

VISVA-BHARATI
SANTINIKETAN 731 235
DISTRICT BIRBHUM, WEST BENGAL



Admission Notification: 2011 – 2012

Applications on prescribed form are invited for admission to the following courses of the University for the academic session 2011-2012.

BHASHA-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGES, LITERATURE AND CULTURE)
(Code: 01)

1. Two year M.A. Courses in Sanskrit; Bengali; English; Hindi; Oriya; Indo-Tibetan Studies; Chinese; Persian; Japanese.
2. Two year M.A. Course in Functional Hindi (Translation)
3. Three year B.A. (Honours) Courses in Sanskrit; Bengali; English; Hindi; Oriya; Persian; Tibetan; Japanese; Santali.
4. Four year B.A. (Honours) Courses in Persian; Tibetan; Chinese; Japanese including one year preparatory course.
5. Three year B.A. Course in Functional Hindi (Vocational).

VIDYA-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES) (Code: 02)

1. Two year M. A. Courses in Philosophy; Comparative Religion; Economics; History; Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology; Geography; Mathematics; Journalism & Mass Communication and Anthropology.
2. Three year B.A. (Honours) Courses in Philosophy; Comparative Religion; Economics; History; Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeology; Geography; Mathematics.

SIKSHA-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE) (Code: 03)

1. Two year M. Sc. Courses in Physics; Chemistry; Mathematics; Zoology; Botany; Statistics; Environmental Science; Computer Science and Biotechnology.
2. Three year B. Sc.(Honours) Courses in Physics; Chemistry; Mathematics; Zoology; Botany; Statistics; Computer Science.
3. Five-Year Integrated M Sc Course in Physical Science

SANGIT-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF MUSIC, DANCE & DRAMA) (Code: 04)

1. Two year M.Mus. Courses in Rabindra Sangit; Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal); Hindusthani Classical Music: Instrumental (Sitar/ Esraj /Tabla / Pakhawaj); Kathakali Dance and Manipuri Dance.
2. Three year B.Mus. (Honours) Courses in Rabindra Sangit; Hindusthani Classical Music (Vocal); Hindusthani Classical Music: Instrumental (Sitar/Esraj/Tabla/Pakhawaj); Kathakali Dance; Manipuri Dance; Drama and Theatre Arts.

KALA-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF FINE ARTS) (Code: 05)

1. Two year M. Fine Arts (MFA)/ Advanced Diploma Courses in Painting; Mural; Sculpture; Graphic Art (Print Making); Design (Textile); Design (Ceramic); History of Art (only for M.F.A.).
2. Four year B. Fine Arts (Honours) (B.F.A)/ Diploma Courses in Painting; Sculpture; Graphic Art (Print Making); Design (Textile); Design (Ceramic); History of Art [only for B.F.A. (Hons.)].
3. Two year Certificate Course in Design.

4. Bridge Course (leading to M.F.A.) in History of Art Course (three year [one year Bridge course + two year regular course]) for students from other than Fine Arts discipline.
5. One Year Casual Course for Indian Nationals in Painting / Sculpture / Graphic Art (Print Making) / Design (Textile / Ceramic) / History of Art.

PALLI-SAMGATHANA VIBHAGA (INSTITUTE OF RURAL RECONSTRUCTION)
(Code: 06)

1. Two year M.A. Course in Rural Development
 2. Two year M.S.W. Course
 3. Three year B.S.W. (Honours) Course
 4. Four year B. Des. Course (Fee Rs.5000.00 per semester)
 5. Two-year Certificate Course in (i) Hand-made Paper Making (ii) Artistic Leather Craft (iii) Batik Work (iv) Handloom Weaving (v) Pottery (vi) Wood Work
 6. Short term casual courses in Craft
 - (i) Batik & Bandhni (ii) Clay Jewellery (iii) Ceramic Table-ware (iv) Ceramic Tiles (v) Creative Weaving (Tapestry & Hobby loom) (vi) Dyeing and Printing (vii) Glazing and Firing (viii) Hand-made Paper crafts (ix) Leather crafts (x) Natural Dyes (xi) Raku crafts (xii) Wooden Toy Making (xiii) Wooden Table-ware (xiv) Wooden Jewellery (xv) Wood Carving (xvi) Wood Turning (xvii) Book Binding
- Duration of each course: 8 weeks to 20 weeks depending upon the subject requirement.

PALLI SIKSHA BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF AGRICULTURE) (Code: 07)

1. Two year M. Sc. (Ag.) Courses in Agronomy; Plant Protection; Agricultural Extension; Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry and Horticulture.
2. Four year B.Sc. (Ag.) Honours Course.

VINAYA-BHAVANA (INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION) (Code: 08)

1. Two year M.A. in Education Course.
2. Three year B.A. / B. Sc. (Honours) in Physical Education Course
3. One year B. P. Ed. Course
4. Two year M. P. Ed Course

Notes: 1. Details of each course, eligibility criteria etc. are available in the admission kits (Information Brochure and Application Form) from the designated branches of United Bank of India listed below (see next page) and in the University website: www.visva-bharati.ac.in

2. There will be an all-India Admission Test for all B.A. (Honours) and Preparatory courses (except for three years Honours courses in Santali, Japanese, Tibetan and Persian under Bhasha-Bhavana), all B.Sc. (Honours) courses under Siksha-Bhavana, B.Sc. (Ag.) Honours course under Palli-Siksha Bhavana and B.S.W. (Honours) course under Palli Samgathana Vibhaga at centres in the following cities: *Santiniketan, Kolkata, Durgapur, Kharagpur, Siliguri, Burdwan, Berhampore (W Bengal), Bhubaneswar, Ranchi, Patna, Guwahati, Bhopal, Raipur, Chennai, Mumbai and New Delhi.* The test will be held on Sunday, 29th May 2011 at the above cities/towns. The locations of the test centres will be available in the Admit Card which is to be downloaded from the university website: www.visva-bharati.ac.in

3. Admission Tests for all other courses will be held at the Institute at Santiniketan and Sriniketan.

4. Reservation of seats : In each course, admission of Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Other Backward Classes (OBC), Physically Handicapped (PH) candidates will be governed as per rules of the Government of India.

5. Application fee: Rs.400/- for General and OBC candidates Rs.140/- for SC/ST candidates.

How to apply. (i) In person: **Prescribed application form and Information Brochure (admission kits) may be obtained in person from the under-mentioned designated branches of the 'United Bank of India' (UBI) on payment of the requisite fee.**

Designated branches of UBI for issue of Application Form and Information Brochure:

West Bengal: Kolkata - (1) Old Court House Street, (2) Shyambazar, (3) Gariahat, (4) Behala, (5) Bidhannagar (Salt Lake City), (6) Burdwan, (7) Durgapur (City Centre), (8) Asansol, (9) Maldah, (10) Cooch Behar, (11) Jalpaiguri, (12) Darjeeling, (13) Siliguri, (14) Raiganj, (15) Balurghat, (16) Berhampur, (17) Suri, (18) Bolpur (Bhubandanga), (19) Rampurhat, (20) Bankura, (21) Purulia, (22) Raghunathpur, (23) Medinipur, (24) Contai, (25) Jhargram, (26) Tamluk, (27) Howrah, (28) Chinsurah, (29) Srirampore, (30) Krishnanagar, (31) Barasat, (32) Barrackpore, (33) Baruipur, (34) Diamond Harbour, Bihar: (35) Patna, Jharkhand: (36) Ranchi, Orissa: (37) Bhubaneswar, Sikkim: (38) Gangtok, Assam: (39) Guwahati, Tripura: (40) Agartala, Manipur: (41) Imphal, Nagaland: (42) Kohima, Arunachal Pradesh: (43) Itanagar, Meghalaya: (44) Shillong, New Delhi: (45) Connaught Circus, Jammu & Kashmir: (46) Srinagar, (47) Jammu, Punjab, Hariyana, Chandigarh: (48) Chandigarh, Himachal Pradesh: (49) Simla, Uttaranchal: (50) Dehradun, Uttar Pradesh: (51) Lucknow, Rajasthan: (52) Jaipur, Gujarat: (53) Ahmedabad, Maharashtra: (54) Pune, (55) Mumbai, Goa: (56) Panaji, Madhya Pradesh: (57) Bhopal, Chhattisgarh: (58) Raipur, Kerala: (59) Trivandrum, Tamil Nadu: (60) Madras, Andhra Pradesh: (61) Hyderabad, Karnataka: (62) Bangalore, Pondicherry: (63) Pondicherry, Andaman and Nicobar Island: (64) Port Blair (Junglighat).

(ii) **Online Applications on Website:** Application forms, details of the courses, eligibility criteria and relevant information are available on the university website – www.visva-bharati.ac.in. Online applications may be submitted by the candidates indicating the Demand Draft Number and date of purchase. The application fee may be paid by a crossed **Demand Draft** drawn in favour of '**The Registrar, Visva-Bharati**' payable on '**State Bank of India**' at **Santiniketan Branch (Code 2121)**. The filled-in application form must be downloaded and a printed copy must be sent to the designated office along with the Demand Draft and a recent passport-size photograph pasted on the application.

Prospective candidates are advised to visit our website at regular intervals for updates.

7. Submission of application forms: Candidates willing to apply for more than one course/stream are advised to go through the Information Brochure carefully. Instructions for filling up the form and other details are given in the Information Brochure. Completed application forms may be submitted **personally or by post** so as to reach the designated office within the stipulated deadline positively.

8. Incomplete applications are liable to be rejected. Rights of cancellation or selection/admission lie with the Admission Committee of the Institute concerned. The University reserves the right to limit the number of eligible applicants to be called for admission test. All matters of dispute shall be taken under the jurisdiction of the SDJM Court, Bolpur, Birbhum.

9. Important Dates

Issue of Application Form: April 16, 2011

Deadline for Submission of Application Form: May 10, 2011

Date of Admission Test: May 29, 2011

10. Visva-Bharati remains open on Sundays and fully closed on Wednesdays. On Tuesdays the university office is open till 1:30 P.M.

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