

Course Guide & Seat Matrix



The following course guide assists you choose your preferred area of study. It provides necessary information regarding specific courses offered; eligibility criterion; and selection procedures. Please ensure that you visit the 'affiliated colleges offering PG courses' page, as it provides details of courses offered by these colleges.

Masters Programme

■ Commerce

Departments	Available seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
Commerce	115	B.Com.(H)	Academic Career/ Admission Test*

*[60% seats are reserved for the students graduating from the University of Burdwan and selection is made on the basis of marks obtained in the Honours level: 40% seats are open to all and selection is made on the basis of an admission test .]

Humanities

Departments	Available Seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
Bengali	203	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Economics	95	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
English	176	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Hindi	93	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
History	166	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Library & Information Science (M.L.I.S.)	27	B.L.I.S, B.Lib. Sc. or Honours graduates	Admission test
M. B. A.	30	Any graduate of 10+2+3 pattern with MAT, CAT, XAT, CMAT score	. Group discussion (GD) & personal interview (PI)
M. B. A. (Human Resource)	30	Do	Do
M. B. A. (Tourism)	25	Do	Do
Mass Communication	56	Honours graduate	Written admission test+PI
Philosophy	93	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Political Science	112	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Santali	34	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Sanskrit	110	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Sociology	56	Hons. Grad.†	Academic career/ admission test*
Women's Studies	34	Hons. Grad. in History, Pol. Sc., Sociology, Economics and Languages†	Academic career/ admission test*
M. P. Ed.	40	Regular B.P.Ed. Or B.P.E. †	Entrance Test & field trial
Education (M.Ed.)	22 + 5 (deputed)	Regular B.Ed. with 55% marks	Written admission test
Education (B.Ed.)	50	Honours Graduate	Academic career

†Regular honours graduates (with 50% and 45% marks for General and O.B.C.- A & B category, respectively) in the relevant subjects. * [60% seats are reserved for students graduating from the University of Burdwan and selection is made on the basis of marks obtained at the Honours level : 40% seats are open to all and the selection is made on the basis of an admission test]

Law

Departments	Available Seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
Law (LL.B.)	60	Any graduate with 45% marks	Written admission test
Law (LL.M.)	27	50% marks in LL.B.	Academic career/ admission test*

* [60% seats are reserved for graduates of the University of Burdwan and selection is made on the basis of marks obtained at the Honours level :40% seats are available to all and the selection is made on the basis of an admission test]

■ Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Departments	Available Seats [#]	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
Botany	60 + 1 (DSA)	Regular honours Graduate or equivalent degree under 10+2+3 pattern in the respective subject	Academic Career/ Admission Test [60% of total seats to be filled in from graduates of home university, on the basis of marks at graduation level & 40% from non-admitted students of home university and all applicants from other universities based on admission test]
Chemistry	79 + 1 (DSA)		
Geography	64		
Mathematics	117		
Microbiology	18		
Physics	89 + 1 (DSA)		
Statistics	33		
Zoology	86		
Environmental Science	27	Regular science graduates (10+2+3) having Honours in Env. Sc. / Microbiology / Botany/ Chemistry/ Zoology/ Physics/ Geography/ Geology/ Physiology/ Biotechnology/ Biochemistry and B.Sc. (Agri.) Hons. (10+2+4)	Entrance test conducted by the University of Burdwan
Biotechnology	14 + 12	Regular science graduates(10+2+3) and Engineering graduates (10+2+4) in Biotechnology with at least 55% marks and Science graduates (10+2+3) having Honours with at least 55% marks in (i) Chemistry with any branch of Bio-Science as combination subject or Biology at H.S. level or (ii) Any branch of Bio-Science with Chemistry as combination subject or (iii) Agricultural Science	1. Entrance test conducted by the University of Burdwan & 2. Entrance test conducted by D.B.T.
Computer Science and Applications	30	Candidates who have obtained 50% marks in Regular BSc (H) in Computer Science or BCA (H) or BE / BTech in Computer Science & Engineering (CSE) / Computer Science & Technology (CST) / Information Technology (IT)	Entrance test conducted by J.E.C.A.
M Tech in E & CE	15	Regular B.E. or B. Tech. in Electronics/ Electronics and Telecommunication Engg./Electronics and Communication Engg./ Radio Physics and Electronics/Applied Electronics/Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering with at least 50% (45% for candidates belonging to reserved categories) marks in aggregate	GATE/sponsored candidates / Non – GATE candidates ^{##}

[#]Golapbag campus. Please ensure that you visit the 'affiliated colleges offering PG courses' page, as it provides details of courses offered by these colleges. ^{##}GATE- qualified candidates will get preference ; A few seats are kept reserved for sponsored candidates having at least two-year full-time work experience in a Registered Firm/Industry/R&D Institution etc. after acquiring the basic eligibility criteria ; Non – GATE candidates may also be considered for admission, if seats are not filled up by the GATE qualified and/or sponsored candidates.



Music

Departments	Available Seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
M A in Music	40	Regular Hons Grads in B Music with 50% marks	Admission Test

M Phil Programme

Departments	Available Seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
Botany	20	M Sc in relevant/allied subject with 55% marks	Academic Records & Admission Test
Chemistry	20		
Environmental Science	20		
Geography	20		
Mathematics	20		
Physics	20		
Statistics	20		
Zoology	10		
Bengali	25	M A in relevant/allied subject with 55% marks	Academic records & Admission test
Commerce	25		
Economics	25		
English	25		
History	25		
Hindi	25		
Library & Information Sc	25		
Philosophy	25		
Political Science	25		
Sanskrit	25		

Certificates and Diplomas

Departments	Available Seats	Eligibility	Selection Procedure
French : Certificate : Diploma : Advanced Diploma	33	Any graduate	Academic career at graduation level*
German : Certificate : Diploma : Advanced Diploma	33	Any graduate	Academic career at graduation level*
Russian : Certificate : Diploma : Advanced Diploma	33	Any graduate	Academic career at graduation level *

Guidance & Counselling : Diploma	30	Any Honours graduate	Percentage of marks at Honours level (Master Degree holder will get first preference)
Communicative English : Certificate	30	Any graduate	Academic career at graduation level
Special Education (Mental Retardation) : Diploma	25	Graduates in any discipline	Academic performance Candidates having regular B Ed/at least 1 year PG diploma/Certificate from any University, Co-curricular activity: NCC/NSS/Sports(State level Certificate), Sibling or parent with multiple disabilities will get priority in admission.
Special Education (Multiple Disabilities – Physical and Neurological) : Diploma	26	Graduates in any discipline	
Yoga Therapy : Diploma	31	Graduates in any discipline	Admission test

***In case of a diploma holder, a candidate must pass the certificate course and in case of advanced diploma holder, a candidate must pass the diploma course.**

Doctoral Programme

The University of Burdwan is internationally reputed for the quality and diversity of its research. The scale of research activity is substantial and covering more than 32 departments. Offered Ph D programmes are based on intensive course work.

Research carried out by the university's faculty, students and alumni has, over the years, made a tremendous impact across the continents. These range from impact on culture, business and policy to society, environment and health.

The University of Burdwan provides a range of support services for research students. Please ensure that you visit the 'Post Graduate Funding and Fees' page. It provides necessary information regarding the range of scholarship/funding/free studentships offered to post graduate students.