

KSU/PhD/Notification/01/2024-25/25-26

Date: 08-05-2026

List of Applicants Selected for the Ph.D Vidyavardhi Entrance Examination to be held on 09-07-2026 from the various departments.

Instructions to Part-Time Ph.D Candidates:

1. Candidates who are currently employed (Government/ Private Institutions) must produce a No Objection Certificate (NOC) at the time of Interview. Failure to submit the NOC at the interview will result in rejection of the candidature. This requirement does not apply to those who have already submitted the NOC earlier.
2. Selected candidates who are not currently employed shall be considered full-time research scholars in their respective departments.

Department of Alankara

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father Name	Caste	MA %
1	BHARATH KUMAR S	SWAMY	SC	90.12
2	SHRI CHIRANTHA R	RAGHAVENDRA P V	General	89.6
3	DODDAPPA GARI LAVANYA	D.N NAGARAJU	OBC (Other state)	86.15
4	NAGARAJA NARAYANA BHAT	NARAYANA BHAT	General	83.75
5	HAREESHA M	MURTHY NAIK	SC	78.95
6	GEETHA KOWTAL	NAGAYYA SETTY K	General	78.3
7	ADARSHA GOPALAKRISHNA BHAT	GOPALAKRISHNA GANAPATI BHAT	General	77.4
8	VATSAL G	GANGADHARAI AH G.H	General	71.4
9	PRASAD P JAHAGIRDAR	PRABHAJANACHARYA	General	68.7
10	G PRABHANJAN	G PRAHALAD	GM	65.35
11	PRAVEEN TEGGINAMANI	MALAPPA	SC	62.65
12	NARASIMHA	KRISHNE GOWDA	Cat-1	60.33
13	VINAY KUMAR A S	GIRISAMBA	III B	55.8
14	KRISHNAMMA C	CHENNAPPA	Cat-I	55.4

Department of Sanskrit Language & Literature

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father Name	Caste	MA %
1	KR ASHRITHA	KV RAJESH	GM	93
2	HONNARATHI GOWRI S BHARADWAJ	S SHASHI KUMAR	GM	89.7
3	ANITHA C	CHINNAPPA	SC	88.57
4	VEERESH KUMAR C	VEERANNA C	OBC	87.2
5	MALLESH S	SHIVANNA NC	OBC	86.95
6	BHARATH KUMAR G R	RANGA SWAMY G P	OBC	84.35
7	MRIDULA M	MADHUSUDANA V	GM	83.4
8	MANJUNATHA MALLANNA	MALLANNA	CAT-I	80.9
9	SHREENIVAS KALAPPA BADIGER	KALAPPA	GM	80.9
10	SANKARSHANA S BHARDWAJ	SATHYANARAYANA P	GM	80.8
11	PAVAN CHIDAMBAR JOSHI	CHIDAMBAR	GM	79.9
12	VEEKSHA GOSHIKAR M M	B L MANJUNATHA	GM	79.05
13	MADHUSHREE M C	Y G CHANDRASHEKAR	OBC	77.6
14	NAGARAJA TAMBRAHALLI	ANJINAPPA TAMBRAHALLI	ST	76.3
15	SANTOSH KUMAR NAYAK	RAVINDRA KUMAR NAYAK	OBC	74.7
16	TRIVENI P	PERUMAL	GM	72
17	SAVITHA V	S VEERAI AH	SC	69

Department of Manuscriptology

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father/Mother Name	Caste	MA %
1	KIRAN KUMAR P L	P R LAKSHMANAN	GM	86.85
2	ADITHI D	DEEPAK NS	GM	86.80
3	NARENDRA SHREEPADA JOSHI	SHREEPADA JOSHI	GM	85.0
4	LOHITHA HEBBAR	SHRIDHAR HEBBAR	GM	80.4
5	SHIVARUDRAIAH	VEERAI AH	OBC	77.37
6	SARVESHACHARYA	ANANTACHARYA	GM	68.85

Department of Vedanta

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father Name	Caste	MA %
1	VENKATESH KALAGI	NARASHIMACHARYA	GM	87.45
2	PRASANNA JOGBHAT	KRISHNA JOGBHAT	GM	84.5
3	U. P. SUDHANVA	U. PRAHLAD	GM	81.5
4	MANJUSHREE CHIKADANI	SIDDU CHIKADANI	GM	80
5	R JYOTSNA RAO	B RAGHU RAMA RAO	GM	79.85
6	JITAMITRA KULAKARNI	SRINIVASA RAO	GM	79.8
7	CHANDAN G U	UDAY G V	OBC	79.45
8	VISHNU KASHYAPA	VENUGOPAL J	GM	78.8
9	GOPIKRISHNAN G	GURURAJAN S	GM	78.25
10	NAGABHUSHANA.K	BV KRISHNAMURTHY	OBC	78.18
11	RANJANI HEGDE	ANNAYYA HEGDE	GM	77.4
12	AISIRI G RAO	GANESH KALAL	OBC	77.35
13	VENKATESH .R.G	GOPALAI AH .R.V	OBC	76.5
14	G S NAGESWARA RAO	G V SATYANARAYANA RAO	GM	76.25
15	CHINMAY	NAGARAJ	GM	76.06
16	VIGNAESHWAR T BHAT	TIRUMALESHWAR	GM	76
17	HEMA KARIYAPPA	KARIYAPPA S M	OBC	74.1
18	SALAGARA RAMESH	JAGANNATH	OBC	74
19	GRESHMA M G	GOPALAKRISHNAN	GM	72.9
20	GIREESH. N	NANDISHWARAIAH. K. C	OBC	72.2
21	MAHESH C	CHANDRASHEKAR M	OBC	72.2
22	SUMITRA SATHEESH	K SURYANARAYANAPPA	GM	71.85
23	H. SHESHAGIRI	HR. HANUMESH	GM	71.65
24	KUMARA D	DUNDATHAMBADI	OBC	70.2
25	ADITHYA HN	NAGESH HN	GM	69.45
26	NIVEDITHA GANESHA SHETTY	GANESHA NARAYANA SHETTY	GM	68.25
27	KOUSHIKA GAYATRI	GANESHAN C	GM	67.15
28	VENUGOPAL H.G.	GOVINDA RAJU H.M.	GM	66.9
29	R. SRIDHAR BHATT	Y.N. RANGANATHA BHATT	GM	63.95
30	NUTHAN KUMAR	RAJASHEKARAYYA	SC	62.65
31	KARTHIK BHAT	B RAGHAVENDRA BHAT	GM	55.9

Department of Jyotisha

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father Name	Caste	MA %
1	VISHAL	SHISH RAM	SC	67.51

Department of Vyakarana

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father Name	Caste	MA %
1	RAMASWAMY SURYANARAYANAN	RAMASWAMY IYER	GM	86.5
2	KRUPA GOPAL	T P GOPALIAH	GM	84.1
3	AARTI DEEPAK ALUR	SHANKAR Y ASUNDI	GM	81.95
4	NAMANA S M	MANJUNATHA S	SC	78.3
5	NAGASHREE G	GANESH T.G	GM	73.4
6	SHIVANANDA P HOUSNUR	PARASHURAM	SC	69.2
7	V GANGATHIMMAIAH	VENKATAIAH	GM	64.25
8	SOMASHEKAR N	NARASAPPA	SC	57.7

Department of Nyaya and Vaisheshika

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father/Mother Name	Caste	MA %
1	K PANDURANGA JOSHI	NARAYANACHARYA JOSHI	GM	90.8
2	SRINIVASA	RAGHAVENDRA	GM	79

Department of Veda

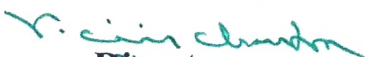
Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father/Mother Name	Caste	MA %
1	DWIBHASHYAM SRI VENKATA NAGA BALA HANUMATH PRASANNA	DWIBHASHYAM PANCHA MUKHI SASTRY	GM	92.7

Department of Mimamsa

Sl. No	Name of Applicants	Father/Mother Name	Caste	MA %
1	PRUTHVIRAJA GANAPATI BHAT	GANAPATI BHAT	GM	79.4
2	VINAYAKA N BHAT	NAGENDRA S BHAT	GM	78

Note:

- ❖ The Entrance Test will consist of one paper for 100 marks. Part – A includes multiple choice questions for 50 Marks from various disciplines like Veda, Vyakarana, Nyaya, Vedanta, Jyotishya, Alankara, Sanskrit Language & Literature, Research Methodology and Aptitude etc. Part – B shall consist of descriptive type questions for 50 marks from the subjects for which the applicant has applied. The duration of the Test will be for 3 hours.
- ❖ A candidate securing a minimum of 50 marks out of 100 (45 marks out of 100 in case of SC/ST/CaI-1 candidates) in the Entrance Test shall be eligible for next stage of the PhD, programme.
- ❖ There shall be 30% weightage for the performance of the candidate in the interview and 70% weightage for entrance test.
- ❖ In the case of candidates who have passed UGC-CSIR/DBT/ICAR/JRF/SRF /GATE/ KSET the merit list will be prepared on the basis of 50% of marks secured in the interview and 50% marks in Master's Degree Examination. In case of candidates securing equal percentage of marks from both Master's Degree Examination and marks secured in the Interview, such candidates who have secured higher percentage in the Master's Degree Examination will be placed higher in ranking.
- ❖ Date of Entrance Examination: 09/07/2026
- ❖ Time of Examination: 10.30.A.M to 1.30 A.M.
- ❖ UGC-NET syllabus shall be applicable for PART-A.
- ❖ P.G.syllabus (Campus and Affiliated colleges) of Karnataka Sanskrit University shall be applicable for PART-B.
- ❖ Candidates are requested to come to the university on 09/07/2026 at 9.30 A.M to collect the Hall tickets for the Examination.
- ❖ If there are any changes, that shall be notified in the website time to time.


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