Admission Notification

Ph.D. Programme in Hindi, 2025

Applications are invited for admission to the Ph.D. programme in Hindi, University of Calcutta for the session 2025. Reservation of SC/ST/PH/OBC etc. will be as per 100 points roster and applicable as per the rules of the "West Bengal Higher Education Institutions (reservation in admission) rules, 2013.

Eligibility Criteria

Candidates having MA in Hindi with at least 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC 7-point scale (relaxation will be given as per norms) are eligible to apply. Admission to the Ph.D. programme will be done through a Research Eligibility Test (RET) followed by an interview. However candidates exempted from the RET are required to appear for the interview only.

Details about RET

The list of eligible candidates to appear in the Written Research Eligibility Test (RET) will be notified on notice board of Room no. 216 on 15/10/2025. The RET will be held on 16/ 10 /2025, Time: 1:00- 3:00pm, Duration: 2:00 hrs. Marks: 50 Candidates must obtain qualifying marks-50% for General category and 45% for SC/ST category to qualify for Viva-voce. The venue of the RET is the classroom of the Department of Hindi, Room number- 316, 2nd Floor, Asutosh Building, Asutosh Shiksha Prangan, 87/1,College Street Kolkata-700073).

Research Eligibility Test (RET) Exemption

Candidates with MA in Hindi / Hindi with M.Phil or NET/SET/SLET are exempted from RET. All other candidates are required to appear for the RET.

Application Process and Fees:

1. Candidates should apply in the attached proforma along with an application fee of Rs. 100/- by online payment through SBI/ Collect https://www.onlinesbi.sbi/sbicollect/icollecthome.htm, by clicking on Educational Institutions→ Calcutta University →Miscellaneous Fee.

2. Submit the filled in application form along with photocopy of all supporting documents and SBI Payment Receipt at the office of the Department of Hindi, Room no- 216 1st Floor, Asutosh Building, Asutosh Shiksha Prangan, 87/1, College Street, Kolkata-700073 on all working days(Monday to Friday) between 12 Noon to 4 PM.

3. Last Date of submission of Application Form is 13/10/2025.

Total Number of Seats

17(Seventeen). [Reservation(s) for admission to the above positions would comply with the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act.]

Date of Interview

On 03/11/2025 from 12 noon in the Department of Hindi, Room no- 216, 1st Floor, Asutosh Building, University of Calcutta, 87/1 College Street, Kolkata 700073.

The entire admission process and all other matters related to the Ph.D. Programme in the Department of Hindi will be governed by the University of Calcutta, (Regulation for

the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, Ph.D.), Regulations 2016 and/or the time to time changes made by the concerned authority on the same.
The candidates are also requested to submit their PhD research proposal (within 1000 words) at the time of interview.

IMPORTANT

Candidates are advised to check the University website regularly.

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19.9.2025

18/09/2025

College Street, Kolkata- 73

Prof. Rajashree Shukla

Head, Dept. of Hindi
University of Calcutta

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Syllabus for Written Test:

1. साहित्यकाइतिहास दर्शन

2. हिंदी साहित्येतिहास लेखन की परंपरा | साहित्येतिहास के पुनर्लेखन की समस्याएँ |

3. भक्ति आंदोलन के उदय की सामाजिक सांस्कृतिक पृष्टभूमि भक्ति आंदोलन का अखिल भारतीय स्वरूप।

4. आधुनिकता की अवधारणा, इसका अभ्युदय और मध्यकालीनबोध से पार्थक्य नवजागरण की अवधारणा | हिंदी नवजागरण में बंगाल का योगदान राष्ट्रीय नवजागरण की परंपरा और 1857 का संग्राम |

5. स्वच्छंदतावाद के उदय और विकास की ऐतिहासिक पृष्ठभूमि। छायावाद की विशेषताए । प्रगतिवादी साहित्यान्दोलन और प्रगतिशील साहित्यका विकास।

6. प्रयोगवाद, नयी कविता, और साठोत्तरी साहित्य |

Other Information

The answer scripts of the examination would be coded before correction as per standard practice. There willbe 2 (two) long answer type questions,each of 15 marks,and 2 (two) short answer type questions.cach of 10 marks.

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19.9.2025

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Application form for the Admission test of the Ph.D. Programme

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Name (in block letter)	
Date of Birth	
Father's Name	
Sex	
Marital Status	
Whether SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B /EWS/Differently Abled (Attested photocopy must be attached)	
Nationality	
Aadhar Number	
Postal Address for Communication	
Mobile No.	
E-mail ID	
Employed/unemployed	
Name and address of employed	
Whether qualified in NET/SLET/ SET/equivalent examination (Attested copy of certificate must be attached)	
Whether Candidate Receives any Fellowship	
Proposed Area of Research	
Payment Receipt No. and Date	

Academic Qualifications:

Name of the Examination	Year of Passing	Board/University	Subject	Div./Class	CGPA/Percentage of Marks
Madhyamik/Equiv.					
Higher Secondary/ Equiv.					
BA (Hons)					
MA					
M.Phil.					
NET / SET / STET					
Other Relevant Qualifications Achievements					

Signature of the Applicant with Date

- Filled in application forms, accompanied by the Payment Receipt of Rs.100/- should be submitted to the office of the Department of Bengali Language & Literature, Asutosh Building (1" floor) 87/1 College Street, Kolkata -700073 on all working days between 12 Noon to 4 PM. Last Date of submission of Application Form is 13/10/2025.
- Self attested copies of Mark Sheets are to be attached with the application form.
- Original documents may be asked for as and when required by the appropriate authority.
- Employed candidates are required to submit a copy of the no-objection certificate from their present employer.