

VBT'S INSTITUTE OF ARTS & HUMANITIES

(A Constituent College of C. U. Shah University)

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Guidelines for Admission (2017-18) Guidelines for Master of Arts Programme

Dear Student-Parents,

Greetings from the Faculty of Arts & Humanities!

Congratulations on your success at the Bachelor's exam! With a deep sense of pleasure, we welcome your decision to apply for admission to First Year class at the Faculty of Arts & Humanities for the Master of Arts (MA) programme and convey our heartfelt wishes for your bright future...!

Please read carefully the Admission guidelines for MA programme published in this document. The online registration for Entrance test PGELCT – 2017 (Post Graduate English Language & Literature Competences Test – 2017) opens from the 1st May 2017.

With best wishes and Thanks!!!

- **Eligibility Criteria, Admission Plan and Other Information:**

1. **Eligibility Criteria:**

- 1.1 **For M. A. English:**

- a. Applicant should have passed **B. A. degree with English as a Principal Subject** with minimum 50% or equivalent grade (for General Category) and 45% or equivalent grade (For OBC / SC / ST & Other Category) from a recognised Indian or Foreign University.
 - b. Eligible candidates will have to pass Entrance Test (PGELCT – 2017) with at least 50% marks or equivalent grade in written and oral test to be administered by English Department.

- 1.2 **For M. A. Diaspora Studies:**

- a. Applicant should have passed **B. A. degree with any language (English / Gujarati / Hindi)** with minimum 50% or equivalent grade (for General Category) and 45% or



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equivalent grade (For OBC / SC / ST & Other Category) from a recognised Indian or Foreign University.

- b. Eligible candidates will have to pass Entrance Test (PGELCT – 2017) with at least 50% marks or equivalent grade in written and oral test to be administered by English Department.

1.3 For M. A. Psychology:

- a. Applicant should have passed **B. A. degree with Psychology** as a Principal Subject with minimum 50% or equivalent grade (for General Category) and 45% or equivalent grade (For OBC / SC / ST & Other Category) from a recognised Indian or Foreign University.
- b. Eligible candidates will have to pass Entrance Test (PGELCT – 2017) with at least 50% marks or equivalent grade in written and oral test to be administered by English Department.

2. About National Level Postgraduate Entrance Test (NPGET – 2017)

Entrance Test will be of **1.30 hour duration containing 100 marks MCQ**. The MCQ will be based on four subjects as below:

2.1 FOR M. A. (English): Medium of Instruction: English

- a) General Knowledge & Reasoning - 10 Questions
- b) Basic Computer Skills - 10 Questions
- c) English Grammar - 30 Questions
- d) English Literature and Criticism - 50 Questions

2.2 For M. A. in Diaspora Studies: (Medium: English / Hindi / Gujarati)

- a) General Knowledge & Reasoning - 10 Questions
- b) Basic Computer Skills - 10 Questions
- c) Language Skills - 30 Questions
- d) Diaspora Studies (History and Literature) - 50 Questions



2.3FOR M. A. (Psychology): Medium of Instruction: Gujarati

- a) General Knowledge & Reasoning - 10 Questions
b) Basic Computer Skills - 10 Questions
c) Psychology - 80 Questions

- MCQ items shall be based on the common syllabus taught at the graduate level at various universities in Gujarat.
- The entrance test shall be followed by Personal Interview conducted by the department of English.

3. Merit Calculation for Admission:

The final merit for the admission will be calculated as given below:

Written Test (50 %) (A)	Personal Interaction (PI) (50%) (B)	B.A. Degree (will be considered only when same marks have been secured by candidate)	Total Out of (100)
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Note: The request of re-checking / re-assessment / paper showing of entrance test by the candidate is not allowed. The decision of the committee formed by the department shall be final. No one shall be allowed to create dispute regarding the examination.

4. Admission Plan:

- Online Registration is mandatory for securing admission at Faculty of Arts & Humanities. (Please visit www.cushahuniversity.ac.in/Admission/NLPGET17)
- Mode of Admission: Entrance Test and Personal Interview.
- Exam Fee: For Indians: Rs. 300/- (non-refundable)**
: For International Students: \$ 20(non-refundable)

Last Date of Sending Entrance Exam form:	20 May, 2017
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Issuing Hall Tickets of Entrance Exam	21 May, 2017 to 29 May, 2017
Date of Entrance Test:	31 May, 2017 Wednesday, 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Personal Interview:	03 June, 2017 Saturday 11:00 a.m. onwards
Merit List Display:	06 June, 2017 Tuesday 03:00 p.m. (Please visit website and departmental Notice Board)
Fee Submission:	07 June, 2017 to 17 June, 2017 up to 05:00 p.m.
Commencement of Class:	19 June, 2017 (Please visit the department for Time Table)

Note:

- i) The Syllabus of entrance test will be based on the syllabus of English /Diaspora Studies offered at UG level in any recognized university.
- ii) Those who are awaiting for the result of their final semester may also apply, subject to condition that they will notify their result to the department at the time of Interview.

5. General Guidelines for filling up the forms:

(How to fill up the forms on web portal)

- 1) Visit on website: www.cushahuniversity.ac.in
- 2) Click on the link Admission
- 3) Click on another link NLPGET17
- 4) Fill up the required data carefully
- 5) Save the data and then click on **Bank Challan**
- 6) Take a print out of the challan and deposit Rs. 300 exam fee by challan in any HDFC branch of your town.
- 7) Select an Exam Centre from the given options. i.e. Surendranagar, Rajkot and Morbi.
The candidate will not be allowed in making changes in Examination Centre in any case once it is allotted to them.
- 8) Take a print out of your Entrance exam form.



- 9) Paste a passport size photo (do not staple please) on the form and send all the documents by courier / post to:

The Dean, VBT's Institute of Arts & Humanities, Old Rainbow School Campus, Opp. Darbar Boarding, Nr. Bhaktinandan Circle, 80 Feet Road, Wadhwan City , Dist: Surendranagar – 363002 (Gujarat)

5.1 The following documents must be attached with the Entrance Exam Form:

- i) Copy of Bank Challan
 - ii) Photocopy of Mark sheet of S. S. C. and H. S. C.
 - iii) Photo Copies of Mark sheets of Graduation (from Sem 1 to 6)
 - iv) Photo copy of Leaving Certificate
 - v) Graduation Certificate if available
 - vi) 1 pass – port size photograph
 - vii) Blank Envelope of 9.5 cm x 4.5 cm, affixed stamp of Rs. 5/- on it and write your postal address on it.
- 6.** Incomplete applications / or application with in complete attachments will be rejected automatically.
- 7.** The application form along with all the testimonials should reach to the institute on or before **20 May, 2017.**
- 8.** Those who do not receive hall tickets latest by 29 May, 2017 or for any queries, please call on **(02752)240188 (during office hours:10:30 a.m. to 05:30 p.m. except holidays)** or mail the query on: nlpget17@gmail.com

