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इलाहाबाद विश्वविद्यालय
Department of English and Modern European Languages
University of Allahabad

Date: 28.10.2026

Notification for Admission in Ph.D. (English)

The following applicants are hereby informed to submit their application forms, synopsis, and hard copies of the relevant documents to the office of the Department of English & MEL on or before 16th November 2026 (5:00 p.m.) for the announcement of dates for RAT (Research Aptitude Test):

Group	Category	UGC NET Marks Cut-off
Group A	UGC JRF	All Eligible Applicants
Group B	UGC NET or Admission to Ph.D. Only	UR – 196 & above
		EWS – 188 & above
		OBC – 170 & above
		SC – 162 & above
		ST – 138 & above
		PH – 140 & above
Group C	Exempted Candidates (Part-Time and Teachers Applicant)	All Eligible Applicants

The following relevant documents (Self attested) are to be submitted to the office of the centre along with the application form:

1. Application form (Available on University Website) Link: https://allduniv.ac.in/public/forms/1620895489dphil-form.pdf
2. UGC NET/JRF Score Card
3. Post-Graduate (Final Year) Mark Sheet and Certificate
4. Graduation (Final Year) Mark Sheet and Certificate
5. Intermediate Mark Sheet and Certificate
6. High School Mark Sheet and Certificate
7. Social Category (SC/ST/OBC) or EWS in Central Government Format (if applicable)
8. PwD Certificate in Central Government Format (if applicable)
9. NoC from Current Employer (if applicable)
10. Experience Certificate (Minimum 10 Years) (if applicable)
11. Photo ID Proof (Aadhar Card)
12. Two recent passport size Photographs
13. Research Proposal/Synopsis (2000-3000 words) (One Copy in the format attached herewith)

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If the candidates are from outside and cannot submit the registration form offline by visiting the department, they can send a physical copy of the form by post to the following address before the submission deadline:

Prof. Jaya Kapoor
Head
Department of English and MEL
University of Allahabad
Prayagraj – 211002

The candidates are also requested to apply online on the following link: https://forms.gle/mo7CLRpXLMKVCfvP8. They can also register by scanning the QR code given below. Those candidates who have submitted their documents and applied online on or before the stipulated time shall ONLY be entertained for RAT (Research Aptitude Test). Admission shall be strictly based on merit and availability of seats in respective categories.

Registration

28/01/26

(Prof. Jaya Kapoor)
Head
Department of English and MEL

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The entire synopsis is to be submitted in about 5000 words.

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Topic
A synopsis submitted to
University of Allahabad, Prayagraj

By
Candidate's name, address, enrolment no.

Proposed area of Research:

Place of research:
Dept. of English & MEL
University of Allahabad, Allahabad
2024

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1. Proposed Topic
2. Purpose of study: (Justification of undertaking research on the above topic)
   a. Statement of problem
   b. Hypothesis
   c. Research questions
   d. Tentative conclusions (probable outcome)
3. Sources & materials of research
4. Review of literature/ scholarship (Survey of existing literature on the topic)
5. Proposed Methodology
6. Research design: Tentative chapter outline with details of proposed work
7. Limitations of research (i.e. what will be in the core of the research, further areas of research etc.)
8. Bibliography