

Central University of South Bihar Entrance Test - 2016 (CUSBET-2016)

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

1. What is CUSBET - 2016?

This is the online test conducted for admission of students to the Integrated Undergraduate, postgraduate & recently introduced PhD programmes of the Central University of South Bihar. This test shall be held at several centres across India.

2. Where are the programmes offered?

Programmes are being offered at Patna and Gaya campuses:

PATNA CAMPUS	GAYA CAMPUS
MSc in Bioinformatics, Biotechnology, Computer Science, Environmental Science, Life Science, Mathematics and Statistics, MTech in Computer Science, MA in Communication & Media Studies and Psychology	Five-Year Integrated BA.LLB (Hons) , Four-year Integrated BA.BEd and BSc.BEd, B.Voc Arts & Crafts MA in Development Studies, Economics, English, Hindi, Political Science & International Relations and Sociology, M.Ed., LLM
PhD in Bioinformatics, Biotechnology, Environmental Science, Life Science, Mathematics, Statistics, Communication & Media Studies, Psychology	PhD in Development Studies, Economics, English, Hindi, Political Science & International Relations and Sociology, Law, Education

3. How many programmes one can apply for?

One is eligible to submit only one application with maximum 2-choices, subject to fulfilment of eligibility criteria.

4. How much is the examination fee?

The details are as follows (except for B.Voc Programme, where no fee is charged):

Category	Online Application Fee
General / OBC/Others Candidates	Rs. 500 for one Programme, Rs. 1000 for two Programmes
SC/ ST / PWD Candidates	Rs. 250 for one Programme, Rs. 500 for two Programmes

5. How to deposit Examination fee?

The examination fee can be paid via multiple online payment gateway options (available during online form submission) using credit card, debit card or net banking.

6. How to apply through online. Is there any provision to apply offline also?

Visit the Central University of South Bihar website - www.cub.ac.in or www.cusb.ac.in, and follow the instructions to fill application form. As per UGC guidelines, the university has discontinued offline application process except in case of B Voc. program. Further questions should be directed to Help Desk, as mentioned on Front inner cover page

7. How to know that the application submission is successful?

Once the application form is filled and subsequent payment process through payment gateway is successfully completed, an acknowledgement page would be generated indicating that submission was successful.

8. What will be the type of questions and duration of Entrance Test?

The online test is for 2 hrs 15 minutes and of 150 marks (150 questions carrying 1 mark each). The question paper shall consist of two parts. Part A (50 Marks): General knowledge, reasoning, mathematical aptitude and language skill; Part B (100 Marks): Subject Knowledge. There is no negative marking.

9. Which syllabus is to be followed for the MCQ in the entrance examination?

For all Integrated UG programmes, subject related questions will be of 10+2 level. For postgraduate programmes, it will be based on undergraduate syllabi. For PhD programme, it shall be of Postgraduate syllabi (see eligibility criteria in each of the programme in the prospectus).

The subject related questions would cover all topics, mentioned in the eligibility criteria. For example, in case of M.Sc. (Bioinformatics) programme, the eligibility criteria is bachelor degree in Mathematics/Physics/Chemistry/Biological Sciences/Computer Science/IT/Agricultural Science/ Pharmaceutical Science/Veterinary Science/ Medical Science. Hence, questions may be distributed in all these areas as per the syllabus, generally prescribed at bachelor degree courses. The merit list would be prepared based on relative ranking only. Model question papers are uploaded in the university website also.

10. How to receive the Hall Ticket for the online test?

Visit www.cub.ac.in or www.cusb.ac.in, and enter your application number & date of birth , in the format DD/MM/YYYY, in the appropriate box and click "submit" button to take the printout of your Hall Ticket. Hall Ticket can be downloaded from May 21, 2016 (Saturday) onwards.

11. What are the essentials to be brought while coming to the test centre?

- 1) Take a printout of the Hall Ticket, as you would require Login ID and Password to appear for online test.
- 2) Valid photo ID (in original), like PAN Card, AADHAR Card, DL or photo ID issued by last college/school attended.
- 3) The online applicants need to bring the following additional documents at the time of test.
 - a) Printout of the acknowledgement of submitted application form.

12. When will the result of CUSBET -2016 be declared?

The results will be available on the website www.cub.ac.in or www.cusb.ac.in on June, 03, 2016.

13. Where is the merit list for CUSBET - 2016 available?

Candidate should visit the University website - www.cub.ac.in or www.cusb.ac.in.

14. How is the candidate selected for admission?

A candidate is selected and admitted based on the following:

- a) Ranking in the CUSBET-16 for that programme (Higher the Score, better are your chances)
- b) Meeting the eligibility criteria, prescribed by the University.

15. Is there any financial assistance scheme for admitted?

Yes, there are different types of scholarships based on merit, means, attendance, Earn While You Learn scheme etc. in addition to various Government Schemes. Details are provided in the prospectus under Student Support heading.

16. Is there any hostel facility at Central University of South Bihar?

Yes, the University has limited hostel and limited mess facilities for students at present, both at Patna and Gaya campuses. Rooms, if available, are allotted on first come and first serve basis. However, efforts are on to expand hostels for the students. Presently, University has separate hostels for Boys and Girls.

17. Is there any help desk contact number for CUSBET -2016?

Yes, help desk contact numbers are as follows - Email: info@cub.ac.in, helpdesk@cub.ac.in

For technical query or help please call on: +91- 8083997774

Help desk numbers:-

Patna Campus: 0612-2226538, 0612-2784114, (Manoranjan Kumar, 07543015233) ,

Gaya Campus: 0631-2210224, Amit Kumar (7739404812)

18. Where the applicant can get the sample Questions?

Applicant can visit the university website - www.cub.ac.in or www.cusb.ac.in

19. What is the process of admission into the PhD Programme?

The admission into the PhD programme will be based on CUSBET-16, followed by interview. Candidates, who have qualified National Eligibility Test (NET) by UGC, CSIR, DBT and similar other agencies can directly appear for interview. The details of these agencies, whose eligibility test would be considered for direct interview would be notified in due course in the university website, The date of interview will be announced later and would be intimated to candidate by SMS & E-mail and would also be displayed on University Website.

20. What are the various steps followed in admission?

Merit list will be prepared based on written text examination. The list of selected candidates will be announced on June 03, 2016 based on merit list and following the reservation policy of Government of India. All selected candidates will be intimated by mail with detail procedure for admission.