

CUCET-2018

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. **THE CUCET-2018 Examination:** A consortium of 10 Central Universities of **Haryana, Jharkhand, Jammu, Karnataka, Kashmir, Kerala, Punjab, Rajasthan, South Bihar and Tamil Nadu** established by an act of Parliament and the **Bengaluru Dr. B.R. Ambedkar School of Economics (BASE)** registered under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act, jointly organize a combined **CENTRAL UNIVERSITIES COMMON ENTRANCE TEST (CUCET - 2018)** for admission to their various programmes.

2. **Schedule of CUCET-2018 Examination:**

ACTIVITY	DATE
Opening of online Application Form for all programs	19 February 2018
Closing of online Application Form for all programs	26 March 2018
Last date to accept the fee through Challan generated upto 24:00 hrs. on 26 th March, 2018	27 March 2018
Issue of Admit Cards	13 April 2018
Exam Dates	28-29 April 2018
Answer Key upload	30 April 2018
Grievances, if any, upto	05.00 pm on 02 May 2018
Corrected Answer Key ready	09 May 2018
Result Declaration	25 May 2018

3. **List of Programmes offered by the PUs, Eligibility Criteria, Number of Seats :**

For details – [Please Click here.](#)

4. Reservation of Seats as per Government of India (GoI) / Participating Universities (PUs) Norms. Students are strongly advised to refer to website of individual PU for reservation policy of respective University.
5. **All applicants are advised to check the eligibility criteria thoroughly before applying for the programme, because, different universities have different eligibility criteria for similar programmes. Hence, students will be themselves responsible if they opt for a programme for which they are not eligible.**
6. **Applications should be submitted ONLINE only; OFFLINE applications will NOT be accepted.**
7. Applicants are required to have a valid personal email ID and mobile number which should be kept active during the entire admission process, so that the university may send alerts, important communications etc. regarding entrance test on them. Under no circumstances, should the candidate share/ mention his/her email ID with any other person.
8. As all communication will be made through email and SMS, please ensure that DND (Do Not Disturb) is not activated on your mobile.
9. **Applicants should be ready with his/her good quality and latest digital photograph and signature of size between 10 KB - 20 KB while applying, the detailed information about which has been given above in the GUIDELINES TO UPLOAD PHOTOGRAPH AND SIGNATURE.**
10. Applicants are required to fill in the details in the form carefully without making any spelling mistakes. On submission of online application successfully, applicants can make the **payment** for their selected programme by **Online or Offline** mode.

12. An applicant can fill the form partially and login again to complete it as early as possible on or before the last date.
13. Test Centre cities – Each candidate should choose Test Centre City of his/her choice from Annexure-II. Change of Test Centre City will not be permitted after submission of application form. In case, less than 100 candidates register for a particular centre, it will be cancelled and the candidates will be required to appear at nearby centre allotted to him/her (as given by the candidate or decided by CUCET 2018).
14. Applicants will receive SMS and Email alerts at the time of registration and also after completing the registration.
15. A candidate can apply for a particular programme for a maximum of three PUs with a maximum of 03 options of programmes in each of the selected PU.
16. In case a candidate wishes to opt for more PUs with additional (extra) programme(s), he/she can opt for “Add-On” option by paying additional prescribed fee again.

17. **Fee Structure :**

Category	Application Fee
General/ OBC Candidates	Rs. 800/-
SC/ST Candidates	Rs. 350/-
PWD Candidates	Nil

Note:

1. A Candidate can apply for payment through netbanking/debit/credit card or through Challan
 2. GST and other taxes as applicable by Govt. of India/ Bank.
 3. A candidate can apply for 03 PUs by paying application fee as mention above. He / she can select upto three programs in each PU.
 4. The Students can further apply upto 03 additional PU's(03 programmes each) by availing Add-on facility by paying additional fee Rs. 800/- (Gen/OBC Candidates) or Rs. 350/- (SC/ST Candidates)
18. If an applicant pays the examination fee through Offline Challan mode of SBI, the bank charges (as levied by the bank) will be borne by the candidate.
 19. Candidates are allowed to appear for CUCET-2018 **provisionally** subject to the final verification of mark sheets/degrees/certificates, validity of certificates/mark sheets of qualifying examination and also of non-involvement in the adoption of unfair means in any of the University Examinations/ Entrance Tests held earlier, at the time of admission.
 20. The candidates appearing in the qualifying examination can also apply for CUCET-2018, but at the time of admission counselling, he/she will have to produce the mark sheet/degree about their fulfilling the eligibility criteria.
 21. Mere appearance in the Entrance Test for securing pass marks at the CUCET-2018 does not entitle a candidate to be considered for admission to the programme applied unless he/she fulfils the eligibility criteria/conditions.
APPLICANTS MUST FULLY SATISFY THEMSELVES ABOUT THEIR ELIGIBILITY AS PRESCRIBED, BEFORE FILLING IN THE APPLICATION FORM.
 22. If an applicant appears inadvertently at the Entrance Test who otherwise does not fulfil the minimum eligibility requirements, he/she cannot, at a later date, use that as a right to claim that he/she meets the eligibility requirements. Concerned University reserves the right to cancel/refuse admission at any point of time if it is found that:

- (i) Minimum eligibility requirements are not fulfilled.
- (ii) False documentation has been done, or, facts have been suppressed.
- (iii) Any other similar reason.

23. Candidates admitted to any programme in the concerned University shall not be eligible to pursue simultaneously any other full-time programme in this or in any other University/ Institution.

24. Question Paper pattern: -

All Question Papers will be MCQ based consisting of: -

- (i) Part A : English Language, general awareness, mathematical aptitude and analytical skills – comprising of 25 MCQs
- (ii) Part B: Domain Knowledge – comprising of 75 MCQs. This part may consist of one/two/three or more sections. Each section can have 25 or more questions. A candidate is required to answer a set of ‘X’ sections (75 questions) as specified on the front cover of the Test Question Booklet. However, he/she must ensure that he/she fills right circles in the OMR Sheet corresponding to the question numbers attended.
- (iii) For example, Part B of Entrance Test-Paper (eg. UGQP01) shall consist of four sections i.e. Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology comprising 25 questions each. A candidate shall be required to attempt any three sections with combination of either PCM or PCB. While choosing the combination the candidate must ensure that he/she has appeared in respective subjects at 10+2 or Pre-board or equivalent qualifying exam.
- (iv) If an Entrance Test-paper contains X number of sections and a candidate is required to answer Y number of sections but if a candidate attempts all ‘X’ sections then best of ‘X’ sections as per instructions on the question booklet will be considered for preparation of Merit list.
- (v) Admission to some Integrated Programmes/B.Voc./MBA/MCA/LLB or any other general Programme, only one paper comprising of 100 MCQs covering English language, reasoning, data interpretations/numerical ability, general awareness and analytical skills will be held.
- (vi) The candidate will have to choose one correct answer and mark on OMR Sheet. However if a candidate marks multiple entries in the OMR Sheet for particular question(s), it will be treated as wrong answer with negative marking.
- (vii) Each paper will be only of Two Hours Duration.
- (viii) **There will be negative marking in CUCET-2018.** Each correct answer will carry 01 mark and for each wrong answer, 0.25 mark will be deducted. Questions not attempted will not be assessed and hence will not be considered for preparing final merit list.

25. After uploading of answer keys for various Test –papers for all UG/PG/Ph.D. programmes on 30.04.2018, a candidate may submit his / her grievance only through an email (no hard copy will be accepted) at

engcucet2018@curaj.ac.in, if any, regarding any question in the paper in the following format upto 02.05.2018 (midnight):

Date & Time of Exam	Test Paper Code	Series (A,B,C,D) if any	Question Number	Grievance(s)	Correct answer according to student	Reason selected for correct answer	Scanned copies of relevant portion of three References (Text Book/ Journal/ Any Other)

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The grievances received from candidates will be evaluated by committee of expert(s) and the decision of the expert(s) will be final.

26. In case a candidate appears in Test-paper exam other than that specified in his/her application form/admit card, his/her exam will be cancelled. It is the responsibility of the candidate to appear in correct Test-paper prescribed for chosen programme.
27. Use of unfair means, as reported by Test Centers, shall automatically disqualify the candidate from CUCET-2018.
28. **After completion of exam(s) in CUCET-2018, candidates will be allowed to take Question Booklet and duplicate copy of OMR Sheet. However, each candidate must ensure to handover original OMR Sheet to the invigilator.**
29. (a) Application form through Postal/Courier/Personal mode will not be accepted under any circumstances.
(b) The candidate will be solely responsible for completion of online application form including payment of online/offline fees on or before the expiry of last date/time.
30. After CUCET 2018 result is declared, candidates will be allotted seats in order of merit in their respective programme and university/ institute through online / offline counselling. The counselling session will be conducted at each university/ institute separately and notified accordingly on their respective websites. **There will be separate fee for online counselling.** Candidates are advised to visit the CUCET 2018 and PUs website for admission counselling process.