. Paper of Gandhian Thoughts

- a. Exam (of 50 marks) will be conducted from 09:00 am to 10:30 am.
- **b.** Candidates entering after 09:15 am will not be allowed to take the exam.
- c. Passing Marks will be 40%.
- **d.** The structure of the Question Paper
 - i. Multiple Choice Questions (15)

15 Marks

ii. Short Answer Questions (3)

15 Marks

- iii. Essay Questions (2 Questions with internal options) 20 Marks
- **e.** Reference book for the exam is *Gandhiji's Autobiography or The story of my experiments with Truth.*

- **f.** The reference book will be given to candidate at the time of the acceptance of the Application Form
- **g.** Those candidates who apply via post are requested to get the reference book on their own. The reference book will not be sent via post.
- h. The English Version on this book is available in the form of e-book on this link: http://www.mkgandhi.org/ebks/gandhiebooks.htm

2. Paper on Research Aptitude related to the subject

- Applicant having UGC JRF/NET/SET can claim exemption from this exam. Candidates are
 instructed to make a note of this in the Application form. Marks obtained in the Paper on
 Gandhian Thoughts by the exempted candidates will be considered as the score in the process
 of the preparation of the Merit List.
- Paper will be of 50 marks. It will be conducted from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm.
- Passing Marks will be 40%.
- The structure of the Question Paper
 - Multiple Choice Questions (15)
 Short Answer Questions (3)
 Marks
 - o Essay Questions (2 Questions with internal options) 20 Marks
- The objective of this test is to evaluate the aptitude of the candidates on :
 - Research Methodology and Statistical Ability 30 Marks
 - Use of ICT in Research
 05 Marks
 - o New Areas of Research in the concerned subject 15 Marks

Information regarding New Areas/Novel trends (NOOTAN PRAVAH) in the research in the concerned areas and the question papers of the previously conducted entrance examinations are available on the website of Gujarat Vidyapith.

There is no provision for reassessment for any entrance test.

3 Regarding Final Admission

- Of the total number of seats advertised, upto 50% will be preferred for candidates who have cleared JRF/NET/SET on their own Category (SC, ST, OBC etc.). The distribution of seats will be the preserve of the Admission Committee.
- Candidates must secure 40% on each entrance test and average score of the both test should be 50% and more, will be considered for merit list.
- The applicants don't need to attach any testimonials or certificates along with the application form. Only those who qualify test will be required to present self-attested copies of the following certificates within the quoted time limit. If failed to do so, the admission form will be canceled.
 - 1. Copy of SC/ST/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer)
 - 2. Physically handicap certificate
 - 3. Copy of the mark sheet of BA/B Com/B Sc etc.
 - 4. Copy of the mark sheet of final semester/year of M. A. / M. Com. / M. Sc. or the semester/year preceding the final one.
 - 5. Copy of the UGC JRF/NET/SET.
 - 6. Copy of the AADHAR card.

Important: Gujarat Vidyapith will not be responsible for any sort of problem which may arise in future for those candidates who have sought and got admission into subjects other than their subject in the Masters Degree.

^{*}This information is the translation of original in Gujarati.

Process to pay admission process fee through SB Collect:

- 1. Log on www.gujaratvidyapith.org
- 2. Click: online fee payment
- 3. Click here to make payment. SB Collect will appear.
- 4. Click on Box, then click Proceed.
- 5. Select payment category and then click Admission Form Fee.
- 6. Enter details, M.Phil. Admission Form No.....(M-000) in remarks.
- 7. After successful payment, attach receipt with application form and preserve one copy.

Phone: 079-40016214 and 40016234

All information regarding M.Phil./PhD. admission process will be displayed on website, so please visit regularly for latest update. We will send all the necessary information by registered email also, So candidates have to mention their valid and regularly used email id. Gujarat Vidyapith does not responsible for not getting any information due to incorrect email id or any other reasons.