VSUPGCET – 2017
POST GRADUATION ENTRANCE TEST
(Conducted by Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore)

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Commencement of uploading/submission of ONLINE APPLICATIONS	**First week of April 2017**
Last date for submission of ONLINE APPLICATIONS **Application Fee: Rs. 300/- (for SC / ST / PHC)** **Rs. 400/- (for OTHERS)**	**30 th April 2017**

Last date for submission of ONLINE APPLICATION
 with Late fee
(Application Fee + Late Fee Rs.500/-)
        Rs. 800/- (for SC / ST / PHC)
        Rs. 900/- (for OTHERS)
	07th May 2017

Last date for submission of ONLINE APPLICATION
 with Tatkal fee
(Application Fee + Tatkal Fee Rs.1000/-)
        Rs. 1300/- (for SC / ST / PHC)
        Rs. 1400/- (for OTHERS)
	12th May 2017

Last date for submission of print out of the application in VSUPGCET office	**12th May 2017**
Downloading Hall-Tickets from website	**May 16th , 2017 onwards**
Tentative Schedule for the Entrance Tests	**May 23, 24,25&26 TH ,2017**
Releasing of Results	**May 31, 2017**
Schedule for Certificates Verification and exercising options for Phase I Counseling of Admission process	**June 15, 2017 onwards**
Last date for Cancellation of Admissions	**June 25, 2017**
Phase II Counseling for Admissions starts	**27.06.2017 onwards**
Closing of Admissions	**15.07.2017**
Class work commences on	**01.07.2017**

Note: Updates relating to Online Application, Web/Physical Counselling will be updated in the website from time to time.

VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY :: NELLORE – 524 003

Vikrama Simhapuri University came into being by Act No. 29 of 2008 enacted by the Legislature of the State of Andhra Pradesh fulfilling the long-cherished dreams of the people of Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore district.

The University started offering six post graduate courses of contemporary relevance from August 2008. At present, the University is having two campus colleges at Nellore, VSU College of Arts, Commerce and Management, VSU College of Science and Technology, at **KAKUTUTRU** Village, Venkatachalam Mandal, located on Nellore – Chennai National Highway 16 (NH 16), (previously NH 5) and one post graduate Centre (VSU PG Centre) at Kavali. The three constituent colleges are presently offering 17 regular PG courses in addition to 9 PG courses and 3 Diploma Courses on self financing basis, for the benefit of the local students with fee structure less than several other universities.

The PG Centre at Kavali (established in 1979) which is now the extension campus of VS University is located in a sprawling 78 acre campus with very good infrastructure, well equipped laboratories, Library and Hostels for men and women students.

All the departments in both the campus colleges and the post graduate centre are actively engaged in research. Research leading to Ph.D. is undertaken entirely in conformity with the latest UGC guidelines. The University has been regularly organizing National and International seminars, conferences and workshops inviting eminent scientists and academicians from within the country and abroad.

The University has under its jurisdiction 137 affiliated colleges offering UG, PG, and Professional (MBA, MCA, B.Ed., M.Ed., M.P.Ed, Law and Engineering) courses.

UGC conferred recognition on the degrees awarded by VS University in the year 2010, and the University conducted its first convocation in June 2014.

Vikrama Simhapuri University is committed to be in constant quest for quality and excellence in the field of higher education and to lead the students towards participating in the nation's socio-economic development with competence and character by training them to play a lead role in the knowledge society. The courses are designed keeping in view the scope of development and the resources available in the region, and the University is tuned to keep knowledge dissemination and skill development in frontier areas to enable the empowerment of the youth.

Vikrama Simhapuri University is a budding University developing in leaps and bounds under the leadership of eminent Vice-Chancellors and administrators.

**VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY
POST GRADUATE COMMON ENTRANCE TESTS–2017
(VSUPGCET–2017)**

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Applications are invited for admission into various post graduate courses (M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., M.S.W., M.Ed and M.P.Ed.) offered by Vikrama Simhapuri University, Nellore at its constituent and affiliated colleges during the academic year 2017-18. The admissions into the above courses are through the Post Graduate Common Entrance Tests conducted by Vikrama Simhapuri University, VSUPGCET–2017. The admissions are governed by the VSUPGCET–2017 rules and regulations given in this booklet. The Advisory Committee of VSUPGCET–2017 reserves the right to change or modify any of the rules.

1. The application should be submitted through on-line only at the website **www.vsupgcet.in** by registering the name and other details.
2. A Separate registration is not required for each Test. The Candidate can apply more than one test in single registration. Such candidates have to pay the applicable fee depend upon the tests selected.
3. GUIDELINES TO FILL THE APPLICATION FOR VSUPGCET-2017:
   a) The online application form will be available on the websites http://www.vsudoa.in from 12.04.2017 onwards.
   b) The online application form can be filled through any computer with internet connection (home/internet café/net center). After going through the prospectus by keeping all the Certificates, soft copies of Scanned Photo and Scanned Signature.
   c) The payment of registration and processing fee should be made either by SBI generated challan or by online payment gateway (like credit / debit card/ Net banking). Bank Charges applicable as per the payment option selected by the applicant.
   d) e-challan is generated after submitting the personal details through Online payment Link
   e) The fee paid by the applicant is non-refundable.
   f) The system generated Application number is displayed for future reference.
   g) If candidate is unable to view PDF document, Adobe Reader (for PDF files) may be downloaded
   h) The last date for payment of challan
   Application Fee: Rs. 300/- (for SC / ST / PH) & Rs. 400 (for others)   : 30-04-17,
   Application with Late fee - Rs. 800 (for SC / ST / PH) & Rs. 900 (for others) : 07-05-17
   Application with Tatkal fee (Rs.1300 (for SC / ST / PH) & Rs.1400 (for others) : 12-05-17

4. Instructions for ONLINE Filling up application is given in the Home page
5. The Candidates are advised to submit the filled in application well before the last date to avoid last minute rush.
6. Mere appearance at the entrance test does not entitle a candidate for admission into a course unless the stipulated eligibility conditions are satisfied.
7. The Entrance test will be of 90 minutes duration and the question paper consists of 100 multiple choice type questions.

8. The candidates have to mark their responses (answers) on Optical Mark Reader (OMR) answer sheet by darkening the relevant circles with a **Black** Ball point pen. A model OMR sheet is given at the end of this booklet.

9. All Entrance Tests and Certificate verification will be held at V S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, KAKUTURu, NELLORE only. Candidates have to appear for the entrance test and certificate verification at their own expenses.

10. Not with standing anything contained in this booklet, the rules and regulations that are in force in the University on the date of counseling will be applicable.

11. **The candidates are advised to obtain the Transfer Certificate (TC), Marks Statements of the qualifying examination and the latest Caste and Income certificates (issued in 2017 only) wherever applicable, well in advance.**

12. The candidates are required to submit all the relevant certificates.

13. No candidate will be admitted under any circumstances unless all the relevant certificates are submitted and the required fee is paid.

14. Admission into college does not confer the right for accommodation in the Hostel.

15. **A PG degree holder who wishes to pursue another PG course is not eligible for fee reimbursement and they have to pay total fee at the time of admission.**

16. **A PG degree holder who wishes to pursue another PG course is not eligible for Hostel Admission and for any Scholarship.**

17. When the number of applications is less than the number of seats for any test , the test will not be conducted and admissions will be made based on the marks obtained in qualifying degree

18. Admission schedule, PG course fee details and other details will made available in the website www.vsudoa.in after the publication of entrance test results.

19. Minimum of 10 students are required to offer Self Finance / Regular Courses in VSU College, Nellore and VSUPG Centre, Kavali

20. Students will not be admitted to second Postgraduate Course (except M.Ed) in VSU College, Nellore and VSU PG Centre, Kavali

Entrance tests are being conducted for admission into M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., M.Ed., M.P.Ed and MSW, offered in the Campus and affiliated colleges of Vikrama Simhapuri University for the academic year 2017-18. The admissions are governed by the VSUPGCET – 2017 rules and regulations as given below. These rules supersede those that governed admissions in the preceding years.

The Advisory Committee of VSUPGCET 2017 reserves the right to change or modify any of the rules.

A. GENERAL

1. For getting admission, a candidate should qualify in VSUPGCET-2017 and satisfy the eligibility criteria prescribed for the course. Convener quota seats will be filled only with the candidates qualified in the entrance tests.

2. Admissions are limited to only those candidates who are local to one or other University areas of Andhra.Pradesh State.

3. Indian Nationals who are natives of other states (other than AP) are eligible for admission under National Integration Quota (NI) (5%). These seats are over and above existing seats.

4. Foreign national/NRI can be admitted without entrance test subject to satisfying the eligibility criteria and production of STUDENT VISA for the period of study in the University.

5. P.G. degree holder of a particular course/subject is not entitled for admission into the same course/subject. However, a PG degree holder can pursue a different PG course, but is not eligible for hostel admission and scholarship.

6. No candidate is entitled to pursue more than one full time course at a time.

7. If admitted, no candidate can undertake any other assignment or employment, or study any other course simultaneously.

8. The University reserves the right to run or not to run a particular course basing on the economic viability depending on the number of candidates who opt to join in it.

9. When the number of applications is less than the number of seats for any test , the test will not be conducted and admissions will be made based on the marks obtained in qualifying degree

10. Qualifying in the VSUPGCET-2017 does not guarantee admission. The candidate must satisfy all the eligibility criteria prescribed for admission into the course.

11. If it is proved that any of the certificates submitted by a candidate was tampered or fake, the candidate not only looses seat, but is also liable for prosecution.

12. The University reserves the right to add/delete Colleges/Courses or to increase/decrease the number of seats. The up-to-date information will be made available in the website www.vsudoa.in.

13. Minimum of 10 students are required to offer Self Finance / Regular Courses in VSU College, Nellore and VSUPG Centre, Kavali

14. Students will not be admitted to second Postgraduate Course (except M.Ed) in VSU College, Nellore and VSU PG Centre, Kavali

15. The rules that are not spelled in this booklet, but are in vogue in the University are also applicable.

B. COURSES OF STUDY

The courses offered are of two years duration (4 semesters), except the following.
  a) Bachelor of Fine Arts (Paintng & Graphics) is 4 years duration
  b) Integrated Courses in M.Sc (Biotechnology) which are of 5 years duration,
  c) Diploma in Journalism, Diploma in Translation are of one year duration
  d) Diploma in Aquaculture is of 6 months duration

The number of seats available under Regular (R), Self Financing (SF) and Payment (P) categories in different courses offered in the constituent and affiliated colleges of Vikrama Simhapuri University are as follows:

Vikrama Simhapuri University College of Arts, Commerce and Management, Nellore (Code: 100)

Course	Regular	Payment	Self Financing
M.A. English	30	5	
M.A. Telugu	50	5	
M.A. Political Science and Public Administration	30	5	
M.S.W. (Master of Social Work)	30	5	
M.Com. (General / Banking and Finance)			50
M.Ed.			50
Bachelor of Fine Arts (4 Years –Painting & Graphics)			20
Diploma in Journalism			30
Diploma in Translation			30

Vikrama Simhapuri University College of Science and Technology, Nellore (Code: 101)

Course	Regular	Payment	Self Financing
M.Sc. Applied Mathematics			40
M.Sc. Biotechnology	30	5	
M.Sc. Chemistry (Organic Chemistry)	30	5	
M.Sc Chemistry (Analytical Chemistry)			30
M.Sc. Food Technology	30	5	
M.Sc. Marine Biology	30	5	
M.Sc. Microbiology	30	5	
M.Sc Physics			30
M.Sc. Statistics with Computer Applications			20
5 Years Integrated M.Sc (Biotechnology)			30
Diploma in Aquaculture			30

Vikrama Simhapuri University Post Graduate Centre, Kavali (Code: 102)

Course	Regular	Payment	Self Financing
M.A. Economics	40	5	
M.A. English			40
M.A. Telugu			
M.Sc. Botany	30	5	
M.Sc. Computer Science			40
M.Sc. Mathematics	40	5	
M.Sc. Physics	30	5	
M.Sc. Zoology	30	5	
M.Com.	50	5	

Vikrama Simhapuri University Affiliated PG Colleges sanctioned intake as on 10.04.2017

Course	Code	College	Regular	Self Financing
M.A. English	104	DK Govt. Degree & PG College for Women, Nellore		40
	112	S.V. Arts & Science College, Gudur		40
	117	Sri Sarvodaya College, Nellore	40	
	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		40
M.A. Telugu	104	DK Govt. Degree & PG College for Women, Nellore		40
	112	S.V. Arts & Science College, Gudur		40
	118	Sri Shirdi Sairam Degree & PG College, Atmakur		40
	119	St. Mary's Degree & PG College, Buchireddypalem		40
	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		40
M.A. Corporate Telugu	105	D.R. Women's College, Gudur		40
M.Sc. Computer Science	103	Aaditya Degree & PG College, Nellore		30
	106	Jagan's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	108	Krishna Chaitanya Degree & PG College, Nellore		80
	110	Ramakrishna Degree & PG College, Allur		40
	111	Rao's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	112	S.V. Arts & Science College, Gudur		40
	113	S.V. Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	119	St. Mary's Degree & PG College, Buchireddypalem		40
	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		40
M.Sc. Analytical Chemistry	107	Jawahar Bharathi Degree & PG College , Kavali		30
M.Sc. Organic Chemistry				
	105	D.R. Women's College, Gudur		30
	106	Jagan's Degree & PG College, Nellore		60
	107	Jawahar Bharathi Degree & PG College , Kavali		30
	108	Krishna Chaitanya Degree & PG College, Nellore		30
	111	Rao's Degree & PG College, Nellore		60
	112	S.V. Arts & Science College, Gudur		30
	119	St. Mary's Degree & PG College, Buchireddypalem		30
	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		30
M.Sc. Human Nutrition & Nutraceutical Chemistry	105	D.R. Women's College, Gudur	20	
M.Sc. Biochemistry	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		30
M.Sc. Biotechnology	107	Jawahar Bharathi Degree & PG College , Kavali		30
M.Sc. Mathematics	105	D.R. Women's College, Gudur		40
	106	Jagan's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	108	Krishna Chaitanya Degree & PG College, Nellore		80
	111	Rao's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	113	S.V. Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	118	Sri Shirdi Sairam Degree & PG College, Atmakur		40
	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		40
M.Sc. Physics	103	Aaditya Degree & PG College, Nellore		30
	105	D.R. Women's College, Gudur		30
	107	Jawahar Bharathi Degree & PG College , Kavali		30

Course	Code	College		
M.Sc. Statistics with Computer Applications	112	S.V. Arts & Science College, Gudur		30
M.Sc. Zoology	104	DK Govt. Degree & PG College for Women, Nellore		30
M.Com.	106	Jagan's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	109	NBKR Degree & PG College, Vidyanagar		40
	110	Ramakrishna Degree & PG College, Allur		40
	111	Rao's Degree & PG College, Nellore		40
	117	Sri Sarvodaya College, Nellore	40	
	119	St. Mary's Degree & PG College, Buchireddypalem		40
	121	Sri V S S C Govt. Degree College, Sullurupet		30
M.Com. (Financial Management)	120	V.R. Institute of PG Studies, Nellore		40
M.Ed.	122	St. Mary's College of Education, Buchireddypalem		50
	123	STPM Govt. College of Education, Nellore	50	
	124	Velankanni College of Education, Nellore		50
M.P.Ed	125	Sri Sai College of Physical Education		

Note: If the Government or University approves the starting of a P.G course after the notification is given, but before the admissions are closed, all the candidates who qualify in the concerned test will be considered for admission at the new centre/college also.

C. ELIGIBILITY FOR WRITING THE ENTRANCE TEST

1. The candidate should have passed the qualifying examination from a recognized University.

   For admission into M.A. Economics, English, Political Science & Public Administration, Telugu, M.Sc. Botany, Chemistry, Mathematics/Applied Mathematics, Physics, Statistics and Zoology (where the concerned subject is compulsory in the degree), the candidate should have **at least 40% marks in the concerned subject**.

   For admission into any other course, the candidate should have **at least 40% aggregate marks** in the group subjects.

   For admission into M.Ed., the aggregate marks in B.Ed. should be at least 50% and the aggregate marks in degree/PG should be at least 45%.

2. Pass is sufficient for SC/ST candidates for admission into any course.

3. A candidate who has already passed the qualifying examination or who has appeared / is appearing for the final year annual examination in 2017 is eligible to apply.

4. **Supplementary candidates of 2017 are not eligible for admission during 2017-18.**

5. Eligibility criteria fixed for each course is given in **Section P.**

D. HOW TO APPLY (THROUGH ONLINE SUBMISSION ONLY)

a) **Online Submission**: Application should be submitted online in the website www.vsudoa.in. After filling the application the candidate should submit a print out of the application along with necessary Xerox copies certificates.

b) If the candidate apply for a particular test and if found to be not eligible for that test, the test fee paid will not be refunded. Hence the candidates are advised to go through thoroughly the eligibility conditions given in the instruction booklet before applying.

c) The candidates who have paid less than the prescribed fees their application will be rejected

d) Incomplete applications will be summarily rejected.

E. LAST DATE FOR UPLOAD / SUBMISSION OF ONLINE APPLICATION /

- Cost of Application is Rs.400/- (for OC / BC) & Rs.300/- (for SC/ ST / PHC)
- Submission of Online Application through **www.vsudoa.in** for VSUPGCET 2017 starts from **12. 04. 2017.**
- Last date for submission of Online Application without late fee is **30 th April 2017**

F. LAST DATE FOR UPLOAD / SUBMISSION OF ONLINE APPLICATION WITH LATE FEE

- o Last date for submission of Online Application with late fee is Rs.900/- (for OC / BC) & Rs.800/- (for SC/ ST / PHC)
  (Application Fee + Late Fee Rs.500/-) is **07thMay 2017**

- o Last date for submission of Online Application with Tatkal fee is Rs.1400/- (for OC / BC) & Rs.1300/- (for SC/ ST / PHC)
  (Application Fee + Tatkal Fee Rs.1000/-) is **12th May 2017**

G. HALL TICKETS

- Hall tickets will not be sent by post. Candidates have to download the hall tickets from the website www.vsudoa.in by entering the application number given in the student copy of the Registration form, one week before the commencement of the VSUPGCET 2017 tests.

- VSUPGCET-2017 hall ticket is to be preserved carefully and produced at the time of admission.

H. TEST CENTRES

Entrance tests will be conducted only at **V S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE,** Kakuturu, **NELLORE**.

I. PARTICULARS OF ENTRANCE TESTS

a) There is a prescribed syllabus for each entrance test as given in **Section Q**. The syllabus of each test consists of Section A for 30 marks, Section B for 30 marks and Section C for 40 marks for all subject tests except for Physical Education (M.P.Ed). Where as for Physical Education subject test 50 marks each are allotted for Section A and Section B.

b) Each entrance test will be of 90 minutes duration with 100 multiple choice questions. Each question carries one mark and there is no negative mark for wrong answer.

c) The test papers for English and Computer Science will be in English; Telugu test will be in Telugu. For all other tests, the question papers will be in both English and Telugu.

d) No candidate will be permitted into the examination hall without proper hall ticket.

e) Calculators, books, papers, mathematical & physical tables, slide rulers, pagers, electronic organizers, digital diaries, cellular phones or any other calculating aids are not allowed into the examination hall.

f) Candidate should answer only on the OMR SHEET supplied to him/her with name, hall ticket number and photo printed on it.

g) Candidate should return both the question paper booklet and OMR Answer Sheet, before leaving the Examination hall.

NOTE: When the number of applications is less than the number of seats for any test , the test will not be conducted and admissions will be made based on the marks obtained in qualifying degree.

J. RANKING

1. There is no qualifying marks in VSUPGCET-2017 Entrance test. All the candidates appeared for the Entrance test will be awarded test-wise Rank as per marks secured in the test appeared.

2. When there is a tie on the basis of marks obtained in the test as a whole, it will be resolved on the basis of marks obtained in Section C. If there is still a tie, it will be resolved on the basis of marks obtained in Section B. If there is still a tie, it will be resolved as per seniority in age.

3. Rank cards shall be downloaded from the website www.vsudoa.in after the publication of VSUPGCET–2017 results. Rank cards will not be sent by post,

4. The rank obtained in VSUPGCET-2017 is valid for admission for the academic year 2017-17only.

5. There is no provision for REVALUATION or PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION of answer sheet.

K. ADMISSION PROCEDURE

All admissions pertaining to all the colleges would be made through counseling conducted by the VSUPGCET Office, **V S University, Nellore**

1. The special category admissions (i.e. PH / NCC / NSS / CAP and Sports) will be conducted through offline mode. It will be done at VSUPGCET office, **Nellore**. after the Certificate Verification.

2. The candidate should have passed the qualifying examination with minimum percentage of marks as mentioned in Item **C** , when he/she is called for the Certificate Verification for admission, failing which the qualified candidates next in rank would be allowed.

3. Guidelines for certificates verification and web options will be intimated after test results.

4. Candidates have to attend the Certificate Verification at **V S University College, Kakutur, Nellore**, at their own expenses with the required documents and fees.

5. If a candidate fails to attend the Certificate Verification at the specified date and time for whatever reason he/she shall forfeit the seat and the candidate next in rank will be considered for Certificate Verification. Any representation for postponement of the date and time of personal appearance will not be entertained.

6. If a candidate reports himself/herself after the Certificate Verification is over with some valid reason, such a candidate on written representation may be considered for Certificate Verification into the course if only there is a vacancy in the particular category for which he/she is eligible.

7. At the time of Certificate Verification at **V S University, Nellore**, the following original documents should be submitted by the candidate:
   a) VSUPGCET-2017 Rank card and Hall Ticket.
   b) Marks statements and Provisional/Degree Certificate of the qualifying examination
   c) Transfer and Conduct certificates (Admission will not be given if T.C. from the institution where the candidate studied last is not submitted) **
   d) SSC and Intermediate pass certificates
   e) Two Passport size photographs
   f) Study certificates from IX class to qualifying examination
   g) Caste certificate in original from the Tahshildar in case of SC/ST/BC candidates, obtained in the year 2017 OR permanent caste certificate
   h) Income certificate from the Tahshildar obtained in 2017 (for those who wish to apply for Scholarship/ fee concession). Fee concession if eligible, will not be given if income certificate is not submitted.
   i) Relevant certificate in case of Physically Challenged / Extra Curricular Activities (NCC/NSS/Games & Sports / Cultural Activity) category.
   j) Discharge certificate and service certificate of the parent in case of a child of armed person.
   k) Residence Certificate of parents for stay in the state of A.P. from Tahshildar in case of candidates, who have studied outside A.P./ carried out private study.
   l) Migration certificate (for other University candidates)

8. The VSUPGCET Office issue the Scratch Card / OTP to each eligible candidate. It should be preserved by the candidate until the admission procedure is completed.

9. The cases of pending revaluation will not be considered.

**Note: Bonafide / Course completion Certificates are not allowed for Admission instead of Transfer Certificate)

L. LOCAL AND NON-LOCAL CANDIDATES

All candidates local to SVU region are local to Vikrama Simhapuri University.

1. In every course of study and category 85% of the available seats are reserved in favour of the Local Candidates from the districts of Anantapur, Chittoor, Kadapa, Kurnool and SPS Nellore belonging to Sri Venkateswara University Region/ area. The SVU region comprises of the five districts – Anantapur, Chittoor, Kadapa, Kurnool and SPS Nellore

2. The following candidates are treated as **LOCAL** to SVU region.
    2.1. A candidate who has studied in the SVU region (or stayed in case of private study) for four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she has first appeared for the final year qualifying examination.
    2.2. A candidate who has studied (or stayed in case of private study) for seven consecutive academic years within the state of Andhra Pradesh ending with the academic year in which he/she first appeared for the final year qualifying examination and studied (or stayed in case of private study) for a maximum period in SVU region.
    2.3. In case a candidate has studied (or stayed in case of private study) for equal periods in the SVU region and another University region (AU or OU region) out of the last seven years, he/she should have studied (or stayed in case of private study) lastly in SVU region.

3. The remaining 15% seats can be **competed** by the categories mentioned below
    Any candidate who is not local to SVU region is treated as **NON-LOCAL** to SVU region, if
    3.1. he/she is local to any other University region in Andhra Pradesh State.
    3.2. he/she resided for a total period of not less than 10 years in Andhra Pradesh (excluding the periods of study outside the State).
    3.3. his/her parents have resided in Andhra Pradesh for a total period of not less than 10 years.
    3.4. his/her parent/spouse is presently working in Andhra Pradesh in Government or allied service.

M. ALLOCATION OF SEATS TO VARIOUS RESERVATION CATEGORIES

1. Seats allocated for different reserved categories are as follows: SC-15%, ST-6%, BCA-7%,BCB-10%, BCC-1%, BCD-7%, BCE-4%, Extra Curricular Activities–3% (NCC-1%, NSS-1%, Games & Sports-1%), PH (Physically handicapped)-3% and CAP (Children of Armed Personnel)-2%. Both local and non-local candidates are considered for CAP quota.

2. **Reservation for women**: 33.33% of the seats are reserved for women candidates in each category (i.e., OPEN, SC, ST, BC, ECA and PH). This rule is not applied if women candidates selected on merit in a category form one third or more of the seats therein. If there are no suitable women candidates in a category, the seats will be filled with men candidates of the same category.

3. A vacancy under SC goes to ST and vice-versa. If enough SC & ST candidates are not available, the left-over seats will go to OC. A vacancy under one BC group goes to any other BC group on the basis of entrance rank. If enough BC candidates are not available, the left over seats will go to OC.

4. For admission into Extracurricular Activities (ECA) seats, participation during the period of study of the qualifying examination is alone considered.

5. Expert committees nominated by the University will certify the suitability and priority of the candidates under special categories (ECA/PH/CAP).

N. FEE PARTICULARS

Fee details of all courses at different institutions will be made available in the website.

Each admitted candidate has to pay the fee immediately in the bank within the stipulated time and has to follow procedure mentioned therein.

Each candidate has to pay an amount of **Rs. 400/- (Rs. 200/- for SC/ ST / PH category**) towards counseling fee at the time of certificates verification process.

Fee concession is allowed to SC/ ST/ BC/ EBC/ PH candidates for regular and self financing courses on production of valid certificates and income certificates as per the G.O.s in vogue. Fee concession is not applicable for Payment and NRI categories.

If both Regular and Self-Financing courses are run for the same subject in a particular college, the fee reimbursement from the Government will be same as the fee reimbursed for regular course, and the reservation candidates have to pay the remaining fee vide G.O. MS.No.56, Social Welfare Department, dated 06-10-2003.

If any admitted BC/ EBC/ SC/ST/PH category candidate does not get fee reimbursement from the Government, he/she will have to pay the specified fee to the University/college. Or if the Government reimburses only part of the fee, the student has to pay the remaining fee.

For withdrawal from any regular or self-financing course after the closing of admissions, one has to pay the total course fee without concession and get back the original certificates.

FEE FOR REGULAR COURSES

The following fee is to be paid at the time of admission towards First Year Fee:

Course	General Category			Reservation Category*		
	Tuition fee (Rs)	*Special fee (Rs)*	*Total fee (Rs)*	*Tuition fee (Rs)*	*Special fee (Rs)*	*Total fee (Rs)*
M.A., M.S.W.	4375	1,495	5,870	-	1,495	1,495
M.Sc., M.Ed.	7,800	1,645	9,445	-	1,645	1,645
M.Com.	5,900	1,495	7,395	-	1,495	1,495

* For SC/ST candidates whose parental income is less than Rs. 2,00,000/- and for BC, EBC and PH candidates whose parental income is less than Rs. 1,00,000/-

Note: An additional amount of Rs.1,000/- is to be paid towards computer laboratory fee for all the courses (Rs.2,000/- for M.Sc. Human Nutrition & Nutraceutical Chemistry).

FEES FOR SELF FINANCING COURSES

The following fee is to be paid at the time of admission towards First Year Fee:

P G Courses	Fee (Rs.)
English	15,470
Telugu / Corporate Telugu	15,470
Biochemistry	25,735
Biotechnology	25,735
Botany	20,735
Organic/Analytical Chemistry	25,735
Computer Science	20,735
Mathematics/Applied Mathematics	20,735
Microbiology	25,735
Physics	20,735
Statistics with Computer Applications	18,735
Zoology	20,735
M. Com.	16,855
M. Com. (General / Banking & Finance)	16,855
M. Com. (Financial Management)	16,855
M.Ed.	38,735
M.P.Ed	
5 Year Integrated M.Sc (Biotechnology)	20,735
Diploma Courses	
Diploma in Aquaculture	8000
Diploma in Journalism	15,470
Diploma in Translation	15,470

Note: *Fee concession will be available to SC/ST/BC/EBC/PH candidates as per G.O.s in vogue.* Additional amount of Rs.1,000/- is to be paid towards computer laboratory fee for all the courses.

Fee for Payment Seats

For admission into payment category seats of regular courses in the University constituent colleges, the following **additional fee** is to be paid at the time of admission (no need to pay in second year) in addition to the fee prescribed for regular course**:**

Organic Chemistry /Analytical Chemistry / Biotechnology / Botany / Food Technology / Mathematics / Microbiology / Marine Biology / Physics / Zoology – Rs. 30,000/- ;
Economics / Political Science and Public Administration / M.Com. – Rs. 20,000/- ;
M.S.W. – Rs. 15,000/- ;
English / Telugu – Rs. 10,000/-

O. HOSTEL ACCOMMODATION

Admission into an institution does not automatically entitle for accommodation in the Hostels.

Only limited accommodation is available in the University Hostels for Men and Women.

Admission to hostels will be made as per the rules in vogue

Hostel accommodation will not be provided to those who wish to pursue another PG course

Hostel facility is available for men and women students admitted into VS University College, Nellore and VSU PG Centre, Kavali .

Regarding the details of hostel accommodation available in affiliated colleges, the students have to find out for themselves.

P. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR DIFFERENT COURSES

The eligibility criteria for admission into each course along with the entrance test one has to qualify, are given below.

Refer to Section B to find out whether the course is available in Campus College or PG Centre or affiliated colleges.

Course	Eligibility	Test
M.Sc. Biochemistry	B.Sc. with Chemistry/ Biochemistry and one biology subject	**101-Biochemistry**
M.Sc. Biotechnology	B.Sc. with Chemistry/Biotechnology/Biochemistry and one biology subject **or** B.Tech. Biotechnology **or** B.Sc. Biotechnology	**102-Biotechnology**
M.Sc. Botany	B.Sc. with Botany and Chemistry / Biochemistry	**103-Botany**
M.Sc. Organic Chemistry / M.Sc. Analytical Chemistry	B.Sc. with Chemistry / Industrial Chemistry and any two science subjects	**104-Chemistry**
M.Sc. Human Nutrition & Nutraceutical Chemistry	B.Sc. with Chemistry and one Biology subject	*Seats are distributed for candidates qualified in Biochemistry, Botany, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Microbiology,and Zoology tests*
M.Sc. Computer Science	B.Sc. Computer Science / B.C.A. / B.A. Computer Applications / B.Com. Computer Applications / B.Sc. Computer Applications / B.Sc. Mathematics combination / B.A. Mathematics combination **or** any degree equivalent to B.Sc. Computer Science.	**105-Computer Science**
M.Sc. Food Technology	B.Sc. Home Science or B.Sc. with any of the following: Biochemistry /Chemistry / Microbiology / Aquaculture / Fishery Science / Zoology / Botany / Biotechnology / Horticulture **or** B.Sc. (Ag.) / B.V.Sc. **or** B.Tech. with Food Technology / Dairying	**106-Food Technology**
M.Sc. Marine Biology	B.Sc. with any one biology subject	**107-Marine Biology** *Unfilled seats will be filled with candidates qualified in Biotechnology/ Zoology test*
M.Sc. Mathematics M.Sc. Applied Mathematics	B.A./ B.Sc. with Mathematics	**108-Mathematics**
M.Sc. Physics	B.Sc. with Physics and Mathematics	**109-Physics**
M.Sc. Statistics with Computer Applications	B.A./ B.Sc. with Statistics and Mathematics	**110-Statistics**

M.Sc. Zoology	B.Sc. with Zoology	**111-Zoology**
M.Sc. Microbiology	B.Sc. with Microbiology / Chemistry and any two Biology subjects **or** B.Sc. with Microbiology and Computer Science/Computer Applications	**112-Microbiology**
M. Com. M.Com. (Banking & Finance)	B.Com. **or** B.A. with Accountancy, Statistics and Mathematics / Commerce / Economics /Computer Applications **or** B.B.A. **or** B.Sc. with Mathematics, Accountancy and Computer Science	**201-Commerce**
M.Com. (*Financial Management*)	B.Com. General / Computers **or** B.A with AES group **or** B.B.M.	**201-Commerce**
M.A. Economics	B.A. with Economics	**202-Economics**
M.Ed.	B.Ed.	**203-Education`**
M.A. English	Any graduate with English in Part I or Part II	**204-English**
M.A. Political Science and Public Administration	Any graduate	**205-Political Science & Public Administration**
M.S.W. (*Master of Social Work*)	B.A. with Social Work / Sociology / Psychology (20 seats) **or** Any graduate (10 seats)	**206-Social Work**
M.A. Telugu M.A. Corporate Telugu	Any graduate with Telugu in Part I or Part II or B. A. Oriental Learning in Telugu	**207-Telugu**
M.P.Ed	B.P.Ed	**208 – Physical Education**
5 Year Integrated M.Sc Biotechnology *	Intermediate (10+2) or equivalent with Biology, Physics, Chemistry	**301-Integrated Biotechnology**
Diploma in Aquaculture*	A pass in Higher Secondary / Intermediate (10+2) Scheme with Biology as one of the subjects or equivalent qualification.	**401-Aquaculture**
Diploma in Journalism*	Graduates of any stream and 2 years experience in Media / Communication organizations in any of the positions (Script Writer / Reporter / Sub Editor / Photographer / Technical Assistant/ PRO etc..	**402 -Journalism**
Diploma in Translation*	Any graduate from a recognized university Meidum of Instruction: TELUGU	**403-Translation**
BFA*	A pass in Higher Secondary / Intermediate (10+2) Scheme	**501- BFA**

Note: * <u>NO ENTRANCE TESTS FOR BFA, 5 YEAR INTEGRATED & DIPLOMA COURSES.</u>

a) .Admissions into BFA, 5 year Integrated courses and Diploma courses will be based on the marks obtained qualifying examination.

b) In case of M.Sc. Human Nutrition and Nutraceutical Chemistry where there are seats for candidates qualified in different tests, the vacant seats in any category (after exhausting the complete list) will be filled with candidates of other categories. Similarly for M.S.W., where there are seats for two eligibility criteria, the vacant seats in either category will be filled with candidates of other category.

c) When the number of applications is less than the number of seats for any test , the test will not be conducted and admissions will be made based on the marks obtained in qualifying degree

Q. SYLLABI FOR ENTRANCE TESTS

In most cases, syllabi prescribed for the entrance tests relate to the common core First year syllabus of 2014-15, Second year syllabus of 2015-16 and Third year syllabus of 2016-17 as followed in Vikrama Simhapuri University. Detailed syllabus can be downloaded from the University web site.

Test-101 Biochemistry

Section A: Paper-I (Biomolecules and Enzymology)

Section B: Paper-II (Metabolism and Biochemical Techniques)

Section C: Paper-III (Physiology, Clinical Biochemistry and Immunology)

Test-102 Biotechnology

Section A: Paper-I (Cell Biology and Genetics)

Section B: Paper-II (Biological Chemistry and Microbiology)

Section C: Paper-IV (Applications of Biotechnology)

Test-103 Botany

Section A: Paper-I (Microbial diversity, Cryptograms and Gymnosperms)

Section B: Paper-II (Anatomy, Embryology, Taxonomy and Medicinal Botany)

Section C: Paper-III (Cell Biology, Genetics, Ecology and Biodiversity)

Test-104 Chemistry

Section A: Inorganic Chemistry of three years

Section B: Physical Chemistry of three years

Section C: Organic Chemistry of three years

Test-105 Computer Science

Section A: Paper-I (PC Software and 'C' Programming)

Section B: Paper-II (Object Oriented Programming with Java and Data Structures)

Section C: Paper-III (Modern Data Base Management Systems)

Test-106 Food Technology

Section A: Basic food groups – Food constituents, nutrients, and Food requirements

Section B: Fundamentals of Food Science, Chemistry, Processing and Preparation

Section C: Nutrition for growth and development – Food spoilage and preservation.

Test-107 Marine Biology

Section A: BIOLOGY OF INVERTEBRATES AND CELL BIOLOGY

Section B: ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGY, ECOLOGY, EVOLUTION AND GENETICS

Section C: FISHERY SCIENCE

Test-108 Mathematics

Section A: Paper-I (Differential Equations and Solid Geometry)

Section B: Paper-II (Abstract Algebra and Real Analysis)

Section C: Paper-III (Linear Algebra and Vector Calculus)

Test-109 Physics
Section A: Paper-I (Mechanics, Waves and Oscillations)
Section B: Paper-II (Thermodynamics and Optics)
Section C: Paper-III (Electricity, Magnetism and Electronics)

Test-110 Statistics
Section A: Paper-I (Descriptive Statistics and Probability and Distributions)
Section B: Paper-II (Statistical Methods and Inference)
Section C: Paper-III (Applied Statistics)

Test-111 Zoology
Section A: Paper-I (Biology of Invertebrates and Cell Biology)
Section B: Paper-II (Biology of Chordates, Embryology, Ecology and Zoogeography)
Section C: Paper-III (Animal Physiology, Genetics and Evolution)

Test-112 Microbiology
Section A: Paper-I (Introductory Microbiology)
Section B: Paper-II (Microbial Physiology and Genetics)
Section C: Paper-IV (Applied Microbiology)

Test-201 Commerce
Section A: Paper-I (Financial Accounting); Paper-II (Business Economics)
Section B: Paper-V (Advanced Accounting); Paper-VIII (Taxation)
Section C: Paper-X (Cost and Management Accounting); Paper-XI (Business Law)

Test-202 Economics
Section A: Paper-I (Micro Economics)
Section B: Paper-II (Macro Economics)
Section C: Paper-III (Indian Economy)

Test-203 Education
Section A: Paper-I (Foundations of education)
Section B: Paper-II (Psychological foundations of education)
Section C: Paper-III (Educational Technology and Computer Education);
            Paper IV (School Management and Systems of Education)

Test-204 English
Section A: Paper-I Studied under Part-I English
Section B: Paper-II Studied under Part-I English
Section C: Paper-III (Drama); Paper-IV (Novel) Studied under part II Advanced English of B.A.

Test-205 Political Science & Public Administration
Section A: Concepts and theories of Political Science.
Concepts and theories of Public Administration
Section B: Indian Government and Politics
Indian Administration
Section C: Political thought
Management of resources: Human resource management, Financial management.

Test-206 Social Work
Section A: Social work profession, philosophy and basic social science concepts
Section B: Social work intervention – Basic methods
Section C: Social work intervention – Auxiliary methods; Social work with women and children

Test-207 Telugu
Section A: Paper-I Studied under Part-I Telugu
Section B: Paper-II Studied under Part-I Telugu
Section C: Paper-II (Modern Language and History of Telugu Literature);
Paper-III (History of A.P. Language – Grammar and Dialects)
Studied under Part II Advanced Telugu of B.A.

Test-208 Physical Education
Section A: Paper – I:.1 History, principles and foundations of physical education
2. Anatomy and Physiology
3. Educational Technology and methods of teaching in physical education
Section B: Paper-II   1. Olympic Movement
2. Measurement and Evaluation in Physical Education
3. Kinesiology and Biomechanics

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Previous years VSUPGCET question papers are available in website.

1. For any Errors / Corrections / Eligibilities / Seats / Courses / Fee in the Instruction booklet is the discretion of the Convener, VSUPGCET as per University rules and regulations.
2. The VSUPGCET office has the right to cancel / modify the allotment, if the admission made is found incorrect.
3. The Admitted candidates have to pay the prescribed fees within the stipulated time
4. Any modifications in Entrance Examination / Counseling schedule will be placed in the website.

SIDE II
SECTION I

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SECTION II

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SC	②	NSS	②	FEMALE Ⓕ		MUSLIM Ⓜ	
BC-A	③	NCC	③			CHRISTIAN Ⓒ	
BC-B	④	Sports	④			OTHERS Ⓞ	
BC-C	⑤	CAP	⑤				
BC-D	⑥						
BC-E	⑦						
OC	⑧						

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ANSWERS (USE BLUE / BLACK BALL POINT PEN ONLY)

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6. OMR Sheet లో కాని Question Paper Booklet లో కాని లోపమున్నచో invigilator వద్ద మంచి మరియొక OMR Sheet ను లేదా Question Paper Booklet ను ప్రారంభంలోనే తీసుకోనండి.

7. OMR Sheet సైడ్ II లో గల బుక్లెట్ కోడ్ను, మరియు సరైన సమాధానములను (Answers) సూచించు వృత్తమును **పెన్తో** నింపండి.

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2. Use **BLACK / BLUE BALL POINT PEN** only to darken the circles corresponding to the answers.
3. Completely fill the circles corresponding to the answers with BLACK BALL POINT PEN.
4. Mark only one choice for each question as indicated below.

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5. In case you do not follow the above instructions, your answers are likely to be rejected.
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Course: Statistics (SF)

College: VSU College of Science & Technology, Nellore

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Course: Marine Biology (R)

College: VSU College of Science & Technology, Nellore

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Course: Economics (R)

College: VSU PG Centre, Kavali

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