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**Admission Notice**  
**for Three – Year (six semesters) Bachelor Degree Courses**  
**(Session : 2020-2021)**

Online applications are invited from the Indian citizens who have passed (10+2) level examination in the year 2019 or 2020 for admission into following three-year (six semesters) full time Under Graduate Bachelor of Arts (BA) and Bachelor of Science (BSc) Courses(Major/ Honours) for the session 2020-2021. Only completed online application will be considered. Application form will be available online from **18<sup>th</sup> August, 2020 (4 p.m. onwards) to 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2020 (till 12 noon)** at <http://presiuniv.ac.in/>. There will be no application fee. A candidate may apply for maximum 2(two) subjects. Reservation policy will be followed as per Govt. rule. More details will be available in information brochure (will be available online from 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2020)

*The admission in bachelor degree courses for different categories will be based strictly on merit. The General Merit List (GMR) will be prepared based on the academic score (details are given below) only.*

**Available Subjects (Major/ Honours):**

BA in Bengali, English, Hindi, History, Performing Arts, Philosophy, Political Science, Sociology

BSc in Chemistry, Economics, Geography, Geology, Life Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics

**Eligibility:**

- a) Applicant must be a citizen of India.
- b) There is no upper or lower age limit.
- c) Candidates must have passed (not before 2019) in the Higher Secondary Examination (10+2 system) conducted by the Council of Higher Secondary Education, West Bengal, or any equivalent examination.
- d) Candidate must pass any of the aforementioned examinations, with at least **five** recognized subjects (full marks of each not less than 100), including English language and excluding Environmental Science. The **Aggregate Marks** is to be calculated considering score in best **four** recognized subjects.
- e) Candidates with International 'A' level or International Baccalaureate qualifications must have at least three subjects at the IGCSE level and three subjects at the 'A' level, with English in either of the two levels.
- f) The candidate must secure a **minimum aggregate score in percentage** as per the following table in his/her qualifying examination in (10+2)<sup>th</sup> standard.

Course	Minimum aggregate score in percentage			
	General	SC/ST	OBC-A/B	PwD
Bengali	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
English	65	48.75	58.50	61.75
Hindi	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
History	65	48.75	58.50	61.75
Philosophy	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
Political Science	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
Sociology	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
Performing Arts	60	45.00	54.00	57.00
Chemistry	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Economics	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Geography	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Geology	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Life Sciences	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Mathematics	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Physics	70	52.50	63.00	66.50
Statistics	70	52.50	63.00	66.50

### Important dates:

Application start date	: 18 <sup>th</sup> August, 2020 (From 4 p.m.)
Application end date	: 1 <sup>st</sup> September, 2020 (till 12 noon)
Publication of Provisional Merit list and other lists(tentative)	: 5 <sup>th</sup> September, 2020

### Intake Capacity:

Course-wise and category-wise availability of seats is as follows.

COURSE	GENERAL	SC	ST	OBC-A	OBC-B	TOTAL	PwD*
Bengali	21	8	2	4	3	<b>38</b>	1
English	21	8	2	4	3	<b>38</b>	1
Hindi	16	7	2	3	2	<b>30</b>	1
History	25	10	3	5	3	<b>46</b>	1
Philosophy	12	4	1	2	1	<b>20</b>	1
Political Science	17	7	2	3	2	<b>31</b>	1
Sociology	18	7	2	3	2	<b>32</b>	1
Performing Arts	8	3	1	2	1	<b>15</b>	1
Chemistry	29	12	3	5	4	<b>53</b>	2
Economics	29	12	3	5	4	<b>53</b>	2
Geography	15	6	2	3	2	<b>28</b>	1
Geology	17	7	2	3	2	<b>31</b>	1
Life Sciences	63	26	7	12	8	<b>116</b>	3
Mathematics	29	12	3	5	4	<b>53</b>	2
Physics	29	12	3	5	4	<b>53</b>	2
Statistics	15	6	2	3	2	<b>28</b>	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>22</b>

\* PwD (Person with Disability) seats are included in the total number of seats in respective courses.

## Reservation of Seats for SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B/PwD category of students

The reservation policies of West Bengal State Higher Education Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2013 and West Bengal State Higher Education Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Rules, 2014 will be followed for admission in reserved seats for SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B/PwD.

- a) However, availability of such reserve category seats shall be restricted to students domiciled in West Bengal only (refer information brochure for details).
- b) Candidates claiming such seats must submit relevant Certificate issued from either of the competent Authorities as enlisted in the information brochure.
- c) The certificate is to be produced at the time of reporting or as and when required by the university. If the certificate is then found to be invalid, the candidate will lose the opportunity of admission in reserve category.

## Procedure for Preparation of General Merit List (GMR)

Academic score based on below given criteria will be calculated. This academic score will be used to prepare the GMR. Allotment of seat/admission will be done based on GMR only (not on category ranks). Category ranks are only for information to candidates.

Course	Rule for Calculating Academic Score	
	Parameters	Formula for Academic Score
<b>Chemistry</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;Average percentage of marks obtained in (Physical Science &amp; Life Science) <b>OR</b> percentage of marks obtained in Science</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained in Chemistry C=&gt; Percentage of Marks obtained in Mathematics** D=&gt; Percentage of Marks obtained in English</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Economics</b>	<p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics** B=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in English</p>	=Ax75%+Bx25%
<b>Geography</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics C=&gt; Average percentage of marks obtained in (Geography &amp; History) <b>OR</b> percentage of marks obtained in social science</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> D=&gt;Percentage of Aggregate Marks E=&gt; Percentage of Marks obtained in English</p>	=Ax25%+Bx12.5% + Cx12.5%+ Dx25%+ Ex25%

Course	Rule for Calculating Academic Score	
	Parameters	Formula for Academic Score
<b>Geology</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained in Physics C=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Chemistry D=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics**</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Life Sciences</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=&gt; Average percentage of marks obtained in (Physical Science + Life Science) <b>OR</b> percentage of marks obtained in Science</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=&gt; Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Biology or Life Science</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Mathematics</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics**</p>	=Ax25%+Bx75%
<b>Physics</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt;Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics B=&gt; Average percentage of marks obtained in (Physical Science + Life Science) <b>OR</b> percentage of marks obtained in Science</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=&gt; Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Statistics</b>	<p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in English B=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics**</p>	=Ax20%+Bx80%
<b>Bengali</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=&gt; Percentage of Marks obtained in Bengali</p> <p><b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=&gt; Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained in Bengali</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>English</b>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=&gt; Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers</p>	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx50%

Course	Rule for Calculating Academic Score	
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	<b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks C=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	
<b>Hindi</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers <b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks C=> Percentage of marks obtained in Hindi	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx50%
<b>History</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=> Average percentage of marks obtained in (Geography & History) <b>OR</b> percentage of marks obtained in Social Science <b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Performing Arts</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=> Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics <b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Philosophy</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=> Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics <b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> C=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>Political Science</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers <b>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</b> B=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks C=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	=Ax25%+Bx50%+Cx25%

Course	Rule for Calculating Academic Score	
	Parameters	Formula for Academic Score
Sociology	<u>10<sup>th</sup> Standard</u> A=> Percentage of marks obtained excluding Additional/ Optional papers B=> Percentage of marks obtained in Mathematics <u>10+2<sup>th</sup> Standard</u> C=> Percentage of Aggregate Marks D=> Percentage of marks obtained in English	=Ax25%+Bx25%+Cx25%+Dx25%
<b>** Business Mathematics will not be considered</b>		

### Tie-breaking methodology

- (a) In case of tie, the candidates will be judged considering their percentage of aggregate marks obtained in H.S. or equivalent (10+2)<sup>th</sup> standard examination at the first instance. The candidate obtaining more aggregate marks will have better rank.
- (b) If tie exists thereafter, the process will be repeated considering the percentage of marks obtained by them in Madhyamik or equivalent 10<sup>th</sup> standard examination.
- (c) If tie exists further by doing above exercises, all such candidates will be placed in the same rank and will be considered for admission with bunching effect.

Note: Adherence to the time schedule is mandatory and not relaxable.

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